



# Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church

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Serving our Community Humbly  
Loving our Families Joyfully  
Worshipping God Boldly

The Exaltation of the Holy Cross  
September 14, 2025



GOD DID NOT SEND  
**HIS SON INTO**  
**THE WORLD**  
TO CONDEMN THE WORLD

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**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, and 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, September 13**

E 7:00 AA-New Freedom  
 C 3:30 Confession (3:30-3:55)  
 C 4:00 Mass –For Milton Sealey

**Sunday, September 14**

C 7:30 Confession (7:30-7:55)  
 C 8:00 Mass –For Holy Name Society  
 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 David W. Peart  
 N 3:00 NA–New Freedom (3:00-4:00)

**Monday, September 15**

C 7:00 Mass – For Earline Geier  
 O 6:15 Sisters in Sobriety AA Recovery Meeting

**Tuesday, September 16**

C 7:00 Mass – For Suk Saucier  
 S 9-12 St. Nicholas Thrift Shop  
 E 10:00 Mass at The Oaks – Barbara Sanchez  
 O 12:45 Insights Prayer Group  
 E 7:00 AA-New Freedom

**Wednesday, September 17**

C 7:00 Mass – For Patricia Humphries  
 S 9-12 St. Nicholas Thrift Shop  
 E 9:30 Mass at St. Christina – For our Military  
 A 5:00 Wednesday Night Supper  
 E 6:00 Movie Night -  
 A 6:00 CCD –  
 N 7:00 AA-New Freedom

**Thursday, September 18**

C 7:00 Mass – For Michael Van Dyke  
 S 9-12 St. Nicholas Thrift Store  
 E 10:00 Mass at Hilltop – For Suk Saucier  
 O 6:00 OCIA – Meeting  
 E 7:00 AA-New Freedom

**Friday, September 19**

C 6:40 Confession (6:40-6:55)  
 C 7:00 Mass – For Rana Rachal and Marian Vallery  
 E 8:30 AA-New Freedom (8:30-9:30pm)

**Saturday, September 20**

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

**Sunday, September 21**

C 7:30 Confession (7:30-7:55)  
 C 8:00 Mass – For the People of the Parish  
 O 9:00 Coffee and Donuts  
 C 9:30 Confession (9:30-9:55)  
 C 10:00 Mass – For Gloria Rabalais  
 O 11:00 Coffee & Donuts  
 C 11:00 Confession (11:00-11:25)  
 C 11:30 Mass – For Suc Saucier  
 N 7:00 NA–New Freedom

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 loving memory of Michael Boudreaux by Theresita Boudreaux. If you are interested in having a loved one remembered by providing for the sanctuary light, please use a pew envelope.

Priest visit hospitals and homes when called. Anointing of the Sick is available after Mass; please ask, especially before you know you are entering the hospital for a serious procedure. After two weeks, names on the Acutely Ill list may be transferred to the Sick and Recovering list for an additional two weeks unless notification to retain someone is received. Exceptions can be made, of course. Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion visit parishioners who are unable to attend church weekly to bring Holy Communion. Shut-ins may receive pastoral care wherever they may be within Cenla area. To add or remove someone, please give notification by means of the collection, USPS, 318.445.2497x10, or email: [scorley@jesusinpineville.com](mailto:scorley@jesusinpineville.com).

**PLEASE PRAY FOR**

**OUR SEMINARIANS:** The Diocese of Alexandria has 10 men in priestly formation. **Matthew Bonner, Jacob Cass, Gabe Dowden, Blaine Phillips, and Graham Descant** all attending Notre Dame Seminary,

New Orleans, and **Blake Bernard, Will Brittain, Matthew Kramer, Cullen Phillips, and David Rubio** attending St. Joseph's Seminary College in St. Benedict.

**THE REPOSE OF THE SOULS OF:** Kirk Adams, Butch Gilliland and Edward Johnson and for the consolation of her family and friends.

**ACUTELY ILL:** Lynlee Emfinger, Mike Ford, Susan Gagliano, Raynel Garrett, Robin Gittinger, Rowena Guillot, Waylon Johnson, Judy McClaran, Randy Nugent, Tracey Parker, Carrie Rice, Nikki Sluss, and Clara Williams.

