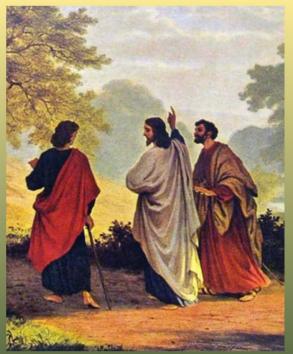
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cross and follow me."

## SEPTEMBER 3RD, 2023 22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## **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

## 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: Jeremiah 20: 7-9 Psalm: Psalms 63: 2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 Second: Romans 12: 1-2

Alleluia: Ephesians 1: 17-18 Gospel:

Matthew 16: 21-27

#### Monday:

First: First Thessalonians 4: 13-18 Psalm:
Psalms 96: 1 and 3, 4-5, 11-12, 13 Alleluia: Luke 4: 18 Gospel: Luke 4: 16-30

#### **Tuesday:**

First: First Thessalonians 5: 1-6, 9-11
Psalm: Psalms 27: 1, 4, 13-14 Alleluia:

Luke 7: 16 Gospel: Luke 4: 31-37

#### Wednesday:

First: Colossians 1: 1-8 Psalm: Psalms 52: 10, 11 Alleluia: Luke 4: 18 Gospel: Luke

4: 38-44

#### Thursday:

First: Colossians 1: 9-14 Psalm: Psalms 98: 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6 Alleluia: Matthew

4: 19 Gospel: Luke 5: 1-11

#### Friday:

First: Micah 5: 1-4a or Romans 8: 28- 30 Psalm: Psalms 13: 6ab, 6c Gospel:

Matthew 1: 1-16, 18-23

#### Saturday:

First: Colossians 1: 21-23 Psalm: Psalms 54: 3-4, 6 and 8 Alleluia: John 14: 6 Gospel: Luke 6: 1-5



The Sanctuary Candle this week is lit for:

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The Adoration Candle this week is lit for:

An increase of rain and cooler weather

#### **Announcements**

## **ADORERS NEEDED!**

Our Adoration Chapel is in need of adorers for the following hours:

**MONDAY 8AM-9AM** 

WEDNESDAY 1PM-2PM

FRIDAY 9AM-10AM

Please consider taking on a weekly hour with Jesus!

### **CHOIR NOTICE**

rehearsals will begin on Wednesday September 13th!

Weekly rehearsals will be every Wednesday, excluding the 1st Wednesday of the month. Children's choir 5:15-6pm.

Choir 6:15-7:45pm. To join our choir, please log onto the website and fill out

the form under About Us >

Stewardship > Choir

## Catholic Daughters Food Drive

Beginning Saturday, September 2, The Catholic Daughters will be collecting food for Catholic Charities of Acadiana Food Net. Bins will be placed at each entrance to the church. The collection will stop after the 10:00 AM mass on September 17. Non-perishable items only! Thank you for your generous support!





#### **Collection 8/20/2023**

Offertory — \$11,919.49 Maintenance — \$4,595 Assumption — \$2,300

#### **Mass Intentions**

Saturday, Sept 2 @ 4 PM: Dupre & Teresa, Laine Hebert (D), Mary Ann Dugas (D), Alberie & Inez Barras (D), Joycelyn Meche (D), Dupre Hebert (D), Sheilah Resweber (D), Cleveland Arnould & Family (D), M/M William Stutes & Family (D), David L. Prejean, Louis & Jeanne Prejean/Michael (D), Joe & Hilda Peschier / Suzane (D), Kenny Beaugh (D), Louis Dupuy, M/M Paul A. Arceneaux (D), Lee & Ida Bergeron, Matthew Breaux (D), Marlene Arnaud (D), Dorothy Bourque, Maria Nam Dinh, Kelli Broussard (L), Souls in Purgatory, Maria Nam Dinh

