

St. Theodore Catholic Community

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Anticipated 4:30 PM
Sunday 8:30 & 10:30 AM
Sunday Life Teen Mass 5:30 PM
Monday 6:15 AM
Tuesday 6:15 & 8:30 AM
Wednesday 6:15 AM
Thursday 6:15 AM
Thursday School Mass 8:30 AM
Friday 6:15 AM
Saturday 8:30 AM

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturday 3:15-4:15 PM
Sunday 7:45-8:15 AM
9:45-10:15 AM
4:30-5:15 PM
Weekdays by appointment

Adoration & Church: 0627

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Thursday
9:00 AM—4:00 PM
Friday
9:00 AM—2:00PM
Closed for lunch
12:00—1:00PM

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Contact Pastor Six Months in
Advance of Wedding Date

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptismal Prep Classes are held
the last Sunday of the month at
2pm. Contact Church Office to
register.



22 FEBRUARY 2015

Jesus came to Galilee
proclaiming the gospel of God:
“This is the time of fulfillment.
The kingdom of God is at hand.
Repent, and believe in the gospel.”

Mark 1:14-15

FIRST SUNDAY OF

Lent

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Mr. James Burnham, School Board Representative

OFFERTORY

February 15th	\$19,381.17
Religious Education	\$1,914.40

The second collection on March 1st will be for our Capital Improvements & Maintenance Fund.

**Automatic transfers are available for offertory.
Please contact the office for details**

DID YOU KNOW???

Annual Altar Society Gumbo will be on Sunday, February 22nd. Tickets are \$6.00 and available in the Church office or from any Altar Society Member. Also includes a Cake Walk & Country Store.

Parish News

Fr. Huckaby served as Parade Marshal for Holy Family Catholic School's Mardi Gras Parade. "Throw me something Father!"

Lenten Mission 2015: A time of renewal; a time for new beginnings.

Dear Parishioners of St. Theodore, You are invited and encouraged to attend our Lenten Mission. Presenters, Sr. Catherine Leroux and Sr. Claire Pellerin, will help to prepare your hearts spiritually for a deeper celebration of Good Friday and Easter. Your faith will be strengthened by this time of reflection. Please join us as we joyfully await the Resurrection of Jesus, our Lord and Savior.

Sunday-Tuesday, March 1, 2 & 3 at 7:00pm



St. Theodore's Walk to Calvary and Live Stations of the Cross will take place on Good Friday, April 3rd at 1pm. This year, the walk and stations will both take place on the Church grounds.

Baptismal Prep Classes

St. Theodore will hold a Baptismal Prep Class the last Sunday of each month at 2pm, in Doyle's Place. This class is for **PARENTS** who need to schedule a Baptism in the upcoming months. It is also for anyone who will be a **GODPARENT** and needs certification. Please contact the Church office for registration information.



The next class will be on March 29th.

St. Theodore Catholic Church ▪ Fr. John Huckaby, Pastor
PARISH MISSION

“Love Your Neighbor As Yourself”

Sr. Catherine Leroux, S.E. & Sr. Claire Pellerin, S.E., Presenters

Sunday, March 1st – Tuesday, March 3rd, 7:00 pm in the church



Sr. Catherine Leroux, a vowed religious for 52 years, served as a teacher, Campus Minister at LSU-E, Pastoral Assistant and Mental Health Counselor. She holds two masters degrees: Biblical Studies and Psychology, and is a Professional Counselor and a Spiritual director.



Sr. Claire Pellerin, a vowed religious for 49 years, taught elementary school for 11 years. After moving to Louisiana, she served as a Liturgical Coordinator, Campus Minister at MSU, and is a Professional Counselor. She holds two masters degrees: Pastoral Ministry and Education in School Counseling.

Sunday:

Appreciating Our Stories

Monday:

How Jesus Loved His Neighbor & Self Care

Tuesday:

Eucharist: Guide and Proof of Love



Please join us for a time of spiritual renewal and new beginnings;
a time to prepare your heart for a deeper celebration of the joy of Easter.

