



ST. MARCELLUS CHURCH

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Sunday, May 22, 2022
Sixth Sunday of Easter

GOD BLESS AMERICA

WELCOME: To all Visitors and New-comers! If you are interested in becoming a member of our church family, please call the office at (337) 364-0818 or fill out a census form found on the table in the entrance of Church and mail to the office.

BAPTISM: Please contact the office or Rev. James Nguyen.

MARRIAGE: Couples planning marriage should contact the office at least 6 months before the proposed date of weddings.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE: Confessions are heard from 30 minutes until 10 minutes before weekend Masses, and from 11:30am until 12:00pm noon on weekday Masses, and by appointment.

****MASS INTENTIONS & BULLETIN INFORMATION**

DEADLINE: Wednesday before 4:00 pm. All Mass intentions & Bulletin information turned in after Wednesday will be published in next weekend's bulletin.

LAST WEEKEND'S COLLECTION & MAIL IN COLLECTION

CHURCH SUPPORT & MAINTENANCE: 5/15	\$	1,380.00
MAIL IN COLLECTION: 5/16-19	\$	140.00
TOTAL:	\$	1,520.00

Aid to Church in Eastern Europe & Africa: \$ 237.00

"Thank you" for your generosity & continued support

CHURCH CLEANERS-Week-5/27-Kim Hebert



Pastor: Rev. James Nguyen

Staff: Office Manager: Ann Boudreaux
 Receptionist/Secretary: Yvonne Hebert

Trustees: Mike Wattigny 337-577-4904
 Catherine Simmons 504-905-1726

Financial Council Chairperson: Dan Duncan: 337-364-4966

Pastoral Council Members:

Chairperson: Ashley Menard: 337-380-3239

Vice Chairperson:

Secretary: Wendy Segura: 337-367-1602

Social Justice Committee: Claire Larson: 337-277-9171

Evangelization Committee: Nancy Hebert: 337-364-4409

Religious Education Committee: Wendy Segura: 337-367-1602

Worship Committee: Versa Dore: 337-967-2401

Management & Finance Committee: Catherine Simmons:
 504-905-1726

Regional Pastoral Council: **Open for Volunteer-Call the office to apply**

Religious Education Office Phone: 337-364-9419

Coordinator of Religious Education: Yvonne Hebert: 519-8411

Assistant Coordinator: Wendy Segura: 337-367-1602

St. Marcellus Business Working Hours:

Monday-Thursday	8:30 am - 4:00 pm
Lunch	11:30 am - 1:00 pm
Friday	8:30 am - 11:30 am

CELEBRATING THE EUCHARIST

Saturday: 4:00 pm

Sunday: 7:00 am & 9:00 am

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday: 12:10 pm

***First Friday of Month: Mass at 4:30pm**

***First Friday Adoration: *8:00am-4:00pm-Devotions**

Friday: 2nd, 3rd, 4th & 5th Friday of Month *12:10 pm

***Holy Hour: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & 2nd, 3rd, 4th & 5th Friday of the month at 11:00 am**

First Saturday of Month: 9:00am Mass (Rosary at 8:15am followed by Devotions) *Children of Mary

members please arrive at church by 8:00am for Rosary

BAPTISMS- If you are not a registered member for our parish, there are registration census forms on the table in the entrance of Church that needs to be filled out before you can have your child baptized here. Either mail the form to the Church or put in an envelope marked "Census" and put in the collection. ***If you live outside of our parish,** you will have to contact your local church parish to get a letter stating they give permission for our Church to baptize your child here.

MASS INTENTIONS-

Saturday, May 21 / 8:30am: For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Rosary at 8:00am)

Saturday, May 21 / 4:00pm: Ronnie & Loretta Guidroz, Aaron J. Lavergne Jr., Perry Lavergne, Gerald Laviolette, Joseph & Dorinda C. Broussard & Family, Elias "E. J." DeRouen, Sederic Hebert, Brooks Hebert, Johnny & Ethel Viator, For Vocations to the Priesthood & Consecrated Life, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Rosary at 3:30pm)

Sunday, May 22 / 7:00am: Ashley & Kevin Russo, Robert Leslie, Alfred & Mary Leslie, Doug Leslie, John Simon, Mary D. Robertson, M/M Murphy Richardson, For All Priests & Deacons Living & Deceased, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased

Sunday, May 22 / 9:00am: The Ernest Crochet Family, The John Inzerella Family, Wayne Guillot, Lester & Cynthia (4th A) Lopez, For All Seminarians of the Lafayette Diocese, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Chaplet at 8:30am)

