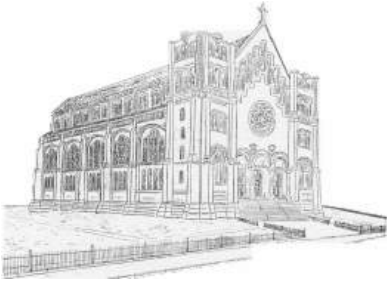


February 2, 2025

# 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*  
**Kelly Kethman,** *Receptionist*  
**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 Presentation of the Lord

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10:00am *All Parishioners of St. Joseph Living & Deceased*

8:30 pm *Leslie M St Cyr(+), Eva & Myron Guillory (+), Joseph Morales (+), Frank Morales Jr (+)*

Monday, February 3, 2025—  
12:15 pm— Louie Brocado (+)

Tuesday, February 4, 2025—  
12:15 pm— Myron Guillory (+)

Wednesday, February 5, 2025— *St. Agatha*  
12:15 pm – Henry Butler (+), Special Intention

Thursday, February 6, 2025— *St. Paul Miki & Companions*  
12:15pm –Patrick Kirn (+)

Friday, February 7, 2025—  
12:15 pm – Norby Dunn (+)

## Sunday, Feb 2nd One in Faith # 1046 READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon.: Heb 11:32-40, Ps 31, Mk 5:1-20

Tues.: Heb 12:1-4, Ps 22, Mk 5:21-43

Wed.: Heb 12:4-7, 11-15, Ps 103, Mark 6:1-6

Thurs Heb 12:18-19,21-24, Ps 48, Mk 6:7-13

Fri: Heb 13:1-8, Ps 27, Mark 6:14-29

Sat.: Heb 13:15-17, 20-21, Ps 23, Mark 6:30-34

Sun: Isiah 6:1-2a,3-8, Ps 138:1-2,2-3,4-5, 7-8, 1  
Cor 15:1-11, Luke 5:1-11

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

Mason Abbott, Siena Acker, Beatrice Augustin, Anthony Blaise, Clarke Bordelon, Lucy Slye, Donald Canatella, Ray Brown, Ellen Carty, John & Cindy Caron, Joseph Delay, Jeff & Mary Duet, Ed Dupuy, Terry Eggleston, Gaynell Elmer, June & Mark Eiserloh, Linda Elwood, Heather Faircloth, Frances Fiegler, Sr. Beth Fitzpatrick, Shirley Gaither, Deborah Graciana, Roselyn Hansen, John Hakanson, Mary Anne P. Hulse, Shervonda Johnson, Jimi Keller, Bill Krotz, Bette Kussman, Nowell Lack- ing, Landy Lanza, James Leung, Ingrid Hernandez, Michael Maher, Karen McCoy, Donna Moore, Sr. Maura O'Donovan, Mark Owen, Bobbie Swayze, Audrey Lupiba, John & Sylvia Powell, Joyce Randolph, Cindy Reynolds, Karen Ridgeway, 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 Habeneay, Gerard Vallet, Yolanda Webster, Warren Webster, Ozzie Welch, Chris Williams, Lynn Williams, Rachael Washington, Tyrone Webster, Warren Webster Jr.

**No 8:30pm mass Superbowl Sunday:** Please note that there will be no 8:30pm mass on Sunday, February 9th due to the Superbowl. There will be many street closures and heightened security in the area. All are encouraged to attend the 10am mass at St. Joseph that will go on as scheduled.

**A heartfelt thank you:** Thank you to everyone who participated in the 400th Anniversary of the founding of the Congregation of the Mission by St. Vincent dePaul. It was a beautiful liturgy followed by a rocking reception. Many hands and hearts went into the making it a memorable occasion. Our hearts are filled with gratitude.

**St. Joseph Altar 2025:** The parish is getting ready to once again honor our patron St. Joseph on his feast day Wednesday, March 19th. Opportunities to participate will begin soon. Please refer to the bulletin and the announcements for more information.

## Who is this King of Glory? It is the Lord! Ps 24

### Parish Calendar

Feb 9 Children's liturgy of the word (10am mass only)  
Feb 9 Superbowl Sunday (no 8:30pm mass)  
Feb 16 Donation tree for St Joseph Altar Up  
Feb 23 Children's liturgy of the word (both masses)

### TREASURE & STEWARDSHIP

January 26th Parish.....\$3,789.00

*Thank you for your generosity!*

**2025 ANO Men's Conference-** The Archdiocese of New Orleans will host a Men's conference on Saturday, March 15th 2025. The conference titled "I Trust in You" will be held at St. Dominic Parish 775 Harrison Avenue NOLA 70124 from 8:30am-3:30pm. For more information or to register please see the link here [ANO Men's Conference - New Orleans, LA](#)

**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** — "And suddenly there will come to the temple the Lord whom you seek, and the messenger of the covenant you desire.." (Malachi 3:1-4)

**Psalm** — "Lift up, O gates, your lintels; reach up, you ancient portals, that the king of glory may come in." (Ps 24:7,8,9,10)

**Second Reading** — "Because he himself was tested through what he suffered, he is able to help those who are being tested" (Heb 2:14-18)

**Gospel** — "Now, Master, you may let your servant go in peace, according to your word, for my eyes have seen your salvation, which you prepared in sight of all the peoples..." (Luke 2:22-40)

**St Agatha** St Agatha was a native of Sicily, and descended of a noble and opulent family. From her very early years, the notably beautiful Agatha dedicated her life to God. She became a consecrated virgin, a state in life where young women choose to remain celibate and give themselves wholly to Jesus and the Church in a life of prayer and service. Many sought the affection of Agatha, one potential suitor as a man named Quintianus. He was a high ranking diplomat who thought he could get Agatha to turn away from her vows and force her to marry him. After many failed attempts to sway Agatha, he had her imprisoned and later tortured as Agatha would not turn away from her faith. Agatha was martyred around the year 251. St Agatha is the patron saint of Sicily, bellfounders, breast cancer patients, Palermo, rape victims, and wet nurses. Her feast day is celebrated on February 5.

### **Pope Francis' February Intention**

Let us pray that the ecclesial community might welcome the desires and doubts of those young people who feel a call to serve Christ's mission in the priesthood and religious life.

### **SANCTUARY CANDLE AND MASS INTENTIONS**

The Sanctuary Candle this week is lit for the eternal rest of Myron Guillory. 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.