MONDAY 2/23 St. Polycarp
Lv 19:1-2,11-18; Mt 25:31-46

6:15 AM - Mass
6:30 PM - SALT
7:00 PM - AA Meeting

TUESDAY 2/24
Is 55:10-11; Mt 6:7-15

6:15AM - Mass
8:30 AM - Mass
6:00 PM - Be A Man Prayer Group
6:00 PM - Women of Faith Fellowship
6:00 PM - Finance Council Meeting

WEDNESDAY 2/25
Jon 3:1-10; Lk 11:29-32

6:15 AM - Mass
4:00 PM - CCD
5:30 PM - CCD
7:00 PM - CCD (7th grade Confessions)

THURSDAY 2/26
Est 12,14-16,23-25; Mt 7:7-12

6:15 AM - Mass
8:30 AM - St. Theodore Holy Family Mass
6:00 PM - Momnipotent

FRIDAY 2/27
Ez 18:21-28; Mt 5:20-26

6:15 AM - Mass
6:00 PM - Way of the Cross

SATURDAY 2/28
Dt 26:16-19; Mt 5:43-48

8:30 AM - Mass
2:00 PM - Pilgrimage Meeting (Activity Center)
4:30 PM - Mass

SUNDAY 3/1 Second Sunday of Lent
Gn 22:1-2,9a,10-13,15-18; Rom 8:31b-34; Mk 9:2-10

8:30AM - Mass
10:30AM - Mass RCIA Penitential Rite
5:30PM - Lifeteen Mass
7:00 PM - Lifeteen



Parish Contest

We are in the process of recreating our Parish Website and we are looking for a new domain (website) name. Please submit all entries either through the offertory or email, stephanie.lester@lcdiocese.org. There will be entry papers on the table at the entrance of the Church for those submitting entries through the offertory. Be creative!

MINISTERS FOR MASS ON SATURDAY FEBRUARY 28, 2015 & SUNDAY, MARCH 1, 2015

CELEBRANT	SAT. 4:30 PM FR. MATHEW	SUN. 8:30 AM FR. HUCKABY	SUN. 10:30 AM FR. MATHEW	SUN. 5:30 PM FR. HUCKABY
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	1. LINDA SONNIER 2. MARGIE CASTILLE 3. DAVID MESSINA 4. FR. MATHEW 5. DEACON LEO 6. JEFF ALBRITTON 7. JOANNA GUILLORY 8. PATTY BROWN	1. MARTINA CONRAD 2. JAMES MISTRETTA 3. BRENDA MCCAIN 4. FR. HUCKABY 5. SYLVIA LAVERGNE 6. GWEN HIMEL 7. JANIE JACOBSON 8. GENE STAWECKI	1. FREDERICKA GORUM 2. SHEREE RICHEY 3. JANET LOWERY 4. FR. MATHEW 5. DEACON LEO 6. CHRIS MCELHANEY 7. MARY SHIVES 8. POLLY CLARK	1. SELENE LANDRY 2. MILTON HEBERT JR. 3. SHIRLENE MILLER 4. FR. HUCKABY 5. CHARLES WOODARD 6. CINDY ROBBINS 7. ERIC MARTIN 8. RACHELLIA SONNIER
LECTORS	KATHY GROB SYLVIA DEL CARMEN DUHON	SR. CLAIRE PELLERIN SR. CATHERINE LEROUX	DENISE SMITH BUD BARLOW	JANET LOWERY ALEX LILES
ALTAR	ETHAN ELLIOTT	JASON MANUEL KRISTIAN HAGERICH KYLIAN HAGERICH	RYAN REEVES TYLER GILL CHLOEY SIMMONS	KELLY DAIGLE COLIN SOILEAU JOHN PATTON CHRISTIAN VEILLON