Monday, May 23 / 9:00am: For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Rosary at 8:30am)

Tuesday, May 24 / 12:10pm: Warren Pellerin, Goldie Moore, Elizabeth Segura, For Priests & Deacons Living & Deceased (Holy Hour at 11:00am)

Wednesday, May 25 / 12:10pm: Junius Comeaux, Joey Comeaux, Robert James Arnold & Family Living & Deceased, Streamline Industries: Employees, Customers & Their Families Living & Deceased, Souls in Purgatory, William & Dolores Dooley, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Holy Hour at 11:00am)

Thursday, May 26 / 12:10pm: For Seminarians of the Lafayette Diocese (Holy Hour at 11:00am)

Friday, May 27 / 12:10pm: For Vocations to the Priesthood and Consecrated Life (Holy Hour at 11:00am)

Saturday, May 28 / 8:30am Mass: For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Rosary at 8:00am)

Saturday, May 28 / 4:00pm: Ronnie & Loretta Guidroz, Aaron J. Lavergne Jr., Perry Lavergne, Joseph & Dorinda C. Broussard & Family, Michael & Pamela (B) Mogeran & Family, Elias "E. J." DeRouen, Deceased Family Members of Jimmy & Bonnie Thibodeaux, Nolan & Audrey Meche, Danny Meche, Nolan Pellerin Sr., Amar Moore & Bea Moore Pellerin (WA), Johnny & Ethel Viator, For Vocations to the Priesthood & Consecrated Life, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased

Sunday, May 29 / 7:00am: Mack & Irene Wilson Family, Jonathan Gautreau, Mary D. Robertson, M/M Tom DeRouen, For All Priests & Deacons Living & Deceased, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased

Sunday, May 29 / 9:00am: The Ernest Crochet Family, The John Inzerella Family, William & Dolores Dooley, For All Seminarians of Lafayette Diocese, For All Parishioners Living & Deceased (Rosary at 8:30am)

SECOND COLLECTION-This weekend, May 21st & 22nd,
there will be a second collection Bishop's Services Appeal.

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there will be a second collection for the Vacation Bible School Fund. Funds collected will help cover the cost of student supplies and shirts.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL-JUNE 20-24- Cost is Free
If you would like to volunteer, please contact Kathy Broussard at 337-352-1112. Registration forms are on the table in back of Church. Please drop them off in collection in an envelope marked VBS or at the Office. Volunteers can sign the Volunteer Registration Form that is on the table in the back of Church & Kathy will get back with you.



SUNDAY READINGS-

May 22-Sixth Sunday of Easter-

Acts 15:1-2, 22-29 / Rv 21:10-14, 22-23 / Jn 14:23-29 (57)

May 29-The Ascension of the Lord-

Acts 1:11 / Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28, 10:19-23 / Lk 24:46-53 (58)



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 7050-

The Knights would like to recognize the following:

Knight of the Month-Donnie Simon

Family of the Month-Raymond & Maria Boudreaux

**CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL GRADUATES OF
HIGH SCHOOLS, TECHNICAL SCHOOLS AND
COLLEGES! From Father James and Office Staff**



ALTAR SERVERS SIGN UPS-All boys and girls who have already received their First Holy Communion and would like to become an Altar Server please call Yvonne Hebert at the parish office (337-364-0818) to sign up. They will be trained before they serve at mass.

ALTAR FLOWERS-...In Memory of

Edward LeBlanc

By Margie and Edmond Broussard

BISHOP'S SERVICES APPEAL-These are the ways you can give to the BSA: Once a month second collection, if paying by check make checks payable to BSA & place in second collection in envelope marked BSA at church or mail to BSA at 1408 Carmel Drive, Lafayette, LA 70501, or give online at www.diolaf.org/bsa, or text **DIOCESE** to **50155**. **2022-Goal-\$7,953.00 paid-\$4,415.00** Thank you for your generosity & continued support to the BSA.



SANCTUARY LAMP—

**...In Loving Memory of
Warren Pellerin, Goldie Moore,
Elizabeth Segura
by Dina Mayard**

Pro-Life Quote—“I do not believe the promises of the Declaration of Independence are just for the strong, the independent, the healthy. They are for everyone—including unborn children.” *George W. Bush*

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS-

Elementary and High School Students-Bring your last completed lessons folder back to the White Office Building so I can mark student done for this session. This needs to be done so the students can pass to the next grade for the next session. Monday to Thursday 8:30am-12:00pm Noon and 1:00pm-3:30pm, Friday 8:30am-11:30am. After hours there is a covered plastic box to put student folders in by the White office building door. The 9th and 10th grade students: you need to bring your Textbook back with the folder. If your 7th grade student was given a bible for them to complete lessons, please bring bibles back to the White Office Building.

