

Saint Patrick's Church

National Historic Landmark
Established 1833

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St. John the Baptist
Catholic Church
NEW ORLEANS HISTORIC LANDMARK
ESTABLISHED 1851

St. John the Baptist Masses
Saturday 4pm, Sunday 9:15am

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ST. PATRICK'S MASSES

Saturday 8:00 am (Extraordinary Form)
5:30 pm (Anticipated Mass)

Sunday 8 am, 9:15 am (Extraordinary Form) &
11 am & 5:30 pm

Monday-Friday 7:15 am (Extraordinary Form) &
11:30 am

Holy Days *Please check the bulletin and online calendar for
Holy Day schedules and any Mass schedule
changes.*

CONFESSIONS

30 minutes prior to Masses and by appointment.

DEVOTIONS

Novena after the 11:30 am Mass Wednesdays
Adoration and Rosary after the 11:30 am Mass Daily

BAPTISMS

Please call the office to schedule your Baptism.

WEDDINGS

Please call Paige Saleun at the parish office for wedding
inquiries at least 6 – 8 months prior to the wedding date.

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS

Please make St. Patrick's your spiritual home whenever you are in New Orleans.

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PARISH NEWS

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MASS PROPER

EXTRAORDINARY FORM—SUNDAY AT 9:15 A.M.

Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost (comm. Nativity BVM)

ORDINARY FORM—ALL OTHER MASSES

Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

MONTHLY YOUNG ADULTS BOOK CLUB

Inaugural Meeting

Wednesday, September 11 at 6:30 p.m.

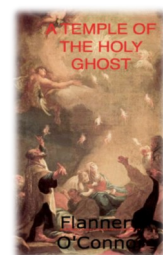
St. Patrick's Rectory

724 Camp Street, New Orleans

Flannery O'Connor's "A Temple of the Holy Ghost"

A selection from her collection of essays

Mystery & Manners will be discussed over wine & hors d'oeuvres.



If you'd like to join the conversation, please **RSVP** via StPatsBookClub@gmail.com to be added to the email list & receive each month's great literature pairings!

REMINDER THAT NEXT WEEKEND SEPTEMBER 15TH, THE SECOND COLLECTION IS FOR CATHOLIC COMMUNICATIONS

ST. PATRICK'S ORGAN RECITAL

Sunday, September 29th at 3:00pm, Simon Templet, a son of this parish, will present an organ recital here at St. Patrick's. The music he will play is by **J.S. Back, Franck, Guilmant**, and others. Admission is free of charge and a reception will follow in the rectory. All are welcome to come hear this very talented young man!

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION

If you're interested in receiving the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and/or First Eucharist, the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) process is designed to serve you! We can answer any questions you may have about becoming Catholic. Please contact the parish office for more information. **Classes begin Monday, September 9th, 2019 at 7pm.**

DONATION ENVELOPES

You should have received your new envelopes for September and October. If not, **PLEASE CALL** the office, 504-525-4413. If you are a new parishioner and have registered after July 15th, you may not get envelopes until October for November/December, until then, please put in Memo where you would like your funds directed. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the office.

EVENING OF CONFESSION WEDNESDAY
5-6:30 pm

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ST. PATRICK'S ROSARY INITIATIVE

FOR OUR BELOVED PRIEST &
THE HOLY SOULS IN PURGATORY

ALL ARE INVITED TO PRAY WITH US

Sign-up sheets are in the Narthex. Thank you!



UPCOMING SPECIAL MASSES

☞ **Feast of the Holy Cross** Solemn High Mass
Saturday, September 14, 9:15am

☞ **Sung Requiem Mass** Tuesday, September 17, 5:30pm

☞ **Feast of St. Therese** Solemn High Mass
Thursday, October 3, 5:30pm

OUTREACH TO THE ELDERLY

An initiative is underway for St. Patrick's parishioners to **visit the elderly in nursing homes**. The visits will be occur once a month and consist of conversing with residents and joining then in song. If you are interested in participating, please contact Fr. Garrett for more information. Families are welcome!



STEWARDSHIP

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED

Part-Time Volunteer Receptionists: Come help for one 1/2 or full day a week or a month! We need afternoon coverage. Call the parish office if you can help.

St. Patrick's Altar Society: Keeping our church beautiful is a team effort. Fr. O'Brien is seeking to form a parish Altar Society to take care of linens and help with cleaning/tidying the church. Call the parish office if you can help.

Parish Garden: Our parish grounds needs continual weeding, watering, and care. Call the parish office to lend us your Green Thumb!

Ushers: Ushers are needed for our Saturday Vigil Mass at 5:30 pm at St. Patrick's, as well as at our 5:30 pm evening Mass on Sundays. If you are interested in serving as an usher, please contact the parish office.

