February 9, 2025

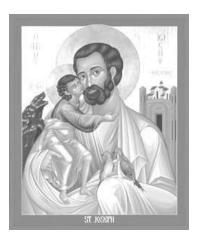
St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church

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

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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

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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 Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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10:00am Leslie M St Cyr(+), Rolando Carlos (+)

8:30 pm All Parishioners of St. Joseph Living & Deceased

Monday, February 10, 2025—St. Scholastica 12:15 pm—Brian J D'alfonso (L)

Tuesday, February 11, 2025025— 12:15 pm— Michael Castjohn (+)

Wednesday, February 12, 2025— 12:15 pm – Special Intention

Thursday, February 13, 2025— 12:15pm -Brad A D'alfonso (L)

Friday, February 14, 2025—Sts. Cyril, Monk & Methodius 12:15 pm – Lorraine Hailey (+), Louis Marascalco (+)

Sunday, Feb 9th One in Faith # 1049 READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon.: Gen 1:1-19, Ps 104, Mk 6:53-56 Tues.: Gen 1:20-2:4a, Ps 8, Mk 7:1-13

Wed.: Gen 2:4b-9, 15-17, Ps 104, Mark 7:24-30

Thurs Gen 2:15-25, Ps 128, Mk 6:7-13 Fri: Gen3:1-8, Ps 32, Mark 7:31-37 Sat.: Gen 3:9-24, Ps 90, Mark 8:1-10

Sun: Jer 17:5-8, Ps 1:1-2,3,4,6, 1 Cor 15:12, 16-20, Luke 6:17, 20-26

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 Lacking, 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 Habeney, 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 next week. The donation tree for wine, fruits, veggies, breads, cookies, flowers, etc. will be in the lobby starting Sunday, February 16th. Representatives will be on hand to answer any questions.

In the sight of angels I will sing your praises Lord. Ps 138

Parish Calendar

- 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)
- Feb 23 Donations, Volunteers, Cookie Bake Sign-up

TREASURE & STEWARDSHIP

February 2nd Parish & Capital Campaign.....\$6,201.00

Thank you for your generosity!

Luke: The Story of Salvation Fulfilled St. Benilde explores the life and teachings of Jesus as told by St. Luke the Evangelist. Beginning with the foretelling of John the Baptist's birth and continuing through the Ascension of Jesus, Luke's narrative reveals how Jesus fulfills the Old Testament prophesies and everything that Scripture foretold about the promised Messiah. Sessions will be held on 8 consecutive Thursdays starting at 7pm on Feb 20th @ the St. Benilde school library.

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

<u>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</u>- 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 — "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts! All the earth is filled with his glory!" (Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8)

Psalm — "When I called, you answered me; you built up strength within me." (Ps 138:1-2,2-3,4-5,7-8)

Second Reading — "But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace to me has not been ineffective" (1 Cor 15:1-11)

Gospel — "When they brought their boats to the shore, they left everything and followed him." (Luke 5:1-11)

St Scholastica— St Scholastica was born c. 480 in Nursia, Umbria, to wealthy parents. She is the sister of St. Benedict of Nursia and is regarded as the foundress of the Benedictine order of nuns. St. Scholastica established a hermitage about five miles from Monte Cassino and that this was the first convent of Benedictine nuns. The most commonly told story about her is that Scholastica would, once a year, go and visit her brother at a place near his abbey, and they would spend the day worshiping together and discussing sacred texts and issues. One time while they were together, Benedict indicated it was time for him to leave, and she asked him to stay and he declined. At that point, Scholastica closed her hands in prayer, and after a moment, a wild storm started outside of the guest house in which they were staying. Benedict was unable to return to his monastery, and they spent the night in discussion. St Scholastica died 3 days later and Benedict had her body brought to his monastery, where he had it laid in the tomb which he had prepared for himself. St Scholastica is the patron of education and her feast day is February 10th.

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 Manuel Llorens Sr. & Sons. 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.