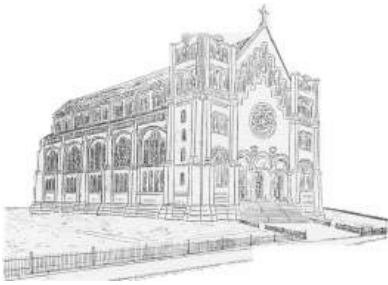


May 17, 2026

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
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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

Church: 504-522-3186;
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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.

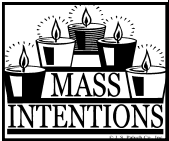
Weddings Contact priest at least six months prior to planned wedding date. After contacting priest, contact the wedding director, (x141) to reserve the time and date for your wedding.

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 Ascension of the Lord

May 17, 2026



10:00am *Maria Morris (L), Derbes & Vales Families*

8:30 pm *All Parishioners Living & Deceased*

Monday, May 18, 2026—
12:15 pm Special Intention

Tuesday, May 19, 2026—
12:15 pm Ed Dupuy (L)

Wednesday, May 20, 2026—
12:15 pm Georgeana Serna (+)

Thursday, May 21, 2026—
12:15 pm Pippy Sanders (L)

Friday, May 22, 2026 —
12:15pm Maria Morris (L)

Sunday, May 17th #1023 One in Faith READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon.: Acts 19:1-8, Ps 68, Jn 16:29-33

Tues.: Acts 20:17-27, Ps 68, Jn 17:1-11a

Wed.: Acts 20:28-38, Ps 68, Jn 17:11b-19

Thurs.: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11, Ps 16, Jn 17:20-26

Fri.: Acts 25:13b-21, Ps 103, Jn 21:15-19

Sat.: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31, Ps 11, Jn 21:20-25

Sun.: Acts 2:1-11, Ps 104, 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13,
Jn 20:19-23

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

Mason Abbott, Siena Acker, Beatrice Augustin, Nollie Arcement, Kira Bickham, Anthony Blaise, Clarke Bordelon, Lucy Slye, Donald Canatella, Ray Brown, Ellen Carty, John & Cindy Caron, Beverly Cook, Joseph Delay, Jeff & Mary Duet, JoAnn Dunn, Ed Dupuy, Terry Eggleston, Gaynell Elmer, June & Mark Eiserloh, Linda Elwood, Brenda Espinoza, Heather Faircloth, Michael Faircloth, Frances Fiegler, Sr. Beth Fitzpatrick, Shirley Gaither, Deborah Graciana, Roselyn Hansen, John Hakanson, Victoria R. Hornsby, Mary Anne P. Hulse, Shervonda Johnson, Jimi Keller, Bill Krotz, Bette Kussman, Nowell Lacking, James Leung, Ingrid Hernandez, Michael Maher, Allan Maldonado Sr, Joey Marino, Karen McCoy, 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, Jennifer Style, Jane Tonglet, Fritz Tripkovich, Corliss Truhill, Georgiana Prevost, Lisa Teepen, 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.

Marian Sodality Bake Sale Thank you— The Sodality wishes to thank the parish for the donations and purchases made at the annual Mother's Day Bake Sale. The event was a huge success and the monies raised will support the various charitable works of the Sodality throughout the year.

Prayer Service in honor of the feast day of St. Joan of Arc— The public is welcome to a prayer service at St. Mary Church in the Catholic Cultural Heritage Center at the Old Ursuline Convent Museum May 28, at 5:45 p.m. Those wishing to honor St. Joan are encouraged to dress in white and may bring flowers to leave at St. Joan's statue. Following the prayer service around 6:45 p.m., after some refreshments, the group will process three blocks from the Old Ursuline Convent to the golden St. Joan of Arc statue near the French Market, a brief ceremony will be held and flowers will be left at the foot of the statue, concluding the event.

Contribution Envelope Service Restored— Per our service provider, contribution envelopes were sent out this past Monday. You should be receiving your offering envelopes soon if you haven't received them already. Thank you for your patience and generous support of our parish.

God mounts his throne to shouts of joy: a blare of trumpets for the Lord. Psalm 47

Parish Calendar

May 25 Memorial Day (church & office closed, no daily mass)
May 31 Children’s Liturgy of the Word (both masses)
June 7 First Communion
June 14 Father’s Day

TREASURE & STEWARDSHIP

May 10th Parish.....\$3,444.00
Latin America Appeal.....\$597.00

Thank you for your generosity!

Consecration of the Archdiocese of New Orleans: Archbishop Checcio announced that he will consecrate the Archdiocese of New Orleans to the Sacred Heart of Jesus in a mass to take place at St. Louis Cathedral on Sunday, June 14th at 11am. For the novena and other resources to prepare for the consecration please see [- 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 — “It is not for you to know the times or seasons that the Father has established by his own authority.” (Acts 1:1-11)

Psalm — “For king of all the earth is God; sing hymns of praise.” (Ps 47:2-3, 8-10)

Second Reading— “May the eyes of your hearts be enlightened, that you may know what is the hope that belongs to his call, what are the riches of glory in his inheritance.” (Eph 1:17-23)

Gospel — “Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.” (Mt 28:16-20)

The Rebuild Center- Situated behind St Joseph Church at 1803 Gravier St. is a day shelter serving the needs of unhoused citizens in our area. Three distinct agencies work to meet the needs of homeless individuals by providing services like meals, basic medical care, showers, case management and placement into permanent housing. The Harry Tompson Center, DePaul USA, and Lantern Light work cooperatively to address these needs and can always use assistance with goods and supplies. Please see the Amazon Wish List for each agency and contribute as you are able.



LANTERN LIGHT



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The Pope’s May Intention

Let us pray that everyone , from large producers to small consumers, be committed to avoid wasting food, and to ensure that everyone has access to quality food.

SANCTUARY CANDLE AND MASS INTENTIONS

The Sanctuary Candle this week is for the eternal rest of John Munell. 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.