

LETTER FROM THE BISHOP

Dear Friends in Christ,

Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD), the national anti-poverty program of the U.S. Catholic Bishops, funds programs to help change the lives of millions of people living in poverty here in the United States. The programs supported by the CCHD work to be a voice of hope for those on the margins of society who experience the realities of living in poverty by helping to alleviate their suffering and confront the causes of poverty.

CCHD is made possible by the generous support of the Catholics in the United States, through an annual parish collection. This collection is the primary source of funding for CCHD's many anti-poverty education programs and grants. Funding from the collection offers new hope every year to those living in poverty through the United States.

Remember, 25 percent of the collection's proceeds stay here in our Diocese to fight poverty in our communities and defend the dignity of our neighbors. Help us defend human dignity and show Christ's charity to those in need. As Pope Francis reminds us, *"We Christians are called to confront the poverty of our brothers and sisters, to touch it, to make it our own and to take practical steps to alleviate it."* (2014 Message for Lent, December 26, 2013)

For more information about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development and the groups it funds, please visit www.usccb.org/cchd.

With every good wish, I am

Faithfully yours in Christ,

Most Reverend J. Douglas Deshotel, D.D.
Bishop of Lafayette

O. C. CORNER

OC parents are reminded: Progress reports for the second 9-week grading period will go out on Monday, and there will be 1:00 pm early dismissal on Wednesday to accommodate a faculty meeting. Classes will dismiss on Thursday afternoon for the Thanksgiving break and will resume on November 28th. Congratulations to OC for winning the Super 1 Foods "Cash for Schools" program ... thanks to all!

Congratulations to senior student athlete Tori Collins who recently completed "Early Signing" and committed to play college softball at Jones County Junior College in Mississippi. OC commends her and her hard work in the classroom and on the field!

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. Gregory Simien; Monday: Rev. George Simon; Tuesday: Rev. Jody Simoneaux; Wednesday: Rev. Cedric Sonnier; Thursday: Rev. Joseph Stemann; Friday: Rev. Michael Sucharski, SVD; and Saturday: Rev. Jared Suire.

HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS

November: Universal Intention: That the countries which take in a great number of displaced persons and refugees may find support for their efforts which show solidarity. **Evangelization:** That within parishes, priests and lay people may collaborate in service to the community without giving in to the temptation of discouragement.

PARISH COUNCIL NOMINATIONS

Nominations for positions on the Parish Council are now being taken which will be due by November 14th. You can drop them in the collection basket or at the Parish Office. There must be a 3 paragraph biography and a picture submitted. The Nominating Committee will meet on the Tuesday after to select the number to be on the upcoming election.

NOTICE

Please notify the Church Office of any changes to your address and phone numbers so we can keep our census information updated to serve you better.

EVENTS

MASS FOR SURVIVORS OF VIOLENCE

A SPECIAL Mass for Survivors of Violence will be held on Sunday, December 4th, 2016 at 2:00pm, at the Immaculata Chapel, 1408 Carmel Drive, Lafayette, Louisiana. Bishop J. Douglas Deshotel.

RACE TRACK MINISTRY BLANKET DRIVE

Our annual **Blanket Drive** is being held here at Our Lady Queen of Angels Church from **November 12, 2016 through November 22, 2016** to collect **clean, new or used blankets, sleeping bags, other bedding items or small heaters** to be given to the barn workers at Evangeline Downs' Racetracks in Opelousas and Carencro. This drive is being held as an outreach of Our Lady Queen of Angels Church in conjunction with the Evangeline Christian Outreach Ministry, to help minister to the needy backstretch workers, the vast majority who are Catholics from throughout the country and who make up a large segment of horse racing's vast workplace. **Will you please help??** Please consider making a donation of clean, new or used, blankets, sleeping bags or other bedding items or small heaters by putting the items in one of the boxes at each of the doors of the Church now through November 22. Your donation will help make this winter a little warmer for those in need!! For further information, please contact Keith Hebert at 942-8565 or Don Fisher at 942-3041. Thank you for your generosity in helping others and may God bless!

ANNUAL CHILD SMILE PROJECT
DIOCESE OF LAFAYETTE

Put a smile on a child's face and one on your own, reaching out to children with an incarcerated parent and to children struggling with special circumstances. One mission of the Office of Justice and Peace is to be sensitive and generous to those in most need, especially during the holiday seasons. For many years, the office has coordinated the Prison Ministry program, and organized the collection of gifts for children whose parent(s) are incarcerated. Gifts: dolls, trucks, cars, sporting goods, age-appropriate CDs and/or DVDs, jewelry, watches and games. Please include batteries. Gift cards are appreciated by teenagers. Refrain from: Second hand items, toy weapons, clothes, candy or food, liquids such as shampoo or lotions or bubble bath, breakable items such as mirrors, or any item which could be a potential choking hazard. Place gift in a gift bag or in a sturdy gift box, secure with rubber bands for closure. Please do not wrap the gift. Attach a label indicating boy or girl, and age group. Deliver to: Diocese of Lafayette, Office of Justice and Peace, 1408 Carmel Drive, Lafayette, Louisiana, 70501 between Monday – Thursday (8:30am-4:30pm) and Friday (8:30 – noon).