ST. MARCELLUS FOOD BASKETS-Food Baskets are prepared to help those who are in need. Please help us stock our pantry with non-perishable items. You can deposit your items in the corner of the front foyer of Church. Monetary donations will also be accepted, please enclose it in an envelope marked Food Pantry & drop it in the collection basket.

COME, LORD JESUS! GROUP-The following Come, Lord Jesus group in our parish is: Dan & Louise Duncan-Avery Island, 337-364-4966, meet on Wednesdays at 4:00pm. If you are interested in joining the group, please call. The group goes over Sunday Gospel, explaining God’s word & prayer time.

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION of the BLESSED SACRAMENT-Friday, June 3-8:00am until 4:00pm followed by Devotions. Mass at 4:30pm. Please consider spending one hour with the Blessed Sacrament. The sign-up sheet can be found on the table in the front entrance of Church.

**TEEN LIFE MINISTRY-Ashley Menard-Leader
Teen Life Ministry is now accepting new Members, in grades 5th through 12th. Anyone interested in joining please contact Ashley Menard, her cell 337-380-3239.

COMMUNION TIME-For Communion Time, please receive the Holy Eucharist in your hands, not on the tongue.

CENTENNIAL CAMPAIGN PAYMENTS-Reminder if you are paying by check for the Centennial Campaign, please make the check out to **Centennial Campaign. Mail to: Diocese of Lafayette, Attn: Centennial Campaign, 1408 Carmel Drive, Lafayette, LA 70501. Thank You.
St. Marcellus Church-As of February 2022-Total Pledged-\$186,541.00 Total Goal-\$165,000.00 **Total Paid \$131,256.62.****

ALTAR FLOWER FUND DONATIONS-Anyone interested in donating for the 2022 Flowers, please contact Millie Comeaux at 337-519-2555 or mail your list to Millie Comeaux, 1901 Langston Road, New Iberia, LA 70560. **Make checks out to Millie Comeaux. Price for the 4 Holiday Altar Flowers-\$30.00 total for all 4. Price for the 1 Weekend Altar Flowers-\$40.00.
Open weekends dates for flowers Sept 25, Oct 9, 16.**

Please pray for those of our community who have requested our prayers: Durice Leleux Jr, Terrell & Dossie Darby, Bruce Burleigh, Dustin James Bourque, R.T. Touchet, Craig Mayard, Howard Castille, Fr. Gene Tremie, Kim Rentrop, Freda Rentrop, Joyce Thibodeaux, Mona Doiron, Debbie Thibodeaux, Charlisse LaBauve, Allen Bourque, Diane Phillips, Ron Clark, Judy Landry, Zenaida Retana, Charlie Thibodeaux, Natasha & Ryan Kirkeby, Ann Melancon, Kerry Hebert, Jan Bergeron, Daniel Bourque, Kyle Pellerin, John Hebert, Yvonne Russo, Stefan Norris, Roxanne Lavergne, Julia Armentor, Nancy Hebert, Hazel Delahoussaye, Kimberly Elizabeth Moreaux, Linda Yoder, Sis Lavergne, Patrick Castille, Sarah Walker, Lisa Landry Quibedeaux, Peggy Derouen, Debra Kennedy, Quinton Sims, Pete Phar, Noah Daniels, Hayward Delcambre, Angelica Daniels, Johnny & Karen Broussard, Pam Jude, Michelle Thibodeaux Broussard, Genevieve Robichaux, Wayne Derise, Mary Dartz, Kressent Landry, Julie Bourgeois, Bill Broussard, Dayton Boutte, Catherine Landry, Elijah Landry, Jason Walker, David Seymour, Joyleen Seymour, Barbara Boudreaux, Brandon Barbin, Tina Broussard, Wilda Hite, Cassie Lannie, Marvin Rentrop, Mary Grace Rentrop, Zoda P. Bourque, Christian James, Blair & Wendy Yoder, Mark & Karen Messinger, Ken & Judy Broussard, Katie Faulk, Edwin Mayeaux, Freddie Norris, Robert R. Broussard Sr., Cody Castille, Robert LeBlanc, Geraldine LeBlanc, Lauris Land, Roy Boudreaux, Ramsey Moss, Wendell Broussard, Bonnie Hazelton, Alison & Emberia Hazelton, Canton Fabia, Sharon Broussard, Denee Vidrine, Gregory Beauboef, Selena Gautreau, Benjamin Lassalle, Kade Breaux, Shirley Romero, Stephanie Vidrine, Carolyn Deville, Earlene Guillory, Terry Broussard, Savannah Jones, Anthony Leger, Bailey Doré, Joseph Calvin Landry, Gerald Sewell, Carmen Decuir, Lois Romero, Amy Citrano, Joyce Romero, Gretchen Lavergne, Glorious Broussard, Jennifer Liner, Marcus Hebert, Hypolite Meyers, Brian Lasseigne, Nicholas Landry, Wanda Breaux, Faith Kreamer, Jermaine Boutte, Jennifer O’Neill, Randal Riggie, Rita & Steven King, Linda Dartz, Don Simon, Irene Richard, Dean Lancon, Jessica Guidry, Barbara LeBlanc, Pete Bourque, Amy Crochet, Alison Lavergne, Gladys Eskind, Bella Cervantes, Georgie Pellerin, William “Kojak” Broussard, Monique Lancon, Amber Segura, Michael Norris, Denise David, Nelson Boudreaux, Jessica LeJeune, Ann LaPointe, Payton Suire, Brian Delcambre, Steven Lavergne, & sick members of our church parish family, the homebound, those with a dependency, those recovering from injuries & those admitted into hospitals & nursing homes.

