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St. John the BaptistCatholic Church

New Orleans Historic Landmark

Established 1851

St. John the Baptist Masses Saturday 4 p.m., Sunday 9:15 a.m.

REV. RANDY ROUX, CHAPLAIN

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Ash Wednesday February 17, 2021



Masses - St. Patrick's, 7:00 a.m. (E.F.) 11:00 a.m., 11:45 a.m. & 12:30 p.m.

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 PROPERS

EXTRAORDINARY FORM—SUNDAY AT 9:15 A.M.
Quinquagesima Sunday
ORDINARY FORM—ALL OTHER MASSES

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

UPCOMING SPECIAL MASSES (LATIN)

St. Patrick's Day, March 17, 6:30 p.m. Annunciation, March 25, 6:30 p.m.

St. Patrick's Additional Mass

Fr. O'Brien has reinstated the 1:30 p.m. Sunday Mass in the Extraordinary Form with Organ Music.

Please if you are looking for a smaller crowd at Mass, join us at 1:30 p.m.

This Mass will not be livestreamed.

This Mass will continue weekly until further notice.

MASS AND MASK GUIDELINES

Masks are required in accord with the Governor's Mandate

•We are still dispensed from Sunday Mass obligation, so if you are compromised in any way, feel ill or have been in contact with someone who has been ill, please stay home.

•Wear a mask during Mass. If you choose to receive Communion, please remove the mask prior to receiving the Sacred Host.

•Please maintain 6 feet of distance between households at all times.

MASS WILL CONTINUE TO BE LIVESTREAMED THROUGH OUR WEBSITE SUNDAY 9:15 A.M. & 11 A.M.

SPRING BOOK STUDY HAS BEGUN ~ APOLOGETICS

Anthony Bueche began the series on Apologetics on **February 3, 2021**. The sessions are on Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. in the rectory. All are welcome! Please contact Megan Coote in the office with any questions if you'd like to join.

ARCHDIOCESE WIDE CONFESSIONS

Confession is available on the following Wednesdays from 5 p.m.—6:30 p.m.,
March 10, 17 & 24, 2021
St. Patrick's Church and all other parishes





BANNS OF MATRIMONY

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

St. Patrick's Church

FEBRUARY 20, 2021

KACIE MICHELLE BRAUD & JOSHUA RICHARD CUPIT

St. John the Baptist Church

FEBRUARY 27, 2021

MEGAN LOUISE ANDERSON & NICHOLAS JOHN RUSSOLINO

MARDI GRAS SCHEDULE ADJUSTMENTS

There <u>will be</u> 5:30 p.m. Mass at St. Patrick's Sunday, February 14, 2021.

The parish office **will be** closed Monday & Tuesday, February 15 & 16, 2021 for Mardi Gras break

> 11:30 a.m. Mass will be cancelled on Tuesday, March 16th





Stewardship



Francis de Sales Oratory Institute of Christ the King 802 South Huntington St. Sulphur, La THE SECOND COLLECTION
FOR THIS WEEK AT
ST. PATRICK'S WILL BE FOR
ST. FRANCIS DE SALES
INSTITUTE OF
CHRIST THE KING
IN SULPHUR, LOUISIANA

Thank you in advance for your generosity!

WEEKEND OFFERINGS: FEBRUARY 7, 2021

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

First Collection (Operating Costs) \$938

Second Collection (Restoration & Maintenance)

St. Patrick's Church

First Collection (Operating Costs) \$6,250 Second Collection (Restoration & Maintenance) \$3,093

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!



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The Ahmed Families

Alfortish Family

Allen-Kauffman Family

Walter G. Amstutz

Ronald P. Barreca

Berrigan & Moll Families

Walt & James Birdsall

Leanora Goodyear Breecher

Louis Breecher, Sr.

Mr. Lawrence C. Britto

Lawton D. Brunson

Mr. & Mrs. Peter J. Butler

Emily Cercena

Father Wilfredo T. Comellas

Mr. & Mrs. Edward J. Cook, Jr

Patricia Sutton Cromiller

Robert & Elizabeth Crosby

Mr. George Paul "GP" Dalton

Mrs. Irma Dalton

Maurice & Helen Dance

George O. DeMilia &

Judge H. Charles Gaudin

Dr. Wayne Wait Dilzell

Ernest W. Dulte, Jr.