WEEKEND OFFERING—SEPTEMBER 1, 2019

The weekend totals were unable to be included in this bulletin. Due to an early deadline, the bulletin needed to be submitted before the weekend collections. The collections will be printed in the next bulletin. Thank you!

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!



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



IN MEMORY OF

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
 Peter D. Bowen
 Mr. and Mrs. Leo J. Bowen, Jr.
 Freddie Z. Boyer
 Patricia Stassi Chassaniol
 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
 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
 Odus 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
 Mr. and Mrs. Lambert J. Gonzales, Jr.
 Graugnard and St. Pierre Families
 Everett and Irene Guillory
 Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Valsin Guillotte
 Hand and Lampard Families
 Cleveland and Clothilde Harris
 William Hebeisen
 Frank Casper Hemelt
 Patricia Hepler
 Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Hingle
 Mr. John James Hoolahan
 Hoormann, Fischer, and
 Clement Families
 Bessie and Allen Jeansonne
 Mary and John Jeansonne
 Frank Emil Johnson, III
 Dr. Harry D. Johnson
 Sgt. Harold William Johnston, Jr., USMC
 Mary Louise Johnston
 Casey and Margie K. Jones and Family
 George B. Jurgens IV
 Wendy Kirkland
 James S. Klazynski, Sr.
 Lagarde and Lapeyre Families
 Anna P. Landreneau
 Belinda Christine Lazaro
 William and Delta Lazaro, Sr.
 Brenda and Gregory M. Lewis
 Capt. Hillary Lincoln
 Luccioni Family
 Mitchell Dragutin Lulich
 Renée Blache Lulich and Family
 Elvera and Sidney Martin
 Masson and Paulin Families
 Leonora V. Maurice
 Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Maurin, Jr.
 Mr. and Mrs. William L. Maylie
 Norma Cameron McClellan

McCrossen & Neely Family
 Albert G. and Cecelia Messina
 Michell and Walk Families
 Moreau - Walgamotte Family
 Beverly Beter Orillion and Family
 Robert O'Sullivan
 Mary and Frank Parlipiano
 Christopher Peller
 Patrick Logan Petagna
 Paul and Mary Isabella Poitevin
 Mr. and Mrs. Julius B. Prager II
 Ramirez, Mackie, and Turner Families
 Redmann and Rapier Families
 Jeremy Reed
 David Warren Reeks
 Anna Morovich Rickoll
 Jack Markem Riley, Jr.
 Roy A. Robichaux, Sr.
 Roussel and Sherman Families
 Lucy and Howard Scanlan
 Scarpinato and Mancuso Families
 Louis and Gladys Schwartz
 Carl and Marjorie Sklamba
 Smith-Melancon Family
 Smith, Salles and Barkerding Families
 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
 Charles and Sadie Thomas
 Hilton and Mary Touns
 Mark Anthony Touns
 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

ST. PATRICK'S PASCHAL CANDLE

In memory of Lucy and Howard Scanlan & Bessie and Allen Jeansonne

ST. PATRICK'S SANCTUARY CANDLE

In memory of Joseph Maselli & Joseph Maselli, III

CANDLE AT THE ALTAR OF THE SACRED HEART

In memory of Coleman J. Mauberret

CANDLE AT THE STATUE OF ST. PATRICK

In memory of Claire Parson & Yvonne Guillory

CANDLE AT THE STATUE OF ST. JOSEPH

In memory of Lucy and Howard Scanlan & Bessie and Allen Jeansonne

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH SANCTUARY CANDLE

In memory of Lois L. Walk

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 soon as possible.



SERVITE DOMINO IN TIMORE

A few weeks ago, in the annual financial report that I published, I mentioned that we will be replacing our air conditioning system in the coming year. I'm glad to say that we now have approval from the Archdiocese and a concrete plan to move forward with that work. First, a reminder of why we need the new system. Our current system was installed in the late 1980's and has suffered from a gradual decline in its efficiency. Some of the components have permanent flaws which cannot be fixed due to the loss of integrity over time. The external components are rusted and some are held together with zip-ties. Such deterioration is a real safety hazard to those who use our parish courtyard. The 5 independent units that cool our church are regulated individually and are not easily adjusted to maintain a consistent temperature. Most noticeably, the system is no longer capable of maintaining a comfortable temperature for our Sunday morning Mass schedule. This is complicated by our historic building which "leaks" cool air through walls, floors and doors. Finally, the current system cannot address the moisture issue which is causing the dark discoloration to the upper portions of the organ case. This discoloration is caused by poor circulation at upper levels, inadequate dehumidification and "overcooling." Overcooling is a phenomenon that occurs when, in order to overcompensate for the larger Sunday crowds, the interior temperature is lowered more than normal, even into the upper 60's. With an interior temperature that low, the influx of warm air that comes when parishioners arrive more easily condensates on hard surfaces. Such condensation leaves our organ and ceiling prone to discoloration. Even the interior of the organ itself has been effected by this problem.

