

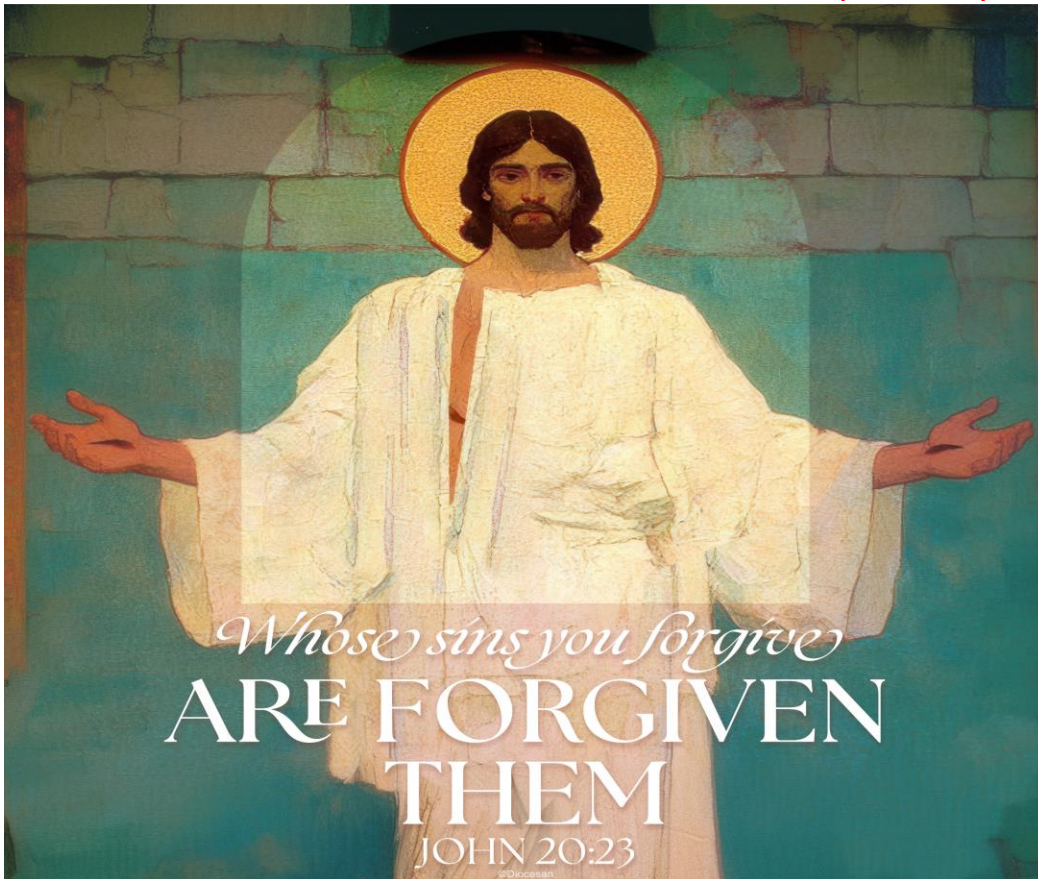
Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church

www.JesusinPineville.com

Serving our Community Humbly
Loving our Families Joyfully
Worshipping God Boldly

Pentecost Sunday
May 24, 2026

The church office will be closed in observance of Memorial Day, Monday, May 25th



NEW PARISHIONERS: Welcome to Sacred Heart!

We are so delighted you have chosen our Church to be a part of your family!
Parish Registration & Gift donation forms are located at front entrance of church.

