

MINUTES OF OUR LADY QUEEN OF ANGELS CATHOLIC CHURCH PARISH  
COUNCIL MEETING ON APRIL 5, 2016

The opening prayers was led by Msgr. DeRouen, followed by the roll call by the President, Bruce Gaudin and the meeting was called to order at 6:03 p.m. An approval of minutes was made by motion of Joe Hidalgo with all in favor.

Committee reports are as follows:

**1) Religious Education – Deacon Jerome Collins -CCD ended March 21 and 22, 2016.**  
Forty five children received First Communion on Sunday, April 3, 2016 at 1:00 p.m. The homily was well received. Fifty children received Confirmation on Sunday, April 10, 2016 at 1:00 p.m. with Bishop Jarrell presiding.

**2) Liturgy – Deacon Bill Pollingue -** There was no Baptism preparation during Lent, but will begin again this Thursday as several couples are scheduled. There is a small turnover of Eucharistic Ministers as some are moving and others are not able to serve because of health issues. We are actively recruiting new ministers and receiving a favorable response from people being asked to serve. However, there is a need for both boys and girls as Altar Servers. We will lose several of them at the end of this school year and we will post the message in the Bulletin. It is expected the need will be filled within the next two months.

**3) Finance – Charles Going –** There were no outstanding issues at the recent finance meeting. Extensive repairs were made to the Hall air conditioner at a cost of \$6,000. Now it is working well. The new commercial range, donated by Bobby Dupre, has been installed in the Hall. The old stove will be used outdoors.

**4) Evangelization – Paula Carriere –** The first “Soup, Salad and Sermon” series was very successful and the parishioners requested more of these gatherings with lengthier sermons. This Easter Vigil, three adults received the Sacrament of Initiation, two adults received the Sacraments of the Holy Eucharist and Confirmation and five Catholics received the Sacrament of Confirmation. Five sponsors attended the RCIA sessions. The next RCIA cycle begins September 7, 2016 (a schedule is attached to the report) and culminates with the Easter Vigil on April 15, 2017. Richard Lucito gave thanks to Paula Carriere for a job well done. There was a discussion of the possibility of testimonials given at Mass by non-Catholics who attend Mass frequently. The Bulletin inserts will continue. To be continued...

O. C. CORNER

In recognizing recent graduates, OC commends those receiving the Catholic Youth Leadership Awards by the KC Councils: Louis LaBruyere V and Abigail Sylvester from Council #1173 and Adam Bernard and Peyton Hammond from Council 11270. OC also announces the recipient of the first Gabrielle LaJack Memorial Scholarship as Bailey Sonnier.

The OC Academic Council reminds parents and students about their Spirit Shop and Uniform Resale Shop on Monday, June 20th from 3 pm to 7 pm in the school gym. Then the School Time Road Sale will be held on Friday, June 24th from 3pm to 7pm in the gym.

On Wednesday, June 22nd, new student placement testing will be held from 9am to 10am; while summer AR testing will be in progress from 10am to 1pm.

Happy Father’s Day to all!

PRAY FOR A PRIEST EACH DAY

Eternal Father, we lift up to You these and all the priests of the world. Sanctify them, heal and guide them. Mold them into the likeness of Your Son, Jesus, the Eternal High Priest. May their lives be pleasing to You in Jesus’ name we pray. Amen. Sunday: Rev. Kenneth Domingue; Monday: Rev. Dustin Dought; Tuesday: Rev. Wayne Duet; Wednesday: Rev. Willard Dugas; Thursday: Rev. Nicholas Dupre; Friday: Rev. Gilbert Dutel; and Saturday: Rev. Luiz Dutra.

HOLY FATHER’S PRAYER INTENTIONS

**June: Universal Intention:** That the aged, marginalized, and those who have no one may find – even within the huge cities of the world – opportunities for encounter and solidarity. **Evangelization:** That seminarians and men and women entering religious life may have mentors who live the joy of the Gospel and prepare them wisely for their mission.

EVENTS

LIL’ ANGELS’ CAMP

The dates of the Lil’ Angels’ Camp will be July 18th to 22nd . Registration forms are now ready and you can begin this coming week on Monday afternoon from 1:00-3:40pm; Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 9:00am-11:30am and 1:00-3:40pm. The deadline for registering is June 30th. The office is closed on Fridays.

ANNUAL SEMINARIAN BENEFIT BANQUET

The Fourth Degree Knights Annual Seminarian Benefit Banquet will be held on Saturday, June 25, 2016 at Our Lady Queen of Angels’ Church Hall. Tickets are \$10.00. Fellowship hour will be from 6-7 p.m. All proceeds go to the Seminarians. The guest speaker will be Father Gregory Simien, Pastor of Our Lady of Mercy Catholic Church. For tickets, call Harvey Wimberly at 948-8729 or 331-3609 or any Fourth Degree Knight.

