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NEW YEAR'S MASS TIMES

St. Patrick's: Dec. 31: 5:30 p.m., Jan. 1, 9:15 a.m.

St. John the Baptist: Dec. 31: 4 p.m.



MARY MOTHER OF GOD
HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS

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

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MASS PROPERS

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

Sunday within the Octave of Christmas

ORDINARY FORM—ALL OTHER MASSES

The Holy Family

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

*We welcome the newest member of the Catholic Church;
we ask for your prayers for Max and his family!*

DECEMBER 28, 2019

Max Bernardus Muller



NEW YEAR'S PARISH OFFICE HOURS

The Parish Office will be closed for New Year's Eve, Tuesday, **December 31st** and New Year's Day Wednesday, **January 1st, 2020**. Office will reopen January 2nd at 9 a.m.

IN-MEMORY OF BULLETIN LIST

The **In-Memory of List** will re-new beginning January 1st, 2020. Please call Paige Saleun in the Parish office at 504-525-4413 to add a name, or pick up an **envelope in the Narthex** and put in a collection. It will run the full year, January 1 through December 31, 2020.

UPCOMING SPECIAL MASSES (LATIN)

☞ **Our Lady of Prompt Succor** January 8, 6:30 p.m.

☞ **Requiem** January 18, 9:15 a.m.

☞ **Candle Mass with Procession** February 2, 9 a.m.

☞ **Requiem** February 18, 6:30 p.m.

"COFFEE HOUR"

Reminder that there is "**Coffee Hour**" with coffee, juice and pastries on Sunday mornings after 9:15 a.m. Mass and 11 a.m. Mass. Please joins us in Reynolds Hall behind the rectory.

YEAR 2020 MASS BOOK OF INTENTIONS, CANDLE MEMORIALS

Mass Intentions for 2020 are being accepted. Turn in your Mass Intention requests by mail, collection basket, Mass Intention envelopes or in the rectory.

Mass Intention donations at \$5.00 each (Intention/Mass)

Memorial Candles burn weekly in the memory of a loved one. We have Single Statue Candles, the Sanctuary Candle of bees wax and altar memorials at the Blessed Virgin Mother and the Sacred Heart of Jesus with 6 candles at each altar.

Please contact Paige Saleun at 504-525-4413 x201.



Lessons and Carols

SUNDAY, JANUARY 5TH ~ 4 P.M.

We will have our traditional Christmas service of Nine Lessons and Carols here at St. Patrick's on Epiphany Sunday, January 5th, 2020, at 4:00 p.m. Please join us for this festive service of Scripture readings interspersed with beloved carols and hymns for choir and congregation.

All are welcome!

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.



STEWARDSHIP

WEEKEND OFFERINGS:

DECEMBER 15, 2019

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

First Collection (Operating Costs)

\$1,739

Second Collection (Restoration & Maintenance)

\$1,436

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

First Collection (Operating Costs)

\$10,440

Second Collection (Restoration & Maintenance)

\$3,490

WEEKEND OFFERING—DECEMBER 22, 2019

Due to early submission deadline, the collections will be printed in the next bulletin. Thank you for your generosity!

UPDATED DECEMBER 8, 2019

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

First Collection (Operating Costs)

\$914

Second Collection (Retirement for Religious)

\$700

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.



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
 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
 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 - Schaez 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 ALTAR OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MOTHER

In Memory of Alice & Vincent Luccioni

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

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If you notice an error in the names as printed, please alert the office as soon as possible.



SERVITE DOMINUM IN TIMORE

What a joy to celebrate our Lord's Nativity with all of you. My first Christmas as pastor of St. Patrick's will certainly be one to remember! Having so many visitors with us is a sincere reminder that St. Patrick's has a special place in the hearts of so many local Catholics. **I would like to express my deep and sincere gratitude to all of those who contributed their time and financial resources to make our celebrations so solemn.** Christmas is our opportunity to practice what we preach: that our new-born King deserves only the best! This mystery of Christmas is something to be pondered not only in the context of a beautiful Mass, but throughout this whole season of Christmas, indeed throughout our lives!

When I lived in Washington, DC, I was blessed to reside at St. Mary, Mother of God parish, just a few blocks away from the National Gallery of Art. Of the many paintings of the Madonna and Child there, my favorite is a piece from Raphael painted in 1508 called the *Alba Madonna*. An image is below. The work is striking for many reasons. First, notice how Raphael uses the posture of the Blessed Mother to complement and balance the round frame of the image. The image is circular, and our Lady is at the center, but yet she, our infant Lord and St. John the Baptist all redirect the viewer's attention from the center to the cross. The gaze of all three look upon the cross with a prayerful serenity. Our Lady closes her book of scripture (a sign of God's promise) to look upon cross (the sign of God's fulfillment). Arranged at the feet of our Lady are symbolic plants and flowers: lady's bedstraw for childbirth, cyclamen for love and sorrow, violets for humility, dandelions and red-centred anemones for the Passion of Jesus.

