

# Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

You also must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come.

August 10, 2025

## **Mass Schedule**

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 12:10 PM Wednesday & Friday 6:30 AM Saturday: 4:00 PM

**Sunday:** 6:30 AM, 8:00 AM, & 10:00 AM

**Rosary Schedule** 

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 11:30 AM Wednesday & Friday 5:55 AM Saturday: 3:15 PM

**Sunday:** 5:55 AM, 7:15 AM, & 9:15 AM

**Confession:** 

**Saturdays:** 3:00-3:45 PM or By appointment

Adoration

Mon: 8AM-5PM Wed: 7AM-7PM Fri:7AM-5PM

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# Weekly Readings

#### Sunday:

First Reading: Wisdom 18: 6-9 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 33: 1,

12, 18-19, 20-22

Second Reading: Hebrews 11: 1-2,

8-19 or 11: 1-2, 8-12

Alleluia: Matthew 24: 42a, 44 Gospel: Luke 12: 32-48

Monday:

First Reading: Deuteronomy 10: 12-

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 147: 12-

13, 14-15, 19-20

Alleluia: Second Thessalonians

2:14

Gospel: Matthew 17: 22-27

Tuesday:

First Reading: Deuteronomy 31: 1-8 Responsorial Psalm: Deuteronomy

32: 3-4ab, 7, 8, 9 and 12 Alleluia: Matthew 11: 29ab Gospel: Matthew 18: 1-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday:

First Reading: Deuteronomy 34: 1-

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 66: 1-

3a, 5 and 8, 16-17

Alleluia: Second Corinthians 5: 19

Gospel: Matthew 18: 15-20

Thursday:

First Reading: Joshua 3: 7-10a, 11,

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 114: 1-2, 3-4, 5-6

Alleluia: Psalms 119: 135

Gospel: Matthew 18: 21 – 19: 1

Friday:

First Reading: First Chronicles 15: 3-

4, 15-16; 16: 1-2

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 132: 6-

7, 9-10, 13-14

Second Reading: First Corinthians

15: 54b-57

Alleluia: Luke 11:28 Gospel: Luke 11: 27-28 Saturday:

First Reading: Revelation 11: 19a;

12: 1-6a, 10ab

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 45: 10,

11, 12, 16

Second Reading: First Corinthians

15: 20-27

Gospel: Luke 1: 39-56

### COLLECTION FOR 08/03/2025

#### Regular Offertory:

\$ 13,863.00

Building Fund:

\$4,827.00

212

161

#### Envelopes used this weekend:

Regular: Building:

Thank you for your generous spirit of

giving!

# Saturday, August 9th-

4:00 PM-Louanne St. Julien (D) / Sheilah Resweber (D) / M/M W.F. Guilbeau (D) (ANN) / M/M Adley Scrantz (D) / M/M Loney Hebert, Sr. (D) / Alberie & Inez Barras (D) / Brandon Mouton (L)(HBD) / Harry Leger (D) / M/M Lucien Leger (D) / Kenny Beaugh (D) / Dupre & Teresa Hebert (D) / Charles "Cooney Boy" Comeaux (D) / Winnie Theriot (D) / Lee & Ida Bergeron (D) / Marie Falcon Hebert (D) / John Bourque (D) / Duc Hoang / Dang Tran (D) / Rebecca Walters (D) / Ray/Mable Brasseaux (D) / David/Marlene Arnaud (D) / Mike Matthieu (D) / Jack (D) / Bernida & Elmo Hebert (D) / Special Intentions (D) / Neva Young Veron (D) / John Berzas (D) / Lee & Debby Boudreaux (D) / Earl & Sabie Landry (D) / Jo Ann Tanner (L)(HBD)

