

# Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church

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Serving our Community Humbly Loving our Families Joyfully Worshipping God Boldly First Sunday of Advent November 30, 2025



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**

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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, November 29 3:30 Confession (3:30-3:55) C4:00 Mass - For Maria Terrell 7:00 AA-New Freedom (7:00-8:00pm) Sunday, November 30 7:30 Confession (7:30-7:55) C 8:00 Mass - For the People of the Parish 0 9:00 Coffee & Donuts C 9:30 Confession (9:30-9:55) C Mass – For Barbara Sanchez; Suk Saucier; James 10:00 Saucier; Carolyn Vercher 0 11:00 Coffee & Donuts C 11:00 Confession (11:00-11:25) Mass - For Maria Terrell C 11:30 3:00 AA-New Freedom (3:00-4:00pm) Monday, December 1 Mass - For Lessie Mimes (Happy B'day) and Amy 7:00 Mimes 0 6:15 Sisters in Sobriety AA Recovery Meeting 7:00 AA-New Freedom (7:00-8:00pm) Tuesday, December 2 7:00 Mass - For Debbie Rine Butler C S 9-12 St. Nicholas Thrift Shop Ε Mass at The Oaks - For Michael Mimes 10:00 12:45 **Insights Prayer Group** 0 N 7:00 AA-New Freedom (7:00-8:00pm) Wednesday, December 3 7:00 C Mass - For John Moseley S St. Nicholas Thrift Shop 9-12 Ε Mass at St. Christina - For Gary Steckler 9:30 **Wednesday Night Supper** Α 5:00 Ε 6:00 **Movie Night** Α 6:00 CCD 7:00 AA-New Freedom (7:00-8:00 pm) Thursday, December 4 Mass - For James Saucier; Suk Saucier C 7:00 S St. Nicholas Thrift Store 9-12 Ē 10:00 Mass - For Maria Terrell OCIA - Meeting 0 6:00 7:00 AA-New Freedom (7:00-8:00pm) Friday, December 5 Mass - For Michael Boudreaux 7:00 AA-New Freedom (7:00-8:00pm) 7:00 Saturday, December 6 Confession (3:30-3:55) 3:30 C Mass - For Janis Harrington; Harry Gainer, Steve 4:00 Tatum, Mamie & Hooper Moreau, Albert & sylvia Moreau, Reggie & Charlene Moreau; Frank Winstron 7:00 AA-New Freedom Sunday, December 7 7:30 Confession (7:30-7:55) C O C 8:00 Mass - For CDA Coffee and Donuts 9:00 9:30 Confession (9:30-9:55) Ċ 10:00 Mass - For the People of the Parish 0 Coffee & Donuts 11:00 11:00 Confession (11:00-11:25) C 11:30 Mass - For Maria Terrell AA-New Freedom (3:00-4:00pm) 3:00 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)

<u>LAMP BURNS</u> – In loving memory of Maria Terrell by Glenda Fontanez. If you are interested in having a loved one remembered by providing for the sanctuary light, please use a pew envelope.



#### PLEASE PRAY FOR



<u>OUR SEMINARIANS:</u> 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 SOUL OF:** Larry Metoyer for the consolation of his family and friends.

ACUTELY ILL: Muriel Beach, Damian Brinson, Pat Byles, Jason Chumley, Katelyn Coburn, Ofelia Colunga, Byron Constance, Darlene Deselle, Mike Ford, Susan Gagliano, Linda Gaspard, Samuel Glasper, Jr., Rowena Guillot, Marie Hilt, Waylon Johnson, Kenny LaCaze, Shirley Leonard, Kay Lowery, Terry Millien, Mike Moll, Randy Nugent, Pat O'Neal, Peggy O'Neal, Sharron Parker, Sue Rodgers, Charles Rogé, Faith Sibley, Janet Simon, Nikki Sluss, Robert Southern, Lauren Sullivan, and Clara Williams.

SICK, RECOVERING OR CONTINUING TREATMENT: Cayden Bardwell, Connie Bartlett, Raelynn Churchman, Larry Beaubeouf, Kay Buckley, Mary Carmouche, Tim Comella, Lynlee Emfinger, Mike Ford, Raynel Garrett, Robin Gittinger, Gabriella Governor, Alexis Greenbaum, Michelle Hays, Emily Mallett, Judy McClaran, Ann McGraw, Marian Parker, Carrie Rice, Robert Young and Glenda Woo.

