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St. John the Baptist Catholic Church

Established in 1851

New Orleans Historic Landmark 1139 Oretha Castle Haley Blvd.



Saturday Saturday Sunday

Weekdays Holy Days MASSES

4 pm Vigil at St. John the Baptist 5:30 pm Vigil at St. Patrick's Church 8 am; 9:15 am (Traditional Latin Mass); 11 am & 5:30 pm 11:30 am & Noon Please check the bulletin and online calendar for Holy Day schedules.

CONFESSIONS

30 minutes prior to Masses and by appointment.

DEVOTIONS

Novena to the Sacred Heart and the Blessed Mother after the weekday Masses on Wednesday Adoration before the weekday Masses and after the Noon Mass

Rosary after the weekday Noon Masses

BAPTISMS

Please call the office to schedule your Baptism at least 3 months prior to intended date.

WEDDINGS

Please call Ann Johnston at the parish office for wedding inquiries at least 6-8 months prior to the wedding date.

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS We invite you to take a copy of a history of St. Patrick's Church entitled *Old St. Patrick's.* You will find them in the vestibule.

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MASS PROPERS

GREGORIAN LATIN MASS—SUNDAY AT 9:15 A.M. Fourth Sunday in Lent (Laetare)

ORDINARY FORM OF THE ROMAN RITE—ALL OTHER MASSES Fourth Sunday in Lent (Laetare)

FIRST FRIDAY MASS

SPONSORED BY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION SOCIETY

On April 5th, St. Patrick's will celebrate a Low Mass in honor of First Friday and Our Lord's Sacred Heart. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Confessions, and the Rosary begin at 6:30 pm. Mass will begin at 7 pm. All are welcome and security will be provided.

LENTEN CONFESSIONS

Confessions will be available in all parishes of the Archdiocese on April 3rd, and April 10th from 5 until 6:30 pm.

FIRST CONFESSION & HOLY COMMUNION

We will celebrate First Holy Communion on the Feast of Corpus Christi, June 23, at the 9:15 am Mass. For those with children who need to receive the Sacraments of Confession and Holy Communion, please contact the office to register **before Monday, April 15**th: 504.525.4413.

EASTER FLOWERS

Envelopes to donate toward our Easter flowers are located in the rear of the Church. The money collected will be used for the flowers on the high altar as well as throughout the Church.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

We welcome the newest members of the Catholic Church and ask for your prayers for them and their families!

Jameson Vandy Ford

BANNS OF MARRIAGE

Please pray for those preparing for the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony!

<u>APRIL 6, 2019</u> Paul Matthew Jaquillard and Miranda Catherine Matherne

ST. PATRICK'S SANCTUARY CANDLE In Memory Of Joseph Maselli and Joseph Maselli, III CANDLE AT THE ALTAR OF THE SACRED HEART In Memory Of Coleman J. Mauberret

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH SANCTUARY CANDLE In Memory Of Lois L. Walk

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

Palm Sunday, April 13th & 14th

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| 5:30 pm | Vigil Mass | |

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| 7:30 am | Mass |

9:00 am Solemn High Mass with Procession (Extraordinary Form) 11:00 am Solemn Mass (Ordinary Form)

Holy Thursday, April 18th

No Midday Masses

7:30 pm Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper and Solemn Procession to the Altar of Repose Watch at the Altar of Repose until Midnight (Security Provided)

Good Friday, April 19th

Special blessing with the relic of the True Cross at all services

- 7:30 am Church opens for visitation
- 12 Noon Stations of the Cross
- 3:00 pm Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion with Veneration of the Cross

Holy Saturday, April 20th

8:00 pm Solemn Easter Vigil (Security Provided)

Easter Sunday, April 21st

7:30 am Sunrise Mass
9:00 am Solemn High Mass with Procession (Extraordinary Form)
11:00 am Solemn Mass (Ordinary Form)
No 5:30 pm Mass

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

| Palm Sunday, April 13th & 14th | | | |
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| 4:00 pm | Vigil Mass | | |
| 9:15 am | Solemn Mass | | |

Good Friday, April 19th

7:30 am Church opens for visitation

Holy Saturday, April 20th

9–11 am Mater Desolata Devotions (Devotions to our Lady of Sorrows with an exact replica of the Shroud of Turin)

Easter Sunday, April 21st

9:15 am Solemn Mass



Weekend Offerings: March 10, 2019

| First Collection (Operating Costs) | \$9,208 |
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| Second Collection (Restoration & Maintenance) | \$6,206 |
| Average Weekly Operating Cost | \$19,500 |
| Operating Income/(Deficit) | \$10,292 |

ONLINE GIVING

St. Patrick's is now offering ways to give electronically. Scan this QR code to be automatically directed to our online giving page or find us online at oldstpatricks.org.

