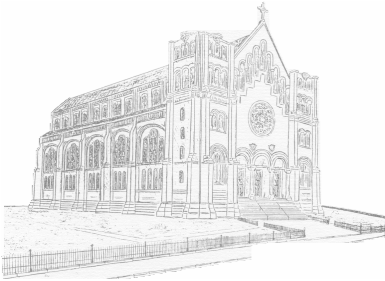


July 31, 2022

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MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday Masses: 10 a.m. & 8:30 p.m.

Weekday Masses: 12:15 p.m.

Holy Day Masses: 12:15 p.m.



CHURCH OPEN

Mondays thru Fridays: 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

One hour before Sunday Masses

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

Baptisms

Call the Parish Office for Information. Parents and Godparents need to attend instruction for sacrament prior to date being established, presented by Sr. Claire, DC.

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.

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 31, 2022



10:00 am *Julius Saul +; Ramon Llorens +; Lela Ferbos*

8:30 am *Parishioners of St. Joseph Church living and deceased*

Monday, August 1, 2022—St. Alphonsus Ligouri

12:15 pm **Souls in Purgatory**

Tues, August 2, 2022—Ss. Eusebius & Peter Julian

12:15 pm **Blaise Misse**

Wednesday, August 3, 2022—

12:15 pm **Fatherhood; Lela Ferbos**

Thursday, August 4, 2022—St. John Vianney

12:15 pm **Mary Dunn +**

Friday, August 5, 2022—Dedication of St. Mary Major

12:15 pm **Barbara Adams +; John Hance +; Sr. Jemma G. Marie**

Sunday, July 31, One in Faith #1088

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jer 28:1-17; Ps 119; Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday: Jer 30:1-2, 12-22; Ps 102; Mt 14:22-36

Wed.: Jer 31:1-7; Jer 31:10, 11-13; Mt 15:21-28

Thurs.: Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:12-19; Mt 16:13-23

Fri.: Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-7; Dt 32:35-39; Mt 16:24-28

Sat: Dn 7:9-14; Ps 97; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Lk 9:28-36

Sunday Wis 18:6-9; Ps 33:1, 12, 18-22;
Hb 11:1-2, 8-19; Lk 12:32-48

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

Beatrice Augustin, Anthony Blaise, Clarke Bordelon, Lawrence & Mamie Brown, John & Cindi Caron, Ellen Carty, Sue Dakote, Gretchen Delo, Albert Evens, John & Kathleen Gebbia, John & Sylvia Powell, Joseph Delay, Terry Eggleston, Linda Elwood, Francis Frucht, Heather Faircloth, June & Mark Eiserloh, Frances Fiegler, Shirley Gaither, Roselyn Hansen, John Hakanson, Sarah Hollier-Watkins, Jim Karam, Bill Kroetz, Nowell Lacking, Ken & Bette Kussman, Landy Lanza, James Leung, Gerard Vallet, Albert Evans, Troy Martinez, Karen McCoy, Donna Moore, Frank Morales, Maura O'Donovan, CHF; Mark Owen; Joyce Randolph, Tina Roderfeld, Bernie Saul; Julius Saul; Pippy Sanders, Niru Santos, Anthony, Donnie and Jennie Satcher, Louise Sonnier, Mel & Gaspar Schiro; Fr. Tom & Virginia Stehlik, Diedra Steibing, Malcolm Taylor, Jane Tonglet, Fritz Tripkovich, Corliss Truhill, Georgiana Prevost, Martha A. Treen, Marion Vaughn, Gerard Vallet, Warren Webster, Ozzie Welch, Mary Willis, Lynn Williams.

HEALING OF THE HEART GRIEF RETREAT This Retreat is open to men and women who are grieving the loss of someone. (stillborn, miscarriage, child, adult child, spouse, parent, siblings or friends) It will be held at the Archdiocese of New Orleans Retreat Center, 5500 St. Mary St. Metairie, La 70006 on August 19 and 20, 2022. This is a one night retreat helping us to search our heart for hope. Come and find the Hope to heal you on your journey. The cost is \$100.00 and scholarships are available. For more information or to register go to: neworleansretreats.com or call the Retreat Center 504-267-9604.

