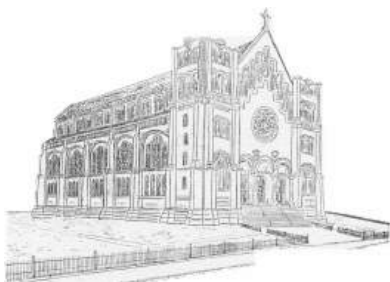


July 20, 2025

# 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.



**10:00am** *Leslie Marie St Cyr (+), Ken Kussman (+), Troy Martinez (+)*

**8:30 pm** *All Parishioners of St Joseph Living and Deceased*

Monday, July 21, 2025—

12:15 pm— Troy Martinez (+)

Tuesday, July 22, 2025— *St. Mary Magdalene*

12:15 pm—Shirley Carlone (+), Beverly Cook (L)

Wednesday, July 23, 2025—

12:15 pm—Emilo Dupre (+)

Thursday, July 24, 2025—

12:15pm—Thomas Delahay Family(+)

Friday, July 25, 2025— *St James*

12:15 pm— Nick Ford (L)

**Sunday, July 20th One in Faith # 1082**

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Mon.: Ex 14:5-18, Ex 15, Mt 12:38-42

Tues.: SOS 3:1-4b, Ps 63, Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Wed.: Ex 16:1-5, 9-15, Ps 78, Mt 13:1-9

Thurs: Ex 319:1-2,9-11, 16-20b, Dn 3, Mt 13:10-17

Fri.: 2 Cor 4:7-15 , Ps 126, Mt 20:20-28

Sat.: Ex 24:3-8, Ps 50, Mt 13:24-30

Sun: Gen 18:20-32, Ps 138: 1-2, 2-3, 6-7, 7-8,  
Col 2:12-14, Lk 11:1-13

**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, Beverly Cook, Joseph Delay, Jeff & Mary Duet, Ed Dupuy, Terry Eggleston, Gaynell Elmer, June & Mark Eiserloh, Linda Elwood, Heather Faircloth, Michael 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, James Leung, Ingrid Hernandez, Michael Maher, Joey Marino, 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, 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.

**Christmas in July—** The Marian Sodality will be hosting a hygiene drive for Christmas in July to benefit the Rebuild Center. Travel size toiletry items are needed to make hygiene kits for guests who use the showers at the center. Shampoo, conditioner, mouthwash, body wash, toothpaste, deodorant, lotion, hand sanitizer are examples of needed items. Donations can be placed in the Christmas box located in the vestibule of the church. Please see a member of the Sodality for more information. Next Sunday will be the last week of collection. Please get your donations in!

**Who Dat Basket Raffle—** The Marian Sodality will once again raffle off a Saints Who Dat Basket for the coming '25-'26 football season. The sodality will be accepting Saints themed items for donation to put in the basket. Donations are being collected every Sunday through August. Ticket sales and raffle date will be announced later in the summer. Please see a member of the Sodality with any questions.

**Archbishop Encourages Prayer & Relief Aid in Texas Flooding—** Archbishop Aymond requests that the laity, clergy and religious join him in prayer for those who have lost their lives and have been impacted by the July 4th flooding along the Guadalupe River in Texas. Relief efforts are still underway and those who are able to contribute a monetary gift are encouraged to do so to support this important work. The Archdiocese of San Antonio and the local Catholic Charities are working to supply shelter & needed supplies. You can send monetary gifts to: Archdiocese of New Orleans Texas Flood Relief 7887 Walmsley Ave, NOLA 70125 or find links to make a gift directly to those organizations here [Crisis Response Flooding](#)

**Parish Calendar**

Aug 3 Children's Liturgy of the Word (both masses)  
Aug 15 Assumption of Mary (Holy day of obligation)  
Aug 24 Children's Liturgy of the Word (both masses)  
Sep 1 Labor Day (Church and Office Closed, no 12:15pm mass)

**TREASURE & STEWARDSHIP**

**July 13th Parish.....\$4,500.00**

*Thank you for your generosity!*

**Prayers During Hurricane Season-** Atlantic Hurricane Season is June 1 through November 30. Through the intercession of Our Lady of Prompt Succor may we be spared damage to life and property during the hurricane season! The Archdiocese of New Orleans has prayers and links for hurricane preparedness resources. See them here [Hurricane Season - Archdiocese of New Orleans - 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** — "I will surely return to you about this time next year, and Sarah will then have a son." (Gen 18:1-10a)

**Psalm** — "Who lends not his money at usury and accepts no bribe against the innocent." (Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 5)

**Second Reading** — "Now I rejoice in my sufferings for your sake, and in my flesh I am filling up what is lacking in the afflictions of Christ on behalf of his body, which is the church." (Col 1:24-28)

**Gospel** — "Martha, Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things. There is need of only one thing." (Lk 10:38-42)

**St Mary Magdalene-** "Apostle of the Apostles" is the title given Mary Magdalene by St Thomas Aquinas. Her name comes from her home town of Magdala. St Luke's gospel tells us, in Chapter 8 of his Gospel, how Jesus went from town to town announcing the Good News of the Kingdom of God, and how the Twelve Apostles were with Him together with some women who had been healed of evil spirits or infirmities, and were serving them. Among these was a certain "Mary, called the Magdalene, from whom seven demons came out." Mary Magdalene appears in the Gospels when she accompanies Him to Calvary and, along with other women. She is still there when Joseph of Arimathea places the body of Jesus in the sepulcher. She returns to the tomb, finds the stone rolled away and is the first to encounter the risen Christ who tells her to alert his disciples. Mary Magdalene's feast day is July 22nd.

**The Pope's July Intention**

Let us pray that we might again learn how to discern, to know how to choose paths of life, and reject everything that leads us away from Christ and the Gospel.

**SANCTUARY CANDLE AND MASS INTENTIONS**

The Sanctuary Candle this week is lit for the eternal rest of Troy Martinez. 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.