Robert E. Elmwood, Major, USMC, Ret

Leta Fayard

Capt. Joseph & Condalaura Fletchas

Miss Katherine Foster

Odis & Imogene Fowler

Joseph R. Fritscher, Jr.

Adolf & Angelina Gattuso

Graugnard & St. Pierre Families

Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Valsin Guillotte

William D. Hebeisen

Frank Casper Hemelt

Miss Patricia Hepler

Hoormann, Fischer & Clement Families W. G. & Sadie Stroud

Frank Emil Johnson

Johnston & Pitre Families

Casey & Margie Jones

Wendy Ann Kirkland

Lagarde & Lapeyre Families

Belinda Christine Lazaro

William & Delta Lazaro, Sr.

Brenda & Greg Lewis

Luccioni Family

Renée & John Lulich, Jr. & Family

Elvera & Sidney Martin

Masson & Paulin Families

Leonora V. Maurice

Bob & Lillie Maurin

Norma McClellan

Carla McClelland

Albert G. & Cecelia M. Messina

Nassau & Foster Families

Daniel F., Sr. & Martha D. Nolan

Jane O'Chatelain

Beverly Beter Orillion & Family

Robert O'Sullivan

Paul and Mary Isabella Poitevin

Ramirez & Mackie Families

Redmann & Rapier Families

Jeremy Reed

Jack Markem Riley, Jr.

Roy Robichaux, Sr.

Roussel & Sherman Families

Gladys & Luis Schwartz

Carl & Marjorie Sklamba

Smith, Salles & Barkerding Families

Leonardo Spalluto

John D. Sparck

W. Gilbert Stroud, Jr.

W. G. & Sadie Stroud
Anna & Joseph Szabo
Patrick F. Taylor
Charles "Red" & Sadie Thomas
Hilton & Mary Toups
Mark Anthony Toups
Salvador Trentacoste
Lucille Cashio Tuminello
Hank Vosbein
Versie & Leona Wallace
Mary Helen Wentz

Harold J. Wheeler

Rev. Anthony J. White

Jonathan Philip Wilson

Robert & Lillian Wilson

Jack H. & Cynthia Young

ST. PATRICK'S PASCHAL CANDLE

Please pray for the Staff of St. Patrick's

ST. PATRICK'S SANCTUARY CANDLE

Please pray for all priests who have served St. Patrick's

CANDLES AT THE ALTAR OF THE SACRED HEART
Please pray for the Parishioners of St. Patrick's

CANDLES AT THE ALTAR OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MOTHER Please pray for Tammy O'Brien

CANDLE AT THE STATUE OF ST. PATRICK
Please pray for Ben Bragg

CANDLE AT THE STATUE OF ST. JOSEPH
Please pray for the staff of St. Patrick's

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH SANCTUARY CANDLE

Please pray for the Parishioners of St. John the Baptist

If you would like to add a name to the
In Memory of List,
statue or altar candles,
call Paige in 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.



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, February 13

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH

4 p.m. Eric Rossent, Lois Lauland Walkt; St. Lucy Society Living and Deceased

St. Patrick's Church

8 a.m. David M. Mills

5:30 p.m. Allan E. "Pops" Amundson, Jr.†; Lorn Bourgeois, Sr.; Conversion of President Joseph R. Biden, Jr.; Linda Mattingly†; Jeannie Young†

Sunday, February 14

St. John the Baptist Church

9:15 a.m. Donna Dragon†

St. Patrick's Church

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

9:15 a.m. Dallas Alleman; Amstutz Family; Mr. & Mrs. William Andre†; Conversion of President Joseph R. Biden, Jr.; Lorn Bourgeois, Sr.; Cassara Family; Wilma Dorie†; Joseph A. Fernandez, Sr.†; Mrs. Dora Higgins; In Memory of List; Teresa Liuzza; Mr. & Mrs. Roy Marchand & Children; Norma McClellan†; McCloskey Family; Bill McGann†; Jane O'Chatelain†; President Donald J. Trump

11 a.m. Karen Sepko

1:30 p.m. John Kevin Watson

5:30 p.m. Lorn Bourgeois, Sr.