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.

FINANCIALS FOR THE WEEKEND OF NOVEMBER 22<sup>nd</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> not available due to early submission of this week's bulletin for holiday printing.

SPECIAL COLLECTION DATE: DECEMBER 14 A lifetime of service deserves care in return. "Thanks to your generosity, we can provide the very best care to the sisters in our community," says Sister M. Stephanie Belgeri, 73, a member of the Sisters of St. Francis of the Martyr St. George in Alton, Illinois. Donations to the Retirement Fund for Religious provide housing, medical assistance, and essential support for thousands of aging religious. This collection will be taken up the week of Dec. 14. Please consider giving.



**MENU:** Baked chicken, rice and gravy, green beans. All Adult, Senior, and To-Go meals are \$5. Children under 12 are \$2.

#IGIVECATHOLIC ON GIVING TUESDAY After the turkey and the shopping, we hope you join us this year for Giving Tuesday on December 2, as we embrace the opportunity to Give Thanks, Give Back, and Give Catholic! But if you don't want to wait, Advanced Giving began Monday, Nov. 17! Visit <a href="https://www.igivecatholic.org/community/alexandria">www.igivecatholic.org/community/alexandria</a> and search for a church, school or ministry and donate.

<u>PRIESTS' JUBILEE MASS - DECEMBER 3</u> Please join us for the annual Priest Jubilee Mass at St. Francis Xavier Cathedral in Alexandria on Monday, Dec. 4 at 12:05 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend.

The SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY is a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass will be held on Monday, DECEMBER 8<sup>th</sup> at 7 am, 12:08 pm, and 5:30 pm. No vigil mass. Sunday weekend mass does not fulfill this obligation.

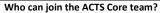
<u>24-HOUR ADORATION</u>: The Eucharistic Revival team is organizing a 24-hour Adoration beginning **Dec 9<sup>th</sup> 7:00 am – Dec 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 am**. Please consider spending one hour with Jesus during this Advent Season. A sign-up sheet is located at the front entrance of the church. Questions, contact Jennifer Jordan 281-638-0163 or Melba LaCaze 318-542-1033.

THE LIGHT IS ON FOR YOU: ADVENT DAY OF RECONCILIATION – Dec. 11<sup>th</sup>. In addition to Advent penance services, the Diocese of Alexandria will offer an Advent day for confession on Thursday, Dec. 11 when most churches within the Diocese will offer a time in the evening. Sacred Heart will offer the Sacrament of Reconciliation from 5:00-7:00 p.m.

#### A WARM INVITATION TO SERVE OUR SACRED **HEART ACTS MINISTRY!** Hello, fellow

parishioners! The Sacred Heart ACTS Core team has some wonderful opportunities for you to serve our ministry. We're looking for passionate, faith-filled volunteers to join our team.

We hope you will prayerfully consider this opportunity to use your gifts in service to our ACTS apostolate. It's a chance to deepen your own faith while building up our parish community.



To be considered for a Core team position, we simply ask that you meet a few requirements:

\*Be a registered parishioner here at Sacred Heart. \*Be an active, practicing Catholic who is approved by our pastor to serve in a leadership role.

\*Have already attended an adult ACTS Retreat and served on at least one adult ACTS Retreat Team. We especially welcome experienced team members and past directors, but that is not required!

\*Show a heart for service, whether in our parish or in the wider community.

\*Be willing to complete some essential training (ACTS Retreat Training and ACTS Core Training) within the first six months of your term.

How to learn more: If you feel called to this ministry or have any questions, please feel free to reach out to us! We would love to chat with you and help you discern if this is the right opportunity for you. Emily Baker: 318-664-1628 or Randal Marino: 318-542-9107



ACTS CORE TEAM meets every 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month at **5:00** pm in the Youth Center. The next meeting is 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.



**CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS, COURT BISHOP GRECO** #2072

Typically meet first Monday monthly at 12 PM in the Activities Bldg. located at 519 Sanders St.

**Monthly Meeting Schedule** 

Dec 1, Jan 5, Feb 2, Mar 2, April 13, May 4, June 1 Raffle ticket Sale - Drawing for winners 12/1 **Other Events** 

March – St. Joseph's Honorary Food Drive April - Towel Drive for homeless May 9-10 - Mother's Day Bake Sale



#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, **JOHN PAUL II - CHAPTER #14657**

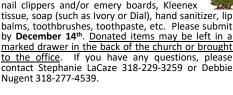
Typically meet first Thursday monthly at 6 PM in the Knight's Bldg. (behind CCD school) 519 Sanders St.

#### EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OF HOLY COMMUNION WORKSHOP

The next workshop for Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion will be held on January 20. The average time for the workshop is about three hours so please plan accordingly. For more information, contact Dcn Jason Lavergne at (318) 445-6424 ext 207 or by email at dcnilavergne@diocesealex.org.

Tuesday, January 20, 6:00 p.m. at St. Joseph Catholic Center, 4400 Coliseum Blvd., Alexandria There is no need to register and no charge to attend. When the session is completed you will receive a certificate. We will be happy to have you!

SACRED HEART SOFT CHRISTMAS It's that time of year again for our annual Soft Christmas collection for our shut-ins and nursing home parishioners. Items requested include: lap blankets, unscented lotion, socks for men and women, nail clippers and/or emery boards, Kleenex tissue, soap (such as Ivory or Dial), hand sanitizer, lip balms, toothbrushes, toothpaste, etc. Please submit by **December 14<sup>th</sup>**. Donated items may be left in a marked drawer in the back of the church or brought to the office. If you have any questions, please contact Stephanie LaCaze 318-229-3259 or Debbie





TICKETS are still available in the Church Office. A full day of activities, games for the children,

pictures with Santa, Gumbo Cook-off, Lots of different Vendors, concessions, and much more in the Activities Building.

1) FREE Breakfast with Santa Tickets for your entire family (one ticket per person). Serving time 8:00-9:30am, Pancakes, Sausage & Juice. Everyone please bring a can good for Santa to take to feed the less fortunate at the North Pole.

2) Raffle drawings - \$5.00 for one ticket or \$20.00 for 5 tickets.

3) Gumbo and sides dinner - Tickets \$10.00. For more information about tickets or to participate you can call the Church Office: 318-445-2497 or Wade Trahant at 318-308-0406.

### **SCRIPTURE READINGS** Week of

will be happy to have you!



**Sunday First Sunday of Advent** 

LECTOR FORMATION WORKSHOP

The Diocese of Alexandria is offering Lector Formation

workshops for those individuals who are interested in

serving or who currently may serve as a Lector in their

with their Catholic faith and need the approval of their

pastor. All training workshops will present the same

material and will last no longer than two and a half

207 or email dcnjlavergne@diocesealex.org.

Center, 4400 Coliseum Blvd., Alexandria

parish. To serve in this role, one must be of good standing

hours. If you would like to sign up for the next workshop,

please contact Dcn Jason Lavergne at (318) 445-6424 ext

There is no need to register and no charge to attend. When the session is completed you will receive a certificate. We

Tuesday, January 13 - 6:00 p.m. - St. Joseph Catholic



Is 2:1-5; Ps 122, 1-2, 3-4, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Rm 13:11-14; Mt 24:37-44

Monday Is 4:2-6; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4b, 4cd-5, 6-7, 8-9; Mt 8:5-11

Tuesday Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Lk 10:21-24

## Wednesday Memorial of Saint Francis Xavier,

Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5,6; Mt 15:29-37 Thursday Is 26:1-6; Ps 118:1 and 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a; Mt 7:21, 24-27

Friday Is 29:17-24; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Mt 9:27-31 Saturday Is 30:19-21, 23-26; Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mt 9:35-10:1, 5a, 6-8

#### **Sunday Second Sunday of Advent**

Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Rm 15:4-9; Mt 3:1-12

LECTORS: The 2026 Lector workbooks are available for you to pick up in the Sacristy.



#### ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS On Thursday,

December 4, at 6:00 p.m., the class will learn about "The People of

God". 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.



#### **ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITATION FOR**

CHILDREN Class is held on Wednesdays at 6:00 PM in the Activities Bldg. For more information,

call the church office 318.445.2497 or Michelle Kling 985.351.1236



#### NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL MOVIE NIGHT - Wednesday, December 3, 6:00 to 7:30 p.m., School

Library On Wednesday, December 3, a speaker will explain the meaning of the Season of Advent. Please join us for this very interesting and informative discussion following the Wednesday night meal. Call the church office at (318) 445-2497 for details. All are welcome!