**SICK, RECOVERING OR CONTINUING TREATMENT:** Connie Bartlett, Larry Beaubeouf, Kay Buckley, Mary Carmouche, Chuck Cole, Tim Comella, Gabriella Governor, Michelle Hays, Emily Mallett, Ann McGraw, Edgar Narvaez, Marian Parker, and Robert Young.

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

**OUR MILITARY, ESPECIALLY THOSE OVERSEAS:** (Please contact church office so we may update list) 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, Dustin Morrow, Todd Moulder, Phi Joseph Pham, Zachary Prejean, William Purdion, Jr., Kaneon Rachal, Rebekka Thompson, and Elijah Winfrey.

**FINANCIALS FOR THE WEEKEND of September 6<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup>**

Income needed for month of September	\$ 47,866.08
Total Gifts Collected For September	\$ 16,505.31
Last week's Collection	\$ 16,505.31
Amount needed in September	\$ 31,360.77

**SPECIAL COLLECTION DATE: SEPTEMBER 14** Next week we participate in the Retired Priests Collection for our priests who have reached retirement age after years of faithful and dedicated service to the Diocese. With costs continually escalating, the monthly retirement benefit for our retired priests must be adjusted periodically as well. We appreciate your generosity in helping to assure that the needs of our retired priests will continue to be met, and ask that you remember them in your prayers.



All Adult, Senior, and To-Go meals are **\$5**. Children under 12 are **\$2**. **Menu** – Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes with choice of gravy, roll, side salad, and dessert.

**JUBILEE 2025 PILGRIMS OF HOPE TOUR - OCT. 4<sup>th</sup>**

We will be visiting five passport churches in Marksville, Mansura, Bunkie, Forest Hill, and Alexandria. The bus will depart from Sacred Heart promptly at 8:00 am and return in late afternoon. This is a perfect opportunity to fill your Pilgrim's Passport. Bring a sack lunch and join the fun. For more information call Melba Lacaze at 318.542.1033.



Thank you! Thank you, for all the people that attended the BBQ as well as the Adult and Youth ministry for all your hard work planning this event! It was a great time with a huge turnout! The food brought by everyone was delicious! Be on the lookout for our next event!

**NEW BULLETIN SPONSOR:** We would like to recognize our new bulletin business sponsor - TF Properties of LA. Thank you for supporting our communication efforts to all our parishioners!

