

MASS INTENTIONS

MONDAY, APRIL 15TH
No Mass

TUESDAY, APRIL 16TH
Harold Wright

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17TH
Fr. Mark Beard, Jet Keen, Curtis Causey, Harrell Griffin, Nolan Graham, Barbara Broussard, Ann LaBarbera, Ann Courtney, Burrell Carter, Roland Bourgeois, Ronald & Hazel Scioneaux, Lynette Costanza, Raella Armand, Carole Church Grout, Carter Church, Jack Liuzza, Cory Lambert, Marshal Anderson, Maggie Dunn, Emile Bellavia, Rita Murtagh, Law Enforcement, Michael Henry, David Paul Delaune, Billy Higgins, Harold Beard, Souls in Purgatory, Catherine Calamari

THURSDAY, APRIL 18TH
Fr. Mark Beard, Jet Keen, Liz Forshag, Raella Armand, Brian Cox, Ann LaBarbera, Barbara Broussard, Nolan Graham, Lillie Estay, Tommy Kopfler Jr., Sandy Kopfler, Donnie Pehota, John Vaccaro, Donald Schillaci, Doris Trahan, RD & Elsie Bridges, Rose & James Webb, Ann Courtney, Michael Henry, David Paul Delaune, Billy Higgins, Harold Beard, Catherine Calamari, Jeseca Dunn, George Van Zandt

FRIDAY, APRIL 19TH
Ann LaBarbera

SATURDAY, APRIL 20TH
Jet Keen

SUNDAY, APRIL 21ST
Jet Keen

SUNDAY, APRIL 21ST
Amy McClendon

PRAYER LIST

Connie Crayton, Carl M Bennett, Cary Pardue, Kathy Pardue, Lindsey Booty, Christine & Jerry Sharp, Laura Faust, George Landrew, Sherry Digott, Eddie Domm, Julie Schieffler, Tammy Fabre, Jerry McDowell, Kevin Cefalu, Leon White, Mary Clements, Eric Tarver, Susie Cox, Jerry Risponse, Linda Hulsey, Carl & Gail Keller, Pam Elder, Savina Campo, Katelyn Delbasto, Lorie Delbasto, Ronnie Delbasto, Diann Delbasto, Wanda Miles, Lucinda Voight, Mya Arrazate, Toney Cantu, Kenneth Hill, Conner Corkern, Alice Perez, Frances Currier, Alice Currier, Jay Ardillo, Brian Rueb, Hank & Karen Scheumacher, Douglas Hill, Doris Wright, Lucille Scheurer, Ashley Travis, Tisa & John Cooper, Betty Taylor, Catherine Calamari, Garrett Herrington, Shirley Tiggott, Patricia Blair, Fred Bourgoyne Jr., Nancy Brown, Austin Dupre, Patin Clifton, Ed & Dorothy Bramlet, Imelda Travis, Kenneth Travis, Russell Ellzey, Judy Cavaretta, Paul Durnin, Dewey Coyer



We at St. Helena Catholic Church are committed to educating, directing, and sustaining all who visit, in particular those who draw near, to the teachings and traditions of Holy Mother Church; this Mission will be achieved by employing Cardinal virtues of Justice, Prudence, Temperance and Fortitude.

MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT

YOUTH MINISTRY

Youth Nights are Back!

Join us on April 24th for Jr. High Night and on April 17th for Highschool Night!

If you would like to donate a meal for our youth, please contact the Church Office at (985) 748-9057

MINISTRIES AT ST. HELENA

If you would like to learn more about the following Ministries, please take a card at the end of your pew and send response to email listed on the card.