Thank you for your generous support of St. Patrick's Parish!



If you would like to receive future electronic communications, please send your email address to: stpatricksnola@gmail.com



The Ahmed Families Alfortish - Loetzerich Families Allen-Kaufman Family Walter Amstutz Freddie Andras Lucille Andras LaVon and William Andre August Babin and Son Mr. and Mrs. Francis J. Barry Grace Benson Berrigan and Lawless Families Louis Bernard and William Harris Families Walt and James Birdsall Liguori and Elise Birrcher Boes & Bravender Families Bourgeois, Molaison and Miceli Families Mr. and Mrs. Leo J. Bowen, Jr. Freddie Z. Boyer Bozant, D'Antoni and Frantz Families Leanora Goodyear Breecher Louis Breecher, Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence C. Britto Adrian G. Bruley, Sr. John D. Burckell Mr. and Mrs. Peter Butler Mr. and Mrs. Francis C. Carter Sr. Family of A.J. and Eileen Capritto Emily Cercena Jane O'Brien Chatelain Chexnayder-von Uhde & Couget-Miller Families Elvera and Sidney Martin Father Wilfredo T. Comellas Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Cook, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Crosby, Jr. Mr. George Paul Dalton Mrs. Irma V. Dalton Maurice and Helen Dance Alice Mae deMontluzin Wayne W. Dilzell Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Dittmer Maxine Amelia Ditto Drell - Douroux Families Ernest W. Duhe, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Theophile A. Duroncelet Sr. Henry E. Eikel III John & Josephine Elms Joseph and Olga Falati Michael Hayes Fay Leta Fayard Capt. Joseph and Condalaura Fletchas Katherine Foster Odis and Imogene Fowler Joseph Robert Fritscher, Jr. Arthur Aaron Frost Michael Mark Gahagan Adolph and Angelina Gattuso Dr. Gary R. and Mary Streckfus Glynn Families Louis and Gladys Schwartz Mr. and Mrs. Lambert J. Gonzales, Jr. Graugnard and St. Pierre Families

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Smith, Salles and Barkerding Familie John D. Sparck Steim - Schaetz Families Mitchell D. Stella W. Gilbert Stroud, Jr. W. G. and Sadie Stroud Stephanie Johnston-Summers Joseph and Anna Szabo Patrick F. Taylor Hilton and Mary Toups Mark Anthony Toups Salvador Trentacoste Lucille Cashio Tuminello Vaccari, Maggio & Walker Families Mrs. Nadie Vinson Mr. Hank Vosbein Versie and Leona Wallace Walsh - Lambert Families Mary Helen Wentz Harold J. Wheeler Reverend Anthony J. White Walter Mitchell Whiteside Jonathan Philip Wilson Robert and Lillian Wilson

If you would like to add a name to the In Memory of list, please call the parish office at (504) 525-4413. If you notice an error in the names as printed, please alert the office as well.

A LIFE HIDDEN IN GOD

"You have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is our life appears, then you also will appear with Him in glory" (Col. 3:3-4).

You have died: to what? To sin. You have died to it by baptism, by repentance, and by the profession of a Christian life. You have died to sin, but how then can "we who died to sin still live in it?" (Rom. 6:2). We must died to it once and for all.

In order to die to sin completely, it is necessary that we die to all of our bad inclinations, to all that flatters our senses, and to pride. For all these things the Scriptures call sin, because they come from sin, because they incline to sin, and because they do not allow us to be entirely free from sin.

"You have died." When shall these words of St. Paul be accomplished in us? At what blessed moment of our lives? When shall we be without sin? Never in the course of this life. To whom, then, is St. Paul speaking when he says, "You have died?" Is it to the souls of the just? Are they dead? Are they not, on the contrary, in the land of the living? It cannot be to them that St. Paul speaks; it is to us. The concupiscence of evil remains in us, and we must fight against it our entire lives. But we hold it fast, pinned to the ground. We hold it, but have we vanquished it? We ought to. We can, with the grace of God. And if during the struggle it deals some injury to us, we shall not cease groaning, nor humbling ourselves, saying with St. Paul, "Who will deliver me from this body of death?" (Rom. 7:24). You have been delivered, Christian soul: you have been delivered in hope.

"And your life is hidden." Our death, then, is not total. St. Paul explains: "If Christ is in you, although your bodies are dead because of sin," that is, sin that once reigned in them and which has left behind its traces, "your spirits are alive because of righteousness," the righteousness that charity pours out into our hearts (Rom. 8:10). It is with respect to the life of Christian righteousness that St. Paul says, "and your life is hidden." Set free from human judgment, we should count as true only what God sees in us, what He knows, and what He judges. God does not judge as man does. Man sees only the countenance, only the exterior. God penetrates to the depths of our hearts. God does not change as man does. His judgment is in no way inconstant. He is the only one upon whom we should rely. How happy we are then, and how peaceful! We are no longer dazzled by appearances or stirred up by opinions; we are united to the truth and depend on it alone.