Mass Intentions

#### Sunday, August 10th-

6:30 AM-For the People

8:00 AM-Joan Firmin (D) / Anna Lou Broussard (D) / John Oran Guilbeau (D) (ANN) / Edward Menard (D)(ANN) / Dustin Wiltz (D) / Leana Suire (D) / Dong Bien Duc (D) / Harold & Laura Sonnier (D)(ANN) / M/M Francis T. Resweber (D) / Spiritual Healing / Successful School Year / Pat McCleary (D)

10:00 AM-Michael Allain (D) / Jerry D. Guidry (D) / Louella / Buck Ransonet (D) / John B. Sonnier Family (D) / John B. Sonnier Family (D) / Rayford Domingue (D) / Deanna Sonnier (D) / Rosamaria Reyes-Silva (D) / J. L. & Claire Courville Raggio (D) / Paul /Myrtle Breaux (D) / M/M Harold Brashear (D) / M/M Errol Robichaux (D) / Poochie Frederick (D) / Estelle R. LeBlanc (D) / M/M Authur Robicheaux Family (D) / Mr. Doyle Brashear (D) / Mr. Wilson Siner (D) / Mr. John Joyner (D) / Bernida & Elmo Hebert (D) / Ms. Belinda Thibodeaux (D) / Elverda Doga (D)(ANN)

### Monday, August 11th-

12:10 PM-M/M Hector N. Sonnier (ANN) / Effie Savoy (D)(ANN) / Dirk Hebert (L) / Dong Man Coi (D)

#### Tuesday, August 12th-

12:10 PM-Michael O'Neil Mouton (D) / Paula Wiltz (L)(HBD) / Tucker Savoy (L) (HBD) / M/M Ben Guilbeaux (D) / Joseph Tue Pham (D) / Mary Anne Cornett (L) (HBD) / Gloria Dominque (D) / Eryn Lorraine Hollier (L)

### Wednesday, August 13th-

6:30 AM-Thong Luu Family (D)

## Thursday, August 14th-Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Vigil

5:30 PM-Patrick LeBlanc / Clair Bonin (D) / Dallas J. Courville (D) / Anthony Viet Pham (D) / Gloria Domingue (D) / Special Intentions / Living Family Members of Ethel Kebodeaux (D)

## Friday, August 15th-Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

6:30 AM-Jerry D. Guidry (D) / James Leewood Breaux (D) / M/M Davy Hollier (D) / M/M Hubert Leger, Sr. (D) / M/M Clam Duhon (D) / M/M Hubert Leger, Jr (D) / Gerald / Louella Savoy (D) / Leah Hebert (L) / Shirleen Richard (D) / Dan Vien Chau Son (D) / Paul & Leatrice Brown (D) / Robert Lee Savoy (D) / Alice Matte (D) / Lorraine Hollier Dugas (L) / Souls in Purgatory (D)

#### 8:30 AM SCHOOL MASS

Nota Bene: If a name is not printed above, due to human error, be assured that God has accepted the intention in heaven. God of Canon Law, 945.

## Vigilance, Attentiveness, Action

Jesus said to his disciples: "Gird your loins and light your lamps and be like servants who await their master's return from a wedding, ready to open immediately when he comes and knocks. Blessed are those servants whom the master finds vigilant on his arrival. Amen, I say to you, he will gird himself, have the servants recline at table, and proceed to wait on them." Luke 12:35–37

Vigilance, hard work, determination, attentiveness, fidelity—these are some of the qualities that Jesus is speaking about. To "gird your loins" means that you are immediately prepared for some challenging task. You are ready for the hard work ahead and are committed to it. To "light your lamps" implies that you are not in the dark but that your mind is enlightened in such a way that you are able to see that which is the will of God.

As we go through life, it is easy to become complacent in the things of faith. It is easy to become lazy, disinterested, distracted, and unfocused. This parable goes on to speak of a thief who tries to break into a house in the middle of the night. This is Jesus' way of saying that the evil one, with his lies and attacks, is constant, vicious, forceful, and unpredictable. For that reason, we must never grow tired of being vigilant in the spiritual life and must always be attentive to the light of God's voice.

