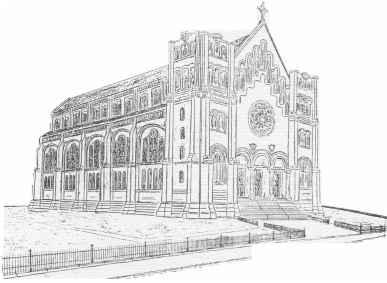


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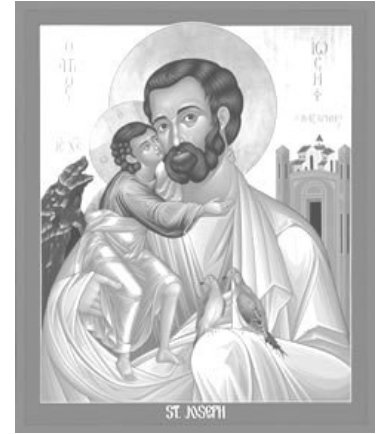
St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church

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

Fr. Ed Murphy, C.M., *Pastor*
Sr. Claire Edwards, D.C., *Pastoral Associate*
Gina Fulton, *Receptionist, Wedding Director*
Tasheena Butler, *Mission and Service Coordinator*
Rose Mary McDonald, Jane Tonglet, *Housekeeping*

MASS SCHEDULE

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



CHURCH OPEN

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

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.

CONTACT US

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Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions): Wed. & Fri. 11:50am—12:10pm ; Sundays 7:45pm—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.

The Third Sunday of Lent

March 3, 2024



10:00am Mary John Code D.C. (L)

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

Monday, March 4, 2024—

12:15 pm **Fr. Rex Hays, CM (L)**

Tuesday, March 5, 2024—

12:15 pm **Derbos & Vales Families**

Wednesday, March 6, 2024—

12:15 pm **Henry St. Paul (+)**

Thursday, March 7, 2024—

12:15 pm **Joseph Morales Jr. (+)**

Friday, March 8, 2024—

12:15 pm **Eric Ferrouillet (L)**

Sunday, March 3rd One in Faith # 986

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon.: 2 Kgs 5:1-15ab Ps 42, Lk 4:24-30

Tues.: Dn 3:25, 34-43, Ps 25, Mt 5:17-19

Wed.: Dt 4:1, 5-9, Ps. 147, Mt 20:17-28

Thurs.: Jer 7:23-28, Ps 95, Lk 11:14-23

Fri.: Hos 14:2-10, Ps 81, Mk 12:28-34

Sat.: Hos 6:1-6, Ps 51, Lk 18:9-14

Sunday: 2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23, Ps 137:1-2,3,4-5,6, Eph 2:4-10, Jn 3:14-21

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

Mason Abbott, Siena Acker, Beatrice Augustin, Anthony Blaise, Clarke Bordelon, Carol Slye, Donald & Gail Canatella, Ray Brown, Ellen Carty, John & Cindy Caron, Joseph Delay, Jeff & Mary Duet, Terry Eggleston, June & Mark Eiserloh, Linda Elwood, Heather Faircloth, Frances Fiegler, Shirley Gaither, Kathleen Gebbia, Deborah Graciana, Roselyn Hansen, John Hakanson, Shervonda Johnson, Bill Krotz, Bette Kussman, Nowell Lacking, Landy Lanza, James Leung, Ingrid Hernandez, Michael Maher, Troy Martinez, Karen McCoy, Donna Moore, Sr. Maura O'Donovan, Mark Owen; Bobbie Swayze, Audrey Lupiba, John & Sylvia Powell, Joyce Randolph, Cindy Reynolds, Tina Roderfeld, Bernie Saul; Pippy Sanders, Anthony, Donnie and Jennie Satcher, Louise Sonnier, Mel Schiro; Fr. Tom & Virginia Stehlik, Diedra Steibing, Yolanda Steptore, Tom Stokes, Jane Tonglet, Fritz Tripkovich, Corliss Truhill, Georgiana Prevost, Martha A. Treen, Marion Vaughn, Bill Habeny, Gerard Vallet, Yolanda Webster, Warren Webster, Ozzie Welch, Chris Williams, Lynn Williams, Rachael Washington, Tyrone Webster, Warren Webster Jr.