Retreat for Women Facing Infertility If you struggle with infertility, you may feel like you're in a lonely, desert place. But you are not alone! The Archdiocese of New Orleans and Springs in the Desert are partnering to offer a one-day retreat for women on Saturday, August 27 at St. Pius X Catholic Church. Wherever you are on the path of infertility, we invite you to join us for reflections on different aspects of the infertility experience, to receive encouragement and some practical suggestions for strengthening your relationship with God and your spouse, and to pray and share community with others on this same path. The retreat will take place on Saturday, August 27 - St. Pius X Catholic, New Orleans, from 9am until 3pm - Lunch and a light breakfast are provided. Please join us for Mass at 8am in the Church Learn more and register at <https://springsinthedesert.org/nola/>

Couples interested in being **mentors through the In-Home Marriage Preparation method** are invited to a training presented by Jan and Lloyd Tate, the authors of the In-Home Marriage Preparation program. The next available training is scheduled for Saturday, July 30, 2022 from 8:30 AM - 3:30 PM at Visitation of Our Lady Church, 3500 Ames Blvd., Marrero. The cost for training is \$125 per couple and materials are included. Couples who attend the training must bring their own lunch. Couples can register at <https://nolacatholicfla.regfox.com/in-home-marriage-preparation-training>. For questions or information, please contact the Office of Marriage and Family Life at (504) 861-6243 or mfl@arch-no.org.

On the day I cried out, you answered me and granted strength to my spirit. — Psalm 138

World Day for **Grandparents** and the **Elderly** will be celebrated on July 24, 2022.

Interested in knowing more about the Catholic Church or how to join? The **RCIA** (*Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults*) is a nine month process that begins in August and runs through Holy Week to teach, pray and help people on their spiritual journey. For more information speak to Sr. Claire, Ann Wallace or Fr. Tom.

TREASURE & STEWARDSHIP

July 24 Parish.....\$4,139.00

Black & Indian Collection..... \$930.00

Thank you for your generosity!

Catholic Counseling Service Parent Support Group Catholic Counseling Service of New Orleans will host a parent support group via Zoom on Mondays at 6:30 p.m, from Aug. 22nd and continue weekly until Oct. 10th, 2022. The parent support group will focus on communication skills, strengthening relationships, limit setting, healthy technology boundaries, and how to integrate what you learn from the group's discussion into your parenting at home. The cost is \$35 per session. In addition, scholarships are available. For info or to register, call 504-861-6245 or email: CCS@arch-no.org



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Do not spend your life toiling for material gain (Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23).

Psalm — If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts (Psalm 90).

Second Reading — Christ has raised you to new life, so seek now what is above (Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11).

Gospel — Be on guard against all greed, for your life does not consist of earthly possessions, but of the riches of the reign of God (Luke 12:13-21).

THE CENTER OF A MEANINGFUL LIFE

Today's readings invite us to reflect upon some of life's deepest questions, and to explore the meaning of faith. We hear of the universal human search for meaning in our lives in the book of Ecclesiastes. In Luke's Gospel, we hear Jesus' parable about one who foolishly seeks ultimate security through the accumulation of wealth. In Colossians, faith in the crucified and resurrected Christ is proclaimed as the path to a richly purposeful and meaningful life. The path of Christian faith places our work, our sufferings, and our limitations within the larger picture of God's purposes for all of us. In Jesus, God is revealed as our companion in human suffering and limitation. God's love is at the center of a meaningful life. We place our trust in this loving God, who created us to share in this love, and to share this love with others.

Pope Francis' August Intention

We pray for the elderly, who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility.

SANCTUARY CANDLE AND MASS INTENTIONS

The Sanctuary Candle this week is lit in memory of **Bert Wallace**. To reserve the Sanctuary Candle in memory of someone or for a special intention, call the church office at (504-522-3186). The offering is \$15 for one week. The offering for Mass intentions is \$5.00.

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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