How attentive are you to the mission of Christ on a daily basis? This is an essential question to answer honestly. Most people will find that they become distracted from the mission God has given to them. We experience countless things every day that compete for our attention. Many of those competing voices might not appear to be sinful. For example, perhaps a certain hobby has become the dominant focus of your free time. Or perhaps responsibilities at work have spilled over into your family time. Or perhaps some painful or even enjoyable experience has had your full attention for some time. Though it is obvious that sinful distractions in life are evil, it might not always be as obvious that there are many other neutral distractions that are a real problem. The problems they can produce are a lack of attentiveness to the will of God and a lack of readiness to engage the will of God the moment He calls.

Imagine, for example, that a very important person calls you to ask for a favor. Most likely you would drop all you were doing and respond immediately. But, sadly, when the King of the Universe attempts to speak to us and inspire us to some mission, we can be too distracted to even listen, let alone respond with immediacy and zeal. This is a problem. If, however, a person is continually attentive to the voice of God and responds to His interior promptings as soon as they are received, then Jesus says that this person is truly blessed and that He will "have the servants recline at table, and proceed to wait on them." In other words, the result of being vigilant in our attentiveness to the inspirations of God is that God Himself will reward us with His service. He will invite us to the table of spiritual rest, peace, joy, and fulfillment. He will serve us His mercy, which will be more than we could ever imagine.

Reflect, today, upon the call from God to always be attentive to His voice the instant He speaks. Reflect upon how aware you are of His constant presence in your life and His ongoing communication. Know that if you can form a habit of always listening, then you will never miss out on the grace-filled mission given to you by our Lord. Always listen to Him, seek out His still and gentle voice, and be ready to respond to Him every time He calls.

#### PLEASE PRAY FOR PRIESTS

We thank you, God our Father, for those who have responded to your call to priestly ministry. Accept this prayer we offer on their behalf; Fill your priests with the sure knowledge of your love. Open their hearts to the power and consolation of the Holy Spirit. Lead them to new depths of union with your Son. Increase in them profound faith in the Sacraments they celebrate as they nourish, strengthen and heal us.

Lord Jesus Christ, grant that these, your priests, may inspire us to strive for holiness by the power of their example, as men of prayer who ponder your word and follow your will.

O Mary, Mother of Christ and our mother, guard with your material care these chosen ones, so dear to the Heart of your Son. Intercede for our priests that, offering the Sacrifice of your Son, they may be conformed more each day to the image of your Son, our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Amen.

Vocation Prayer

O God, we earnestly ask You to bless this diocese with many priests, brothers, and sisters who will love You with their whole strength and gladly spend their entire lives to serve Your Church and to make You known and loved. Bless our families, bless our children, choose from our homes those needed for Your work. Mary, Queen of the Clergy, pray for us, pray for our priests, religious, and deacons. Obtain for us many more. *Amen.* 

LET US PRAY DAILY FOR OUR PRIESTS,					
SEMINARIANS, AND DEACONS OF THE DIOCES					
OF LAFAYETTE					

	OF LAFAYETTE				
<b>/</b>	August 10th	Rev. Joshua Munterim, SVD	Nicholas Broussard	Dcn. Timothy Ledet	
)	August 11th	Rev. Joseph Nasser, SJ	Dcn Ricky Castaneda	Dcn. Carlton Lee	
	August 12th	Rev. James Bam Nguyen	Alex Coffey	Dcn. Barney Lejeune	
	August 13th	Rev. Theodore Nnabugo	Haden Coleman	Dcn. Thomas Lindsey	
	August 14th	Rev. Albert Gayle Nunez	Joseph Corso	Dcn. Joseph Liuzzą	
	August 15th	Rev. Godwin Nzeh, CMF	Sebastian Cramer	Dcn. Philippe Lizotte	
	August 16th	Rev. Bernard Obuya, SVD	Charlie DeLaughter	Dcn. Jose Luna–Becerra	



# Baptismal Information \*YOU MUST BE A REGISTERED & PRACTICING PARISHIONER\*

Parents must fill out a Baptismal Registration Form and Godparents must be fill out a Baptismal Godparent Form. They can be found on the church website (www.stspeterandpaulscott.org) under sacraments.

