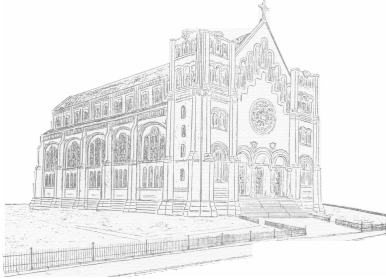
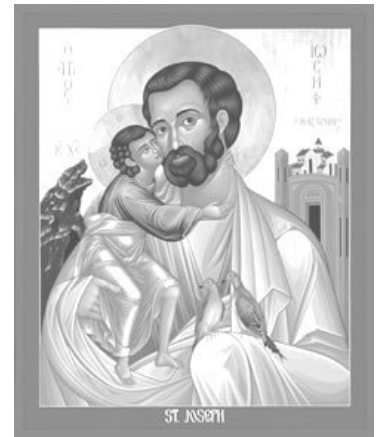


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St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church

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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.
Holy Day Masses: 12:15 p.m.

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.

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

CHURCH OPEN

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

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

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.

The Ascension of the Lord

May 28, 2017



10:00 am *St. Joseph Parishioners and Benefactors*

8:30 pm **David Cochiara (+), Brad D'Alfonso; Ainsley D'Alfonso**

Monday, May 29, 2017—*Memorial Day*

12:15 p.m. **Church Closed**

Tuesday, May 30, 2017—

12:15 p.m. **Mike Starsney (+)**

Wednesday, May 31, 2017—*Visitation of BVM*

12:15 p.m. **Donald Calloway, M.I.C.**

Thursday, June 1, 2017—*St. Justin*

12:15 pm **Frances Feigler; Sp. Intention**

Friday, June 2, 2017—*Sts. Marcellinus & Peter*

12:15 pm **Dolores Joseph (+); Marie Dunn (+)**

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, May 28 **One in Faith # 1023**

Monday: Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-7; Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-21; Jn 17:1-11

Wednesday: Rom 12:9-16; Is 12:2-6; Lk 1:39-56

Thursday: Acts 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-11; Jn 17:20-26

Friday: Acts 25:13-21; Ps 103:1-20; Jn 21:15-19

Saturday: Acts 28:16-31; Ps 11:4-7; Jn 21:20-25

Sunday: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34;
1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13; Jn 20:19-23

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

Willie Arnaudville, Charlie Bassett, Raymond Berthelot, Anthony Blaise, Clarke Bordelon, Susan Bassett Bowes, Lawrence & Mamie Brown, Cheryl Butler, John Caron, John Gebbia, Sylvia Daily-Powell, Lynda DeMaria, Ben Eble III, Terry Eggleston, Linda Elwood, Heather Faircloth, Winston Falgout, Frances Fiegler, LaDonna Finch, Fr. Lou Franz, CM, Mark Eiserloh, Warren Fraught, Sarah Hollier-Watkins, Shelia Jones, Bennett Joseph , Jr. , Landy Lanza, Allen Maldonado, Sara Marino, Priscilla Martin, Karen McCoy, Mike Mullin, Donna Moore, Regina Pichoff, Mark Raymond, Tina Roderfeld, Pippy Sanders, Mel & Gaspar Schiro, Charlie & Joanne Slocum, Melissa Tanet, Collins, Sr. Malcolm Taylor, Jane Tonglet, Isaac Thomas, George Tripkovich, Marion Vaughn, Juanita Ware, Darrell Walker, Fr. George Weber, CM, Lynn Williams, and Mary Willis, Mike Yazbeck.

SANCTUARY CANDLE AND MASS INTENTIONS

The Sanctuary Candle is burning this week to pray for the eternal rest of **Ray Fontaine, Jr.** If you would like to reserve a date to burn the Candle in memory of someone or for a special intention, please call the church office (522-3186). The Sanctuary Candle offering is \$15 for two weeks. The offering for Mass intentions is \$5.00 per Mass.