Monday, February 15

7:15 a.m. President Donald J. Trump

11:30 a.m. Hugh Ramsey

Tuesday, February 16

7:15 a.m. William Kilian†

Wednesday, February 17

7a.m. Joaquin Williams† 11 a.m. Joyce Alleman†

11:45 a.m. Karen Sepko

12:30 a.m. Mr. & Mrs. Morris Molaison, Sr.†

Thursday, February 18

7:15 a.m. Charles Woodward†

11:30 a.m. Special Intentions

Friday, February 19

7:15 a.m. Charles Woodward†

11:30 a.m. Special Intentions † Deceased

PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL
THE ARCHANGEL

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle,

Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the Devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do Thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Hosts, by the Power of God, cast into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl throughout the world seeking the ruin of souls. †Amen.



St. Patrick's Respect Life

Come pray with us on the fourth Saturday of each month in front of the Planned Parenthood abortion facility at 4636 South Claiborne Avenue. Our next Rosary will be prayed on **Saturday**, **February 27, 2021** starting at 9 a.m. and ending before 9:30 a.m. In addition to our group, there is:

SIDEWALK PRAYER WITNESSING

Would you give a bit of your personal time to help save a Life?

You can!!! By peacefully praying and witnessing at the Abortion Mill sidewalk.

Join in with the Apostolate Group leader Wilson Breaux at: **Woman's Health Care Center** - 2701 Gen. Pershing Street Wed: & Thurs: 8:00-11:00 a.m.

Planned Parenthood, - 4636 Claiborne Avenue Saturdays: 8:15 - 10:00 a.m. Your prayerful witnessing could be a turnaround decision to someone in need! For additional information contact Mr. Breaux at xr89k@yahoo.com

St. Patrick's Masses

Saturday 8 a.m. (Extraordinary Form) 5:30 p.m. (Anticipated Mass)

Sunday 8 a.m., 9:15 a.m. (Extraordinary Form)

11 a.m., 1:30 p.m. (Extraordinary Form) & 5:30 p.m.

Monday-Friday 7:15 a.m. (Extraordinary Form) & 11:30 a.m.

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 a.m. Mass Wednesdays. Adoration and Rosary after the 11:30 a.m. Mass Daily

PRAYERS FOR THE FAITHFUL

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

Melinda Andrews; April; Stephen Bailey; G. Barbe; Elliana Belew; Karen O'Keefe Belew; Harold Berrigan; Richard Bauer; Lorn Bourgeois, Sr.; Dominique Bozant; Fr. Ian Bozant; D. Burt; The Call Family; The Casey Family, Belle Cashio, Tony Clesi, Colleen Collett, Howard Comeaux, those suffering from Covid19; Cullen Creel; Brendan David; Mark Dupre; Elias Ebrahim; Andrew Englande; Margaret Fanning; Gregory Frabier; Stephani Frabier, Lisa Franke; Mary R. Gates, Kathleen Gaudet, R. Gautraux, Audra Guilbeaux; Sharon Haile; Joyce Harris; Jessica Hebert; Cy Hoormann; Emi Hunley; Earline Huster; Anna Jobes; The Jones Family; Danny Kiffe; Fr. Stanley Klores; Andre LeBlanc; Stewart Lagarde; Donald G. Lambert; Sharon W. Lambert; Meredith Landry; Jake Lemmon; Albert Leonhard; Teresa Liuzza; Stephen Andrew Losee; Gary Luccioni; Lee Lynch; Maddie Macaluso; The Matherne Family; Daniel Mead; Maxwell Mears; Laura S. Melancon; Olivia Merington; Vickie Middleton; Steven V. Murphy & Family; Tammy O'Brien; Tracy O'Dell; Dr. A. Forrest Pendleton; Marcella Pierce; Alfredo & Luz Marina Pineda; Eric C. Pitre; Dennis J. Pitre; Thomas Plunkett; Chilton Porter; John Provensano; Richards Family; Herbie Robertson; Pat Russo; Larkin Schlanker; E. Smith; Mr. & Mrs. Tim Smith, Sr. & Family; Mr. Tommy Smith, Jr.; James Swinnen; Dr. Charles Taggart; Sylvia Talamp; S. Turkington; Edward Turncliff; Charles Ventre; Mae Webb; Albert Weidenbacher, Jr.; Melissa Willmon

If you know anyone who no longer needs to be on this list, please call the office for us to remove them.

