

**What do the Saints Say?**

CHRYSOSTOM. It is not said of Mary simply that she sat near Jesus, but at His feet, to show her diligence, steadfastness, and zeal, in hearing, and the great reverence which she had for our Lord.

AUGUSTINE. Now as was her humility in sitting at His feet, so much the more did she receive from Him. For the waters pour down to the lowest part of the valley, but flow away from the rising of the hill.

BASIL. Now every work and word of our Saviour is a rule of piety and virtue. For to this end did He put on our body, that as much as we can we might imitate His conversation.

CYRIL OF ALEXANDRIA. By His own example then He teaches His disciples how they ought to behave in the houses of those who receive them, namely, when they come to a house, they should not remain idle, but rather fill the minds of those who receive them with sacred and divine teaching. But let those who make ready the house, go to meet their guests gladly and earnestly, for two reasons. First, indeed, they will be edified by the teaching of those whom they receive; next also they will receive the reward of charity. And hence it follows here, *But Martha was cumbered about much serving, &c.*

AUGUSTINE. Martha was well engaged in ministering to the bodily wants or wishes of our Lord, as of one who was mortal, but He who was clothed in mortal flesh; *in the beginning was the Word.* Behold then what Mary heard, *The Word was made flesh.* Behold then Him to whom Martha ministered. The one was laboring, the other at rest. But yet Martha, when much troubled in her occupation and business of serving, interrupted our Lord, and complained of her sister. For it follows, *And said, Lord, dost thou not care that my sister hath left me to serve alone?* For Mary was absorbed in the sweetness of our Lord's words; Martha was preparing a feast for our Lord, in whose feast Mary was now rejoicing. While then she was listening with delight to those sweet words, and was feeding on them with the deepest affection, our Lord was interrupted by her sister. What must we suppose was her alarm, lest the Lord should say to her, "Rise, and help thy sister?" Our Lord therefore, who was not at a loss, for He had shown He was the Lord, answered as follows, *And Jesus answered and said unto her, Martha, Martha.* The repetition of the name is a mark of love, or perhaps of drawing the attention, that she should listen more earnestly. When twice called, she hears, *Thou art troubled about many things,* that is, thou art busied about many things. For man wishes to meet with something when he is serving, and cannot; and thus between seeking what is wanting and preparing what is at hand, the mind is distracted. For if Martha had been sufficient of herself, she would not have required the aid of her sister. There are many, there are diverse things, which are carnal, temporal, but one is preferred to many. For one is not from many, but many from one. Hence it follows, *But one thing is needful.* Mary wished to be occupied about one, according to that, *It is good for me to cling close unto the Lord.* (Ps. 73:28.) The Father, the Son, the Holy Spirit, are one. To this one he does not bring us, unless we being many have one heart. (Acts 4:32.)

AMBROSE. May you then like Mary be influenced by the desire of wisdom. For this is the greater, this the more perfect work. Nor let the care of ministering to others turn thy mind from the knowledge of the heavenly word, nor reprove or think indolent those whom thou see seeking after wisdom.

AUGUSTINE. Now mystically, by Martha's receiving our Lord into her house is represented the Church which now receives the Lord into her heart. Mary her sister, who sat at Jesus' feet and heard His word, signifies the same Church, but in a future life, where ceasing from labour, and the ministering to her wants, she shall delight in Wisdom alone. But by her complaining that her sister did not help her, occasion is given for that sentence of our Lord, in which he shews that Church to be anxious and troubled about much service, when there is but one thing needful, which is yet attained through the merits of her service; but He says that Mary hath chosen the good part, for through the one the other is reached, which shall not be taken away.

**Schedule of Events:**

**Tuesday, July 23**

7:30 a.m. Confessions  
8 a.m. Mass

**Wednesday, July 24**

7:30 a.m. Confessions  
8 a.m. Mass  
7p.m. K.C Meeting

**Thursday, July 25**

7:30 a.m. Confessions  
8 a.m. Mass

**Friday, July 26**

7:30 a.m. Confessions  
8 a.m. Mass

**Saturday, July 27**

4 p.m. Vigil Mass

**Sunday, July 28**

7:30 a.m. Confessions  
8 a.m. mass  
9:30 a.m. Confessions  
10 a.m. Mass



**MASS INTENTIONS**



**For the Week of July 23, 2019 – July 28, 2019**

**8:00 A.M. – Tuesday July 23**

**All Donors and Benefactors of St. Ann Church & in Memory of:**

*Parishioners of St. Ann, Rai & Thaddeus Pellegrin, Wendy Romero (B), Field McConnell*