St. Joseph Altar 2024

Preparations are underway to celebrate the Feast of our patron St. Joseph on Tuesday, March 19 2024. Please check the bulletin and church announcements for ways to participate in the coming weeks. The donation tree will be up in the lobby. There will be a representative to assist and for any questions. Sign up for volunteers to assist on St. Joseph day and for the cookie baking will be in the lobby today. If you are able to donate some time, it would be greatly appreciated.

St. Ann Lenten Mission– St. Ann Church and Shrine will present the mission The Catholic Blueprint: How the Sacraments Sanctify Us over 3 days March 18, 19, 20. It will be led by Fr. David Michael Moses. Masses are at 10am and 7pm all three days. Event to be held at St. Ann Church and Shrine 3601 Trancontinental Blvd. Metairie, LA.

2024 St Joseph Altars–As is tradition in New Orleans, many churches, schools, organizations, and individuals honor St. Joseph by having a community altar. Altar viewing with meals, Tupa Tupa, and prayer are scheduled March 16th through March 19th. Please see the full listing of St. Joseph Altars on the Archdiocese of New Orleans Website. [2024 St. Joseph Altars - Archdiocese of New Orleans - New Orleans, LA \(nolacatholic.org\)](https://www.nolacatholic.org/2024-St-Joseph-Altars)

Lord, you have the words of everlasting life. Ps. 19

Parish Calendar

Mar 3 Children's Liturgy— both masses
Mar 3 Volunteer sign-up for St. Joseph Altar and Cookie Bake
Mar 10 Spaghetti distribution— both masses
Mar 17 Children's Liturgy— both masses
Mar 19 St. Joseph's Day

TREASURE & STEWARDSHIP

February 25th Parish.....\$3, 762.00
Catholic Charities.....\$224.00

Thank you for your generosity!

One of the ways communities are built through the Lenten season is the sharing of meals. Throughout the Archdiocese several parishes will be hosting a Fish Fry. These fundraisers help ensure the faithful can abstain from meat on the Lenten Fridays. A list of all the parishes hosting a fish fry this year can be found here [Friday Fish Fry Calendar - Archdiocese of New Orleans - New Orleans](#).

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions)- Confessions are heard on Wednesdays & Fridays from 11:50am-12:10pm and on Sunday evenings from 7:45pm-8:15pm.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament- Every Wednesday after the 12:15 pm Mass we have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 1:30, with devotional prayer to St. Joseph and prayers for the members of our faith community.



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — “That is why the Lord has blessed the sabbath day and made it holy.” (Ex 20:1-17)

Psalm — “The fear of the Lord is pure, enduring forever; the ordinances of the Lord are true, all of them just.” (Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11)

Second Reading — “For the foolishness of God is wiser than human wisdom and the weakness of God is stronger than human strength.” (1 Cor 1:22-25)

Gospel — “Destroy this temple and in three days I will raise it up.” (Jn 2:13-25)

The Three Pillar of Lent : Almsgiving In order to be fully immersed in the Lenten experience, the Church gives us three extraordinary ways to draw closer into this mystery: Prayer, Fasting, and Almsgiving. Today we will focus on fasting. **Almsgiving:** Almsgiving (giving) is a response to God, one that we can come to through prayer and fasting. It is a way to live out our gratitude for all that God has given us, reflecting the realization that we are the Body of Christ, responsible for each other. Justice, mercy, and charity are integral elements of our baptism that call us to be disciples of Jesus.

Pope Francis' March Intention

We pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world inflame the Church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm.

SANCTUARY CANDLE AND MASS INTENTIONS

The Sanctuary Candle this week is lit for the eternal rest of Joseph Morales Jr. 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. For Mass intentions, please stop by the office or call: 504.522.3186.

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.