



Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

'No servant can serve two masters... You cannot serve both God and mammon.'

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	dings Mass Intentions		
Sunday: First Reading: Amos 8: 4-7 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 113: 1-2, 4-6, 7-8 Second Reading: First Timothy 2: 1-8 Alleluia: Second Corinthians 8: 9 Gospel: Luke 16: 1-13 Monday: First Reading: Ezra 1: 1-6 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 126: 1b-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6 Alleluia: Matthew 5: 16	Saturday, September 20th— 4:00 PM—Sheilah Resweber (D) / W.J. (Jim) Guilbeau/Mary Guilbeau (ANN) / Marie Bourque (D) / Alberie & Inez Barras (D) / Harry Leger (D) / M/M Elmo Broussard Sr. (D) / M/M Lucien Leger (D) / Kenny Beaugh (D) / M/M C.J. Delhomme (D) / Joshua Hebert (D) / The Catholic Daughters / Dupre & Teresa Hebert (D) / Raymond Martin (D) / Lee & Ida Bergeron (D) / Marie Falcon Hebert (D) / John Bourque (D) / Steven Landry (D) / Anna Bell David (L)(HBD) / Duc Hoang / Dang Tran (D) / M/M Evan Domingue (D) / Verlie & Walter Boudreaux (D) / Viola & Forest Blanchard (D) / Polly Gerard (HBD) / Joseph Thai Pham (D) / Ray/Mable Brasseaux (D) / David/Marlene Arnaud (D) / Barbara Broussard Magnon (D) / Mike Matthieu (D)		
Gospel: Luke 8: 16-18	Sunday, September 21st-6:30 AM-For the People 8:00 AM-Joan Firmin (D) / Ethel Martin (D) / Shirleen Richard (D)(ANN) / Dustin Wiltz (D) / M/M Francis T. Resweber (D) / Spiritual Healing (D) / Leana Suire (D) / Maria Mung Do (D) / Claude Oliver, Sr. (D)(ANN) / John M. Verzwyvelt (D) 10:00 AM-Michael Allain (D) / Jerry D. Guidry (D) / Louella / Buck Ransonet (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) / Ms. Belinda Thibodeaux (D) / Debbie Tanner (L)(HBD) / Poochie Frederick (D)		
Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 149: 1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b Alleluia: John 14: 6 Gospel: Luke 9: 7-9 Friday: First Reading: Haggai 2: 1-9 Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 43: 1, 2, 3, 4 Alleluia: Mark 10: 45	(ANN) / M/M Harold Brashear (D) / Elmo & Bernida Hebert (D) / M/M Errol Robichaux (D) / Chester & Lydia Myers (D Monday, September 22nd- 12:10 PM-Steve Hebert (L)(HBD) / Simon Becnel (D)(HBD) / Steve Hebert (L) (HBD) / Maria Lua Hoang (D) Tuesday, September 23rd-		
Gospel: Luke 9: 18-22 Saturday: First Reading: Zechariah 2: 5-9, 14-15a Responsorial Psalm: Jeremiah 31: 10, 11-12ab, 13 Alleluia: Second Timothy 1: 10 Gospel: Luke 9: 43b-45	12:10 PM-Michael O'Neil Mouton (D) / Viola Becnel Burk (D)(HBD) / Nancy Trahan (L)(HBD) / Peter Tu Pham (D) Wednesday, September 24th- 6:30 AM-Marissa Menard (L)(HBD) / Simon Becnel (D)(HBD) / Viola Becnel Burk (D)(HBD) / Maria Rieu Tran (D)		
COLLECTION FOR 09/14/2025	Thursday, September 25th- 12:10 PM-Collin Lee (L)(HBD) / Holy Souls In Purgatory (D) / Anna Cam Hoang (D)		
Regular Offertory: \$ 13,610.00 Envelopes used this weekend: Regular: 215	Friday, September 26th- 6:30 AM-Gerald / Louella Savoy (D) / Barbara Ella "Bobbie" Cormier (D) / Paul & Leatrice Brown (D) / Robert Lee Savoy (D) / Maria Hat (D)		
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Supernatural Prudence

These lines conclude the Parable of the Dishonest Steward. At that time, there was a Palastinian custom in which agents acted on behalf of a wealthier master's money, making loans and obtaining them back with interest. It is similar to our modern banking system. The problem presented in this parable was that the steward was dishonest, skimming some of the profits for himself. As a result, the master told the steward to get his financial affairs in order because he was going to fire him. The shrewd steward, acting on the authority he still had for the moment, then went forth and reduced the debt of each of his master's debtors so as to win favor with each of them so that he could do business with them after he was fired by his master.

Obviously, Jesus does not tell this parable because He approves of dishonest and shrewd deception in business practices. Instead, He tells it to illustrate the fact that many people who are motivated by selfishness and worldly goals use the natural gift of prudence with more real than many of the (children of light).

dence with much more zeal than many of the "children of light."

Think about your goals in life. If you were to make a list of your goals, what would it look like? And if you were to order that list according to the importance of those goals, what would be first? Hopefully, on the top of that list, you would have as your primary goal the love, service and glory of God. In the end, that is all that matters in life. Every other goal in life will fall into place when that is our central goal.

However, if you were to order your list according to how much time, energy and prudence you put into each endeavor, how would it look? Would it look different? Most likely. Many people go about their lives putting a tremendous amount of time and effort into the passing things of this world. Many make their financial advancement the goal with which they spend the most time and energy. Others devote countless hours to hobbies, entertainment, home improvements, sports, and even wasteful activities such as binging on television. When it comes to the practice of the faith, it is a rare person who devotes a significant amount of time and energy to daily prayer, studying the Scriptures, learning the Catechism, and studying the lives of the saints. Many experience Sunday Mass as a burden. Charitable service can become undesirable. Many rarely work at the proclamation of the Gospel.