You must bring the forms to the Church Office.

You will then have to make an appointment with Fr. Mark. After approval by Fr. Mark, parents and godparents must attend a Baptism Preparation Class.

Criteria for Godparents: Must be at least 16 years old, confirmed, and a practicing Catholic. They must be able to receive communion & in good standing.

Non-Catholic godparents are highly discouraged. They will NOT appear on the baptismal certificate!

## Baptismal Class Schedule:

2nd Tuesday of every other month, from 6 PM to 7 PM
September 9th
November 11th

# Join the Sts. Peter & Paul Children's Choir or Traditional Church Choir!!

The Choirs will soon return to rehearsals on September 3rd. So this means that now is your opportunity to join us in song!

The SPP Children's Choir meets on Wednesdays from 5:30–6:00pm and sings once a month at the Sunday 8am mass, usually at the last Sunday of the month from September through April, as well as special holiday masses and events. All children of reading age through middle school are welcome to join. Every parent volunteer must be Safe Environment Trained.

The SPP Traditional Church Choir is open to anyone high school age and up. This choir sings every Sunday at the 10am mass, as well as special holiday masses and events. There are no auditions, except to assign vocal placement and it is not required that members read music to be a part of this group. We rehearse every Wednesday from 6:15-7:15. Every member of the Traditional Church Choir that is 18 or over must be Safe Environment Trained.

Our worship experience in mass is enhanced by our full and active participation which includes singing, so we encourage everyone to fully participate through singing. "He who sings," said St. Augustine, "prays twice". The holy Bishop of Hippo stated that singing adds to our praise and worship of God; that our voices are gifts with which we can make music to the Lord and express the joy of our hearts. Prayer through song reminds us of the choirs of heaven, with whom we are called to praise God eternally.

Anyone interested in joining any of our musical groups here at Sts. Peter and Paul should go to the church website > About Us > Stewardship, fill out the Digital Music Ministry Form, and/or contact Jacqueline Savoie at jacquelinembsavoie@gmail.com

Today's selections from scripture celebrate our forebears for their faith. Abraham's faith was so strong that he was willing to sacrifice his beloved son. Centuries later, the Chosen People have faith sufficient to courageously make their escape from bondage. Jesus asks his disciples to have faith in his return, for which they should always be prepared. May today's readings remind us to ask ourselves what we need to do to prepare ourselves for that day.

#### Question of the Week:

What can I do to build and deepen my faith? Whom can I wait on while I wait for the Lord's return?

Visit our ACTS Retreat page on the Sts. Peter & Paul Church Website—stspeter—andpaulscott.org—for more information on ACTS, upcoming retreat dates & the applications to apply. The information can be found under ACTS.



# CCD Registration for 1st-6th grade is Now Open!

#### Important information for parents of students in 1st-6th grade:

Preparation for the Sacraments of First Holy Communion, Penance and Confirmation are an integral part of faith formation. In order for students to be prepared it is important that they attend CCD from 1<sup>st</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> grade. Non-attendance and excessive absences will result in the Sacraments being delayed until the child is caught up in their faith formation.

Contact the CCD office at 337-232-6167 with any questions.

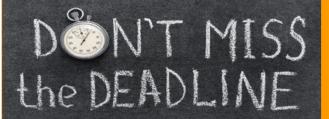
To register for the

2025-2026 CCD year, please visit

Sts. Peter and Paul Church website or use the

QR code below.

www.stspeterandpaulscott.org





A late Fee will be charged after August 26, 2025.

