



The Call

To Religious Vocations

June, 2019

SERRA OF BEAUMONT CHARTERED 1949

Pope Francis' Monthly Prayer Intentions

The Mode of Life of Priests

That priests, through the modesty and humility of their lives, commit themselves actively to a solidarity with those who are most poor.

VOCATION CORNER

CATHOLIC STUDENT CENTER FALL & SPRING Semester MASS SCHEDULE

SUNDAY ... 6:00 P.M.

Tues-Friday ... 11:30 A.M. (Tues. mass followed by Lunch Bunch)

Rosary @ 9AM, Monday, during school sessions

Rev. Tino Barrera

Vocation Director & Campus Minister

Diocese of Beaumont

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ext. 4361 Rev. Tino

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CSC Hours

Mon.– Thurs 8:30 a.m.- 5:30 p.m.

Friday 8:30a.m. -4:00 p.m.

Serra Business Meeting
5:30 p.m., Wednesday, May 1, 2019
St. Jude Family Life Center

Present: John Begnaud, Dennis Weyant, Pat Harrigan, Fr. Polycarp, Richard James, Sara Tenini, and Natalie Roberts

The meeting opened after the Prayer for the Perseverance of Vocations.

Treasurer:

April Beginning Balance - \$16,032.85
Income
 Thursday Meeting Meals (April)- \$54.00
Expenses
 Thursday Meeting Meals (March and April) - \$112.34
 Vocations Posters - \$293.40
 Vocation Ministry (CSC) -\$189.90
 Total - \$595.64

Programs:

Calendar / Topics

May 12 – World Day of Prayer for Vocations.
 Pat asked that a reminder be sent to the membership to remember to say a prayer for vocations on that Sunday.
 A bulletin insert was sent to the diocese to request placement in each church bulletin.

May 16 – Prospective Members to attend Serra Membership Meeting

June 20- The Holy Spirit in My Life novena booklets

June 22 – 30 – Novena to Saint Serra

June 28 – World Day of Prayer for Sanctification of Priests

July 1 – Feast of Junipero Serra

July 18 – Liturgical Season: Ordinary Time

August 15 – Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary / The Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary

September 19 – Life as a Vocation

October 27 – Priesthood Sunday

Date for Annual Fund Raiser to be determined

November 3 – 9 National Vocations Awareness Week

November 21 – Liturgical Season: Advent

December – Date for Christmas Party to be Determined

Membership:

The board reviewed names of 21 new member suggestions. Richard will send an email inviting them to the May 16 meeting. Pat knows of two individuals he would like to invite. He will give their names and phone numbers to Richard, who will call them. There was discussion on having the meeting in the Parish Hall instead of Holub Hall, if it is available. John will follow up on booking the Parish Hall. Richard is working on the presentation.

Communications:

36 Cards are going out this month: 15 Birthday Cards and 21 Anniversary Cards
 30 Years:
 Fr. Joseph Kattakkara
 Fr. Delphyn Meeks
 55 Years:
 Fr. Peter Funk of the Holy Family Center

Sara thanked Vic for providing the Religious lists and labels for the Communications.

Vocations:

Gene was not present but sent a spreadsheet with every church that participated in the poster and essay contest and dates for award presentations. The Board discussed the dates for presentations.

Gene will discuss the Seminarian Adoption Program with Fr. Tino. John suggested setting up a meeting with Fr. Tino at St. Jude. He will discuss this with Gene.

The Board discussed the Seminarian Burse and how much funds have been donated.

Bob Kocot will talk to the Knights about scheduling a Fish Fry.

President's Report

New Officer Elections

There have not been any volunteers. There are no changes to the board other than Kitty may take over vocations. The District set up an induction in Houston on May 25. John will check on whether an induction can take place in Beaumont as there is only one new officer.

Donation

Last year Serra gave St. Jude a donation of \$200 for printing materials for the club. John proposed making another donation this year.

MISC:

Website – This year is our **70th Club Anniversary** in October. Vic sent a message to Bill Gier regarding the website.

“Protecting God’s Children” Training Session is mandatory for all Serra Members with recertification every five years. A session will be held at St. Jude Culotta Hall on May 29th from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Call 866-9595 ext 2 by May 24 to reserve a spot.