OUR STEWARDSHIP TO GOD

Offertory & All Saints' Day Collections \$13,985.50
Bishop's Services Appeal 84.00
Catholic Campaign for Human Development 40.00
World Mission Sunday 5.00
Archdiocese for the Military Services 975.00
Collection for Opelousas Catholic 869.52

*Please know the Pastor is most grateful for your stewardship!
"Everything we have and give comes from God." (Corinthians 29:11-17)*

READERS

Nov. 19 4:00 p.m. J. L. Phillips
Nov. 20 8:30 a.m. Gina Tuttle
10:30 a.m. Lessley Fontenot
5:15 p.m. Terry Mayeux

ALTAR SOCIETY

Nov. 19 - 25 Peggy Crow & Committee
Linens (Nov. 19) Gail Phillips

ACTIVITIES

Sun., Nov. 13 .7:00 a.m.-12:00noon KC's Blood Drive
Mon., Nov. 14 . . .3:30-4:30 p.m. CCD Classes 1, 2, 3
6:00-7:00 p.m. CCD Classes 7, 8, 9, 10, 11
Tues., Nov. 15 . . .3:30-4:30 p.m. CCD Classes 4, 5, 6
6:30-8:00 p.m. RCIA (Office Conference Room)
Wed., Nov. 162:00 p.m. "Come Lord Jesus"
Call 942-7059 for more information
Pro-Life Rosary before Mass
Thurs., Nov. 176:00 p.m. Altar Society Meeting (Hall)
Sat. & Sun., Nov. 19 & 20 COLLECTION FOR THE CAPITAL
CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN
DEVELOPMENT
Sun., Nov. 2012:00noon Thanksgiving Fellowship Dinner

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; Friday, 8:00am, 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.

Lighting of Courthouse Oaks & Nativity

Saturday, Nov. 26 at 5:00pm

Choir - Santa - Refreshments

ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK



MASSES

Sat., Nov. 12 . . . 4:00 p.m. Lisa Macip, Alvin Taylor, Albert Speyrer & Amos Ledoux, Angelo & Julia Palazzo, Percy Thibodeaux, Obbie Bordelon, Charles F. & Mercedes Going, Bill Hatch & Fr. Joseph DeLuca, Mary Beth Tate, Evelyn Comeaux, James "Red" Nezat, Alphan & Yvonne Fontenot, Chad Saucier, Addison Montgomery, Keith Fontenot and Sandra Gay, John G. Fontenot, Morgan Goudeau, Rodney J. Marcantel, Lynn Marks & Marie Marks

Sun., Nov. 13 . . . 8:30 a.m. Ronald O. Fusilier, John A. Green Ben & Pat Crosby, Moise & Amy Courvelle, Genevieve Cortez, Harold & Todd Fontenot, Rose P. Ryder, Octave "Tat" Pitre, Denise L. Hanks, M/M James Hunt & Family & M/M Leopold Thibodeaux & Family, M/M Rivers Lavergne & Family, M/M Luke Thibodeaux & Family, Mary Beth Tate, Verbis Laffeur, Jacqueline James, Jane Bellard Family, Calvin & Henrietta Bellard, Janette Bellard, Joshua Peck, Jesse & Annie Leger & Jesse, Jr., Ernest Duplechin, Darius & Elsie Bourque, Irma Quirk, Eddie Rene, Sr., Dudley & Glenn Macip, Ed & Shirley Moscovis, Bety Bacque, Jules Olivier, Abram & Irene O. Laffeur, Alphonse & Angela Wyble, Alvarez Hertzock, Irvin Deranger, Harold Pellerin, George Chauvin, Marius "Tommy" Oge', Jr., Joyce Bourque

10:30 a.m. Morgan Adams, Sarah Jarrell, Donald & Sylvia Chachere, Sr., Donald & Sylvia Chachere Family, Alex & Deanna Chachere, Jim, "Tat", Jeff & Greg Durio, Lucille "Lucy" Veltin, Gerrit Paul Ryder, The Ryder & Quebedeaux Families, Nora & James "Bougay" Stelly, Ray B. Guillory, All Souls in Purgatory, Deceased family members of Linus Cortez, James "Jim" Wallace, Helen & Vince Fonenot, Gladys & Honore Tate, Morgan Goudeau, Girlie & Willis Fontenot

5:15 p.m. PARISHIONERS OF OUR LADY QUEEN OF ANGELS

Mon., Nov. 14 . . . 5:15 p.m. Karen Burger

Tues., Nov. 15 . . . 7:00 a.m. Joe Lalonde(Anniversary of Death), Gertie Johnson, Irvin Deranger, Oliva(Anniversary of Death) & Etienne Janise

Wed., Nov. 16 . . . 5:15 p.m. Rita Ann Chachere, Gerrit Ryder

Thurs., Nov. 17 . . . 7:00 a.m. Dr. Kim Michels

Fri., Nov. 18 . . . 5:15 p.m. Jim Wood(B), Irvin Deranger, Bonnie Pavy(B), Dr. George Bourgeois(B)

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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.