

April 7, 2024



Second Sunday of Caster

Tuesday, April 9–5:30PM-EGAN-(D) Ernest, Billie & Joanna Francois, Jake Trahan, Sr., Tom & Cindy Chappuis, Herman
Kebodeaux, Kebodeaux & Miller family., Cynthia Geerts

Wednesday, April 10–8:00 AM– IOTA– (I) Special Intentions for Travelers (L) All School Students (D) Mary Agnes Fabacher, David LeJeune, Paul Andrepont fly., Wilbert LeJeune fly. Allison Welch, David & Bobby Mouton, Linda T. LaCombe, Cynthia Geerts

Thursday, April 11 - 7:00 AM—IOTA- (L) Joe Clement (D) Larry Leckelt, Souls in Purgatory, Cynthia Geerts, James & Jamie Soileau, Joseph H Andrepont, Hilda Deaville, Mark Doucet, Milton & Margorie Mire, Carolyn A Earl, Euna & Red Rasberry, Leon Soileau

Friday, April 12- 7:00 AM—IOTA- (L) Christian Beasley, Michael Walker (D) Robert Walker, Charles & Clara Dischler, Robert Dischler, Cynthia Geerts, Lawrence Lee, William & Taira Miller

Saturday, April 13- 4:00 PM- IOTA— (L) Lula Reed fly., Charles Leger, Ethel Brown, Joe Clement (D) Janis Williford, Kaleb Myers, Paulette Coleman, T-Man LaCombe, M/M Joseph Johnson, M/M Phillip Klumpp, Leven, Lorraine & Steve Pousson, Jimmie Reed, George Hoffpauir, Hoffpauir & Leonards fly., Souls in Purgatory, Raleigh Miller, Burnella Potier, Bercie Alleman, Marlene Leger, Ben Fruge, Calvin Cart, Lillie & Calvin Aucoin, Herman Kebodeaux, Kebodeaux & Miller family., Tony Brown, Jerry & Rosaland Sarradet, Charlie Brown LeJeune, Matthews & LeJeune fly, Deceased members of the Henry Klumpp fly.

5:30 PM– EGAN- (L) Claude & Lana Breaux, Elden Dupre **(D)** Irby, Burnette & Buddy Gordon, Gloria & Wallace Pousson, Gerald Martin, Carl Brent Hebert, Cynthia Geerts, Tommy Pinson, Jr.

Sunday, April 14— 7:00 AM- IOTA- (L) All Parishioners

9:00AM- EGAN- (D) JoAnn Regan, Hubert & Ella Mae Regan, Leroy & Mabel LeJeune, Vickie Bellon, M/M
Tim Hollier, M/M Kenny Bellon, Marie, Alex, Ann & Kelsey Stanford, Cynthia Geerts, Donald Broussard, M/M Henry Latiola 11:00 AM- IOTA- (I) Salvation of Souls, Conversion of Sinners (L) Bertha Reed, Michael LeJeune fly., Dustin Lavergne fly., Russell LeBlanc fly. Jake Michael LeJeune, Thor & Maximus Stewart (D) Wayne Thevis, Audrey & Rigney
Pousson, Sr., Allison Welch, Roger Klumpp, Ivan LeJeune, Merlyn Reed, Leroy Fontenot, Phil LaCasse, Harry & Luna
LaCasse, M/M Buford Perron, M/M Grover Martin, Jr., Ryan Perron, Howard Nobles, Willie & Olivet LeJeune, David R. Frey ,
Dewey & Ida Bellon, Charles & Lillie Hebert, Lloyd & Verna Higginbotham, Audrey & Willie Myers, Rodney & Clarice LeJeune,