There is also an online training session available.

The meeting adjourned at 6:10 p.m. after the Serran Prayer for Vocations.

Siempre Adalante, Always Forward, Never Back

Please pray for them, support them, and celebrate with them.

Our Religious' June Birthdays

Rev. Angelo Scolozzi June 3
P.O. Box 7215
Beaumont, TX 77726-7215

Rev. Donatus Chris Mgbajuo, MSP June 7
St. Therese Church
1409 N. 6th Street
Orange, TX 77630-3927

Rev. Andy Vu SVD June 10
Immaculate Conception Church
411 Milam Street
Liberty, TX 77575-4730

Rev. Joseph Kattakkara, C.M.I. June 14
St. Anthony Cathedral
P. O. Box 3309
Beaumont, TX 77704

Rev. Jim McClintock June 14
St. Mary Church
9894 Gilbert Road
Beaumont, TX 77705-8878

Rev. David Placette June 22
4841 80th Street
Port Arthur, TX 77642

V. Rev. Ronald Foshage, M.S. June 23
St. Michael Church
P. O. Box 239
Jasper, TX 75951-0239

Deacon John Jannise June 26
2059 Orange Acres
Groves, TX 77619

Deacon Clay Kuykendall June 3
434 Pinemont Drive
Sour Lake, TX 77659

Seminarian Thomas Vu June 11
St. Mary's
9845 Memorial Dr.
Houston, TX 77024

Sr. Maxima Cedeno CMST June 6
2207 South Main
Anahuac, TX 77514

Sr. Misty Garriga, CDP June 15
Diocese of Beaumont
P. O. Box 3948
Beaumont, TX 77704

Our Religious' June Ordination / Profession Anniversaries

Rev. William Manger June 2
St. Anne Church
P. O. Box 3429
Beaumont, TX 77704-3429

Rev. Phillip Tran, CRM June 7
Queen of Vietnam Church
801 9th St.
Port Arthur, TX 77642-3329

Rev. Clement Iglesias June 8
Covarrubias 8, 7-H
09002 Burgos SPAIN

Rev. Peter Dinh, CRM June 8
Queen of Vietnam Church
801 9th St.
Port Arthur, TX 77642-3329

Rev. David Edwards June 8
St. James Church
3617 Gulfway Dr.
Port Arthur, TX 77642-3675

Rev. Duc Duong June 10
Infant Jesus Church
PO Box 8180
Lumberton, TX 77657-0180

Rev. Constantino Barrera June 10
c/o St. Jude Thaddeus Church
6825 Gladys
Beaumont, TX 77706-3239

Rev. John Hughes June 11
St. Charles Borromeo Church
130 Hardy Ave.
Nederland, TX 77627

Rev. Polycarp Otieno, FMH June 13,
St. Jude Thaddeus Church
6835 Gladys
Beaumont, TX 77706

Rev. Luis Urriza, O.S.A. June 18
Cristo Rey Church
767 Avenue A
Beaumont, TX 77701-4103

Rev. Paul Ofoha, M.S.P. June 18
Blessed Sacrament Church
780 Porter St.
Beaumont, TX 77701-7121

Rev. Jeremiah McGrath June 21
St. Anthony Cathedral
P. O. Box 3309
Beaumont, TX 77704-3309

Rev. Neil Arce June 25
231 Monestery Road
Pine City, NY 14871-9787

Rev. Michael Strother June 25
St. Helen Church
8105 FM 1442
Orange, TX 77630

Rev. Shane Baxter June 28
St. Elizabeth Church
2006 Nall St
Port Neches, Tx 77651

Rev. Eathan Oakes June 28
St. Charles Borromeo Church
130 Hardy Ave.
Nederland, TX 77627

Rev. Anthony Afangide, MSP June 30
Sacred Heart-St. Mary Parish
920 Booker T. Washington Ave.
Port Arthur, TX 77640-4923

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**Our Religious' May Ordination / Profession
Anniversaries Continued**