VOCATION CHALICE Each week at Mass, a family or individual is to receive the Chalice to pray for vocations. Please pick up the Chalice in Sacristy Room in back of Altar. Thank you & God Bless.

May / June

- ***Richard & Emily Bourque** -May 22-29-Sunday at 9am Mass
- ***James, Angelia & Caroline Meyer**-May 29-June 4-Sunday 9am
- ***Dot Landry**-June 4-11-Saturday at 4pm Mass

VOCATIONAL PRAYER CHALICE OPENINGS-

There is an open week for the Vocational Prayer Chalice Family **July 24-30**. If you are interested, please call Betty Romero at 337-321-0830 to take a week to pray for our future priests and sisters.

***MASS INTENTIONS—**

Please put your list of intentions & **\$5.00 per intention** in a sealed envelope. **Examples are for one intention: John Smith, or Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, or husband and wife-John and Sue Smith, or the John Smith Family.** One intention is **not** John, June, Brock, and Sam Smith. One intention is **not** John Smith, Don Boulder, and Amy Charles. One intention is **not** Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and Mark.

Indicate your name, address, phone number & the amount of money submitted. Put your envelope marked **Masses** in the collection basket or mail your envelope to the Office. **MASS INTENTIONS Will Not Be Accepted Over the Phone.** Forms can be found on the table in the back of Church along with envelopes.

Please pray for the perseverance of
Seminarian Jacob LeBlanc
Seminarian Stephen Melancon

God our Father, thank you for calling these seminarians to
prepare for the priesthood. Grant them the grace to grow
closer to You through daily prayer. Amen.



“We are able to go through the most terrible
places fearlessly, because Jesus is in us. Jesus
is our joy, our strength, our joy, and our
compassion.”