Sunday, Sept 3 @ 6:30 AM: For the People

8 AM: Clara Hebert (D), Dustin Wiltz (D), Kyle Credeur (HBD), Maria Courtney Nguyen, Maria Xuan Nguyen, Dominic Doan Pham, M/M Francis T. Resweber, Spiritual Healing, Souls in Purgatory, Milton G. Resweber, Maria Courtney Nguyen 10 AM: Ray Duhon (D)(ANN), Rosamaria Reves-Silva, James Lee Martin, John B. Sonnier Family, Forest Paul Duhon (D), Deanna Sonnier (D), Rayford Domingue (D), Fr. Fred Swenson, Dudley L. Landry Sr. & Family (D), Maydel & Martin Dupont (D), Casey Prejean (HBD), "Sweet" Hernandez (D), M/M Errol Robichaux (D), Ijane H. Credeur (D), M/M Harold Brashear (D), Poochie Frederick (D), Adareli Diz, Victor Lanclos, Ms. Belinda Thibodeaux (L), Mr. Wilson Siner (L) Monday, Sept 4 @ 5:30 PM: Maria Gio Pham, John the Baptist Yeng Dinh, Maria Tim Dinh, M/M Milton J Trahan & Raymond, Richard W. Beasley, Souls in Purgatory, Maria Xuan Nguyen Tuesday, Sept 5 @ 12:10 PM: Michael O'Neil Mouton, Edmonia D. Lantier (ANN), Maria Guong

Wednesday, Sept 6 @ 6:30 AM: Chastity Savoy (L)(HBD), Joseph Long Pham, Kelli Broussard (L), Souls in Purgatory, Maria Gio Pham

Le, Joseph Huyen Pham, Souls in Purgatory,

Dominic Doan Pham

Thursday, Sept 7 @ 12:10 PM: Mr. Hubert Leger, Sr. (D), M/M Paul A. Arceneaux (D), Frank Olivier, Souls in Purgatory, Howard Derouen, John the Baptist Yeng Dinh

Friday, Sept 8 @ 6:30 AM: Gerald & Louella Savoy, Phillip Todd Migl (D), Dupre Hebert (D), Paul & Leatrice Brown (D), Ky Nguyen, Souls in Purgatory, Maria Tim Dinh



"Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me. For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake will find it. What profit would there be for one to gain the whole world and forfeit his life? Or what can one give in exchange for his life?"

Matthew 16:24-26

Just before Jesus gave this teaching, He predicted to the Twelve for the first time that He would "suffer greatly from the elders, the chief priests, and the scribes, and be killed and on the third day be raised." In fear, Peter objected, saying, "God forbid, Lord! No such thing shall ever happen to you." To Peter's statement, Jesus responds firmly, "Get behind me, Satan! You are an obstacle to me. You are thinking not as God does, but as human beings do." What a difficult thing that must have been to hear from Jesus!

Jesus was ready and willing to suffer and die for the salvation of the world. He knew that by dying He would transform death itself into the very means of eternal salvation. He knew that laying down His life in this way was the greatest act of love He could offer; therefore, Jesus didn't hesitate at all. He was ready and willing to give His human life so that we could live.

To understand this we must realize three things. First, by assuming our human nature, Jesus forged a bond between God and humanity. Second, by sharing in our death He made it possible for us to cling to Him in our own death. Third, by rising from the dead, Jesus made it possible for those who cling to Him in death to also share in His Resurrection. Though we will only fully understand this great mystery of redemption in Heaven, we must strive to comprehend it as best we can here on earth.

Peter did not understand this, at least not at that moment when Jesus first revealed it. Peter allowed fear to tempt him to interfere in Jesus' glorious act of salvation. This is why Jesus rebuked him so strongly. It was a loving rebuke meant to free Peter from his fear and to give him courage to embrace the Sacrifice Jesus was about to offer.

Fear can paralyze us. But fear, in this case, is a response that is based on an error. We embrace that error when we act out of selfishness. Each of us will die. That's a fact. The question is how we die. We can either die selfishly, seeing our earthly life as the center of all. Or we can die in a self-giving way with our Lord by uniting ourselves to His act of sacrificial love. We do this by turning our eyes away from ourselves and seeking out every way that we can imitate Jesus' death. We must strive to serve, live sacrificially, put God's will first, unite ourselves to Christ, and make love for our neighbor our mission in life. This is what Jesus did. When we do this, we take up our cross, follow Him, die with Him, and are prepared to share in His Resurrection. This is the only way to eternal life.

# Happy Labor Day!

THE OFFICE AND ADORATION
CHAPEL WILL BE CLOSED MONDAY
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