Rev. J. Khanh Ho Holy Trinity Church PO Box 290 Mont Belvieu, TX 77580-0290	June 30
Deacon Clint Elkins 4565 Ford Beaumont, TX 77706	June 2
Deacon Mirley Esprit 5660 Moonglow Drive Beaumont, TX 77713	June 2
Deacon Anthony Goudeau 11385 Fairfield Beaumont, TX 77713	June 2
Deacon John Jannise 2059 Orange Acres Groves, TX 77619	June 2
Deacon L.D. Keen 6154 Westchase Loop Lumberton, TX 77657	June 2
Deacon Gary LeBlanc 439 White Oak Lumberton, TX 77657	June 2
Deacon Ivan Watson 6910 Nottoway Ln. Lumberton, TX 77657	June 2
Deacon George Wood, III 1600 East Drive Beaumont, TX 77706	June 2
Deacon Dallas Broussard 2901 Helena Ave. #615 Nederland, TX 77627	June 13
Deacon Rudy Cockburn 200 W. Miles Corrigan, TX 75939	June 13
Deacon Harvey Dubois 3309 Pheasant Orange, TX 77630-2041	June 13
Deacon David Luther 172 Dale Street Jasper, TX 75951	June 13
Deacon Melvin Payne 2405 Golden Oak Dr. Orange, TX 77632	June 13
Deacon Julian Richard 2013 W. Lincoln Orange, TX 77630-2323	June 13
Deacon Joesph Scheurich 310 Summerwood St. Beaumont TX 77706-2706	June 13
Deacon Wilber Wycliff 11744 Seaton Road Port Allen, LA 70767	June 17
Deacon Hazen Kenney 6335 Chasse Gardens Orange, TX 77632-1713	June 18

President's Comments

Our current year is ending and we're about to begin a new year in July. Thanks to all who have dedicated their time and supported the Serra Ministry. Our efforts continue and thanks to you have grown. The door remains open to expand our impact on vocations even further. We have a great opportunity to engage our new members. The Lord has asked us to bear abundant, lasting fruit. The Serra Ministry is a wonderful opportunity to bear fruit. Let's continue to spread the word of vocations.

**Serra Club of Beaumont
Officers and Board
2018-19**

John Begnaud	President
Ailene Luistro	President-Elect
Natalie Roberts	Secretary
Dennis Weyant	Treasurer
Richard James	VP. Membership
Pat Harrigan	VP. Programs
Gene Landry	VP. Vocations
Sara Tenini	VP. Communications

Trustees

Carolyn Fernandez
Vic Soares

Other Non-Board Positions

Rev. Polycarp Otieno	Chaplain
Victor Soares	Newsletter Editor
Candice Tyrrell	District Governor
James Fennell	Serra Fndn. Rep

Interested in joining Serra, please contact VP Membership at (409-466-3965)

Communications / PR Committee:

Sara Tenini	VP Communications
Sandra Wagner	ETC Communications
Victor Soares	Newsletter Editor

Newsletter Committee:

Victor Soares
Broussard's Family of Funeral Directors

Please provide Newsletter information to Victor Soares, 866-8652 or by email; vssoares921@gt.rr.com no later than the Monday, a week before the Business mtg..



A MASS AND DAILY PRAYERS WILL BE OFFERED FOR THE FOLLOWING PERSON(S)

Name: _____

_____ living _____ deceased

_____ recovery _____ memorial _____ special

REQUESTED

BY _____

REVEREND TINO BARRERA

Please cut out & enclose Mass information with your offering. Mail to Fr. Barrera.

Father Barrera has graciously agreed to include prayer requests in one of their daily masses. If you so wish, you can cut out and mail the adjacent "prayer request" to the selected priest. The address is listed below:

Rev. Tino Barrera
Diocese of Beaumont
P. O. Box 3948
Beaumont, TX 77704-3948

**REQUIRED ATTENDANCE
FOR SERRANS :**

The Board has decided to make it mandatory for all members to attend and be certified as having completed the training below.

Protecting God's Children Sessions:

CHECK SCHEDULE at www.dioceseofbmt.org/organizations/ awareness training. Alternately, an electronic training session is also available at that website. **You need to renew every 5 years.**

Please schedule at earliest convenience as your participation in projects will require certification of completion. (CPC = Catholic Pastoral Center at the Chancery.)

