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Celebration Of Mass:
Saturday: 6:30 AM & 4:00 PM Vigil
Sunday: 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM,
11:30 AM and 6:00 PM
Weekday: 6:30 AM and 5:30 PM
Sacrament Of Baptism:
Every Sunday of the month
following 11:30 AM Mass. Baptis-
mal Seminar Meeting the last
Thursday of the month at 7:00 PM
in the Life Center. Please call the
office for arrangements.
Sacrament Of Matrimony:
Arrangements should be made at
least six months before the
wedding.

Sacrament Of Penance:
Saturdays one hour before Mass.
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8:00 AM - 4:30 PM
Fri - 8:00 AM - 3:30 PM
Closed from 12:00 noon - 1:00 PM
School Office: 446-1346
St. Joseph: Mr. Gerard Rodrigue, Jr.,
Principal

**Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 22, 2017**

“Repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar,
and to God what belongs to God.”

— *Matthew 22:21*

2018-2019 OPEN HOUSE
E.D. White Catholic High School
Wednesday, October 25th 6:30 PM

Application Packets will be distributed at
Open House.

Call Alisha Bergeron at 985-446-8486 ext. 116 or
Email: abergeron@htdiocese.org for more
information.

LIVING AS MISSIONARY DISCIPLES (*cont.*)

Knowledge and Skills for the Formation of Missionary Disciples

As an essential companion to the *General Directory for Catechesis*, the *National Directory for Catechesis* continues to serve as the reference point for all aspects of catechetical instruction in the United States including content, pedagogy, and methodology and builds on the themes of the relationship of catechesis to evangelization and worship within the overall process of discipleship.

The *National Directory for Catechesis* outlines important considerations to be aware of, in order that catechesis be evangelizing and fruitful within the process of missionary discipleship.

These considerations include:

- Tending the soil in which the seeds of God’s Word are to be planted, including being attentive to the disposition of the souls, preparing catechists, identifying key resources, and cultivating the richness of the environment of the faith community
- Following the divine pedagogy and employing sound human methodologies
- Using faithful communication for telling the Church’s story
- Giving personal witness and testimony to God’s unfailing mercy and love in the catechist’s life and ministry
- Taking the Good News to the periphery and the margins

The Rich Harvest of Missionary Discipleship

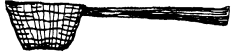
A Christian life lived with faith and charity is the most effective form of evangelization and in itself serves as a powerful catechesis. Personal testimony and witness to God’s unfailing mercy in the catechist’s life and ministry holds the power to be transformative in the lives of others. Catechists, who are dedicated disciples of Jesus Christ, provide a powerful and compelling witness to the Gospel as missionary disciples.

It is within families, neighborhoods, communities, and classrooms that catechists encounter those who are not practicing their faith, those who have grown lukewarm in faith, or who do not understand the teachings of Jesus and his Church. For catechists, going out to the margins or the periphery may sometimes mean bringing the light of the Gospel to those they interact with regularly but who are distant from Christ and his Church. As missionary disciples, we are called to cast a wide net so that we can continually invite all those whom we come into contact with into friendship with Christ.

... The work of missionary discipleship for all engaged in the ministry of catechesis is one that is ripe with possibility as Jesus reminds us, “I tell you, open your eyes and look at the fields! They are ripe for harvest” (Jn 4:35).

Weekly Offering

October 7th/8th 2017



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faith.

Please remember **Dale Albert, Jr.** who passed on into the Kingdom of our Father recently. Please pray also that his family may find comfort and consolation through their



Frances Crochet & Louis Andolsek, III (3)

TRUNKS-N-TREATS

Family Halloween Gathering

SATURDAY, OCT. 28TH

6-8PM

**Pumpkin Carving Contest
Carnival Games & Costume
Contest for Children 0-12yrs.**

CANDY GIVERS NEEDED
Decorate your trunk/
space.

FUN FOR ALL AGES!!!

**BLESSING OF
ST. JOSEPH CEMETERY**
Sunday, October 29th
3:00 PM

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY Page 3

2nd Collection

October 21st/22nd

Today is World Mission Sunday- a day that lead us to the heart of our Christian faith-leads us to mission! Your generosity on World Mission Sunday supports the work of priests, religious and lay leaders in Missions who share our faith with those most in need. This year we can even “chat” with our chief missionary, Pope Francis, and learn more about his missions and missionaries. Learn more at ChatWithThePope.org
Chat-Pray-Give this World Mission Sunday.

Crossroads Pregnancy Resource Center

invites you to Celebrate Life at our
13th Annual

Celebrate Life Gala

Wednesday, October 25th
6:00—9:00 PM

The Wellness Center of Thibodaux Regional
Thibodaux, La

Silent Auction, Music, Drinks & Hor d’ouvres
Business/ Cocktail Attire

All Gala proceeds will benefit our non-profit Christian ministry which promotes the sanctity of life by providing caring services to pregnant women in crisis within the community.

Call 446-5004 to purchase tickets.
NO tickets will be sold at the door.



Altar Flowers

Week of October 22nd

Madeline Rogers Brouillette

By: Denise Collins & Family

Frassati

Monday, October 23rd

7:00 PM/ \$5

The Patio Houma, La

Young adults 21-40 years old

Fr. Andre’ will talk on
“Where Freedom Begins”