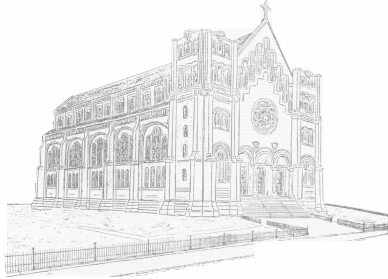


June 16, 2019

St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church

1802 Tulane Ave New Orleans, LA 70112-2246



**A New Orleans Historic Landmark
Founded in 1844**

**Entrusted to the pastoral care of
the Congregation of the Mission
(Vincentians) since 1858.**

PARISH STAFF

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Gina Fulton, *Receptionist, Wedding Director*
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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.



10:00 am Ted & Yvonne Kirn +; Dr. James McKinnie +; Wayne E. Jr.; Michael Hinojosa
8:30 pm St. Joseph Parishioners and Benefactors

Monday, June 17, 2019—

12:15 p.m. **Kathleen McDonagh +**

Tuesday, June 18, 2019—

12:15 p.m. Fr. Tom

Wednesday, June 19, 2019—St. Romuald

12:15 p.m. **Mary Teresa Power +; Grant Winand +**

Thursday, June 20, 2019—

12:15 p.m. **Dejong Family**

Friday, June 21, 2019—St. Aloysius Gonzaga

12:15p.m. Charles J. Derbes, Jr. Family +

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, June 16, One in Faith #1031

Monday: 2 Cor 6:1-10; Ps 98:1-4; Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday: 2 Cor 8:1-9; Ps 146:2-9; Mt 5:43-48

Wed.: 2 Cor 9:6-11; Ps 112:1-9; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: 2 Cor 11:1-11; Ps 111:1-8; Mt 6:7-15

Friday: 2 Cor 11:18-30; Ps 34:2-7; Mt 6:19-23

Saturday: 2 Cor 12:1-10; Ps 34:8-13; Mt 6:24-34

Sunday: Gn 14:18-20; Ps 110:1-4;
1 Cor 11:23-26; Lk 9:11b-17

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

Anthony Blaise, Clarke Bordelon, Lawrence & Mamie Brown, Cheryl Butler, Angelle Campbell; John Caron, John & Kathleen Gebbia, Sylvia Daily-Powell, Joseph Delay, Bernardine Dupre, Terry Eggleston, Linda Elwood, Heather Faircloth, Frances Fiegler, Darrell & Ramona Ford, 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, Susan Orkus; Tina Roderfeld, Irelia Robinson; Bernie Saul; Pippy Sanders, Anita Schexnayder; Louise Sonnier, Mel & Gaspar Schiro; Theard Simms, Fr. Tom Stehlik, CM, Malcolm Taylor, Jane Tonglet, Fritz & George Tripkovich, Georgiana Prevost, Marion Vaughn, Frank Varela, Sr., Juanita Ware, Cathleen Ward, Warren Webster, Helen Wilson, Mary Willis, Lynn Williams, Charlie & JoAnn Slocum.

SANCTUARY CANDLE AND MASS INTENTIONS

The Sanctuary Candle is burning this week to pray for the eternal rest of **Henry Eikel**. 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 one week. The offering for Mass intentions is \$5.00 per Mass.

Come Holy Spirit Pope Francis' Pentecost Homily excerpts

Celebrating Mass on the solemnity of **Pentecost** in St. Peter's Square, **Pope Francis** urged the faithful to implore the gift of the Spirit that makes us artisans of concord, sowers of goodness, apostles of hope. The Spirit brought life and peace to the disciples who were filled with terror and worry. "The Holy Spirit did not make things easier for them," he said, "he didn't work spectacular miracles, he didn't take away their difficulties and their opponents. The Spirit brought into the lives of the disciples a harmony that had been lacking, his own harmony, for he *is harmony*".

"The Spirit is peace in the midst of restlessness, confidence in the midst of discouragement, joy in sadness, youth in aging, courage in the hour of trial," he said. Without the Spirit, the Pope continued, our Christian life unravels, lacking the love that brings everything together. We need the Spirit of unity to regenerate us as Church, and as a human family.