Fr. Dale Meade, Pastor
318.445.2496
frdmeade@diocesealex.org

**Fr. Larry "Donnie" Kuzma,
Parochial Vicar**
318.445.2496
frdkuza@diocesealex.org

Sacramental Emergencies
318.445.2497x5

Church Office
600 Lakeview St., Pineville, LA 71360
Open Monday-Thursday 8-12; 12:30-3pm

318.445.2497 Fax 318.443.0808
Sandy Corley, Parish Manager
318.445.2497x14
scorley@jesusinpineville.com
Sherry Rabalais, Bookkeeper
318.729.5369
srabalais@jesusinpineville.com

Mass Times
M-F 7:00 am
Saturday, 4pm
Sunday 8, 10, 11:30 am
Holy Days as announced

Confessions
Saturdays 3:30-3:55pm;
Sundays 7:30-7:55am,
9:30-9:55am & 11:00-11:25am
or at any time requested.

Adoration
Every Tuesday & Thursday prior to mass (except for first Thursday)
Adoration 6:25 am, Mass 7:00 am unless otherwise specified.

Exposition/Benediction
before Mass on First Friday.

Adoration Chapel 24/7/365
Call office for door code

Saturday, May 23

C 3:30 Confession (3:30-3:55)
 C 4:00 **Mass** – For Maria Terrell
 N 7:00 AA-New Freedom (7:00-8:00pm)

Sunday, May 24

C 7:30 Confession (7:30-7:55)
 C 8:00 **Mass** –For Marian Burlison
 O 9:00 Coffee & Donuts
 C 9:30 Confession (9:30-9:55)
 C 10:00 **Mass** – For the People of the Parish
 O 11:00 Coffee & Donuts
 C 11:00 Confession (11:00-11:25)
 C 11:30 **Mass** –For Lenard Sandoval; Bonnie Clarius
 N 3:00 AA–New Freedom (3:00-4:00pm)

Monday, May 25 – Memorial Day – Church office closed

C 7:00 **Mass** – For Ben Delacerda
 O 6:15 Sisters in Sobriety AA Recovery Meeting
 N 7:00 AA-New Freedom (7:00-8:00pm)

Tuesday, May 26

C 7:00 **Mass** – For Michael Rachal
 S St. Nicholas Thrift Shop (closed)
 E 10:00 **Mass at The Oaks** – For James Saucier
 O 12:45 Insights Prayer Group
 N 7:00 AA-New Freedom (7:00-8:00pm)

Wednesday, May 27

C 7:00 **Mass** – For Richard Preston
 S 9-12 St. Nicholas Thrift Shop
 E 9:30 **Mass at St. Christina** – For Peter VanDyke
 A 5:00 Wednesday Night Supper - Closed
 E 6:00 Movie Night – No Meeting
 A 6:00 CCD - No Classes
 N 7:00 AA-New Freedom (7:00-8:00 pm)

Thursday, May 28

C 7:00 **Mass** – For P. W. “Jake” Guidry
 S 9-12 St. Nicholas Thrift Store
 C 10:00 **Mass at Hilltop** – For Maria Terrell
 O 6:00 OCIA – Meeting
 N 7:00 AA-New Freedom (7:00-8:00pm)

Friday, May 29

C 7:00 **Mass** – For Harold & Eugene Basco and John & Louise Basco
 E 7:00 AA-New Freedom (7:00-8:00pm)

Saturday, May 30

C 3:30 Confession (3:30-3:55)
 C 4:00 **Mass** – For the People of the Parish
 N 7:00 AA-New Freedom

Sunday, May 31

C 7:30 Confession (7:30-7:55)
 C 8:00 **Mass** – For Michael LaCaze
 O 9:00 Coffee and Donuts
 C 9:30 Confession (9:30-9:55)
 C 10:00 **Mass** – For Shirley Leonard
 O 11:00 Coffee & Donuts
 C 11:00 Confession (11:00-11:25)
 C 11:30 **Mass** – For Souls in Purgatory
 N 3:00 AA–New Freedom (3:00-4:00pm)

C=Church H=Chapel O=Community Center A=Activities Bldg. Y=Youth Center S=St. Nicholas Society R=Rectory E=Elsewhere N=Social Action Center, K=Knights of Columbus (old school cafeteria)

LAMP BURNS – In memory of Willie Leonard, Sr. and Shirley Leonard by Willie Leonard, Jr. If you are interested in having a loved one remembered by providing for the sanctuary light, please use a pew envelope.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR**

OUR SEMINARIANS: The Diocese of Alexandria has 9 men in priestly formation: *Jacob Cass, Graham Descant, Gabe Dowden, and Blain Phillips* all attending Notre Dame Seminary, New Orleans, and *Blake Bernard, Matthew Kramer, Cullen Phillips, David Rubio, and Ty Schexnayder* attending St. Joseph's Seminary College in St. Benedict.