UPCOMING DIRECTED RETREATS  
JESUIT SPIRITUALITY CENTER

The Jesuit Spirituality Center at Grand Coteau, Louisiana, announces these upcoming individually directed retreats: **Silent, Individually-Directed Retreats of 3, 5, or 8-days begin on the following dates: Tue., July 5 or Fri., July 8; Mon., July 18 or Thur., July 21; Mon., Aug.1 or Thur., Aug.4; Mon., Aug. 22 or Thur., Aug. 25.** For an application form to register, visit our website [jesuitspiritualitycenter.org](http://jesuitspiritualitycenter.org) or call 337/662-5251, Monday-Friday, 8:00 am – 12:00 noon and 1:00 – 5:00 pm.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION

Registration is being held now for students who will be returning or who will be coming for the first time. All students attending Catholic schools and are in the 2nd grade must register now for First Communion. Likewise, students attending Catholic schools and are in the 11th grade making Confirmation must register now.

OUR STEWARDSHIP TO GOD

Offertory Collection . . . . . \$13,018.25  
Peter’s Pence Collection . . . . . 43.00  
Opelousas Catholic Collection . . . . . 267.00

*Please know the Pastor is most grateful for your stewardship!  
“Generosity is the pathway for more.” (Proverbs 11:24-25)*

READERS

**June 25 . . . . . 4:00 p.m.** J. L. Phillips  
**June 26 . . . . . 8:30 a.m.** James Doherty  
**10:30 a.m.** Josie Prudhomme  
**5:15 p.m.** Vickie Reed

ALTAR SOCIETY

**June 25 - July 1 . . . . .** Linda Hunt & Committee  
**Linens (June 25) . . . . .** Gail Phillips

ACTIVITIES

**Wed., June 22 . . . . . 2:00 p.m.** “Come Lord Jesus”  
Call 942-7059 for more information  
Pro–Life Rosary before Mass  
Seminarian Banquet  
**Sat., June 25 . . . . . 6:00 p.m**  
**Sat. & Sun., June 25 & 26 . . . . .** “PETER’S PENCE (COLLECTION FOR THE HOLY FATHER)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR BAPTISM

The instructions for parents of this Parish who wish to have their children baptized will be held at Our Lady Queen of Angels on the first Thursday of each month at 6:00 p.m. **FIRST, PLEASE CALL THIS OFFICE TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT AT 942-5628.**



PERPETUAL EUCHARIST ADORATION

The Adorers of the Perpetual Adoration wish to thank Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament for the following favor:

1. For many blessings.

**If you can commit to an hour with Jesus, please call!**  
**6:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon - Claire Robichaux (942-7059)**  
**12 Noon to 6:00 p.m. - Marie LeBlanc (948-8940)**  
**6:00 pm. to 8:00 p.m. - Jerome Collins (H-948-4595 or Cell-781-7185)**

**NEED AT LEAST ONE ADORER FOR THE FOLLOWING HOURS:**  
**Tuesday, 2:00pm; Wednesday, 2:00pm;**  
**Thursday, 11:00am; Friday, 12:00pm, 3:00pm & 4:00pm;**  
**Saturday 2:00 pm, 5:00 pm, 7:00pm; Sunday, 3:00pm**

THE PERFECT GIFT

When you want to give someone a special gift, consider giving an hour of prayer in the presence of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. Body, blood, soul and divinity. Beautiful prayer intention cards are available in the Church Office. Cost \$1.00.

PRAYER FOR HURRICANE SEASON

Our Father in Heaven, through the powerful intercession of Our Lady of Prompt Succor, spare us from all harm during this hurricane season and protect us and our homes from all disasters of nature. Our Lady of Prompt Succor, hasten to help us. Thank you for your favors in the past. Amen.

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY - WE APPRECIATE YOU

ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK

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MASSES

**Sat., June 18 . . . . . 4:00 p.m.** Lisa Macip, Albert Speyrer & Amos Ledoux, Angelo & Julia Palazzo, Percy Thibodeaux, Obbie Bordelon, Mercedes Going, Bill Hatch, Mary Beth Tate, Rita Hargroder, Nick & Helen Robin, Edward Moscovis, Ralph Ortego, Alvin Taylor, Louis Taylor, Jimmie Reed, Preston J. Smith, Dudley & Glenn Macip, Nazel Soileau Fontenot, Curtis Hook, Jr.(Anniversary of Death6/12), Curtis Hook, Sr., Vincent Lobello(Anniversary of Death), Frances Lobello, Souls in Purgatory, Paul Castille, M/M Anthony Chachere, Sr., Tony, Jr., Alex Chachere, M/M Charles Castille, Sr., Harold Castille & Myrtle Smith