Bereavement Ministry	Thursday Bible Study
Catholic Daughters	Full of Grace
Jr. Catholic Daughters	Knights of Columbus
Maintenance Committee	Nursing Home Ministry
Spanish Ministry	St. Jude Bible Study
St. Vincent de Paul	Totus Tuus
Traveling Prayer Devotion	Youth

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE

Larry Toups, Peter Vangel, James Hoover, Dennis Toups, William Graham, Vince Owen, Brandon Thompson, Jerry Dyer, Jamie Cutrer, Eric Russell, James Sylvester, Mark Prine, Robert Tillwell, Chris Bennett, Dwayne Spears, Nic Edwards, Jake Cristina, Scott Swilley, Angie Swilley, Chris Brunet, Jacob Rankin, James Michael Dupuis, Daniel Mays, Jim Bravis Redmond Jr., Daniel Santora, Jerry Simmons, Wesley Corkern, Lucas Edward Thigpen, John Accord, Maxwell Conger, Kyle Joseph Rosalies, Jordon Quinn, Adrian Gonzalez Moreno, Sgt. Matthew Vallot, Lt. Molly Fekete, Wesley Corkern, Jacob Frazier, Braeden Hallmark, Trent Smith, Andrew Zaffuto, Judson Sandifer, Blake Blades

Please call the Office if you would like to add or remove someone on the Service List.

IN DEFENSE OF MOTHER CHURCH



Congratulations to the Recently Confirmed Members of our Spanish Community!

Nabor Melendez Amaya | Jonathan Alvarenga | Marvin Azua
 Misael de Jesus Rojo Badillo | Amadeo Jesus Barze | Joel Iram Cervantes
 Yeilym Melendez Cuervo | Teodosia Rivera Escobar | Maria Guadalupe Gonzalez
 Carlos Guerrero Herrera | Maria G. Herrera | Valeria Saucedo Juarez
 Yeison Gerardo Lemus | Lazaro Ivan Urizar Maldonado | Stephanie Garcia Marquez
 Cindy Guadalupe Melendez | Camila Adianez Mendoza
 Jimmy David Diaz Meza | Jacqueline Alejandra Moreno | Jennifer Ocana
 Maria Lucia Osorto | Jose Abel Perdomo | Lourdes Del Carmen Pereyra
 Jacob Anthony Pina | Joshua Christopher Pina | Lisbeth Reyes
 Antonio Sanchez Rico | Juan Alejandro Rivera | Briana Sanchez
 José Leonardo Velasquez | Jamie Contreras Vieyra

Thank you to Bishop Michael Duca and Father Roberto Merced for celebrating the Spanish Mass with us at St. Helena!



The Knights of Columbus will be Selling Tickets after Mass

The Knights of Columbus 'Family of the Month' has been awarded to the family of Allison Toups. Congratulations!

Confirmation Sponsor Retreat
April 20th
at 10:00am
in the Parish Hall



HOPE CORNER



Our Lady of Hope Catholic Retreat Center
 Chatawa, MS - (601)-202-3137 - OurLadyofHopeMS.com
Upcoming Retreats: Register at ourladyofhopems.com/events

Ladies Book Club April 23, 2024

PRESENTED BY FATHER JASON PALERMO



Book of the Month
A Doctor at Calvary: The Passion of Our Lord Jesus Christ as Described by a Surgeon

GOD'S HEALING MERCY

WITH FR. KEVIN DELERNO

MAY 21 - MAY 23, 2024

Presented by Sis Peter and Paul Church of Pearl River

Love on Earth as it is in Heaven

A Couples Retreat with
 Father Philip Scott



OCTOBER 4 - OCTOBER 6

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

APRIL 27, 2024

Our Lady of Hope Full of Grace Gift Shop & Perkatory Coffee Shop

Monday-Saturday, 8am-3pm; Sunday after Mass

IN THE KNOW...

ADORATION AT ST. HELENA

Monday-Saturday 6am-6pm

We ask that you pray with us each week for one hour for Holy Mother Church and our Country. Please call to discuss a day you would like to pray and set up your hour.