# **Prayer for Hurricane Season**

O God, Master of this passing world, hear the humble voices of your children. The Sea of Galilee obeyed Your order and returned to its former quietude. You are still the Master of land and sea. We live in the shadow of a danger over which we have no control; the Gulf, like a provoked and angry giant, can awake from its seeming lethargy, overstep its conventional boundaries, invade our land, and spread chaos and disaster.

During this hurricane season we turn to You, O loving Father. Spare us from past tragedies whose memories are still so vivid and whose wounds seem to refuse to heal with passing of time. O Virgin, Star of the Sea, Our beloved Mother, we ask you to plead with your Son on our behalf, so that spared from the calamities common to this area and animated with a true spirit of gratitude, we will walk in the footsteps of your Divine Son to reach the heavenly Jerusalem, where a stormless eternity awaits us.

Amen.

\*reminder that Confirmation is a 2 year program. You must register in 7<sup>th</sup> grade to make Confirmation in 8<sup>th</sup> grade with the class.

Saints Peter and Paul Confirmation



# 7th and 8th Grade Confirmation & Pre-Confirmation Registration

Registration is now open for this years Confirmation and Pre-Confirmation program for all parishioners in grades 7-8!

You can register online using the following QR Code or link:

https://forms.gle/2ocncp6C1saXHGPY8



Or you can pick up a registration form and schedule in the parish office!

Registration is due August 22nd and there will be a **MANDATORY** parent/student meeting on August 24th.

8th Grade parents will meet at 9:30am in the Parish Hall. 7th Grade parents will meet at 11:00am in the Parish Hall.

# **BACK ON THE BAYOU!**

Eucharistic Procession Along Bayou Teche

Procession Begins 9am
St. Leonville
Procession Begins 9am
St. Leonville
Procession Boots
Procession Begins 9am
Arnaudville

Rosary & Benediction Benediction

# Friday, August 15, 2025

Feast of the Assumption

In Honor of the 260th Anniversary of the Arrival of the Acadians and the Catholic Faith.

- Begins with French Mass by Bishop John Douglas Deshotel, D.D., Bishop of Lafayette, at St. Leo's in Leonville at 8:00 am
- · Procession to Landing at 9:00 am, Boat Procession departs at 9:30 am
- Stops at Each Church on the Bayou: Arnaudville, Cecilia, Breaux Bridge, Parks for Rosary and Benediction
- End Up in the Evening at Evangeline Oak in St. Martinville
- · Disembark and Process into Notre Dame for Benediction
- · Process in St. Martin de Tours for Benediction
- Process Down Main St. to Our Lady of Sorrows Chapel for Vespers and Benediction
- Confessions will be Available at All Stops Along the Teche





The Sanctuary Candle this week is lit for:

The Parishioners of SPP



#### **ENGAGED COUPLES!**

Spend a weekend away from the cares and distractions of everyday living.
Attend a **Catholic Engaged Encounter Weekend**. It is open to any engaged couple wanting to prepare for a deeper more meaningful life together in a Sacramental Marriage recognized by the Catholic Church according to its Church law.

Weekend dates for **2025** is **Sept. 26-28**. The cost of the weekend is **\$275**. A **\$125 non-refundable deposit is required** 

to secure a reservation. To learn more, visit our website www.ceelafayette.org or contact Mike & Phyllis Totaro at 337-962-5798 (Phyllis) or reginfo.ceelaf@gmail.com

## parish News:

Keep up with the Parish at our Facebook Page or Church Website!

# altar flowers:

We'd love to honor your special day(s), person, and/or memory with a beautiful flower arrangement in the Sanctuary for the Weekend masses.

# New adress, name, and/or phone number?

If you have any change in your membership information, please notify us at the office by calling 337-235-2433 or by emailing us at stspeterandpaulscott@hotmail.com or sppreception@outlook.com

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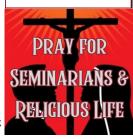
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