**Sun., June 19 . . . . . 8:30 a.m.** Ronald O. Fusilier, Ben & Pat Crosby, Moise & Amy Courvelle, Genevieve Cortez, Harold & Todd Fontenot, Rose P. Ryder, Octave “Tat” Pitre, Denise L. Hanks, John A. Green, Lee Andrepont, M/M James Hunt & Family & M/M Leopold Thibodeaux & Family, M/M Rivers Lavergne & Family, M/M Luke Thibodeaux & Family, Joshua Peck, Jesse & Annie Leger & Jesse, Jr., Mary Beth Tate, Verbis Lafleur, Jacqueline James, Tericida Kappel, Jane Bellard Family, Calvin & Henrietta Bellard, Janette Bellard, Alvarez Hertzock, Irma Quirk, M/M George Going, Sr., M/M William Reed, Dennis & Daniel Reed, Elbert Arnold, Alphonse & Angela Wyble, Abram & Irene O. Lafleur, Steve Dupuis, Jules Olivier, Wilbur & Alice Reed, T.D., Dolores & Dewey Auzenne, Velton Sr., Marcianne, Judy, Roy & Velton, Jr. Lemelle, Augustine, Cary, Geraldine, Bertrand, Jean & Hilton Auzenne, Dolores Mayfield, Lee Singleton, Sr., Austin Fontenot, John E. Bradley, John V. Ferrazzano, Willis Fontenot, Adrien “Stoney” Angelle, Eddie Dekerlegand, Antoine “Free” Bergeron, Dudley & Ronald Fontenot, Darmas Daigle, Leroy Lafleur, James Lafleur, Clarence Dupre, Ernest Duplechin, Darius & Elsie Bourque, Neil Bertinot, Martha & Alphonse Clary, Gladys & Anthony(Anniversary of Death) Bertinot, Dona & Johnny Clary, Gene, Bea, Bill & William Bourdier, Leroy Carriere, Sr., Harry L. & Scott Smith, Theobert & Raymond Lavergne & Theobert, Jr., Donald Sebastien, Special Intentions for Kim Sebastien, Scott Sebastien & Roger Castille, Robert “Bob” Gassmann

**10:30 a.m.** Morgan Adams, Sarah Jarrell, Donald & Sylvia Chachere, Sr., Donald & Sylvia Chachere Family, Alex & Deanna Chachere, Jim, “Tat”, Jeff & Greg Durio, Ralph & Joy Bernard, Jackie Mills, Lucille “Lucy” Veltin, J.D. Emon, Gerrit Paul Ryder, The Ryder & Quebedeaux Families, Anna Dupre, John G. Fontenot, Beatrice Stout, Gladys & Honore Tate, Helen & Vince Fontenot, Sr., L. J. Guidroz, Dusty & Ronnie Ardoin, Sal Diesi, Sr., John G. Fontenot, Clayus Stelly, Ulysse Fontenot, Sr., Sylvan Soileau, Charles, Yolande & Angele Carroll & Henry David, James Daigle, Agnes Daigle, Jim Daigle, Julie Marcantel, Don Johnson, Nadine Taylor, Ashton Auzenne, Mark Garrard Robertson, Roland P. Biagas, Sr., Mary Magdaline Joseph, Sheriff Howard Zerangue, Avie Manuel & Edward Zerangue, Joe Riley & Linda Riley, Marie Grace Soileau(B), Lawrence & Curtis Soileau, John Couvillion, Karl & Billie Pollingue & Karl, Jr.

**5:15 p.m.** Tony Fontenot, Benjamin Richard, Benny Richard, Kirk Kirkpatrick, Lee J. Guidry  
**Mon., June 20 . . . . . 5:15 p.m.** Lionel Donatto(Anniversary of Death)  
**Tues., June 21 . . . . . 7:00 a.m.** Dugal & Richard Families, Leonce Leger(B), Woodrow Veillon, Harry L. & Scott (Anniversary of Death) Smith, Amynthe Lavergne(Anniversary of Death)  
**Wed., June 22 . . . . . 5:15 p.m.** Gladys Auguste & Family  
**Thurs., June 23 . . . . . 7:00 a.m.** Bonnie Pavy(Anniversary of Death), Woodrow Veillon

**Fri., June 24 . . . . . 5:15 p.m.** Vida Carmouche(B)  
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**5:15 p.m.** PARISHIONERS OF OUR LADY QUEEN OF ANGELS

NEW TO THE PARISH

If you are new in the parish and are not registered in our parish census, we invite you to do so by providing your:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone# \_\_\_\_\_

Or come by the office to get acquainted.