MINISTRIES & ORGANIZATIONS

ACTS Core Team

Altar Servers—Jack & Jessica Wilson wilsonjr71@yahoo.com

Altar Society—Gene Staweck 855-7819

Be A Man Prayer Group—James Oliver 526-6006
Scott Bridges 912-2843

Bereavement Support Group—Beverly Barbery 526-2558
Margie Castille 426-7860

Catholic Committee on Scouting—Susan Fontenot 905-2812

Catholic Daughters—Janet Lowery 217-0755

Jr. CDA—Jennifer Foreman 217-3258

Catholics in Action—Beverly Barbery 526-2558

CFA—Cherryle Fruge, SFO 438-2720

Charismatic—Judy Marcantel 855-9647

Children's Church—Renee McCall 526-9071

Church Décor—Jan Reeves, Garden Ministry 660-5196
Gene Staweck & Theresa Stutes

Community Chest 855-4602

Creighton Model Fertility Care—Bonnie Kron 377-7953

Cub Scouts—Russ Dawdy 532-2013

Women's Cursillo/Ultreya—Angela Patton 855-2022

Divine Mercy—Larry & Irene Fields 855-6723

Engaged Encounter—Paul & Carolyn Trahan 337-254-8947

Eucharistic Adoration—Mary Hebert & Penny Gallow 433-5683

Extraordinary Ministers—Stan Shreve 794-3323

Feeding the Grieving Souls—Jackie Breaux, Priscilla Ardoin,
Sue Crochet

Food For the Poor—Kirk Guillory 217-0741

Angel Gabriel—Jamie Barlow 263-3617

Greeters & Ushers—Gary Ash 725-3979

Knights of Columbus #3622—Mike Fruge 580-6456

K.C. Hall Rental—Mike Fruge 580-6456

Lector Coordinator—Sylvia Del Carmen Duhon 526-8963

Mission Coordinator—Pat Fox 842-4289

Music Ministries—Christy Almague, Dir. 263-3288

Life Teen Choir—Robby Alleman 855-2317

Funeral Choir—Peggy Guillory 855-4324

Guitar Choir—Russ Dawdy 532-2013

New Life Counseling—Pregnant? Need to Talk? 474-7003

Prayer Ministry—Jamie Barlow 855-0224

Radio Maria—Denise Smith 292-4984

Respect Life Ministry—Andy & Rachellia Sonnier 526-5947

R.C.I.A.—Gary & Susan Courge 855-2078

Rosary Makers Guild—Joyce Mattix 855-2328
Karen Guillory 855-6307

S.A.L.T.—Cherryle Fruge, SFO 438-2720

Secular Franciscan Order - Cherryle Fruge, SFO 438-2720

Stewardship Committee—Dennis Bent 855-5191

"He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds ." Psalms 147:2

Patty Ardoin	Gerald Mallette
Sadie Bond	Ruby Malone
Michelle Booth	Linda Mathis*
Stephen Broussard*	Danny Matte
Danny Buller	Eula Matte
Caprice Bush	Sue & Sarah Mattix*
Bryleigh Charles	Madolyn McCoy
Helen Dardeau	Wade & Cathy Miller
B.J. & Mary Louise DeGeyter	Roxanne McCain*
Jim Dennis	Maureen McCown
Stephanie Desormeaux	Cindy McElhaney*
Christy Doga	Mary Jane & Tony Meche
Bobby Douget	Marshall Miller
Carolyn Duhon*	Marie Moore*
Daniel Duhon	Rachel Moss
Ruby Dufrene	Dennis Nivers
Clarence Ethridge	Evonne Picou*
Jennifer Fabacher & Triplets	Thomas Polk
Dale Fontenot	Alfred Pousson
Georgie Fontenot	Ludren Reed*
Mable Foreman	Tricia Reed
Lamant Francisco	Dale & Mark Reichley*
Frazier Family	Dawn Rogers
Gary Grob*	Jaxon Sellers
Tammy Grove*	Mary Shives
Herbert & Wilma Guilbeaux	Glenn Sonnier
Chloe Guillory*	Debbie Stutes
Greg Habetz	Nellie Stutes
Nila Halloran	Faye Swickard
Butch Halphin	John & Nora Theriot
Trena Hatch*	Eva Thompson
Angela Hebert*	Nora Tramuta
Kenneth Higginbotham*	Fuselier Family
Linda Jackson	Sarah Savell*
Pat Johnson	Richard Tramuta*
Doc & Doris Latham*	Bob & Cynthia Vasquez
Arville LeJeune	Kinsey Vidrine
Pris & Ray LeJeune	Roger Webb*
Shirley Louviere	Vanderwall Family
Danny Mallette	Joe Wright



Email=theodoreccd@yahoo.com
For CCD resources, see website

8th Grade Assessment

**is Wednesday,
February 25 @
7pm.** Please study the
Prayers, Beliefs, and
Practices of our
Catholic Faith.



To get a copy of what
your child needs to
know, see the church
website.

**4th and 6th
grade final
assessments**

www.sttheodorelakecharles.parishesonline.com



Abbey Youth Fest

March 21, 2015
\$30

St. Joseph Abbey
In Covington, LA

Forms can be found in the
Church office

Confirmation Letters
to the Bishop are past
Due.

Confirmation Parish
Interviews
will begin in March.

**LAST LIFENIGHT
for 9th and 10th graders
February 22**

**We've been so blessed to spend time and space with you,
see you next year!**



We Welcome Into Our Family Through Baptism



HARPER ROSE BENOIT,
Daughter of Matthew & Gayle
ELOISE GRACE LARUE,
Daughter of Matthew & Alice
BRAYDEN WAYNE SANDERS,
Son of Kenneth & Mallari



**There is a great need for Altar
Servers for the 4:30 Vigil Mass!**

Contact Mr. Wilson,
wilsonjr71@yahoo.com,
or the Church office.