<div data-bbox="121 199 267 241" data-label="Image"> </div> <p><b>WOMEN ACTS RETREAT Nov. 20-23</b> Please pray about joining us for this weekend. You may find <b>applications at the back exit of the church or call Erin Myers at 318.709.8183.</b> We would love to have you. While ACTS has many meanings and represents many things; first and foremost, we represent acceptance and spiritual growth. The retreat facilitates the attainment of a new or deeper relationship with the Lord through: <b>Adoration</b> – the call by, acceptance of, and response to God; <b>Community</b> – the love and caring of each other; <b>Theology</b> – the study of God through scripture, and the Catholic Faith, <b>Service</b> – to God and his people. We would love for you to experience this joy and connect deeply to the Lord.</p> <p><b>ACTS CORE Team</b> meets every 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month at <b>5:00 pm</b> in the Youth Center. The next meeting TBA. All parishioners who have attended an ACTS retreat are welcome and invited to attend. If you would like to discuss a topic at the meeting, please contact Randal Marino 318.542.9107 or Emily Baker 318.664.1628 in order to be included on the agenda.</p>	<div data-bbox="576 168 698 273" data-label="Image"> </div> <p><b>CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS, COURT BISHOP GRECO #2072</b> Typically meet first Monday monthly at 12 PM in the Activities Bldg. located at 519 Sanders St. <b>Monthly Meeting Schedule</b> <b>Oct 6, Nov 3, Dec 1, Jan 5, Feb 2, Mar 2, April 13, May 4, June 1</b></p> <p><b>Raffle ticket sale weekend Masses:</b> <b>9/20-21, 10/18-19, 11/8-9,</b> <b>Drawing for winners 12/1</b></p> <p><b>OTHER EVENTS</b> <b>October - Sock Drive for Homeless</b> <b>Nov 22-23 – Thanksgiving Bake Sale</b> <b>March – St. Joseph’s Honorary Food Drive</b> <b>April – Towel Drive for homeless</b> <b>May 9-10 - Mother’s Day Bake Sale</b></p> <div data-bbox="576 766 779 861" data-label="Image"> </div> <p><b>SATURDAY, December 6<sup>TH</sup></b> The Fair team is looking for more helpers to join our dedicated angels in making this event even a bigger success. Don’t be naughty, be nice and Volunteer. Contact Wade Trahan at 318.308.0406. Planning meetings are held in the <b>Youth Center at 5 PM on Monday 9/15, 10/6, 10/27, &amp; 11/17.</b> <b>WEEKEND MASS TICKET SALE DATES:</b> <b>10/4-5, 10/25-26, 11/1-2, 11/15-16</b></p>	<div data-bbox="1055 157 1177 273" data-label="Image"> </div> <p><b>KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, JOHN PAUL II - CHAPTER #14657</b> Typically meet first Thursday monthly at 6 PM in the Knight’s Bldg. (behind CCD school) at 519 Sanders St. <b>KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, JOHN PAUL II COUNCIL - Fundraiser Raffle</b> 1<sup>st</sup> place - Half a cow &amp; freezer 2<sup>nd</sup> place - Smoked Brisket 15-18 lbs. 3<sup>rd</sup> place – Extra Large Smoked Pork Butt Tickets are \$10 each. The <b>drawing</b> will be held on <b>October 31<sup>st</sup>.</b> Contact Robert Lachney, 318.613.8577.</p> <p><b>Weekend Mass Sale dates:</b> <b>Sept 27-28, Oct 11-12</b></p> <p><b>SEPT 14<sup>TH</sup> SOCCER CHALLENGE</b> – ages 9-14 are only eligible for State Competition; event will be held beside the Youth Center after Sunday Mass. It is open to all ages to participate and have fun.</p> <p><b>SEPT 14<sup>TH</sup> ALTAR SERVER APPRECIATION LUNCH</b> - Hamburgers and Hot dogs with chips and drink in the Youth Center at 12:30 pm.</p> <div data-bbox="1055 1081 1177 1186" data-label="Image"> </div> <p><b>THANKSGIVING SMOKED PORK BUTTS:</b> Order early! \$40 each. Available Quantity 35 Contact Robert Lachney 318-613-8577</p>
<p><b>MASS HONORING OUR ALTAR SERVERS IN OUR DIOCESE – SEPT 27<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 A.M.</b> Please join us for Mass with Bishop Robert W. Marshall, Jr. at St. Francis Xavier Cathedral. Each pastor is invited to concelebrate in the Mass. All Altar Servers will join in the procession and have reserved seating for the liturgy. Pastors, please scan the attached QR code or click this link <a href="https://form.jotform.com/251883978131164">https://form.jotform.com/251883978131164</a> to register your servers who will attend. This will allow us to: reserve enough pews; prepare certificates, include the names in the printed program and prepare for the reception. Individual pictures will be available with the Bishop after Mass. To RSVP please scan the QR code and complete the form. <b>The deadline is Monday, Sept. 22, 2025.</b></p> <div data-bbox="479 1627 552 1711" data-label="Image"> </div> <p>The role of altar servers in the Catholic Mass is often taken for granted, yet it is a vital ministry that enhances the beauty and reverence of the liturgical celebration. Altar servers assist the priest and deacon, ensuring that the Mass flows smoothly and that the sacred rites are conducted with grace and dignity. This ministry is not just a functional role but a profound way to participate in the worship of God and to serve the Church community. Altar serving also helps form servers in important life skills such as responsibility, dependability, respect and builds a habit in their lives of saying “Yes” to Jesus.</p>	<div data-bbox="576 1218 698 1344" data-label="Image"> </div> <p><b>ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS</b> On <b>Thursday, September 18th</b> at <b>6:00 p.m.</b>, the class will learn about “Your Prayer Life” and “Catholic Prayers and Practices”. We ask our Sacred Heart Church Family to pray for our prospective new Catholics, that they might find God in our One, Holy, Catholic and Apostolic Church. For information about OCIA, please call the Parish Office at (318) 445-2497</p> <div data-bbox="576 1606 698 1732" data-label="Image"> </div> <p><b>ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR CHILDREN</b> <b>It’s not too late to join!</b> Class is held on <b>Wednesdays at 6:00 PM</b> in the Activities Bldg. For more information, call the church office 318.445.2497 or Michelle Kling 985.351.1236</p>	<div data-bbox="1055 1218 1177 1333" data-label="Image"> </div> <p><b>NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL MOVIE NIGHT</b> – School library <b>Wednesday, September 17<sup>th</sup> 6:00 to 7:30 p.m., THE CHOSEN, SEASON 5, E2: HOUSE OF CARDS:</b> Why kill Jesus when Rome can do it for you? As the Jewish High Priest schemes to bring Him down, Jesus strikes first, turning the tables. Please join us for this episode of “The Chosen” following the Wednesday night meal. All are welcome!</p> <div data-bbox="1055 1596 1177 1701" data-label="Image"> </div> <p><b>SACRED HEART FP FACTS</b> Gives out 200+ food bags &amp; bread loafs per month. Larger food bags provided for Thanksgiving, Christmas, &amp; Easter. Operates on food and moneytary donations. Volunteers are used and needed to operate Food Pantry. Does not ask the homeless or needy about their income. During school year, FP gives out food bags to school age children for weekend food. Special Thank you to ALL who support our FP.</p>



