

BROTHER MARTIN HIGH SCHOOL



PRAYER BREAKFAST

In memory of Brother Martin Hernandez, S.C.

Metairie Country Club
580 Woodvine Avenue
Metairie, Louisiana

Wednesday, October 7, 2015
7:30 a.m.

Brothers of the Sacred Heart Alumni Association
Brother Martin High School Parents Club

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Welcome - *Mr. Joe Caruso '79*

Pledge of Allegiance - *Dr. Kraig de Lanzac '86*



Call to Prayer and Invocation - *Judge Robert J. Burns, Sr. '62 SA*

First Reading - *Mr. Randy Oddo '62 SA*

Responsorial Psalm - *Mr. Jeff Haro '74*

R. Blessed are they who hope in the Lord.

Blessed the man who follows not
the counsel of the wicked
Nor walks in the way of sinners,
nor sits in the company of the insolent,
But delights in the law of the LORD
and meditates on his law day and night.

R. Blessed are they who hope in the Lord.

He is like a tree
planted near running water,
That yields its fruit in due season,
and whose leaves never fade.
Whatever he does, prospers.

R. Blessed are they who hope in the Lord.

Not so the wicked, not so;
they are like chaff which the wind drives away.
For the LORD watches over the way of the just,
But the way of the wicked vanishes.

R. Blessed are they who hope in the Lord.

Gospel - *Brother Louis Couvillon, S.C.*

Prayers of the Faithful - *Mr. Tim Napier*

Grace before Meal - *Mr. Scott Corrente '83*

BREAKFAST

Introduction of Reflection Speaker

*Dr. Brian Barkemeyer '79
Parents Club President
Alumnus of the Year 2008*

Reflection

Mr. Rod West '86

Prayer to the Sacred Heart

*Mr. Thomas J. Mitchell '79
Assistant to the President for Alumni and Development*

From Brother Martin Hernandez's Final Circular November 8, 1958

My Dear Brothers,

Ametur Cor Jesu! I have always tried to remember the words of our Blessed Lord, "Without Me, you can do nothing." With this in mind, I have tried to work and live in Him, and through Him, and with Him, and for Him.

If you permit me, may I give one final counsel. I am convinced that the Sacred Heart will be pleased with us and will bless us in the proportion in which we practice fraternal charity. We cannot live our Ametur Cor Jesu unless we live lives of constant Christian charity. With this I leave you and say that I am.

*Gratefully yours in Corde Jesu,
Brother Martin Hernandez, S.C.*



PRAYER BREAKFAST COMMITTEE MEMBERS

*Mr. Joe Caruso '79, Chairman
Mr. Jeff Haro '74
Dr. Tony Melito '76
Mr. Tim Napier
Mr. Randy Oddo '62 SA*

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Mr. Rod West '86

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Shortly after Katrina, Paulette Purser created a sketch of "Hands Holding Louisiana" as a favor for a colleague who used it for a church service praying for the victims of the terrible hurricane. Her husband, Marty Hurley, posed his hands for the sketch that was completed quickly in time for the memorial service. The concept took off literally overnight, compelling Paulette to make a more refined drawing that has since been used all over Louisiana. The Diocese of Lafayette has created this Official Prayer Card featuring her drawing on one side and Bishop Maurice Schexnayder's "Prayer For Hurricane Season" on the other, Imprimatur: August 29, 1967.

The Diocese of Lafayette distributes these cards without Paulette's signature. This card is hand-signed by Paulette Purser.