SERVITE DOMINUM IN TIMORE

February 9th marked the 139th anniversary of the death of Margaret Haughery (HAW-a-ree). She is easily among the most notable of all St. Patrick's parishioners. She arrived in the United States from Ireland as a child. The journey and transition to life in the United States were fraught with trials and tragedies. Over the next several years, Margaret would lose all of her family members and become orphaned in Balti-



more. Cared for by a sympathetic fellow Irishwoman, she married at the age of 21, but her new husband had ill health. A move to the warmer climate of New Orleans was intended to aid his condition, but their arrival coincided with a yellow fever outbreak. Her husband sought treatment in Ireland. However, once he finally arrived, he succumbed to his ailment. Their small daughter, Frances, also fell victim to health hazards of their day.

Margaret found herself widowed and alone at the age of 23. But rather than be defeated in her afflictions, she turned her life over to the service of orphans and widows. Whatever income she had, she donated to the Daughters of Charity and their efforts to care for orphans. Employed at a bakery, she gradually took over the business. It was then generously patronized by New Orleanians. She continued to use her proceeds to aid those in need. So successful was she that she was able to construct other orphanages for the city, also, St. Theresa Church. She became so beloved that she won the esteem of politicians and generals. News of her death made front-page headlines. Among her pall bearers were the governor of Louisiana and the Mayor of New Orleans. Her obituary contains a fascinating glimpse into St. Patrick's parish life from all those years ago. I've included it below.

May Margaret's life of selflessness inspires us to serve the Lord and serve others in all circumstances!

Upon arriving at St. Patrick's Church the pall bearers had great difficulty in bearing the remains through the centre siele, owing to the dense throng of persons assembled. Not only was this aisie, but those to the right and left, the body of the church, and even the galleries thronged with people.

The funeral ceremonies were conducted by the Most Rev. Monsignor Allen, who celebrated requiem mass, with the Rev. Father Fitzgerald as deacon, and the Rev. Father Heslin as sub-deacon, Archbishop Perche reading the prayers after Mass, and the venerable Rev. Father Hubert closing the services with an eloquent sermon, choosing for his text the words of Margaret: "God has been good to me. I am His child. Let Him do to me as He may please."



SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

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

<u>FEBRUARY 14, 2021</u> Nicholas Hayes Ordogne

ARCHDIOCESE GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

SUNDAY, JUNE 27, 2021 AT 3:00P.M. ST. PHIIP NERI CHURCH

This event is for couples married in the year 1971 In celebration of their

50th Wedding Anniversary
You must call the office to register by
March 12, 2021.

Please note this celebration will not be a Mass.





STATIONS OF THE CROSS

St. Patrick's Church will have
Stations of the Cross
All Friday's during Lent,
February 19 & 26, March 5, 12, 19 & 26 at
12:00 p.m. following 11:30 a.m. Mass,
Rosary and Adoration will follow.

FAMILY FUNDAMENTALS

"The Eucharist is the very source of Christian marriage. The Eucharistic Sacrifice, in fact, represents Christ's covenant of love with the Church, sealed with His blood on the Cross. In this sacrifice of the New and Eternal Covenant, Christian spouses encounter the source from which their own marriage covenant flows, is interiorly struc-

tured and continuously renewed."

St. John Paul II Familiaris Consortio

We often hear the phrase "marriage is work." What does that really mean? Why is it so often said? I believe what individuals are often referring to is essentially the sacrifice component. The act of sacrifice is an intrinsic part of marriage. The self-denial and the continual dedication to the good of the other is what sustains a mar-



riage. It makes sense that our earthly marriages reflect the Eucharistic Sacrifice. The Eucharistic Sacrifice is His covenant with the Church that cannot be broken. It is a covenant which required an incomprehensible amount of suffering to bear the fruits of heaven. So too our marriages cannot be broken and at times can seem to be riddled with pain. In the end, the Good prevails and Christ makes all things new! The fruits of a holy marriage will far outlast the earthly union. Let us always turn to our Lord and thank Him for the example of His great love and may He sustain us and our marriages as long as we both shall live.

~Megan Coote Parish Apostolate Coordinator