I am praised, blamed, treated with indifference, disdained, ignored, or forgotten; none of this can touch me. I will be no less than I am. Men and women want to play at being creator. They want to give me existence in their opinion, but this existence that they want to give me is nothingness. It is an illusion, a shadow, an appearance, that is, at bottom, nothingness. What is this shadow, always following me, behind me, at my side? Is it me, or something that belongs to me? No. Yet does not this shadow seem to move with me? No matter: it is not me. So it is with the judgments of men: they would follow me everywhere, paint me, sketch me, make me move according to their whim, and, in the end, give me some sort of existence. But in the end, I know it well: this is only a flickering light that takes me from one side to the other, that lengthens, shortens, swells, or shrinks from the shadow that follows me, that makes it appear in various ways and disappear without my gaining or losing anything of my own. And what is this image of myself that I see reflected in the flowing stream? It blurs and erases itself; it disappears when the water is stirred up, but what have I lost? Nothing but a useless amusement. So it is with the opinions and judgments men form according to their lights. Alas, not only do I amuse myself with them as with a game; I stop, and I take them for something serious and true, and this shadow, this fragile image troubles me and makes me anxious, and I believe myself to be losing something. But I am disabused of this error. I am content with a hidden life. How peaceful it is! Whether I truly live this Christian life of which St. Paul speaks, I do not know, nor can I know with certainty. But I hope that I do, and I trust in God's goodness to help me.

~ Jacques-Bénigne Bossuet



PRAYER

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, March 30

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH

- 4:00 p.m. Tom Benson; Mary Ann Ciravolo; Louise Martin; Lois L. Walk; St. Lucy Society—Living and Deceased **St. PATRICK'S CHURCH**
- 5:30 p.m. Mary Louise Johnston; Harold W. Johnston, Jr.; Stephanie Johnston Summers; Melanie Taylor; "In Memory of" Bulletin List

Sunday, March 31

- 8:00 a.m. Pro Populo-For the People of the Parish
- 9:15 a.m. Amstutz Family; Andrew Bagwell; Cassara Family; Jane O'Brien Chatelain; Francis Dumas; Rhonda Langley; Anthony J. Lulich, Sr.; Joan Madore; Dr. Brian Maher & Family; Norma McClellan; McCloskey Family; Mary Lynn McShane; John W. McTopy, II; Emile A. Oustalet, III; Melanie Taylor; Jerry Toppel

11:00 a.m. Leonardo A. Spalluto

5:30 p.m. Ronald B. Keever

Monday, April 1

- 11:30 a.m. Purgatorial List
- 12 Noon Austin D'Alfonso

Tuesday, April 2

11:30 a.m. Blaise Leonardo Misse 12 Noon Lucy McGann Wednesday, April 3

- 11:00 a.m. Purgatorial List
- 12 Noon Bryce Joseph LeBlanc, Sr.

<u>Thursday, April 4</u>

11:30 a.m. Coleman J. Mauberret.
12 Noon Morris Molaison, Jr.
Friday, April 5
11:30 a.m. Purgatorial List

12 Noon Jack Fary 5:30 p.m. Special Intention



PRAYERS FOR THE FAITHFUL

For the sick of our parish and those who have asked for our prayers, especially: Stephen Bailey; G. Barbe; Ronald P. Barreca; Elliana Belew; Karen O'Keefe Belew; Harold Berrigan; Grace Blanchard; D. Burt; Father Ronnie Calkins; Belle Cashio; Tony Clesi; Howard Comeaux; M. deBlanc; Elias Ebrahim; Bob Elmwood; Margaret Fanning; Gregory Frabier; Stephani Frabier; Mary R. Gates; Kathleen Gaudet; R. Gautraux; Audra Guilbeaux; Jerry Harris; Joyce Harris; Cy Hoormann; Emi Hunley; Earline Huster; Anna Jobes; Elaine Johnson; Father Stanley Klores; Joyce Kurtich, Stewart Lagarde; Donald G. Lambert; Sharon W. Lambert; Albert Leonhard; Daniel Mead; Maxwell Mears; Laura S. Melancon; Vickie Middleton; Steven V. Murthy & Family; Dr. A. Forrest Pendleton; Marcella Pierce; Eric C. Pitre; Thomas Plunkett; Chilton Porter; John Provensano; Richards Family; Herbie Robertson; Lee Rung; Pat Russo; E. Smith; Dr. Charles Taggart; Sylvia Talamp; S. Turkington; Edward Turncliff; Charles Ventre; Amanda M. Waring; Joseph Wegmann; Albert Weidenbacher, Jr.