THE REPOSE OF THE SOUL OF: *Bonnie Clarius, Billy Funderburk, Shirley Lachney, and Jeff White* and for the consolation of their families and friends.

ACUTELY ILL: *Hannah Buckley, Cynthia Constance, Fred Eloi, Shirley Hernandez, Daisy Lachney, Madonna LeBlanc, Jack Lemoine, Angel Mathews, Stacy Mayeaux, Cheyenne Mayeux, Sawyer Mayeux, Peggy O'Neill, Walter Pastor, Joey Plauche, Janet Takuino, and Joe Bill Warren.*

SICK, RECOVERING OR CONTINUING TREATMENT: *Kristan Cascio, Faye Cheek, Jason Chumley, Raelynn Churchman, Susan Gagliano, Aline Graham, McKenna Howell, Kay Lowery, Baby Matias, Charles Mayer, Steve Meche, Betty Melone, Dorothy Morris, Caitlin Norris, Randy Nugent, Mary Preston, Jeana Tarver, and Billy Thomasee.*

SHUT-INS: *Diana Ardoin, Thomas Atkinson, Janice Clark, Mary Ann Deville, Larry Dupré, Jessica Elliott, Patricia Ferguson, Ida Jeansonne, JoAnn Keneson, Shirley Lachney, Bernadine Lee, Mary Ann McNeal, Evelyn Martin, Anita Normand, Ed Price, Edward Simms, Johnnie Smith, Betty Teasley, and Joe Bill Warren.*

OUR MILITARY, ESPECIALLY THOSE OVERSEAS: *Abbi Aldecoa, Charles Austin, Blake Best, Cody Best, Bradley Bryant, Sam Cannon, Micah Cobb, Evan Cree, Dale Daniel, Liam Daniel, Aaron Deville, Patrick Downs, Devin Gay, Joe Herrera, Chad Hines, Brian Laborde, Francis Melomo, John Louis Methe, Dalton Miller, Ethan Miller, Dustin Morrow, Todd Moulder, Phi Joseph Pham, Zachary Prejean, William Purdion, Jr., Rebekka Thompson, and Elijah Winfrey.*

The WEEKEND of May 16th – 17th

Income needed for month of May	\$ 47,866.08
Total Gifts Collected For May	\$ 38,464.23
Last week's Collection	\$ 7,120.00
Amount needed in May	\$ 9,401.85

SPECIAL COLLECTION The week of **June 28**, we'll take up the Peter's Pence Collection to support the Universal Church and the work of the Holy See, including the charitable works of Pope Leo XIV. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Be a sign of hope with your generosity. For more information, visit www.obolodisanpietro.va/en.html.

TRANSITIONAL DEACON ORDINATION MAY 23 - SEMINARIANS BLAINE PHILLIPS and GABE DOWDEN will be ordained as Transitional Deacons for the Diocese of Alexandria on Saturday, May 23 at 10:00 a.m. at St. Francis Xavier Cathedral in Alexandria. All are welcome to attend.