For all of these reasons Fr. Bozant and our parish finance council have been planning to replace the air conditioning for some time now. After a formal study by an engineering firm and consultations with two mechanical design firms, I have chosen a path forward. The proposal that I accepted was the more affordable of the two. The price tag for the equipment and installation is estimated to be \$300,000. Additional fees (roughly 10%) will be added for engineering and design work. This plan includes a system with 15 additional "tons" of air handling capacity. Overcooling will be prevented by an electronic regulation/thermostat system. Built-in dehumidification components will address the upper-level moisture problems along with increased circulation. The plan includes thorough cleaning of our current duct work and an upgrade to our current electrical service components. With the new system, I have asked that the outdoor components be relocated to the driveway, freeing up valuable courtyard space—not to mention less noise and more safety during the coffee hour! In addition, the new equipment will be quieter on the inside of the church and will be rearranged to create more floor space in the two sacristies.

I am told that when the contractor is ready to install the new system, it will require about 3-4 weeks worth of work. The engineering, design and equipment-ordering will take roughly 8 months. Therefore, I anticipate that the work inside the church will occur about mid-March of 2020. Our contractor is familiar with work in churches and we hope to have a minimal impact on our Sunday Mass schedule. I'm very grateful for the expertise of our finance council and other parishioners who have advised me on this project. May St. Patrick pray for us as we continue to bring honor to the Most Holy Trinity through sincere and fitting worship!

~ Fr. O'Brien



PRAYER

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, September 7

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH

4:00 p.m. Tom Benson; Evelyn Joan Boudreaux; Mary Ann
Vigil Ciravolo; Lois L. Walk; St. Lucy Society—Living and
 Deceased; Lillian O. Wilson

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

8:00 a.m. Intention of Bridget Watson
 5:30 p.m. Alisa Harvey; Mary Louise Johnston; Harold W.
Vigil Johnston, Jr.; Stephanie Johnston Summers; Joyce
 Kurtich; In Memory of "Bulletin List"

Sunday, September 8

8:00 a.m. Pro Populo—For the People of the Parish

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH

9:15 a.m. Louise Martin

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

9:15 a.m. Amstutz Family; Intention of Allan E. "Pops"
 Amundson; John E. Anderson; Patricia L. Berrigan; Finn
 Blaylock; Intention of Fr. Ian M. Bozant; Cassara Family;
 Jane O'Brien Chatelain; Intention of Dwane Drews;
 Robert Hill; Lovenia Hirstius; Intention of Keriann
 Langley; Norma McClellan; McCloskey Family; James
 David Paul; Leonardo Spalluto; Intention of Pat Taggart;
 Frank J. Varela, Sr.
 11:00 a.m. Frederick Belou
 5:30 p.m. Intentions of Mark and Linda Price

Monday, September 9

7:15 a.m. Intention of Mary Ramirez
 11:30 a.m. Intentions of St. Patrick's Staff

Tuesday, September 10

7:15 a.m. Intention of Gina Signorelli Tomasella
 11:30 a.m. Blaise Leonardo Misse

Wednesday, September 11

7:15 a.m. Intention of Troy Tomasella
 11:30 a.m. Allan E. Amundson, Jr.

Thursday, September 12

7:15 a.m. Intention of Stephen Ochoa
 11:30 a.m. Intentions of Mark & Kim DeVillier Family

Friday, September 13

7:15 a.m. Intention of Jeannine Rambin
 11:30 a.m. Intention of Fr. Garrett O'Brien

PRAYERS FOR THE FAITHFUL

For the sick of our parish and those who have asked for our prayers, especially:

Melinda Andrews; Stephen Bailey; G. Barbe; Ronald P. Barreca; Elliana
 Belew; Karen O'Keefe Belew; Harold Berrigan; D. Burt; The Casey Family;
 Belle Cashio; Tony Clesi; Howard Comeaux; Brendan David; Mark Dupre;
 Elias Ebrahim; Andrew Englande; Margaret Fanning; Dr. Warren Ferrand;
 Gregory Frabier; Stephani Frabier; Mary R. Gates; Kathleen Gaudet; R.
 Gautraux; Audra Guilbeaux; Joyce Harris; Cy Hoormann; Erni Hunley;
 Earline Huster; Anna Jobes; Fr. Stanley Klores; Stewart Lagarde; Donald G.
 Lambert; Sharon W. Lambert; Jake Lemmon; Albert Leonhard; Stephen
 Andrew Losec; 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 Provenciano;
 Richards Family; Herbie Robetson; Lee Rung; Pat Russo; Antoine Bernard
 Saleun; E. Smith; Dr. Charles Taggart; Sylvia Talamp; S. Turkington; Edward
 Tumcliff; Charles Ventre; Amanda M. Waring; Albert Weidenbacher, Jr.