**8:00 A.M. – Wednesday July 24**

**All Donors and Benefactors of St. Ann Church & in Memory of:**

*Parishioners of St. Ann,*

**8:00 A.M. Thursday July 25**

**All Donors and Benefactors of St. Ann Church & in Memory of:**

*Parishioners of St. Ann, Lucy Bourg (B)*

**8:00 A.M.-Friday, July 26**

**All Donors and Benefactors of St. Ann Church & in Memory of:**

*Parishioners of St. Ann, Chubby Chauvin*

**4:00 P.M. Saturday, July 27**

**All Donors and Benefactors of St. Ann Church & in Memory of:**

*Parishioners of St. Ann, Loyd Savin, Eldred & MayBelle Ellender, Wilbert & Elsie Hebert,  
Linda Ann Hebert, Salome H. Matherne, Matthew S. Matherne, Peter W. Hebert, Samuel Dominic Hebert,  
Michael Lee McGee, Wayne G. Cancienne, Wilbert Dupre Sr., Jerry & Matthew Arceneaux, Keri Lynn Niette,  
Eric, Joel & Frank Rogers, , Clinton & Wilma Picou, Dolores Viteaux, Cynthia Charpentier, Melvin Hebert, Cecil Fabre*

**8:00 A.M. - Sunday, July 28**

**All Donors and Benefactors of St. Ann Church & in Memory of:**

*Parishioners of St. Ann, Lawrence & Eula Mazerac, Rhea P. Voisin & Eddie Voisin Jr., Sue Bueche,  
Mary Eve & Vayne Bascle, Lionel Bascle family, Arthe' Breaux family, Arthur Lee Fabre,  
Mr. & Mrs. Bernard Fabre, Mr. & Mrs. Irby Petit, Aubrey Lee Boquet, Cindy R. Broussard,  
\_Vin & Joyce LeBlanc family, Gilbert & Rita Bergeron family, Bradley Authement(B)  
Clyde Pitre, Clyde, Elizabeth & Curtis Lirette, Matthew & David Naquin Sr, Andrew Sr.,  
Edna, Elie, Morris, Bruce Pitre, Special intention, Marie Gaston, Ernestine Pitre, Wilma,  
Eugene & John Dusenbery, Veronica Trahan, Terry Lirette, Amelie Thibodaux, Ella Mae Guidry,*

*Jesse Fanguy Sr., Ann Hebert, A.J Theriot, Erous & Eric Eschete*

**10:00A.M. - Sunday, July 28**

**All Donors and Benefactors of St. Ann Church & in Memory of:**

*Parishioners of St. Ann, Geraldine Dupre, Herbert, Celina, Joyce, Deborah & Ronald Belanger,  
Rosie & Richard Lafont, Living & Deceased Members of the Naquin, LaJaunie, LeBoeuf & Lapeyrouse Families  
Ruth Pinell, Maxine Christoffersen, Barry Aucoin Sr., Julienne Domangue, Rosie & Richard Lafont,*

**MEMORIALS FOR THE WEEK OF July 21, 2019**

The Altar Bread is in memory of *Mr. & Mrs. Eldred Hebert Sr.* requested by Wayne & Judy Duhon.

**St. Ann Feast Celebration:**

We will celebrate St. Ann Feast Day on Saturday **July 27<sup>th</sup>** after the 4p.m. Mass.

Please bring a covered dish to share.

**Junior High Night**

6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> graders! Bring a friend!

**Saturday July 27<sup>th</sup>**

After the 4pm Mass

**CHURCH CLEANING: Week of July 21- Connie & Alton N., Ralph & Darlene T., Connie L., H.L. & Yvonne H.**

<b>MASSES</b>	<b>MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST</b>	<b>COMMENTATOR/ LECTOR</b>	<b>ALTAR SERVERS</b>	<b>USHERS</b>
<b><u>July 27 &amp; 28</u></b>				
<b>SATURDAY 4:00P.M.</b>	<b>Adrian, Debra Sue, Steve</b>	<b>Connie, Randolph</b>	<b>Tyler, Grace</b>	<b>Steve H., Jan</b>
<b>SUNDAY 8:00A.M.</b>	<b>Irma, Bert Cecil, Jesse</b>	<b>Hayes, David</b>	<b>Lee, Volunteer</b>	<b>Butch, Leroy Walton</b>
<b>10:00A.M.</b>	<b>Cindy D., Leroy, Gerald, Melody</b>	<b>Anna, Sofie</b>	<b>Kirkland, Kailey, Hailey, Mason</b>	<b>Kenneth, Joseph</b>