SAVE THE DATE: Our church will celebrate the **Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus** on **Friday, June 12th**. Mass will be at **5:30 pm** followed by a **pot-luck parish meal served at 6:30 pm** in the Activities Bldg. along with a ministry fair. Please come and show your love of Jesus and enjoy fellowship with your parish family. **(Reminder: Friday 7:00 am mass will not be held.)**

PRIEST ORDINATION - JUNE 20th TRANSITIONAL DEACON MATTHEW BONNER of Sacred Heart of Jesus Church, Pineville, will be ordained a Priest for the Diocese of Alexandria on Saturday, June 20th at 10:00 a.m. at St. Francis Xavier Cathedral in Alexandria. All are welcome to attend. The following day, on **Sunday, June 21st at 10 am**, Fr. Matthew Bonner will be celebrating his first Mass **at Sacred Heart followed by a parish meal reception in the Activities Bldg. in his honor.** A table will be set-up to receive cards and monetary gifts. Please join us with this special celebration! Come out and receive a blessing!



SAVE THE DATE: VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL will be held **July 6-10** from **9 am-12 pm** in the Activities Bldg. Age groups are from PreK-6th grades. This year's theme will be "Rome – Paul and the Underground Church". Enter an immersive adventure into ancient Rome

following the apostle Paul and the Underground Church. Come join us for an amazing week of Bible stories, games, crafts, and fun! To registrar online, please use the QR code. Questions contact: Leiacraigm@gmail.com.



CATHOLIC CHARITIES RAFFLE Catholic Charities of Central Louisiana is having a raffle during the month of May. The proceeds go to our basic needs ministry. We help people in financial need by helping with utility bills, rent, or groceries for those at risk of eviction or disconnect of utilities. We will be selling raffle tickets after weekend Masses at various churches during this month. The three prizes include LSU football tickets, a \$250 Visa gift card, and a restaurant gift card basket. Tickets are \$5 each or 3 for \$10. **Drawing will be held on June 1, 2026.** Thank you for your support! **To buy online click this direct link:**

<https://giving.myparishsoft.io/App/Form/b0e248c2-ce8d-4e62-b99a-1da5709fcb7>

PRE-CANA MARRIAGE PREP WORKSHOP - MAY 30

These one-day workshops will be at the **St. Joseph Catholic Center** located at 4400 Coliseum Blvd, Alexandria, LA. Beginning at 8:00 a.m., the day will include presentations on various topics that are vital to a couple's lifelong marriage. The workshop will end at approximately 3:00 p.m. and lunch will be included. Space will be limited, so please register for a workshop as soon as possible. **Registration for the May 30, 2026 workshop is now open.** There is a fee of \$60 per couple. Click this link to register: [You may pay online after submitting the registration form.](#) You can also pay the day of the workshop via check, money order or cash. Or you can prepay by mailing your check or money order (payable to Diocese of Alexandria) and mail to: Office of Religious Education and Faith Formation, P.O. Box 7417, Alexandria, LA 71306-0417. **Other future workshop dates:** Sept. 12, 2026. If you have any questions, please contact Deacon Jason Lavergne in the Office of Religious Education and Faith Formation at (318) 445-6424 ext. 207.

50TH ANNIVERSARY OF FR. PAUL KUNNUPURAM-MAY 31




Our Lady of Lourdes Church in Vidalia is hosting a reception honoring Fr. Paul Kunnumpuram on Sunday, May 31 from 2:00-4:00 p.m. to celebrate his 50th Anniversary as a priest! Fr. Paul was assigned to OLL Vidalia for 9 years and also spent about a year at St. Patrick Church in Ferriday. We extend an invitation to anyone throughout the diocese who was served by Fr. Paul since he's come to our diocese.

SACRED HEART JOB OPENINGS BOOKKEEPER AND HOUSEKEEPER

Ms. Sherry Rabalais is retiring in August. We are currently seeking a bookkeeper with accounting experience preferred. If interested, please submit a current resumé. We are also looking for a housekeeper to clean the church office and rectory one day a week during regular office hours. Please contact Parish Manager scorley@jesusinpineville.com.