### CCD Registration 2025-2026

Please scan the QR code with your mobile phone camera to access the registration form and online payment link. **CCD Tuition is \$10 per child for PreK to 11th grades.**



Payment can also be made through the GIVE App on your mobile phone, or the Kiosk machine at church. Please contact Alissa Sanders @ 318.447.0369 or email: [sacredheartofJesus.ccd@gmail.com](mailto:sacredheartofJesus.ccd@gmail.com) with any questions.



## **CCD ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **Save the dates!!!**

#### **Announcements**

### CCD PROCEDURES FOR DROP OFF & PICK UP



Vehicles must be parked, in a defined parking spot. Parent or guardian who bring/pick up children must escort child to/from classroom. Children are not allowed to roam outside by themselves. Security will ask drivers to move vehicles that are not in a defined parking spot or who are just sitting inside vehicles within the parking lot of the Activities building. We want to secure every **CHILDS SAFETY!**

**CCD classes 2025-2026**  
**Every Wednesday at 6PM**  
**Except during RPSB closures**

#### Schedule

**Virtus Opt Out forms: Sept 10**  
Virtus Class: Sept 24  
Truck or Treat: Oct 29  
Christmas Play: Dec 24

#### CCD Penance Service:

(2-4<sup>th</sup> grades) Jan 14  
(5-8<sup>th</sup> grades) Jan 21  
(9-11<sup>th</sup> grades) Jan 28

Living Stations of the Cross: April 1  
Last Day of CCD: April 29  
First Communion: May 2  
Confirmation: TBD  
Senior Mass: May 3  
May Crowning: May 10

#### **PARENTS**

Now parents can be interactive and up to date with their child's faith formation with our new online CCD program **"Word of Life"** for grades **Pre K – 8<sup>th</sup>!!!**

Please login:

[www.wordofliferies.org/resources/library](http://www.wordofliferies.org/resources/library)  
**Password: buildstrongcatholics**

#### **ALL PARISHIONERS**

We also have a new online program called **"FORMED"** for our parish family to use to enhance their Catholic Faith knowledge especially for **Grades 9 – 12, OCIA, OCIC, and Bible Study groups.** Register now: [formed.org/signup](http://formed.org/signup) follow the prompts.

#### **SERVICE HOURS REQUIRED FOR EACH YEAR** **PREFERABLY COMPLETED AT CHURCH:**

9<sup>th</sup> grade- 5 hours  
10<sup>th</sup> grade-10 hours  
11<sup>th</sup> grade-15 hours

### **Catechist Enrichment Day - September 20**

Join us for Catechist Enrichment Day at Maryhill Renewal Center. Evangelization and Catechesis go hand in hand in fulfilling the mission of the Church and that is to lead people to a deeper encounter with our Lord Jesus Christ. Presenters at this event will share teaching techniques, insights into the Sacraments, OCIA/Tribunal process, how to make scripture come alive, and more. If your role involves sharing the faith with others, please join us this day of relational ministry enrichment. Speakers will be: Dr. Amber Hyatt, Nicole Mitchell, Sylvia Davis, Deacon Les Glankler, Father Taylor Reynolds and Bishop Robert Marshall. To register, complete the form here: [https://form.jotform.com/dcnjlavergne/2025\\_Catechist\\_Day](https://form.jotform.com/dcnjlavergne/2025_Catechist_Day) Or contact Deacon Jason Lavergne at [dcnjlavergne@diocesealex.org](mailto:dcnjlavergne@diocesealex.org)



The annual **Confirmation Retreat** will be on **January 24<sup>th</sup>**. The presenter will be John Listi, Dir. Of Parish Renewal and Evangelization, Youth Ministry at St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Church in Abbeville, LA. All confirmation students are required to attend as a group.



