



SAINT ANNE AND ASSUMPTION PARISHES
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHAPEL
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February 20 & 21, 2010
 First Sunday of Lent

The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart.

Romans 10:8

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE \ ACCOUNTABILITY REPORT
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS and MAJOR REPAIRS
Period Covered: July 1 - December 31, 2009

	Assumption	St. Anne	Immaculate Conception
* Total			
Savings			
6/30/2009	\$ 189,415.51	\$ 497,091.84	\$ 23,211.82
Deposits	\$ 18,846.37	\$ 20,199.10	\$ 1,812.62
Withdrawals	\$ 47,337.23	\$ 50,148.11	\$ 6,373.25
12/31/2009	\$ 160,924.65	\$ 467,142.83	\$ 18,651.19

*Does not include mausoleum or cemetery Trust Funds

Withdrawals from the savings of Assumption Church were for the purposes of painting the interior of the church building (\$26,300), grass cutting in the cemetery (\$3,840), providing a sidewalk and steps to the second mausoleum (\$ 2,197.23) and the first draw for the exterior work on the church (\$ 15,000).

Withdrawals from St. Anne savings were used to replace the main parts of two air conditioner units in the church building (\$14,382.86), new gutter work on the front of the church (\$2,870) replacement of cracked concrete in our walkways and driveways (\$3,075.25), and grass cutting in the cemetery (\$3,520). In addition, upon the unanimous recommendation of the Parish Finance Council, St. Anne contributed \$ 26,300 toward the interior painting of Assumption Church.

Withdrawals from Immaculate Conception Chapel savings were used to replace the awnings over the three doors of the church and some siding that had blown off in Hurricane Gustav (\$3,763.25) and grass cutting in the cemetery (\$2,610).

Please call Fr. Joel (985-369-6656) with any questions concerning this report.

<p>Pastor Fr. J. Joel LaBauve</p> <p>Secretary/Office Manager Cheryl Arboneaux</p> <p>Bookkeeper Carol Guillot</p> <p>Director of Religious Education Kathy Landry</p> <p>Music Director Brenda Landry</p>	<p>Maintenance Mr. Elvin Ponvelle Jimmy Clement</p> <p>Reconciliation St. Anne/Saturdays at 3:00pm</p> <p>Daily Masses Monday NO MASS Tuesday 5:00pm St. Anne Wednesday 12:10pm St. Anne Thursday 5:00pm St. Anne Friday 7:00am St. Anne</p>	<p>Weddings <i>There is a required 6 month process of preparation. Wedding dates are tentative until first meeting with priest.</i></p> <p>Funerals <i>Please contact church office for help with arrangements. Visitation in church only on day of funeral.</i></p>	<p>Baptisms <i>Contact office for the dates and times of baptism seminars and baptisms.</i></p> <p>Emergencies <i>Call 369-6656 and follow directions given on voice mail message.</i></p>
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Dear fellow parishioners of St. Anne and Assumption parishes,

The parish council and finance council of St. Anne and Assumption parishes met on February 10, 2010 in joint session with the pastor. At that meeting, detailed financial reports for the first half of the fiscal year were presented and discussed. The essence of these reports has recently also been presented to the congregations through the parish bulletin.

Reports on progress of work on the exterior of Assumption Church and painting of the exterior of the rectory in Napoleonville were also presented. Both are proceeding well.

A proposal for needed repair work on the mausoleums in Napoleonville was presented and discussed. Since the work involved concerned replacement of some defective parts in three of the phases, the members wished to have an enhanced proposal for replacement of all defective parts in all six phases. Also, there is a need for cleaning and painting of concrete portions of the mausoleums and the councils desired a proposal for that to be included. Fr. Joel will seek an enhanced proposal based on these comments and return with a recommendation at the next meeting.

The parish council and pastor decided to invite Cross International to give a presentation at all weekend Masses on a date to be determined in conjunction with the group. The purpose of this Catholic outreach organization is to raise consciousness of social justice principles among our people through concrete acts of outreach to the poorest of the poor in our world. No second collection will be taken up. A brochure will be provided detailing the Cross International mission and how people can help in that mission. We will follow up on that visit with a presentation the following month by a representative of Catholic Charities in our own diocese concerning local needs and programs for the poor and how we can help. I will give you more information on this as it becomes available.

Both councils entered a brainstorming session for revealing needs to be prioritized and addressed in the future, including: 1) renovations to interior of the rectory in Napoleonville, 2) creation of one or more

parking lots at St. Anne Church, especially to facilitate parking for those who need to be near the church, and 3) concreting parking areas at Assumption Church to avoid people getting muddy and stuck when parking there. We will address the issues as possible in the future.

Thanks to the parish council and finance council members for their valuable input.

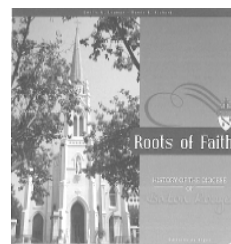
Best wishes!
Fr. Joel

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	1 Pt 5:1-4; Mt 16:13-19
Tuesday:	Is 55:10-11; Mt 6:7-15
Wednesday:	Jon 3:1-10; Lk 11:29-32
Thursday:	Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25; Mt 7:7-12
Friday:	Ez 18:21-28; Mt 5:20-26
Saturday:	Dt 26:16-19; Mt 5:43-48
Sunday:	Gn 15:5-12, 17-18; Ps 27; Phil 3:17 - 4:1 [3:20 - 4:1]; Lk 9:28b-36

Mass Intentions & Sanctuary Lights are still available.
Please contact the church office (369-6656) or come by the office for Mass Intentions & Sanctuary Lights for St. Anne & Assumption Churches.