**PILGRIMAG
TO THE
HOLY LAND**

**Pilgrimage Informational Meeting
with Fr. Huckaby
Saturday, February 28th at 2:00pm
in the Activity Center**

STEWARDSHIP

Do you ever think about how difficult it must have been for Jesus to come to Galilee, knowing that John had just been arrested for teaching the same message that Jesus was proclaiming? It must have taken great love and trust for Jesus to do what the Father had sent Him here on earth to do. In the same way, following a life of stewardship takes great love and trust from us. We must be willing to surrender completely to God, trusting that God will always give us all that we need to fulfill His plan for us.

**Stations of the Cross, every Friday during Lent
at 6:00pm in the Church**



USHERS

The ushers are ministers of hospitality, greeting parishioners at weekend Masses and seeing to any special needs. They collect the gifts of the faithful and present them at the altar. They also assist at communion.

If you are interested in becoming an usher or would like more information, contact Gary Ash at (337)725-3979



Monday, 2/23: (6:15am) JOY GASPARD & FAMILY

Tuesday, 2/24: (6:15am) JOSEPHINE FAWVOR MEMORIAL ANNIVERSARY MASS by Claudette Regan

(8:30am) JACK GLYNN MEMORIAL BIRTHDAY MASS; LOU FERDIE VIDRINE by Polly Clark & Family

Wednesday, 2/25: (6:15am) KENNY LOANE

Thursday, 2/26: (6:15am) E.J. GASPARD & FAMILY (8:30am) STEPHEN ELLIOTT COLEMAN MEMORIAL

ANNIVERSARY MASS by Mary Jane Vaughn; **ALL LIVING & DECEASED FAMILY MEMBERS OF JOHNNY & ETHEL DARBONNE; RAGAN GASPARD & FAMILY; PATRICIA RELIFORD** by St. Theodore; **LESSIE CHELETTE** by St. Theodore

Friday, 2/27: (6:15am) TARRY FRANCK

Saturday, 2/28: (8:30am) KERI BURKE & FAMILY (4:30pm) MONA, LEO & LARRY JOHNSON by Pat & Connie;

PERCY ARMENTOR, ROBERTA JOHN, ALICE DESORMEAUX by Gilderie; **RONNIE LEJEUNE & FAMILY;**

WILBERT LEGER by Dorothy Lantz; **ELIA, MARSHALL & ALVIN BURLEIGH** by Martin & Felicia Torres

Sunday, 3/1: (8:30am) MASS FOR THE PEOPLE (10:30am) HASKELL NIXON by Family & Friends; **RUBY & LEONARD**

MALONE by Anna Granger **(5:30pm) MARIA THANH NGUYEN; LESSIE CHELETTE** by Anne Guidry



Lord God, Author of Life and Source of Eternal Life,

Move the hearts of all our public officials and especially our President, to fulfill their responsibilities worthily and well to all those entrusted in their care. Help them in their special leadership roles, to extend the mantle of protection to the most vulnerable, especially the defenseless unborn, whose lives are threatened with extermination by an indifferent society. Guide all public officials by your wisdom and grace to cease supporting any law that fails to protect the fundamental good that is human life itself, which is a gift from God and parents. You are the Protector and Defender of the lives of the innocent unborn. Change the hearts of those who compromise the call to protect and defend life. Bring our nation to the values that have made us a great nation, a society that upholds the values of life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness for all. Mary, the Mother of the living, help us to bear witness to the Gospel of Life with our lives and our laws, through Christ our Lord. Amen.



St. Theodore
Holy Family Catholic School



**PLEASE
JOIN US
At TCBY
FOR SPIRIT
NIGHT WED., FEB. 25
from 6-8pm**

Lenten Fish Dinner and Cajun Band

Prepared by "Be A Man" Prayer Group
Friday, March 13th



6:00pm – 8:00pm Enrichment Center
Fried Catfish Filets, French Fries, Hush Puppies, Cole Slaw and Drink-
\$10.00

Kid's Pizza Meal- **\$5.00**

For tickets please call **855-9465** or **Donna Sargent 660-6271**
Entertainment Provided by:

Red Saltzman and the Cajun Friends

SPACE- Supermarkets and Parents for the Advancement of Catholic Education

Please support our school by purchasing SPACE gift certificates. This is how it works. Holy Family purchases gift certificates from Market Basket at 5% off of their face value. These certificates are sold to you for exactly what they are worth. For a \$20 gift certificate you pay \$20 and when you use the certificate at the store, you receive \$20 worth of groceries. At the same time, Holy Family makes \$1 or 5% each time you use that certificate. It is that easy. If you have a charge account at Market Basket, you may pay that account at the Courtesy counter with SPACE gift certificates as well.

A Diversified School Community Unified Through Faith & Prayer!