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OUR LADY QUEEN OF ANGELS KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #11270
OCTOBER 2016 NEWSLETTER

The monthly membership meeting for September was held on September 6, 2016, at 6:30 P.M. The meeting began with a meal followed by a rosary. Financial Secretary, Ken Stephens, reported that the annual Po-Boy Sale held on August 14 raised a net profit of \$5,485.58. Grand Knight thanked all the members for their hard work. Special thanks went out to Clay Saucier for selling over 270 tickets. The Grand Knight discussed using the Po-Boy sale proceeds to help pay for the improvements to the steeple on top of the Church. Msgr. DeRouen hopes to move the speakers for the Church bells, currently in the trees behind the office, to locate them in the steeple. The Knights also discussed the possibility of lighting the steeple. The Council voted to spend up to \$5,000.00 for this project. The Grand Knight also discussed the possibility of purchasing a small book called "Confessions of a Mega Church Pastor" and to make copies available to the parishioners of Queen of Angels. The Council voted to spend up to \$1,000.00 for this project.

The October meeting was held on October 14. The Council discussed plans for the annual Tootsie Roll Drive to be held the weekend of October 8-9. Tootsie Rolls are handed out by the Knights at all four Masses, and donations are accepted. The Tootsie Roll Drive is a nationwide project of the Knights of Columbus. Money raised will be donated to the ARC of St. Landry Parish (80%) and to St. Mary's Residential Training School (20%). These two organizations work with mentally handicapped adults and do an admirable job. The Council also discussed the Christmas Food Drive which will begin after Thanksgiving. Several schools participate. The Knights will pick up the donated food supplies and deliver them to ICONS for distribution before Christmas. Special thanks were given to Jeremy Derouen and Super One for their generous contributions. Prayers were offered for Brother Knights who are ill, including Harvey Darbonne and Manning Wartelle. The October meal was prepared by Jeremy Derouen.

The Tootsie Roll Drive was held on October 8-9. Through the generosity of the parishioners of Queen of Angels, the Knights raised \$2,598.00.

Grand Knight's email address: bruce@bgaudin.com - Phone: 337-948-3818

O. C. CORNER

OCS wishes everyone a Happy and Holy Thanksgiving with family and friends! Students and staff are enjoying time off this week for the Thanksgiving break. Upon return to class on Nov. 28th, the "Viking Shop" will be open from 11 am to 5 pm. The "Parent-Teacher Conference Night" appointments will also be held from 3:30 pm to 6:30 pm.

Congratulations to the 5th-6th grade football team for winning the "championship" in the Crawfish Bowl!

The school's Vitality Process Committee has been preparing for the "Vitality Summit" on February 2nd! This process will engage the entire community in creating and implementing a school vision to allow Opelousas Catholic continuous growth and innovation. Mark your 2017 calendar!

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. Brian Taylor; Monday: Rev. Rev. Joseph Tetlow, SJ; Tuesday: Rev. Alphonse Thainese; Wednesday: Rev. Mark Thibodeaux, SJ; Thursday: Rev. Paul Thibodeaux; Friday: Rev. Jude Thierry; and Saturday: Rev. Thomas Tierney, SJ.

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.

USHERS NEEDED

There is an urgent need for ushers as well as a need for more ushers to help at the Sunday 5:15 pm Mass. Please consider ministering in this fashion. Please contact Chris Marshal at 692-0838 or Darrell Zerangue at 351-3784. Or you can offer your assistance to the regular ushers at 5:15 pm Mass, Mason Alsandor, Alfred Richard or Carl Schwarzenburg.

SPECIAL THANKS TO BLOOD DONORS

The Knights of Columbus Council #11270 thanks the 15 blood donors who participated in the November 13th Blood Drive!

EVENTS

COLLECTION FOR THE POOR

There will be a Special Collection for the Poor at the Thanksgiving Vigil Mass, on Wednesday, November 23rd at 6:00pm.

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. 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!

CCD "SPECIAL NIGHT"

The next CCD "Special Night" for all Monday night students at Queen of Angels' religion classes and the Catholic School Confirmation Students will be on Monday, November 28th. Students are to report to classes at 5:15 pm.

QUEEN OF ANGELS SENIOR HIGH GROUP DRIVE

The Senior High Youth Group will be collecting items for the Senior Village residents for their Christmas store. The group will accept items in front of the Queen of Angels Parish Hall from 3:00-5:00pm on December 1st and 2nd. The Senior Group will proceed at 2:00pm on December 4th with the items to the Nursing Home. Your help is appreciated!

