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Six African American holy men and women are currently being considered for scrutiny of Sainthood in the Catholic Church. An effort has been spearheaded through Xavier University's Institute for Black Catholic Studies to pool resources to collectively support their causes. On Saturday, August 17th, Our Lady of the Holy Rosary Catholic Church in St. Amant (Ascension), La. (Diocese of Baton Rouge) was the setting of a public look at their lives. (Photographs by Randall Schexnayder)