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**13<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost  
 & 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

**Mass Sundays:** 7 A.M. & 9 A.M. Mass  
**Mass Thursdays** 7 A.M. Mass  
**Saturdays: 8 A.M. Confessions:** Wed.  
 11:30 A.M., Sat. 7:30 A.M. & Sun. 8:25  
 A.M. **and by appointment.**

**Notices: Sept. 15<sup>th</sup>-Sept 22<sup>th</sup> 2019  
 Glorious Mysteries;  
 Litany Sacred Heart**

**Devotions Schedule:**

- ❖ **14<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost** Sept 15<sup>th</sup> Masses 7 & 9 A.M. Conf. 8:25 A.M.-8:50 A.M.
- ❖ **Monday, Sept 16<sup>th</sup>** no Mass
- ❖ **Tuesday, Sept 17<sup>th</sup>** no Mass
- ❖ **Wednesday, Sept 18<sup>th</sup>** 11 AM Funeral Mass
- ❖ **Thursday, Sept 19<sup>th</sup>** 7A.M. Mass
- ❖ **Friday, Sept 20<sup>th</sup>** Confessions 11:30-11:50. Noon Mass
- ❖ **Saturday, Sept 21<sup>st</sup>** 8 A.M. Mass, Confessions 7:30-7:50 A.M. Catechism classes every Saturday at 9 AM.
- ❖ **15<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**, Sept 22<sup>nd</sup> Masses 7 & 9 A.M. Conf. 6:30-6:50 & 8:25 A.M.-8:50 A.M.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

1. **Fundraising:** Our next fundraiser is October 5th . This fundraiser will be a garage sale with very selective items and food sales. We are setting up two small tents at the Breaux Bridge City Wide Garage Sale on Saturday only. We need **volunteers** to work four hours shifts that day. Please bring items to sell to church hall to be priced as soon as possible! **VOLUNTEERS**— We need help to set up our booths and to operate them. Please see sign up sheet in the hall.
  - a. **VOLUNTEER** to buy food items to be cooked for that day, or help us bake for that day.
  - b. See the sign up sheet in the hall. Thank you in advance for making this a success!
2. Please Pray for: repose of the soul of **Rachel Meche Grant** who died Friday 13th strengthened by the sacraments. Funeral rosary Tuesday 7 PM at Sibille Funeral Home Opelousas. Visitation Wednesday till 10, funeral at Christ the King Wednesday 11 AM Burial in Opelousas. Rachel is the daughter of Gary and Patricia Meche and mother of 6. <https://www.sibillefuneralhomes.com/notices/Racheal-Graham>
3. **Boogie Hebert** has returned to New Orleans for another procedure for cancer treatment. God reward your generous prayers for our sick.
4. **Marriage classes** begin soon. Please see Fr. Francis OFM.
5. Please pray the Hurricane Prayers to spare our South Louisiana from injury during this hurricane season. Our Lady of Prompt Succor, Hasten to help us.
6. **Our building pledge drive goals:** Remember we are asking every family to contribute **\$125 a month**. Consider using auto deposit, see the website for details. We must keep an eye on our goal: please add this to your budgets. May God reward your generosity.

7. **Christ the King Lafayette has a website!** Please visit [www.ctkinglafayette.com](http://www.ctkinglafayette.com) and subscribe to receive CTK content. Remember that CTK relies on God's providence and your generosity. Look for the new content on the site. Father Cyr may receive **Mass intentions**.

### Mass Intentions

Sun	15 <sup>th</sup>	White	Seven Sorrows BVM (14 <sup>th</sup> Sunday/Pent.)	Devoy Brouard (Anonymous), Pro Populo & Ronald Brouard (Anonymous)
Mon	16 <sup>th</sup>	Red	Sts. Cornelius, P & St Cyprian B.Mm.	Fr. Francis Miller OFM (Elma Trahan)
Tue.	17 <sup>th</sup>	White	Stigmata of St. Francis	For Franciscans
Wed	18 <sup>th</sup>	White	St. Joseph Cupertino, Conf. Ember day	Jimmy Brouard RIP (Sr. Angela B)
Thu	19 <sup>th</sup>	Red	St. Januarius & Companions, Mm.	Devoy Brouard (Sr. Angela B.)
Fri.	20 <sup>th</sup>	Red	Sts. Eustace & Companions., Ember day	Virgil Vincent (Bob Schlicher)
Sat.	21 <sup>st</sup>	Red	St. Matthew, Ap. & Evang. Ember day	Pro Populo
Sun.	22 <sup>nd</sup>	Green	15 <sup>th</sup> Sunday/Pent., (St. Thomas Villanova, BC	Rachael Meche RIP(Gary Meche), Pro Populo & Kathleen Blanco RIP (Sr. M. Tarcisius)

### But what does it mean to surrender oneself?

*Blessed Thérèse Couderc (1 February 1805 – 26 September 1885)*

I understand the full extent of the expression to surrender oneself, but I cannot explain it. I only know that it is very vast, that it embraces both the present and the future.

To surrender oneself is more than to devote oneself, more than to give oneself, it is even something more than to abandon oneself to God. In a word, to surrender oneself is to die to everything and to self, to be no longer concerned with self except to keep it continually turned toward God.

To surrender oneself is, moreover, no longer to seek oneself in anything, either for the spiritual or the physical, that is to say, no longer to seek one's own satisfaction, but solely the divine good pleasure.

It should be added that to surrender oneself is also to follow that spirit of detachment which clings to nothing, neither to persons nor to things, neither to time nor to place. It means to adhere to everything, to accept everything, to submit to everything.

But perhaps you will think that this is very difficult to do. Do not let yourself be deceived. There is nothing so easy to do, nothing so sweet to put into practice. The whole thing consists in making a generous act once and for all, saying with all the sincerity of your soul: "My God, I wish to be entirely thine; deign to accept my offering." And all is said. But from then on, you must take care to keep yourself in this disposition of soul and not to shrink from any of the little sacrifices which can help you advance in virtue. You must always remember that you have surrendered yourself.

I pray to our Lord to give an understanding of this word to all souls desirous of pleasing him and to inspire them to take advantage of so easy a means of sanctification. Oh! If people could just understand ahead of time the sweetness and peace that are savored when nothing is held back from the good God! How he communicates himself to the one who seeks him sincerely and has known how to surrender herself. Let them experience it and they will see that here is found the true happiness they are vainly seeking elsewhere.

The surrendered soul has found paradise on earth, since she enjoys that sweet peace which is part of the happiness of the elect.