WASHINGTON GARDEN CLUB CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

The Washington Garden Club Christmas Celebration will be held at St. John's Episcopal Church, 308 N. Church Street, Washington, Louisiana, on Saturday December 3rd at 6:00pm. Singing a program of Christmas Carols will be provided by the Baton Rouge Early Vocal Ensemble (BREVE). Admission is free. Come out and enjoy!

CHRIST IN THE CITY

Join for Christ in the City! Enjoy an evening of adoration, confession, reflection and fellowship. For Young Adults in their 20s and 30s. It is held at St. Mary Mother of God Church, Doucet Road, Lafayette, La. on the 1st Thursday of the Month at 7pm. Please contact Cheyenne Stelly at cheyennemstelly@gmail.com.

OUR STEWARDSHIP TO GOD

Offertory Collection \$13,648.35
Bishop's Services Appeal 1,014.00
World Mission Sunday 25.00
Archdiocese for the Military Services 95.00
Collection for Opelousas Catholic 67.00

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

READERS

Nov. 26 4:00 p.m. Malcolm Miller
Nov. 27 8:30 a.m. Bruce & Bernadette Gaudin
10:30 a.m. William Jarrell
5:15 p.m. Kathy Hebert

ALTAR SOCIETY

Nov. 26 - Dec. 2 Liz Ortego & Committee
Linens (Nov. 26) Vickie Reed

ACTIVITIES

Sat. & Sun., Nov. 19 & 20 COLLECTION FOR THE CAPITAL CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT
Sun., Nov. 20 12:00 noon Thanksgiving Fellowship Dinner
Mon., Nov. 21 3:30-4:30 p.m. No CCD Classes
6:00-7:00 p.m. No CCD Classes
Tues., Nov. 22 3:30-4:30 p.m. No CCD Classes
6:30-8:00 p.m. RCIA (Office Conference Room)
Wed., Nov. 23 PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED AT NOON FOR THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY
2:00 p.m. "Come Lord Jesus"
Call 942-7059 for more information
Pro-Life Rosary before Mass
6:00 p.m. Vigil Mass For Thanksgiving
"Special Collection For The Poor"
Thurs., Nov. 24 7:00 a.m. Thanksgiving Day Mass
Sun. & Mon., Nov. 27 & 28 Mission After The 5:15 Masses
Mon., Nov. 28 5:15 p.m. CCD Monday Night Classes
Formation and Catholic School Confirmation Students Are To Report This Night At 5:15 pm-7:00 pm

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.

ADVERTISER OF THE WEEK

QUALITY ELECTRICAL logo and contact information for Johnathan Soileau, Owner, including address and phone numbers.

MASSES

Sat., Nov. 19 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, Bobby Mouton, Charles, Yolande & Angele Carroll & Henry David, Gladys & Honore(Anniversary of Death) Tate, Helen & Vince Fontenot, Rodney J. Marcantel, Morgan Goudeau, Lynn Marks & Marie Marks

Sun., Nov. 20 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 Lafleur, 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, Wilbur & Alice Reed, Girlie & Willis Fontenot, Harold Pellerin, Joyce Bourque, George Chauvin, Irvin Deranger, Marius "Tommy" Oge, Jr. 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, Morgan Goudeau, Girlie & Willis Fontenot, Special Intentions

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

OF ANGELS

Mon., Nov. 21 5:15 p.m. Huey & Joyce Bourque, Andy & Zetta Stelly, Emile, Amelie & Gerald D'Arensbourg, Jesse Leger(Anniversary of Death 11/14)

Tues., Nov. 22 7:00 a.m. Dugal & Richard Families, Dennis & Daniel(Anniversary of Death) Reed, M/M Elridge Schwarzenburg, M/M Elmo(B)Simon

Wed., Nov. 23 6:00 p.m. Neil Bertinot, Martha & Alphonse Clary, Gladys & Anthony Bertinot, Dona & Johnny Clary, Rodney J. Marcantel, Girlie & Willis Fontenot, Lynn Marks & Marie Marks

Thurs., Nov. 24 7:00 a.m. Benjamin & Frances Richard, Claudette Richard, Ervin Kirkpatrick, Tracie K. Carriere, Kirk Kirkpatrick, Lee & Bernice D. Guidry, Joe Riley & Linda Riley, Essie Lafleur(B) & Leroy Lafleur

Fri., Nov. 25 5:15 p.m. Bonnie Gaylean Ables, Bobbie Mouton, Eric & Colvin Elkins

Sat., Nov. 26 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, Morgan Goudeau, Lynn Marks & Marie Marks, Bea, Bill, Gene & William Bourdier, Sophie, Rene, Gene & Judi Hidalgo, Charles, Yolande & Angele Carroll & Henry David

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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.