He decried the temptation to "cling to our little group", so as to resist all contamination. "The Holy Spirit brings together those who were distant, unites those far off, brings home those who were scattered. He blends different tonalities in a single harmony, because before all else he sees goodness," he said. "He looks at individuals before looking at their mistakes, at persons before their actions" and explained that the Spirit shapes the Church and the world as a place of sons and daughters, brothers and sisters. Those who live by the Spirit, he said, "bring peace where there is discord, concord where there is conflict. Those who are spiritual repay evil with good. They respond to arrogance with meekness, to malice with goodness, to shouting with silence, to gossip with prayer, to defeatism with encouragement".

Pope Francis concluded his homily with the invitation to adopt the Spirit's way of seeing things: "Then everything changes: with the Spirit, the Church is the holy People of God, mission is the spread of joy, as others become our brothers and sisters, all loved by the same Father".

The love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit. — *Romans 5:5*

PARISH CALENDAR

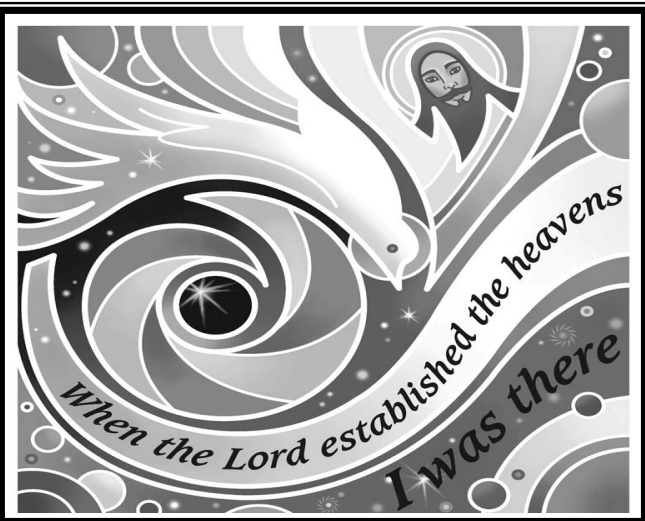
23 June **Sunday**—First Communions (10 am)
30 June **Sunday**— Children’s Liturgy of the Word (10 am & 8:30 pm)

TREASURE & STEWARDSHIP

Sunday, June 9.....\$ 5,365.00
Peter’s Pence.....\$1,070.00
Thank you for your generosity!

Congratulations to the newly ordained: Douglas Michael Busch, Daniel Steven Darmanin, David Michael Frank, Jr., Andrew Octavio Gutierrez, Daniel Chinedu Okafor, Leon Keller Poche, Jr., Andrew Charles Rudmann, and Damian Patrick Zablocki for the Archdiocese of New Orleans as Priests.

Retrouaille is a program designed to provide help and support to **married couples** who are undergoing difficulties in their relationship. It has proven helpful to couples who are troubled and stressed, or if the relationship has grown cold and distant. The next Weekend will be June 28-30, 2019, at the William J. Kelly Retreat Center in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi. For registration and/or information, email retrouaillenola@gmail.com or visit the website: <https://www.helpourmarriage.org/ww.helpourmarriage.org/>



TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — The wisdom of God played on the surface of God’s earth, finding delight in the human race (Prov. 8:22-31).
Psalm — O Lord, our God, how wonderful you name in all the earth! (Psalm 8).
Second Reading — The love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit (Romans 5:1-15).
Gospel — The Spirit of truth will guide you to the truth (John 16:12-15).

THIS IS THE HOLY TRINITY

Today we celebrate the Holy Trinity, one of the great mysteries of our faith. Through this mystery we experience our relationship to God: Creator, Savior, and Spirit. This relationship is not easy to understand or to describe. Its complexity mirrors the complexity of all our relationships. We understand our relationships with our spouses, our children, our parents, and our friends only through daily give-and-take, annual rituals, and the life-changing moments we share. We understand our relationships as we live them. The relationships we have with those we love, and who love us, sustain us through an uncertain and difficult life.

What is striking about today’s readings is that each is incomplete. Each offers a description of a moment in our relationship, a memory of a time and an event even the experience may be beyond our ability to describe fully. Often that is what faith offers—a memory of what is possible, what is promised, what has been given and shared. A memory of eternity, of love beyond understanding is to be cherished and nurtured even if not fully understood.

Pope Francis’ June Intention

That priests, with modesty and humility of their lives, commit themselves actively to a solidarity with those who are most poor.

Blessings and Congratulations to

Skylar Reece Gerard Finnan

Who was baptized last Sunday
with water and the Holy Spirit

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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