Sanctuary Lamps <u>St. Joseph:</u> In memory of Rachel Lacomb & Barry Simar <u>St. Michael:</u>	Mass offerings: Thank you for your support! IOTA: \$ 8,349.00 EGAN: \$ 1,649.00 BSA: \$ 860.00 \$ 359.00 Good Friday- \$ 545.00 Up-coming collections: Maintenance: Apr. 6 & 7 BSA: Apr. 27 & 28
Votive Lamps <u>Angel:</u> In thanksgiving for Thor & Maximus Stewart <u>Angel:</u> In memory of Marlene Leger & In honor of Charles Leger <u>St. Joseph:</u> In thanksgiving for Maya Fickes.	St. Joseph— April 13 & 14 Saturday 4:00 PM -L- Norma N M-Monica M Sunday 7:00 AM- L- Karen L M- Janice M 11:00 AM-L- Bridget D M- Mikeal D St. Michael- Saturday 5:30 PM-L- Jill J M- Erica D Sunday 9:00 AM-L- D D D
UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS CDA- Tues., April 16 @10AM— Parish Hall KC's- Tues., April 16 @ 7pm– Egan Church Hall Rosary for the Sick– Mon., May 6th @5:30PM– St. Joseph Church	Church Cleaners~ Week of April 8St. Joseph— Betty D & fly.St. Michael— Laura H & flyCommunion to Homebound~ Apr. 18Fr. KilleenChris & Nell

Please pray for the sick of our parish– Darryl LeJeune, Velma Guidry, Tonya Z. Miller, Pat R. LeJeune, Kristy McDaniel, Jerry Dale LeJeune, Edwina Sylvester, Leonard Cloud Jr., Quillian Bertrand, Connie LaCombe, Roylene Landry, Claude Breaux, Frances R. Miller, Camron Woodson, Gracie Sanchez, Mary Odom, Daniel Lantz, Harold Ducote, Jr., Randy G. Regan, Emily LaCombe, Sidney Fruge, Wilma & Donald LeJeune, Germaine Frey, Quincy Lantz, Rene Earles, Lucy LaCasse, JoAnn Hebert, Elizabeth Brown, Rickie Ritter, Renee R. Doucet, Kirk Cart, Robby Latiolais, Sharon Pousson, Rhonda Stoute, Cathy Habetz Dear Parish Family,

Today, we celebrate Divine Mercy Sunday. Though it was only added to the liturgical calendar in 2000 by Pope St. John Paul the Great, the idea of God's infinite and unending mercy is not at all new. From the very beginning, God has been merciful to us. This Sunday emphasizes in a particular way that mercy. The celebration itself stems from a devotion of St. Faustina who had visions of Christ. We have an image of the Divine Mercy that is kept by the presider's chair throughout the year.

At 3 p.m., what is known as the hour of mercy, we will have an hour of adoration and pray together the Divine Mercy chaplet. Please help spread the word, I will also offer confessions during this holy hour. What a great opportunity to receive graces from God. On Divine Mercy Sunday, there is an opportunity for a plenary indulgence (removes all temporal punishment due to sin).

The usual conditions are as follows:

- Confession [within about 20 days before or after the Sunday]
- Eucharistic communion [preferably on the day or the day before or after]
- prayer for the intentions of Supreme Pontiff [certain prayers are not specified]

The specific conditions for this indulgence on Divine Mercy Sunday are:

- in any church or chapel, in a spirit that is completely detached from the affection for a sin, even a venial sin, take part in the prayers and devotions held in honor of Divine Mercy.
- or, in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament exposed or reserved in the tabernacle, recite the Our Father and the Creed, adding a devout prayer to the merciful Lord Jesus (e.g. Merciful Jesus, I trust in you!")

For those who are homebound, you are invited to spend time in prayer and recite an Our Father and the Creed, then pray: "Merciful Jesus, I trust in you!"

At the 11 a.m. Mass, we had 36 young boys and girls receive their First Holy Communion. We celebrate with them as we continue on this Easter Season! May they all and their families continue to approach Christ at His Eucharistic altar!

Looking ahead, I hope to offer Vacation Bible Camp this summer. Growing up, I remember attending VBC as a kid, and then volunteering in high school. It was such a fun and important part of the summer. With that being said, we will need volunteers, both in high school and adults, to help make this a reality. Please contact the office to sign up. I hope to release more information soon.

God Bless, Fr. Killeen



The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed Monday, April 8th at 8AM



Sweet Sale! The St. Joseph Altar Society and the St. Michael Altar Society will have a sweet sale the weekend of **April 13 & 14** after all the Masses in lota and Egan.



Congratulations to Brooke Clay, Katelyn Clay, Cassie Broussard, Nicholas Duplechain and Kouri Chiasson for being baptized into full communion with the Catholic Church. We also congratulate Sarah Eaton on receiving the sacraments of Holy Communion and Conformation and Ruby Ritter for being Confirmed.