Volunteers Needed at the Rebuild Center

- If you have computer skills and would be available to monitor and help out with **Computer activities** on Monday or Tuesday between the hours of 8am and 12pm. It is helpful if you have a couple of hours or more and can volunteer on a regular basis (e.g., twice a month or every Tuesday from 8am to 10am, etc.)
- We currently have a **security guard** who works a regular schedule, but are looking for volunteers (security guards, police officers, sherriff, etc.) who could help out during times of special need or when our guard is on vacation or sick.
- Rebuild Center is looking for someone who can be a **volunteer** outside of the **phone room** to write down the names of those waiting to use the phone and call them when their turn comes on Tuesday mornings, especially during the summer.

If you are interested please talk to Fr. Tom after Mass, Bernardine DuPree after the 8:30 pm Mass or call:

Lantern Light : **273-5573 (security or computers)**

Harry Tompson: **273-5547 (phone room)**

May your hearts be enlightened, that you may know the hope that belongs to his call. Eph. 1, 18

PARISH CALENDAR

June 3 **Priesthood Ordination** , 10 am St. Louis Cathedral
June 4 **Children's Liturgy** (10 am & 8:30 pm Masses)
June 15 **Thursday Social Justice Committee** 6:30 pm

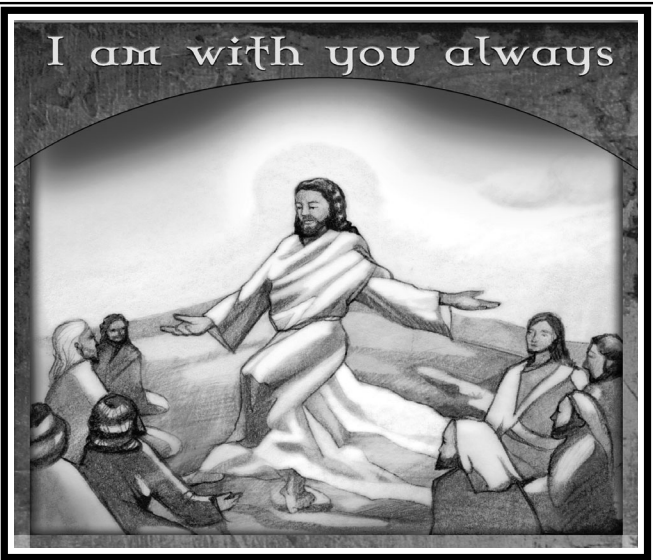
TREASURE & STEWARDSHIP

Sunday, May 21, 2017.....\$6,258.00

Thank you for your generosity

Latin Music Night Special thanks to all who came and attended the *Latin Music Celebration* and who volunteered and offered hospitality. We appreciate the generosity and beautiful music of the Latin Band **Julio y Cesar**. Coming Soon: Summer social activities!

Social Justice Committee: On Thursday members of St. Joseph Parish will meet to discuss the formation of a Social Justice Committee. The purpose of this meeting is to have a brief general overview of Catholic Social Teaching and study some of the issues and needs regarding SJ in our area and how as a faith community we can respond and collaborate with the Archdiocese and other organizations who put faith into action.



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Jesus tells the disciples that they will be witnesses to the ends of the earth (Acts 1:1-11).

Psalm — God mounts his throne to shouts of joy: a blare of trumpets for the Lord (Psalm 47).

Second Reading — May the Father of glory give you a Spirit of wisdom and revelation (Ephesians 1:17-23).

Gospel — Jesus instructs the Eleven to baptize and teach people of all nations (Matthew 28:16-20).

SHARE THE HOPE

The readings for today's celebration of the Ascension of the Lord once again remind us that as Christians we are people of hope. In the second reading Saint Paul eloquently exhorts the Ephesians to enlighten their hearts so that they will know the hope and glory that come from being people who place their trust in the Lord Jesus.

In the story of the Ascension, recounted in the first reading, the Lord Jesus assures the disciples that the Holy Spirit's power will come upon them. Finally, in the Gospel, the Lord lets the disciples know that their mission is to spread the hope of the gospel to all the nations. This wonderful feast keeps our eyes focused on the hope in which we were grounded on the day of our baptism.

Pope Francis' June Intentions

That national leaders may firmly commit themselves to ending the arms trade, which victimizes so many innocent people.

New Parishoner Meet and Greet

We will have a Meet-Greet after Mass on **Sunday June 11**
Please sign up after Mass (light meal provided)

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. The Hot Line is available 24 hours a day and your message will be received confidentially by a trained mental health professional. In addition, anyone can make a direct call during regular business hours to the Vic-

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