 <p>ACTS CORE TEAM meet every 2nd Thursday of the month at 5:00 pm in the Youth Center.</p> <p>Please prayerfully consider becoming an ACTS Core volunteer. See separate flyers on counter regarding details.</p>	 <p>CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS, COURT BISHOP GRECO #2072 Meet first Monday of month at 12 PM in the Activities Bldg. 519 Sanders St.</p> <p>Monthly Meeting Schedule: June 1</p> <p>Spring Towel drive extended through May</p>	 <p>KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, JOHN PAUL II - CHAPTER #14657 Meet first Thursday of month at 6 PM in the Knight's Bldg., 519 Sanders St. (behind CCD school)</p> <p>Fundraiser \$10 each - Drawing 10/31/26</p> <p>1st Place: Half a Cow/Freezer (Deliver in late January)</p> <p>2nd Place: 15-18 lb. Smoked Brisket</p> <p>3rd Place: Extra Large Smoked Pork Butt</p>
 <p>CALLING ALL YOUTH: All teens in 8th grade and above are invited to participate in the Steuerville South Youth</p>	<p>SACRED HEART'S ST. NICHOLAS THRIFT SHOP is needing additional volunteers to assist with sorting items received as well as to create a new sales team on Tuesdays.</p>	<p>SACRED HEART FOOD PANTRY We currently need cans of Vienna Sausage & Toothpaste. Monetary gifts</p> 

<p>Conference in Alexandria from June 26-28. This event promises a meaningful experience for spiritual growth, fellowship, and fun with peers from our parish, and local community, and out of state. For more information, please contact Erica Mayeux at eam84@gmail.com or 318-305-0056.</p>	<p>The shop is currently open for business on Wednesday & Thursday's from 9 am – 12 pm. Our thrift store provides a much needed service for the community and the income received from this special ministry is used to help support our Food Pantry program. Please prayerfully consider accepting the call to volunteer! Please contact the church office at 318-445-2497.</p>	<p>in memory/honor of loved ones are also appreciated! A list of other food items requested may be found at the front entrance of Church. If you are interested in helping us prepare food bags for the needy or for the children in our school programs we support, please contact Linda Boniol at 318-623-1492.</p>
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 <p>ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS An Invitation: If you have been attending Mass, but have never taken the step to become Catholic, or if you have been away from the Church and want to know more, or if you have been a Catholic all your life but never celebrated all the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist), you are invited to join us to find out more through the process called the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA). For more information contact Larry Minton at lbmatty45@gmail.com, or call (318) 794-0264. You can also call the Sacred Heart church office at (318) 445-2497.</p>  <p>EUCCHARISTIC REVIVAL MOVIE NIGHT – We will resume meeting on Wednesday, June 3rd at 6 pm with group discussions about topics of interest concerning our catholic faith. All are invited. For more information, please call Melba Lacaze 318-542-1033.</p>	<p>REFLECTION: In the readings on Pentecost Sunday, the Spirit is described as a driving wind and tongues of fire. Knowing that the Holy Spirit is a Person of the Trinity, we seem to be able to picture the Spirit only in terms of what the Spirit does. In our second reading, Paul tries to explain just that. First, Paul says that we cannot know Jesus as Lord without the Spirit. The Spirit is the way Jesus is present today, so anyone who truly believes in Jesus is guided by the Spirit. Second, he acknowledges that the Spirit works in many ways. As examples, Paul mentions there are many different gifts and services in the church. He emphasizes that all these differences come from one and the same God. When we think of the strength of the Church, we usually think of its unity, i.e., one baptism, one faith, one Lord. But we also draw strength from the diversity of gifts and services that people offer to God. So look at the gifts of those around you, and you may be able to see the Holy Spirit more clearly. (Tom Schmidt)</p>	<p>SCRIPTURE READINGS Week of May 24, 2026</p>  <p>Sunday Pentecost Sunday Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13; Jn 20:19-23 Monday Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church Gen 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14; Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 5, 6-7; Jn 19:25-34 Tuesday Memorial of Saint Philip Neri, Priest 1 Pt 1:10-16; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Mk 10:28-31 Wednesday 1 Pt 1:18-25; Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20; Mk 10:32-45 Thursday 1 Pt 2:2-5, 9-12; Ps 100:2, 3, 4, 5; Mk 10:46-52 Friday 1 Pt 4:7-13; Ps 96:10, 11-12, 13; Mk 11:11-26 Saturday Jude 17, 20b-25; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6; Mk 11:27-33 Sunday Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9; Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56; 2 Cor 13:11-13; Jn 3:16-18</p>
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HOLY SAVIOR MENARD SUMMER CAMPS