Though it is true that much of your time might need to be devoted to the ordinary duties of life, such as making a living and caring for the home and family, it is also true that most people need to reorder their priorities by making sure that the will of God is the central mission of their lives. How is this best accomplished? It begins with the virtue of prudence. Prudence is both a natural virtue and a supernatural one. On a natural level, prudence is called the "mother of all virtues" because it is the quality by which every other virtue, all our time and energy, goals and ambitions are directed. Prudence is the act of vigorously using our minds to creatively and zealously work to achieve the most important goals in life. Supernatural prudence is a spiritual gift by which our natural abilities of prudence are infused with the grace of God, and we are better equipped to know how to accomplish God's will for our lives.

Reflect, today, upon what your list would look like if you were to make it honestly. What do you spend the most time and energy doing? Even if you need to spend most of your time on the ordinary aspects of life, this becomes a holy endeavor when you do it because God is inspiring you to do so. In that case, even the ordinary becomes grace-filled and becomes a way by which you glorify God. The only way for you to know if you are using your time and energies properly is by being open to the gift of supernatural prudence. Pray for that gift today and ask our Lord to more directly order your life so that everything you do is for the glory of God and the salvation of souls.

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 I	DAILY FOR OU	R PRIESTS, SE	MINARIANS,				
AND DEACONS OF THE DIOCESE OF LAFAYETTE							
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September 21st	Rev. Cedric Sonnier	Dcn. Cole Zaunbrecher	Dcn. Stephen Van Cleave		
September 22nd	Rev. Raymond Ssebina	Matthew Authement	Dcn. David Vaughn		
September 23rd	Very Rev. Jared Suire, VE	Roy Bertrand IV	Dcn. Durwood Viator		
September 24th	Rev. Brian Taylor	Bennett Bodin	Dcn. William Vincent		
September 25th	Rev. Arockiądass Vincent Thanaraj, HGN	Reed Bourgeois	Dcn. Douglas Wimberly		
September 26th	Rev. Jude Thierry	Nicholas Broussard	Dcn. Byrne Winn		
September 27th	Rev. Clint Trahan	Dcn. Ricky Castaneda	Dcn. Jerry Wyble		

ATTENTION!!!!

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

November 11th

Question of the Week:

How do I value true wealth over material wealth? How can I do so more fully?

Today's first reading, responsorial psalm, and Gospel speak to the pursuit and use of wealth. Amos decries the merchants who cheat the poor, promising that God will not overlook their selfishness. The psalmist promises that the Lord will lift up the poor and lowly. Jesus teaches his disciples to be trustworthy in handling worldly wealth so that they can be trusted with the true wealth that comes from God. Listening to today's selections from Scripture, let us consider our relationship to material wealth.



Visit our ACTS Retreat page on the Sts. Peter & Paul Church Website stspeterandpaulscott.org—for more information on ACTS,

more information on ACTS, upcoming retreat dates & the applications to apply. The information can be found under ACTS.

ACTS Retreat Dates: Women's ACTS: December 11-14, 2025

The Women's ACTS 2025 Retreat registration is now open!



Deadline to sign up is October 12th!

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.



The Sanctuary Candle this week is lit for:

Those who have recently passed

The Adoration Candle this week is lit for:

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Fridays for: 9-10 AM 12-1 PM

Please prayerfully consider joining in Adoration for our Lord.

Theology of the Body Community of Acadiana is offering
Introduction to Theology of the Body (Level I) on

Thursday evenings, October 30, November 6th, 13th and 20th from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. at Holy Cross Catholic Church in Faith Hall of the Calais Center, Bldg C.

Use this link to register:

https://desormeauxfoundation.org/theology_of-the-body/ or scan the QR code below.



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Additionally, in a separate transaction order and pay for the required workbook through Ascension Press:

https://ascensionpress.com/collections/an-introduction-tothe-theology-of-the-body.

You will also be granted access to the accompanying video.

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SPIRIT KNIGHT THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 25TH

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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

Church Website



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ALL SOULS DAY

Names for our All Souls Day
Remembrance Poster may now be turned in using envelopes found around the church and in the church office. There is a fee of \$5 per name. These envelopes must be turned in

NO LATER THAN WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15TH AT NOON.

Any names/envelopes submitted after this date and time will not be accepted.



PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY RALLY

Please join us in praying The Annual Global
Rosary Rally to save America.
PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN CHAIR!

What: Pray the Rosary

Where: Sts. Peter & Paul Church (under the Oaks)

When: Saturday, October 11, 2025

Time: 12 PM (Noon)

Why: Praying to Save America

Any questions/inquiries, contact: Lila Davis 832-483-8316

Are YOU a fan of "The CHOSEN"?

Join us as we watch season 5 as a group and then discuss each episode together! Meetings are Sunday evenings at the CCD hall and go from 5:30-7 PM on the following dates:

September 28th November 23rd
October 12th December 7th
October 26th December 21st
November 9th January 4th

EVERYONE is welcome and feel free to invite anyone else who would like to join us!

Hope to see you there!



Highlights:

This program is FREE to men 16+

Transportation is provided



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Jesus, present in the Eucharist, in the **Adoration Chapel**

Chapel Hours:

Monday: 8AM - 5PM

Friday: 7AM - 5PM

Wednesday: 7AM - 7PM

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WONDROUS PRESENCE

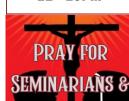


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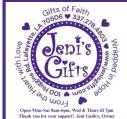
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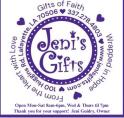
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