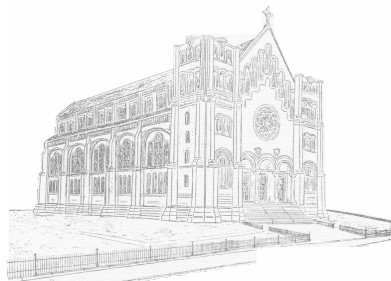


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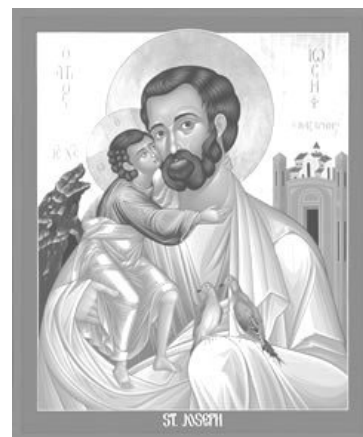
St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church

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MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Masses: 10 a.m. & 8:30 p.m.
Weekday Masses: 12:15 p.m.

CHURCH HOURS

Mondays thru Fridays: 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
One hour before each Sunday Mass

The Rebuild Center 1803 Gravier St., NO, 70112

Lantern Light/Feed Jesus
504-273-5573

Birth Certificate Assist. Mon.
Mail, M-F 9-10 am
ID Assist. Tues. 8am
Lunch—Daily M-F 12:45 pm
Resume Typing: Thurs.

Health, Hygiene Kits,
Emergency groceries
& financial assistance
for area residents

Harry Tompson Center
504-273-5547

Showers, Restroom Facilities
Legal Aid Mon/Wed 8am
Phones; Notary T, W, Th 12:15
Computer Wed. 9:30-11:30
Medical Services, Mental

DePaul USA

504-273-5561
Housing w/ case mgt.
Transportation

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions): Wed. & Fri. 11:50—12:10 ; Sundays 7:45—8:15 p.m.

Baptisms Call the Pastor to make appointment. Parents and Godparents need to attend instruction for sacrament prior to date being established.

Weddings Contact priest at least six months prior to planned wedding date. After contacting priest, contact the wedding director, (x141) to reserve the time and date for your wedding.

Ministry to Sick Please call the church office if your loved one is hospitalized or shut-in and unable to attend Mass for *the Anointing of the Sick* for healing and to receive communion.

New Parishioners Welcome to St. Joseph Church. If you wish to become a member of our parish family, please complete one of the registration forms on the table in the rear of the church. You can turn in the completed form to the receptionist in the church office.



10:00 am Pippy Sanders; Clarence Schlamp+; Dauzat Family; Bizo & Family; Corliss Truehill
8:30 pm St. Joseph Parishioners, Living & Deceased

Monday, January 13, 2020—St. Hilary
 12:15 p.m. **Ainsley D’ Alfonso**
 Tuesday, January 14, 2020—
 12:15 p.m. **Lorraine Rodriguez +**
 Wednesday, January 15, 2020—
 12:15 p.m. **Brad D’ Alfonso**
 Thursday, January 16, 2020—
 12:15 p.m. **Austin D’ Alfonso**
 Friday, January 17, 2020—St. Anthony, Abbot
 12:15 p.m. **Winston Falgout +**

READINGS FOR THE WEEK
Sunday, Jan 12, One in Faith #975
 Monday: Heb 1:1-6; Mk 1:14-20
 Tuesday: Heb 2:5-12; Mk 1:21-28
 Wednesday: Heb 2:14-18; Mk 1:29-39
 Thursday: Heb 3:7-14; Mk 1:40-45
 Friday: Heb 4:1-5, 11; Mk 2:1-12
 Saturday: Heb 4:12-16; Mk 2:13-17
 Sunday: Is 49:3, 5-6; Ps 40;
 1 Cor 1:1-3; Jn 1:29-34

YOUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR THE FOLLOWING PARISHIONERS , WHO ARE IN NEED OF HEALING:

Dorothy Alexander, Beatrice Augustin, Anthony Blaise, Clarke Bordelo, Lawrence & Mamie Brown, Angelle Campbell; John Caron, Julianna Chevalier; John & Kathleen Gebbia, Sylvia Daily-Powell, Joseph Delay, Terry Eggleston, Linda Elwood, Heather Faircloth, Frances Fiegler, Darrell & Ramona Ford, Donald Frazier, Mark Eiserloh, Shirley Gaither, Roselyn Hansen, Sarah Hollier-Watkins, Marvin Johnston, Jim Karam, Bill Kroetz, Ken Kussman, Nowell Lacking, Landy Lanza, James Leung, Andrew Marino, Sara Marino, Priscilla Martin, Karen McCoy, Hazel McMiller, Donna Moore, Maura O’Donovan, CHF, Tina Roderfeld, Bernie Saul; Pippy Sanders, Louise Sonnier, Mel & Gaspar Schiro; Theard Simms, Fr. Tom Stehlik, CM, Malcolm Taylor, Jane Tonglet, Fritz & George Tripkovich, Corliss Truhill; Georgiana Prevost, Marion Vaughn, Juanita Ware, Cathleen Ward, Warren Webster, Helen Wilson, Mary Willis, Lynn Williams, C & JA Slocum.