#### SACRED HEART FOOD PANTRY NEEDS YOUR HELP:

Our food distribution is up considerably. We need donations for the upcoming holidays.

We need canned vegetables and soups. There is a shopping list located at the back of the church. Monetary donations are also welcome.



Thank you.

#### 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 with any questions.



CCD ANNOUNCEMENTS Save the dates!!!



Children are not allowed to roam outside by

Security will ask drivers to move vehicles that are not

properly parked or who are just sitting inside vehicles

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.wordoflifeseries.org/resources/library
Password: buildstrongcatholics

**CCD PROCEDURES FOR** 

Vehicles must be parked, in a defined

Parent or guardian who bring/pick up

children must escort child to/from classroom.

within the parking lot of the Activities building.

We want to secure every **CHILDS SAFETY!** 

DROP OFF & PICK UP

parking area.

themselves

#### **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
follow the prompts.
It's Free

## 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



Our CCD classes will present Christmas Play on Dec 24 at 3:30 pm followed by Children's Mass at 4:00 pm CCD classes 2025-2026 Every Wednesday at 6PM Except during RPSB closures Schedule

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 Confirmation: March 19<sup>th</sup> 6 PM Living Stations of the Cross: April 1 Last Day of CCD: April 29 First Communion: May 2 Senior Mass: May 3 May Crowning: May 10

#### BEYOND THE LIMITS JR. HIGH CONFERENCE - DEC. 6

Middle school students (grades 6-8), this is for you! Join us for the Beyond the Limits Jr. High Conference a high-energy, faith-filled day designed just for you. With keynote speaker, Chris Padgett, emcee Paul Hood, and worship led by Kelly Lombardi, you'll encounter Christ in a way that's bold, personal, and unforgettable. Saturday, December 6, 9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. Registration fee is \$85 per person, and includes lunch and dinner. Don't miss this chance to grow in faith and have a blast with friends from across the diocese and beyond. To register, contact your youth or church office, or www.steubenvillesouth.com/register.



The annual Confirmation Retreat will be on January  $24^{th}$ . All confirmation students are required to attend as a group.

Location: Maryhill Renewal Center, Pineville. Speaker change: presenter for the day will be Dustin Bertrand. Dustin is a dynamic speaker, youth minister, and evangelist from south Louisiana. He has a degree in psychology and criminal justice and a Masters degree in Theology and Christian Ministry from Franciscan University, Steubenville, Ohio and has been evangelizing for the past 12 years through his ministry called God Made Self Driven.



## ANNOUNCEMENT UPDATE: The Youth Group

meets in the Youth Center from **5:30-6:00 pm** <u>every</u>

Wednesday <u>before</u> CCD classes:

SUNDAY Youth Mass at 10:00 am on: Dec 7, Jan 4, Feb 8, Mar 8, May 3 In conjunction with Children's Choir → 7



SUNDAY Mass at 10:00 am on: Dec 7, Jan 4, 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

In the Community Center Music Room from 5:30-6:00 pm <u>every</u> Wednesday <u>before</u> CCD classes.

Contact Ann Craig 318-664-2848

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CLOSING MASS FOR THE JUBILEE YEAR: PILGRIMS OF HOPE The closing Mass for the Jubilee Year of Hope will be held on Sunday, Dec. 28 at St. Francis Xavier Cathedral in Alexandria. Over the past year, hundreds of people from across the diocese participated in the Jubilee Year of Hope pilgrimage. Every pilgrimage site in our diocese distributed hundreds of passports and thousands of stickers. We are overwhelmed with the number of completed passports being received weekly. Please note, if you are attempting to complete the pilgrimage, the pilgrimage site churches may take up their passport stickers and other materials after the closing Mass on Sunday, Dec. 28 so make sure you complete your pilgrimage before then. We will accept your completed passports in the mail into the beginning of 2026 but to ensure you receive a completion certificate signed by Bishop and a limited edition commemorative coin, please don't delay.

#### **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 (4th 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 - 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/Cole Churchman; Ann Craig, Denise Daniel; Delia Flynn; George, George/Judy Gross; Nita St. Andria.

#### 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 OCIC (Children age 7 and up)

#### Parish Council / Financial Council

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

## Michelle Kling - 985-351-1236 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 every second Thursday of the month in the Movie Room

#### **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.

#### 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).

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

#### **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, when transferred to 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.