Just as in one celebration of the Mass, so many aspects of our faith are summarized and symbolized, so too, through sacred art we can gain new insights onto the great and divine mysteries unfolding for us in the life of Christ! ~ Fr. O'Brien



PRAYER

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, December 28

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH

4 p.m. Tom Benson
Vigil

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

8 a.m. Angel D. & Colbert Henry
5:30 p.m. Margie H. Perniciaro
Vigil

Sunday, December 29

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH

9:15 a.m. Louise Martin

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

8 a.m. Pro Populo—For the People of the Parish
9:15 a.m. Amstutz Family; Mr. & Mrs. William Andre; Cassara Family; Jane O'Brien Chatelain; Joy Bobinger Erme; Intentions of Arthur Hess & Family; Intentions of Roquey & Anna Jobes; Intention of Rhonda Langley; Norma McClellan; McCloskey Family; Intention of Carol Miceli; Intention of Jacques Lawrence Zolton Nemeth; Intention of Walter Rizo; Leonardo Spalluto; Robertson Buell Tucker; Peter John Vandercook; For all living and deceased in the Parish 2019 Mass Intention Book

11 a.m. Emma Rhea LeSage

5:30 p.m. Mark Anthony Toups

Monday, December 30

7:15 a.m. Intention of Martin Hess

11:30 a.m. Peter John Vandercook

Tuesday, December 31

7:15 a.m. Amstutz Family

11:30 a.m. Blaise Leonardo Misse

5:30 p.m. Intentions for St. Patrick Parish Staff

Wednesday, January 1

9:15 a.m. William H. Meisch

Thursday, January 2

7:15 a.m. Special Intention

11:30 a.m. Fr. Garrett O'Brien

Friday, January 3

7:15 a.m. Special Intention

11:30 a.m. Anna Molaison

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; Elliana Belew; Karen O'Keefe Belew; Harold Berrigan; Fr. Ian Bozant; D. Burt; The Call Family; 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 Hoomann; Emi Hunley; Earline Huster; Anna Jobes; The Jones Family; Danny Kiffe; Fr. Stanley Klores; Stewart Lagarde; Donald G. Lambert; Sharon W. Lambert; Meredith Landry; Jake Lemmon; Albert Leonhard; Stephen Andrew Losee; Garry Luccioni; Eva M. Martinez; Martinez Family; Daniel Mead; Maxwell Mears; Laura S. Melancon; Olivia L. Merington; Vickie Middleton; Steven V. Murphy & Family; Dr. A. Forrest Pendleton; Tim Pickles; Marcella Pierce; Eric C. Pitre; Thomas Plunkett; Chilton Porter; John Provencano; Richards Family; Herbie Robertson; Lee Rung; Pat Russo; Antoine B. Saleun; E. Smith; Dr. Charles Taggart; Sylvia Talamp; S. Turkington; Edward Turncliff; Charles Ventre; Albert Weidenbacher, Jr.; Melissa Willmon; Sharon L. Wiseman.



CHRISTMAS FLOWERS IN MEMORY AND HONOR OF . . .

Dallas Alleman, Sr.	Therese Fitzpatrick	Gloria Ronzello
Allen & Kauffman Families	Zelie Fitzpatrick	John, Lilly & Michael Rosenburg
Walter Amstutz	Teresa Gamundi	Carl Roussel Sr.
LaVon & William Andre	Carol Gemeli	Roussel & Sherman Families
Joseph Angelette	F.A. & Mary Ann Graugnard	Capt. & Mrs. B. A. Rousselle
C. Wayne Bambarger	Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Valsin Guillotte	Fr. Donald Saunders, S.J.
Mary E. Bambarger	Mr. & Mrs. Joseph P. Hingle	Howard and Lucy Scanlan
Julia Bayli	Ed Holden	Frank Sherman, Sr.
Frederick A. Belou	Sue Holden	Smith & Ricard Families
Robert & Marie Bentel	Barbara Horrigan	John D. Sparck
Dr. Walter Birdsall	Albert & Madge Hughes	Mr. & Mrs. Peter J. Spera, Sr.
James Birdsall	George & Annie Imbert	Elzet & Elise St. Pierre
Jefferson & Sandra Blanchard	Allen & Bessie Jeansonne	Mitchell Stella
Mr. & Mrs. Jefferson Blanchard, Jr.	Lorraine Johnson	Josephine Stenger
Mr. & Mrs. Jefferson Blanchard, Sr.	Dr. Harry D. Johnson	Eugene & Virginia Swartz
Lena Bonin	Valentine Jones	Paul Templet
Bowman B. Bourgeois	Rita Keller	Jerry Toppel
Mr. & Mrs. Lenox Bourgeois, Sr.	Richard & Diane Kilar	Margaret Toppel
Fr. Ian Bozant	Benjamin Kiper	Thomas L. Walgamotte
Gerald G. Buluig	Marie Lee Kiper	Lucus J. Wall
John D. Burckell	Fr. Stanley Klores	Phyllis & Louis Ware
Mr. & Mrs. Peter Butler	Ester LaVigne	
Mr. Patrick J. Butler	Belinda Christine Lazaro	
Calleja & Chase Families	Robert & Helen Leibsle	
Emily Cerena	Emma Rhea LeSage	
Louis, Goldie & Liby Champagne	Lucien LeSage	
Jane O. Chatelain	Capt. Hillary Lincoln	
In Honor of Robert M. Citino	Charles P. Luke	
Terry L. Collette	Gene Luke	
Percy David	JoAnn Luke	
Deceased Choir Members	Mathes & Molyneux Families	
Deroche Children	Mr. & Mrs. Carlo Miceli, Sr.	
Deacon Chris DiGrado	Mr. & Mrs. Morris H. Molaison, Jr.	
Luccille Ducatel	Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Molaison, Sr.	
Marcel Ducatel	Oran Moreau	
Thurmond & Dorothy Duggan	Murla & Emerick Families	
Ernest Duhe, Jr.	Fr. Garret M. O'Brien	
Fr. William Farge, S.J.	Charles Pereria	
Michael Fay	Emilie Pereria	
S. Michael Finley	Priests & Religious	
Gabriel Fitzpatrick	Angelo Ronzello	

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our beautiful Christmas Flowers.
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the names as printed,
We are sincerely apologetic.