Basketball: June 2-5

8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. for boys and girls ages 6-13. Cost: \$125 includes t-shirt

Baseball: June 8-12

8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. for boys ages 6-14. Cost: \$150

Softball: June 8-12

8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. for girls ages 6-14. Cost: \$150

Robotics: June 9-12

9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. limited to 10 students, for boys and girls 3rd-6th grade. Cost: \$150

Soccer: June 22-24

8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. for boys and girls ages 6-14. Cost: \$125

Math: July 6-10

8:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. for incoming 7th graders. Cost: \$125

To register please visit: <https://shorturl.at/fyQ37>



ORGANIZATIONS YOU ARE WELCOME TO JOIN:

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion – Keith Bonin – 318.201.9017
Lectors – Delia Flynn – 318.452.0438
Altar Servers – Kevin Gauthier – 318.446.3249
Choirs: Practice is held one hour prior to mass in the Community Ctr Music Room.
Saturday 4pm Sacred Heart Singers – Judy/George Gross – 318.613.3667
Sunday 8 & 10- Hannah Hicks – 318.623.2956
Sunday 10am Adult Choirs rotating directors – Sarah Marino 318.709-4394; Danielle Fitzgerald 318-541-6756; Denise Daniel – 318.451.2029
Sunday 10am Children’s Choir (as scheduled.) – Ann Craig 318.664.2848
Sunday 11:30am Praise Band – Candace Churchman 318.332.9325 & Leia Craig 318.541.3257 [You do not need to know how to read music to join a choir.](#)

Wednesday Night Suppers – Keith Bonin 318.201.9017
Catholic Daughters – Sherry Perkins – 318.201.8141
Knights of Columbus – Harold Cormier – 337.302.0382
Holy Name Society – Dan Tillie – 318.319.8345
ACTS Core – Church office 318.445.2497 or Randy Marino 318-542-9107

St Nicholas Thrift Shop – 318.442.2072
Sacred Heart Food Pantry – Linda Boniol – 318.623.1492
Grief Support Group – Tammy Magnano – 318.229.7455

OUR COMMISSIONS ACT IN THE NAME OF OUR CHURCH FAMILY

To join a commission, please call Sandy Corley, Parish Manager 445.2497x14

Worship Commission –

Denise Daniel, Chair - 318.451.2029

Worship Team: Keith Bonin, Candace/Cole Churchman, Ann Craig, Danielle Fitzgerald, Delia Flynn; George, George/Judy Gross, Hannah Hicks, Sara Marino

OCIC (Children age 7 and up)

Michelle Kling – 985.351.1236

Parish Council / Financial Council

Pastor appoints the Council members

Parish Council – Willie Leonard 504.390.3323

Finance Council – Keith Karisny 318.715.7174

Evangelization, Initiation, Formation (EIF):

Larry Minton, Chair – 318.794.0264

Melba LaCaze, Susi Minton, Pat Sasser

OCIA (Adults) - Hospitality for Inquiry into the Catholic Faith

Larry Minton – 318.794.0264

lbmatty45@gmail.com

SALT AND LIGHT (Charity and Social Action):

Gail Blake, Chair – 318.233.0627

Alissa Sanders, CCD Coordinador

318.447.0369

Sacredheartofjesus.ccd@gmail.com

Eric & Erica Mayeux, Youth Group Coordinators

318.452.3911 or 318.305.0056

emayeux83@gmail.com

Families And Adults Commission:

Katherine Marino 318.542.9178

Katie Pierce 318.481.7548

Meetings second Thursday of month in the Movie Rm

SACRAMENTS

Please refer to our website at www.JesusinPineville.com, go to “Schedule Anything” and select the appropriate form needed:

Baptism, Wedding, or Funeral.