English- Diane Murphy 985-320-7123 / Spanish- Beatriz Manriquez 985-415-5063

PSR at St. Helena Catholic Church

June 10th - June 21st

We will have PSR Registration Forms available in Church Office & website.

Late Fees Start on May 17th.

Homeschool Packets are available if you can not attend PSR.

PSR TEACHER WORK DAY

Classrooms will be open to decorate on April 27, 2024

PLEASE CONSIDER SUPPORTING THESE EVENTS:

Mater Dolorosa Catholic School Bathroom Renovation Raffle

1st Prize: Polaris Ranger 570 | 2nd Prize: \$1,000 Cash
 3rd Prize: Weekend Trip to Triple C Lodge in Osyka, MS
 \$20 per Ticket - 6 Tickets for \$100
 Tickets Available at St. Helena Office
Prizes Donated by our very own Full of Grace Foundation!

Join Dan Burke for a
Setting the Captives Free mini-retreat on

SPIRITUAL WARFARE AND DISCERNMENT OF SPIRITS

All are welcome at St. Agnes Catholic Church on April 20th from 9:30am to 12:45pm
 Mass will begin at 8:00am (Confession at 7:30am)
 Register today at SpiritualDirection.com/events

Marian Servants of the Visitation

33 Day Preparation for Total Consecration to Jesus

St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Ponchatoula

Mondays (April 29th thru June 3rd) OR

Thursdays (April 25th thru May 30th)

Please email name, cell number & session choice to mtbailey3@proton.me

Books may be purchased at Heavenly Gifts in Ponchatoula

MINISTRIES AT ST. HELENA

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY (WEDDINGS/CONVALIDATIONS)

6 Months in Advance

PARISH OFFICE NOTIFICATION

We are asking that you notify the Parish Office if a family member is Ill, Homebound or Hospitalized.

BAPTISMAL SEMINARS

Please contact the Church Office in advance to register for a class.



It is to those who have the most need of us that we ought to show our love more especially.

- St. Francis de Sales

PRO LIFE

APRIL 14, 2024

3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER

"Peace be with you." His peace will be fully felt when you are living the vocation that he has called you to. If you think you may have a vocation to follow the Risen Lord as a priest or in consecrated life, Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at 225-336-8778 or via email: jjohnson@diobr.org

CAMPUS TOURS

Plan a Tour on our beautiful Campus. For information, please go to website www.sthelenachurch.net and click on link.

TRAVELING STATUE PRAYER DEVOTION

If you would like to sign up for the Traveling Prayer Devotion and host one of the Marian statues in your home, please contact one of the following:

Catherine Calamari (504-236-8983)

For the Families of St. Helena

Yvonne Hulsey (985-969-5058)

For the Souls in Purgatory

Wendy Danna (985-687-8208)

*For the return of our Lapsed Catholics
Prayer for Priest*

Judy Williams (985-969-4511)

*For St. Helena Church
Our Children of St. Helena*

Lupe Calderon (985-222-8096)

*For St. Helena Church
Prayer for Peace*

Audio & Written versions of Father Mark's Homilies are available on our website, www.sthelenachurch.net.

Please support the local businesses who place Ads in our Bulletin.

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<p>Pink Agave 122 W. Oak Street, Amite, LA 70422-2716</p>	<p>St. Helena Catholic Church Knights of Columbus, Council 10911 For Membership information call 225-324-5784</p>	<p>Faust Farms Fresh Louisiana</p>
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April 14, 2024

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3rd Sunday of Easter

"...Everything written about me in the law of Moses and in the prophets and psalms must be fulfilled?"
- Luke 24:35-48

MASS SCHEDULE:
Saturday Vigil 4pm;
Sunday 9am;
Sunday Spanish 2pm

DAILY MASS:
Tuesday-Friday 7:30am

CONFESSION:
Wednesday 5-6pm;
Thursday 5-6pm

1st SATURDAY:
1st Saturday Mass 8am

OFFICE HOURS:
Monday-Friday 8am-5pm