SANCTUARY CANDLE AND MASS INTENTIONS

The Sanctuary Candle is burning this week to pray for the eternal rest of **Marcelle Hardy**. To reserve a date to burn the Sanctuary Candle in memory of someone or for a special intention, please call the church office (522-3186). The Sanctuary Candle offering is \$15 for one week. The offering for Mass intentions is \$5.00 per Mass.

The Sign of the Cross

At the beginning of our prayer, we make the sign of the cross together. This sign, simple and powerful, has many levels. We trace the sign of the cross over our bodies, reminding ourselves that the cross of Christ has become our source of resurrection, life, and grace. With this sign, we also profess our faith in the Trinity: for we do not say “in the *names*,” but “in the *name* of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit”—three persons, one God.

The sign of the cross is also a baptismal reminder, for every sign of the cross echoes the words spoken over us at our baptism, which marked our entry into the saving mystery of Christ. This many-layered sign is also our primary sign of blessing: the cross is traced over people, places, and things upon which we ask God to impart divine benediction.

In blessing ourselves with the sign of the cross at the beginning of Mass or prayer, we acknowledge the mystery that has gathered us together: that Christ, the crucified and risen One, is living, and that we are members of his Body. Our response, our Amen, is our *yes* to all this, our first profession of faith.

This is my Beloved Son, listen to Him.

Mark 9:7

PARISH CALENDAR

23 Jan. **Thursday** RCIA 6:30 pm, meet in the Chapel
14 Jan. **Tuesday** Memorial Service for Homeless 5:30 pm
12 /26 Jan. **Sunday** Children's Liturgy (10 am & 8:30 pm)

TREASURE & STEWARDSHIP

Sunday, January. 5\$ 4,721.00
Capital Campaign.....\$2,372.00
Thank you for your generosity!

Regium Prayer Service for those who died on the Streets of New Orleans in 2019 at the Memorial Service of our homeless brothers and sisters who died in 2019, here at St. Joseph Church on Tuesday, January 14, 2020.

Day of Prayer: Falling in Love with Prayer On January , 2020 Fr. Ken of St. Rita of Casia, Harahan will present this day of prayer for men and women from 9 am to 2:30 pm at the Archdiocesan Retreat Center. Day focuses on how to invite the Lord into our lives through prayer. Lunch and refreshments are included. Cost: \$ 40.



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Isaiah speaks of the servant whom the Lord upholds; he shall bring forth justice to the nations (Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7).

Psalm — The Lord will bless his people with peace (Psalm 29).

Second Reading — Jesus was anointed by God with the Holy Spirit; he went out healing and doing good (Acts 10:34-38).

Gospel — A voice comes from heaven proclaiming Jesus as the beloved Son, with whom God is well pleased (Mt. 3:13-17).

THIS IS MY BELOVED SON

This Sunday's celebration of the Baptism of the Lord closes the Christmas season. In the scriptures we see one more epiphany, or manifestation, of the Spirit of God in Jesus—but this time it is as an adult, rather than as a child. Jesus' baptism also serves as the inauguration of his prophetic mission and the messianic age.

Today's reading from Isaiah describes God's chosen Messiah, upon whom God's spirit rests. In the Acts of the Apostles Peter says that "God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and power" (Acts 10:38). Finally, in the proclamation from Matthew's Gospel Jesus' baptism in water goes almost unnoticed. The crucial moment comes when the Spirit of God comes upon Jesus and a voice from heaven echoes the words of Isaiah: "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased" (Matthew 3:17).

Pope Francis' January Intention

We pray that Christians, followers of other religions, and all people of goodwill may Promote peace and justice in the world.

CONGRATULATIONS to:

Amy and Devin

On the Baptism of *Anniston Keni*

Thanks for supporting the

Women's New Life Center Advent Campaign

CHARTER FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE

In response to the Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People from the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, the Archdiocese of New Orleans continues to make the Hot Line available for anyone who has been hurt or sexually abused by anyone who works for the Church. The Hot Line continues to be available; the number is (504) 522-5019. In continuing our commitment to support and to heal, we invite and encourage individuals who have been hurt or sexually abused recently or in the past by clergy, religious or other employees of the Archdiocese to call our Hot Line and your message will be received confidentially by a mental health professional. Anyone can make a direct call during regular business hours to the Victims' Assistance Coordinator at (504) 861-6253.

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