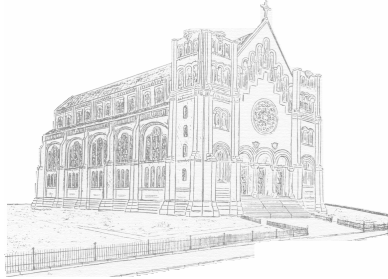


March 28, 2021

St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church

1802 Tulane Ave New Orleans, LA 70112-2246



**A New Orleans Sacred Landmark
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The Rebuild Center 1803 Gravier St., NO, 70112

MASS SCHEDULE

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

CHURCH HOURS

Mondays thru Fridays: 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
One hour before each Sunday Mass

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 Rosalie Blady +; Madeline von Almen +; Joseph Vindel +

8:30 pm St. Joseph Parishioners and Benefactors

Monday, March 29, 2021—Holy Week

12:15 pm **Fr. A. Netikat; S/Purgatory; Sp. Intention**

Tuesday, March 30, 2021—Holy Week

12:15 pm **Diann Reed +**

Wednesday, March 31, 2021—

12:15 pm **Donna Triche; Charmaine Diaz +; S/Purgatory**

Thursday, April 1, 2021—Holy Thursday

6:30 pm **Triduum: The Lord's Supper**

Friday, April 2, 2021—Good Friday

3:00 pm **The Passion of Our Lord, Jesus Christ**

Sunday, Mar 28, One in Faith #994

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 42:1-7; Ps 27:1-14; Jn 12:1-11

Tuesday: Is 49:1-6; Ps 71:1-17; Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

Wednesday: Is 50:4-9a; Ps 69:8--34; Mt 26:14-25

Thur: Ex 12:1-14; Ps 116; 1 Cor 11:23-26; Jn 13:1-15

Friday: Is 52:13 — 53:12; Ps 31; Jn 18:1 — 19:42

Saturday: *Easter Vigil Readings (7)*

Sunday: Acts 10:34, 37-43; Ps 118:1-23

Col 3:1-4; Sequence; Jn. 20:1-9

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

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

The Holiest of Days

The word, "triduum" (TRIH-du-um) comes from the Latin word meaning, "three days." The Triduum celebrates the three days of Christ's passion, death and resurrection, the most sacred time of the liturgical year. It begins at sundown on Holy Thursday, reaches its high point at the Easter Vigil, and concludes with evening prayer at sundown on Easter Sunday. It is also known as the *Sacred Triduum* or *Paschal Triduum*.

Holy Thursday: The Lord's Supper— The Triduum begins, like the Jewish tradition in the evening and includes Jesus' Passover meal with his disciples in which he gave them his body and blood. The celebration commemorates the washing of the feet and ends with silent adoration of Jesus who makes his way through the Kidron Valley to the Garden of Gethsemane where he is betrayed, handed over, and arrested. Our celebration begins this evening at 6:30 pm.

Good Friday: The Passion of the Lord— The celebration continues on the day that Jesus died. The altar and church are stripped, remembering how Jesus was stripped of his dignity and life. There is no Mass which can be celebrated on Good Friday. The Gospel is the Passion Narrative from St. John, recounting how Jesus was "raised up" on the cross to draw all of humanity and creation into himself. The celebration includes the veneration of the cross and prayers for the salvation of the world. Communion reserved from Holy Thursday is received.

Holy Saturday: The Easter Vigil— The three-day celebration culminates at dark on Saturday. The Elect, who have been preparing for the sacraments and full communion are the focus of the new life that Jesus gives. The Mass celebrates Jesus, the light and life of the world who has set us free from sin and death. This is the beginning of the 50 day celebration of the glorious Resurrection of Our Lord which will lead us into Pentecost on May 23rd.

Jesus humbled himself, obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. — *Philippians 2:8*

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Please keep in your prayers:

**Hanna, Jenaphur, José, Judy, Kharie,
Katharine, Kevin, Rachel, Ray, and Steve.**

TREASURE & STEWARDSHIP

**March 21, Parish.....\$ 4,014.00
Seminarians of NO..... 345.00
*Thank you for your generosity***

Lenten Adoration. Every Wednesday during Lent we will have Adoration with Readings and Songs of Praise from 5:30 pm until 6:30 pm. **Year of St. Joseph**— Every Wednesday during the year dedicated to honor St. Joseph, the 12:15 Mass will be followed by the Novena Prayer and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until 1:30 pm. During Adoration, the *Prayer of Consecration to St. Joseph, the Novena Prayer* and the *Litany of St. Joseph* are prayed.

Easter Mass Schedule The Easter **Vigil** is celebrated at dark, Saturday April 3, 2021 at 8 pm.
Easter Sunday Mass will be celebrated at 10 am.
There will be no Mass on Sunday, April 4 at 8:30 pm.



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — In spite of my sufferings I am not disgraced. I am not put to shame (Isaiah 50:4-7).

Psalm — My God, my God, why have you abandoned me? (Psalm 22).

Second Reading — Christ emptied himself, and God filled this emptiness with exaltation (Philippians 2:6-11).

Gospel — The account of Christ's passion according to Mark (Mark 14:1 — 15:47).

HOLY WEEK

For the Palm Sunday Gospel, we return to the Gospel according to Mark. The account of the Passion takes up nearly one-third of Mark's entire Gospel and, of all the evangelists, he is the one who presents the details most graphically. He depicts the humanity of Jesus most intensely, describing his sufferings thoroughly. Mark portrays Jesus as a complete fulfillment of the "Suffering Servant" of Isaiah, the obedient, humble slave dying on a cross of whom Paul speaks in Philippians. But it is important to remember that we call this "Holy Week" and not "sad week" or "suffering week," for each of the readings today, even the lamentations of the psalm, end in the promise of the strength and hope that is granted by God to those who faithfully give of themselves in love. As we enter into this week through these readings, we must reflect deeply on the sufferings of Jesus, but still be confident in the joy of risen, eternal life that awaits all of us who faithfully walk with him through these days.

**Pope Francis' *March Intention*
Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Let us pray that we may experience the sacrament of reconciliation with renewed depth, to taste the infinite mercy of God.

SANCTUARY CANDLE AND MASS INTENTIONS

The Sanctuary Candle is burning this week to pray for the soul of **Bert Wallace**. To reserve the Sanctuary Candle in memory of someone or for a special intention, call the church office (522-3186). The offering is \$15 for one week. The offering for Mass intentions is \$5.00 for a Mass.

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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