Saint Mother Teresa



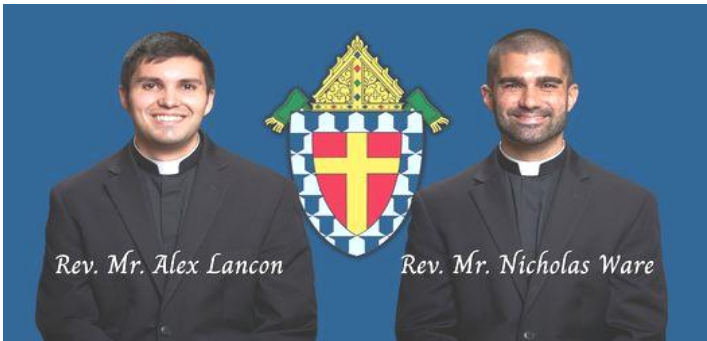
Reed Bellingham

David Furka

Michael Vidrine

**TRANSITIONAL DIACONATE-This Saturday, May 21 at
10am at the Cathedral of St. John Church in Lafayette.**

Seminarian Reed Bellingham, Seminarian David Furka,
Seminarian Michael Vidrine



Rev. Mr. Alex Lancon

Rev. Mr. Nicholas Ware

**PRIESTHOOD ORDINATION-Saturday, June 11 at 10am at
the Cathedral of St. John Church in Lafayette.**

Rev. Mr. Alex Lancon and Rev. Mr. Nicholas Ware

Prayer to St. Joseph-O St. Joseph, whose protection is so great,
so strong, so prompt before the throne of God, I place in you all
my interests and desires. O St. Joseph, assist me by your powerful
intercession and obtain for me all spiritual blessings through your
foster Son, Jesus Christ Our Lord, so that, having engaged here
below your heavenly power, I may offer you my thanksgiving and
homage. O St. Joseph, I never weary contemplating you and Jesus
asleep in your arms. I dare not approach while He reposes near
your heart. Press Him in my name and kiss His fine head for me,
& ask Him to return the kiss when I draw my dying breath. Amen

Reflection on the Gospel-On this night of gifts, Jesus offers to his
disciples the gift of peace. This peace is not sentimental,
complacent, secure, or conflict free because if is, Jesus says, “my
peace”-a peace that comforts the afflicted and afflicts the
comfortable. This peace is shalom, the right relationship that
flows from our loving union with God through Jesus and the Holy
Spirit. The Holy Spirit makes connections, establishes unlikely
partnerships, and breaks down barriers between people-if we are
open and welcoming to the Spirit’s advocacy for this in us.
-Living Liturgy tm, Sixth Sunday of Easter 2022

FOR SALE-DOUBLE MAUSOLEUM CRYPT-

Contact Mrs. Billie Norris at 337-519-2225.

Reminder: all sales/transfers finalized thru St. Marcellus Office.

Quo Vadis is a discernment retreat for men ages 15-25.
Discover God's will for your life through prayer, fraternity,
recreation, and talks on discernment. Register through
June 15, 2022 by visiting lafayettevocations.com, or
call 337-261-5690. Retreat held on June 21-23.

“To love God with our whole strength is to employ our
possessions, our health, and our talents in serving Him
and glorifying Him. It is to refer all our actions
to Him as our last end.”

Sermon on the Love of God (Sp.)-Thoughts of the Curé D’Ars

HEALING SERVICE-Please join Fr. Manny Fernandez for a
Healing Service at **Sacred Heart Church**, 2514 Old Jeanerette
Road in New Iberia on **Wednesday, May 18th at 1:30pm**. For
more information call Faye Boutte at 337-944-6138 or Joyce at
337-364-4393.

Lafayette Vocations-www.facebook.com/lafayettelavocations
and website www.lafayettevocations.org

OUR LADY OF THE OAKS 2022 RETREAT DATES-
Grand Coteau, LA- For list of dates or to register or info about
retreats, www.ourladyoftheoaks.com, or call 337-662-5410
Women’s Retreat-June 2-5, June 23-26, August 18-21, Sept. 8-
11, Sept. 29-Oct. 2, Oct. 20-23, Nov. 7-9, Nov. 10-13, Dec. 1-4

Young Adult’s Retreat-July 8-10

Women’s One Day Retreat-Sept. 13, Dec. 6

***Veteran’s 3-day Retreat-Annual Memorial Day Weekend-**
May 26-29-For Men & Women. Suggested Offering \$200,
deposit \$25 (part of offering) The weekend includes all room,
board and meals.

CALLING ALL CURSILLISTAS-The day for the New Iberia
Ultreya has changed to the 4th Monday of the month. It is held at
Nativity of Our Lady Parish Hall, 130 N. Richelieu Circle,
New Iberia. 6:30pm Rosary begins in the Church and then the
meeting will move to the Parish Hall.

DIOCESE OF LAFAYETTE has job openings and other
openings around the Diocese, go to www.diola.org/employment
to view openings.

ENGAGED COUPLES- Attend a Catholic Engaged Encounter
Weekend. The weekend is open to any engaged couple wanting to
prepare for a deeper more meaningful life together in a marriage
recognized by the Catholic Church according to its Church law.
For cost of weekends, and to learn more, visit website
www.ceelafayette.org or Contact Paul & Carolyn Trahan at
337-254-8947 cee.trahan@gmail.com

RETROUVAILLE—is a ministry for troubled marriages. This
program has helped tens of thousands of couples at all stages of
disillusionment or misery in their marriage. **June 24-26. The**
weekend provides safe setting encouraging couples to learn
communication in marriage in a respectful manner. Visit
www.helpourmarriage.com for more information & to register.
Call 985-232-5963 / email retrovibrcomcoor@gmail.com