**Youth Group**  
meets in the Youth Center from **5-6 PM**  
before CCD classes:  
**Oct 1, Oct 29, Feb 4, Mar 4, Apr 29**



**5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY Masses at 10:00 am**  
**Oct 5, Nov 2, Feb 8, Mar 8, May 3**  
**Ages Pre-K and up**  
**And if you play a musical instrument,**  
**You are strongly encouraged to sign up.**  
**Rehearsal start date: Sept 3<sup>rd</sup>**  
**from 5:30-6:00 pm**  
In the **Community Center Music Room**  
Contact Ann Craig 318-664-2848

## 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:**

Saturday 4pm Sacred Heart Singers – Judy/George Gross – 318.613.3667  
Sunday 8am- Hannah Hicks – 318.623.2956  
Sunday 10am Adult Choir – Linda Gaspard – 318.465.0132  
Sunday 10am Youthful Choir (4<sup>th</sup> week)– Denise Daniel – 318.451.2029  
Sunday 10am Children’s Choir (as sch.) - Ann Craig – 318.664.2848  
Sunday 11:30am Praise Band – Candace Churchman – 318.332.9325

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 – Church office 318.445.2497

St Nicholas Thrift Shop – Emma Rachal – 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

**Linda Gaspard, Chair Worship Commission –**  
318.465.0132 or 318.442.6469  
Worship Team: Keith Bonin; Candace and Cole Churchman; Denise Daniel; Delia Flynn; George and Judy Gross; Nita St. Andria.

**Evangelization, Initiation, Formation (EIF):** Larry Minton, Chair – 318.794.0264  
Susi Minton, Pat Sasser

**Alissa Sanders, CCD Coordinator**  
318.447.0369  
[Sacredheartofjesus.ccd@gmail.com](mailto:Sacredheartofjesus.ccd@gmail.com)

**OCIA (Adults) - Hospitality for Inquiry into the Catholic Faith**  
Larry Minton – 318.794.0264  
[lbmatty45@gmail.com](mailto:lbmatty45@gmail.com)

**OCIC (Children age 7 and up)**  
Michelle Kling – 985-351-1236

**Eric & Erica Mayeux, Youth Group Coordinators**  
318.452.3911 or 318.305.0056  
[emayeux83@gmail.com](mailto:emayeux83@gmail.com)

**Parish Council / Financial Council**  
Pastor appoints the Council members  
Parish Council – Willie Leonard 504-390-3323  
Finance Council – Keith Karisny 318-715-7174

**SALT AND LIGHT (Charity and Social Action):** Gail Blake – 318.233.0627, Francis Bordelon; Dot Crooks; Myrtle Dantin; Murlene Gallent; Sharon Graham, Johanne Jeane; Mary “Bootsie” Johnson; Laura Luneau; Sharon Meche, Mary Ann Sayer, Susy Tillie

**Families And Adults Commission:**  
Katherine Marino 318.542.9178  
Katie Pierce 318.481.7548  
Meetings every second Thursday of the month in the Movie Room.  
Interested in planning social events for adults in the parish, please call.

## SACRAMENTS

Please refer to our website at [www.JesusinPineville.com](http://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](mailto: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

### INFANT BAPTISM

Baptisms’ are typically celebrated around weekend mass times.

At least one Godparent should be an active-practicing catholic and provide documentation of their baptism and confirmation certificates.

### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

This sacrament, along with penance and Holy Communion, is available to anyone over the age of reason (nearing 7 yrs. old), Call 318.445.2497 x5, 24/7/365 if you have an urgent need.

Even if you are not seriously ill, please call 318.445.2497x14 to let us know when you are hospitalized or confined to the home (pew envelopes are another way to let us know).

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.

Please ask for the sacrament the weekend before a medical procedure. For children under 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.

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

### HOSPITALIZATION

Please email or call a priest personally at any time.

Provide patient’s name, hospital, and exact room number.

### FUNERALS

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