Forward completed form(s) to church office to scorley@jesusinpineville.com and follow up with Parish Manager to confirm receipt of request, schedule dates, or for any questions.

Emergencies/Urgent needs: Call 318.445.2497 and when prompted, press “5”.

Non-emergencies: Contact Parish Office 318.445.2497 x 14

BAPTISM (under age of 7)

Baptisms’ are typically celebrated around weekend mass times.

At least one Godparent must be an active-practicing catholic and provide documentation of their completed sacraments – baptism to confirmation.

Godparent(s) also need to submit a signed Certificate of Sponsorship from their home parish priest.

MARRIAGE

Please contact our Priest before setting a wedding date.

All couples must complete formation meetings prior to nuptial celebration.

This sacrament, along with penance and Holy Communion, is available to anyone over the age of reason (nearing 7 yrs. old).

For Children under the age seven, they should be baptized and the special blessing for sick children is administered.

Viaticum is the sacrament of the dying and, if possible, Holy Communion in this form should be offered to them often.

SERIOUS ILLNESS: Please receive anointing if you know you will be having serious tests or surgery, or if you are growing weak with age, struggling with mental illness or addiction.

NON-SERIOUS ILLNESSES: Please ask for the sacrament the weekend before a medical procedure.

Please contact a clergyman when someone has died so that a Priest may assist the family in their grief. Remember, anyone can baptize with water in danger of death.

HOSPITALIZATION

Please let us know ASAP when you are hospitalized (give patient’s name, room number, and hospital) or when you are discharged/confined to home, or when transferred to a Rehabilitation hospital.

FUNERALS

Services are scheduled by the funeral home representative directly with the Pastor. While you are meeting at the funeral home, have the funeral director call the pastor personally.

Public Notice – Action Required

Sexual Abuse Claims in the Diocese of Alexandria, Louisiana Bankruptcy

Regardless of how old you are today or when the sexual abuse occurred, you need to file your claim so that it is received by June 8, 2026.

The Diocese of Alexandria (“Diocese” or “Debtor”) has filed bankruptcy to restructure its nonprofit organization and pay Putative Abuse Survivors. Please read this notice carefully as it may impact your rights against the Diocese and provides information about the case, *In re: Diocese of Alexandria*, Case No. 25-31257 (Bankr. W.D. La.). This notice is a short summary. For more detail, go to <https://cases.stretto.com/diocesefalexandria> or call (855) 655-5795.

Who Should File a Putative Abuse Survivor Claim?

Anyone who alleges they were abused and believes the Diocese, or persons affiliated with the Diocese, or persons affiliated with the Diocese, may be responsible for the abuse must file a claim. This includes abuse in connection with any entity or activity associated with the Diocese, including schools, orphanages, parishes, or Catholic Charities. A list of such entities associated with the Diocese is available on the website or by calling the toll-free number listed below. If you have an abuse claim against any entity on that list, you may have a claim against the Diocese. Only the Diocese is in bankruptcy. If you have a claim against any entity on that list, you must take additional legal action to preserve and pursue your rights.

When and How Should I File a Putative Abuse Survivor Claim?

You should file a claim using the Putative Abuse Survivor Proof of Claim so that it is received by **June 8, 2026**. **If you do not file a timely Putative Abuse Survivor Claim, you may lose rights against the Diocese, including any right to compensation.**

Your information will be kept private. You can download and file a claim at the website or call the toll-free number listed below for help on how to file a claim by mail. Your information will be kept private. Visit <https://cases.stretto.com/diocesefalexandria> or call (855) 655-5795