The rosary and the Way of the Cross will be prayed every morning of Lent at 8:30am at St. Anne Church.



ROOTS OF FAITH
A History of
the Diocese of Baton Rouge
Please come by the church office to purchase.

Jesus was led into the desert for forty days of prayer and fasting by the Holy Spirit. Are you being led by the Holy Spirit into the life-commitment God has prepared for you? If God is calling you, please call or email Father Matt Lorrain at 1-225-336-8778, mlorrain@diobr.org, or visit, www.diobr.org/vocations.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

February 22, 2010: Religious Education Classes resume
4:30pm K through 5th
5:45pm 6th through 8th

February 22, 2010: Confirmation Class
7:00pm until 8:15pm
Youth House

March 7, 2010: Rite of Enrollment
8:00am Mass St. Anne
Sponsor/Candidate Meeting
9:00am until 11:00am

March 16 & 17, 2010: Confirmation Interviews
6:00pm until 8:00pm
Landsmann Center

March 21, 2010: Confirmation Retreat
2:00pm until 8:00pm
Youth House

St. Philomena Church St. Vincent de Paul Store 108 Brule Road Labadieville

The store is open every Wednesday from 1:00pm until 4:00pm and also the first Saturday of each month from 9:00am until Noon.

The store offers everything from clothes to house wares.
Please feel free to come by and shop!

The Light is on for YOU! Celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation

Today we must learn once more how to acknowledge guilt, we must shake off the illusion of being innocent. We must learn how to do penance, to let ourselves be transformed; to reach out to the other and to let God give us the courage and strength for this renewal. Today, in this world of ours, we need to rediscover the Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation. The fact that it has largely disappeared from the daily life and habits of Christians is a symptom of a loss of truthfulness with regard both to ourselves and to God; a loss that endangers our humanity and diminishes our capacity for peace.

Pope Benedict XVI
December 21, 2009
Christmas Address to the Roman Curia



February 2010

*Dolese Simoneaux
Charles Templett*



Baptisms & Seminars

The next baptism seminar will be **Tuesday, April 6, 2010** at 7:00 p.m. in the Landsmann Center.

Parents are to contact Mrs. Kathy Landry prior to the Baptismal Seminar at 369-2130.

Any questions regarding seminar, please call Mrs. Kathy Landry. Please call the church office to schedule baptism. Unless otherwise noted, baptisms always take place on the *third Sunday of the month* after the 9:30am Mass at Assumption Church.

Ascension Catholic Registration Information for the 2010-2011 School Year

Registration for new families interested in Ascension Catholic is March 1-5, 2010. You must call the high school office at (225)473-9227 to set up an appointment for your high school student; and (225)473-8540 to set up an appointment for your elementary student. This needs to be done prior to registration. You also need to get a Pastor Verification Form signed from your pastor. Please call as soon as possible.

Registration packets for present families will go out the week of February 8, 2010. Registration dates are February 17-26, 2010.

Edward Douglas White Catholic High School will be holding its registration for the 2010-2011 school year from Monday, February 8, through Friday, February 26, 2010.

For more information or to obtain a registration packet, contact Mrs. Michelle Chiasson, Admissions Director, at (985)446-8486, ext. 103, or michiasson@htdiocese.org.

St. Elizabeth School in Paincourtville would like to announce the dates of *New Family Registration* for the 2010-2011 school year.

**St. Elizabeth School
Grades PreK-8th
February 22-26, 2010**

Please call the school at (985)369-7402 or come by for more information.



THE SANCTUARY CANDLE...
burns this week in memory of:



Assumption Church
 Clarence Landry

St. Anne Church
 Howard & Evelyn LaBauve, Sr.

Mass Intentions

Sat., Feb. 20	4:00pm	Camille "Skinny" Marquette Norman Boudreaux Elma Cavalier
Sun., Feb. 21	8:00am 9:30am	"For the People" Adam J. Mabile
Mon., Feb. 22		NO MASS
Tues., Feb. 23	5:00pm	Irene Alleman
Wed., Feb. 24	12:10pm	Ralph & Annie Simoneaux
Thurs., Feb. 25	4:00pm	Mr. & Mrs. Lucien Chauvin & Family
Fri., Feb. 26	7:00am	Sam Giambrone
Sat., Feb. 27	4:00pm	Augustine Cabellero Family Edward Barbier Dolese Simoneaux
Sun., Feb. 28	8:00am 9:30am	"For the People" Mr. & Mrs. Camille Diaz

For our Soldiers

O Prince of peace, we humbly ask your protection for all our men and women in military service. Give them unflinching courage to defend with honor, dignity and devotion, the rights of all who are imperiled by injustice and evil. Be their rock, their shield, and their stronghold and let them draw their strength from you. For you are God, for ever and ever. Amen.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

February 13 & 14, 2010

St. Anne	\$
M&R	\$
Assumption	\$
M&R	\$
TOTAL:	\$

Totals Unavailable at time of printing.

Thank you for your generosity & support!

The envelope for the **Black & Indian Mission** will be taken up the weekend of February 27 & 28, 2010.