Pres. Begnaud wants each member to provide a copy of their certificate of attendance to this program as soon as possible. As a member of Serra you will be asked to participate with Rev. Barerra and parish programs involving children. **Please submit your certificate copy to club secretary.**

Prayers for Restored Health for:

All priests, deacons and religious who are without good health and need our prayerful support, and for their family members who are ill or have passed. May God restore the health of all Serra family members. May he daily fill our spirit with the joy of his peace and presence.

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EXTENDED CALENDAR			
Date	Event	Location	Miscellaneous
6/5/19	Business Meeting	St. Jude, FLC, M1	5:30 pm
6/7/19	1 st Friday Mass, 6:27 am	St. Anne's	
6/20/19	General Meeting	St. Anne's Holub Hall	Mass at 5:15pm
6/28/19	World Day of Prayer for Sanctification of Priests		
7/1/19	1 st Friday Mass, 6:27 am	St. Anne's	
7/3/19	Business Meeting	St. Jude, FLC, M1	5:30 pm
7/18/19	General Meeting	St. Anne's Holub Hall	Mass at 5:15pm
8/2/19	1 st Friday Mass, 6:27 am	St. Anne's	
8/7/19	Business Meeting	St. Jude, FLC, M1	5:30 pm
8/15/19	General Meeting	St. Anne's Holub Hall	Mass at 5:15pm
9/4/19	Business Meeting	St. Jude, FLC, M1	5:30 pm
9/6/19	1 st Friday Mass, 6:27 am	St. Anne's	
9/19/19	General Meeting	St. Anne's Holub Hall	Mass at 5:15pm
10/2/19	Business Meeting	St. Jude, FLC, M1	5:30 pm
10/4/19	1 st Friday Mass, 6:27 am	St. Anne's	
10/17/19	General Meeting	St. Anne's Holub Hall	Mass at 5:15pm
????	Fall Fund Raiser	Date to be determined	
10/27/19	PRIESTHOOD SUNDAY		
11/1/19	1 st Friday Mass, 6:27 am	St. Anne's	
11/6/19	Business Meeting	St. Jude, FLC, M1	5:30 pm
11/3-9/19	National Vocations Awareness Week		
11/21/19	General Meeting	St. Anne's Holub Hall	Mass at 5:15pm
12/4/19	Business Meeting	St. Jude, FLC, M1	5:30 pm
12/6/19	1 st Friday Mass, 6:27 am	St. Anne's	
12/19/19	Christmas Party?		
1/3/20	1 st Friday Mass, 6:27 am	St. Anne's	
1/8/20	Business Meeting	St. Jude, FLC, M1	5:30 pm
1/16/20	General Meeting	St. Anne's Holub Hall	Mass at 5:15pm
2/2/20	World Day of Prayer for Consecrated Life		
2/5/20	Business Meeting	St. Jude, FLC, M1	5:30 pm
2/7/20	1 st Friday Mass, 6:27 am	St. Anne's	
2/20/20	General Meeting	St. Anne's Holub Hall	Mass at 5:15pm
3/4/20	Business Meeting	St. Jude, FLC, M1	5:30 pm
3/6/20	1 st Friday Mass, 6:27 am	St. Anne's	
3/19/20	General Meeting	St. Anne's Holub Hall	Mass at 5:15pm
4/1/20	Business Meeting	St. Jude, FLC, M1	5:30 pm
4/3/20	1 st Friday Mass, 6:27 am	St. Anne's	
4/16/20	General Meeting	St. Anne's Holub Hall	Mass at 5:15pm
5/1/20	1 st Friday Mass, 6:27 am	St. Anne's	
5/6/20	Business Meeting	St. Jude, FLC, M1	5:30 pm
5/21/20	General Meeting	St. Anne's Holub Hall	Mass at 5:15pm
6/3/20	Business Meeting	St. Jude, FLC, M1	5:30 pm
6/5/20	1 st Friday Mass, 6:27 am	St. Anne's	
6/18/20	General Meeting	St. Anne's Holub Hall	Mass at 5:15pm
6/??/20	World Day of Prayer for Sanctification of Priests		