

# 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 4 p.m., Sunday 9:15 a.m.

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## 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

## 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

### STAFF AND CONTACTS

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### MASS PROPER

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

First Sunday in Lent

**ORDINARY FORM—ALL OTHER MASSES**

First Sunday of Lent

### UPCOMING SPECIAL MASSES (LATIN)

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

✠ Annunciation, March 25, 6:30 p.m.

✠ Palm Sunday with procession, March 28, 9 a.m.

✠ Maundy Thursday, April 1, 6:30 p.m.

✠ Good Friday Liturgy, April 2, 3 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.**

### 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  
5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.



### BANNS OF MATRIMONY

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



### St. John the Baptist Church

**FEBRUARY 27, 2021**

**MEGAN LOUISE ANDERSON & NICHOLAS JOHN RUSSOLINO**

### CALLING ALL FIRST COMMUNICANTS



If you would like your child to receive the **Sacrament of First Holy Communion** at St. Patrick's Church on Sunday, **June 6, 2021**, please contact Paige Saleun in the parish office **no later than** Thursday, April 1, 2021.

## Apologetics

### 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! You can come any week, there are different topics each week. Please contact Megan Coote in the parish office with any questions or if you'd like to join the group.



### STEWARDSHIP

**THE SECOND COLLECTION ON FEBRUARY 20/21, 2021 WILL BE FOR CATHOLIC CHARITIES**

**Thank you in advance for your generosity!**

#### WEEKEND OFFERINGS:

**FEBRUARY 14, 2021**

#### ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

First Collection (Operating Costs) **\$865**

Second Collection (Restoration & Maintenance) **\$730**

#### ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

First Collection (Operating Costs) **\$4,966**

Second Collection (Restoration & Maintenance) **\$1,241**

St. Frances de Sales, Institute of Christ the King **\$2,916**

### 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](http://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](mailto:stpatricksnola@gmail.com)





# IN MEMORY OF 2021

The Ahmed Families  
 Alfortish Family  
 Allen-Kauffman Family  
 Walter G. Amstutz  
 Ronald P. Barreca  
 The Beall Family  
 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  
 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 Touns  
 Mark Anthony Touns  
 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 20

#### ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH

4 p.m. Fr. David A. Brown, S.J.; Eric Rosson†; St. Lucy Society Living and Deceased; Lois Lauland Walk†;

#### ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

8 a.m. Mr. Emil Johnson†

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

### Sunday, February 21

#### 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. Amstutz Family; Mr. & Mrs. William Andre†; Conversion of President Joseph R. Biden, Jr.; Cassara Family; Mary Eileen Cicero†; Wilma Dorie†; Brandon Durfenet†; June Estopinal†; Mrs. Dora Higgins; In Memory of List; Henri Lapeyre; Teresa Liuzza; Mr. & Mrs. Roy Marchand & Children; Avery Marie Nemeth; Danny Martin Nemeth; Norma McClellan†; McCloskey Family; Jake Meerman & Family; Morris Molaison, Jr.; Jane O'Chatelain†; Jacob Penick; Brittany Marie Russell; President Donald J. Trump; Ray Yukum†

11 a.m. Salvador Trentacoste†

1:30 p.m. Souls in Purgatory†

5:30 p.m. Hilton & Mary Troups†

### Monday, February 22

7:15 a.m. Joaquin Williams†

11:30 a.m. Karen Sepko

### Tuesday, February 23

7:15 a.m. George MacFarren†

11:30 a.m. Cindy Hemelt

### Wednesday, February 24

7:15 a.m. Rosemary O'Brien Jernigan†

11:30 a.m. Lorn Bourgeois, Sr.

### Thursday, February 25

7:15 a.m. Andrew Mills

11:30 a.m. Karen Sepko

### Friday, February 26

7:15 a.m. Charles Woodward†

11:30 a.m. Vindy Hemelt

† Deceased

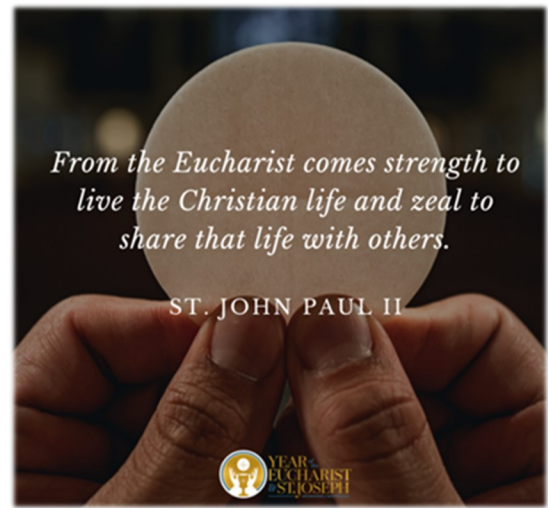


## PRAYER TO ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

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](mailto:xr89k@yahoo.com)

## 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 Cles; 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 Hoomann; Emi Hunley; Earline Huster; Anna Jobs; 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 Provansano; Gregoru Reynolds; 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

St. Patrick's restoration projects are moving along well. This past week, we have completed the fortification of the wooden beam structural member in the bell tower. Now that it is injected with epoxy, we can rest assured that our bell tower is on a firm foundation. The waterproofing of our exterior walls is also proceeding well. The parking-lot side is completed and now the courtyard side is underway. This project entails repairs cracks in our stucco, removing vegetation and resealing the windows. Again, thank you for your generosity to our second collection as well as to our Advent Appeal for making these projects possible!

Please make a special effort to join us in devotion during this season of Lent. Please consider stopping by for daily Mass, or adoration (Monday to Friday noon to 1pm). We also offer Stations of the Cross each Friday and confession is readily available prior to Mass times. COVID has disrupted our lives in so many ways; I pray that this Lent can put us on a path to safely emerge from the crisis! Why not let that emergence start with our spiritual efforts this Lent?

During the Season of Lent the Church requires us to fast and abstain from meat. Just a reminder, days of fast are Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Days of Abstinence are every Friday in Lent. Catholics ages 18-59 are bound to eat only one meal on the two fast days, plus if two smaller meals are needed, they may be consumed as long as they do not equal a full meal. The paschal fast is also encouraged whereby the fasting rules would be observed from Good Friday until the end of the Easter Vigil. Abstinence from meat on the Friday's of Lent is obligatory for all Catholics 14 and older. Let us be mindful that the practices of Lent, those both public and private are aimed at a higher purpose than mere observance of rules. They are acts of loving sacrifice given to our heavenly Father. As such, I hope that in your private disciplines of Lent, you can take them on as a work of love for God. Do this by making the penances mindful of your gratitude to God for His goodness to you, or offer them out of sorrow for sin. Of course, we can join our penances to a petition that weighs on us so as to make them a spiritual act of love for someone we care about. This Lent, join the works of the body to the work of the soul!

As an act of love to our Blessed Mother during the Season of Lent, the Church takes on the Marian Antiphon called the "*Ave Regina Caelorum*." You will hear it chanted after St. Patrick's 9:15 Mass. A quick search of the internet will help you to learn this beautiful and ancient melody.

*Ave, Regina caelorum,  
Ave, Domina Angelorum:  
Salve, radix, salve, porta  
Ex qua mundo lux est orta:*

Hail, O Queen of Heaven.  
Hail, O Lady of Angels  
Hail! thou root, hail! thou gate  
From whom unto the world a light has arisen:

*Gaude, Virgo gloriosa,  
Super omnes speciosa,  
Vale, o valde decora,  
Et pro nobis Christum exora.*

Rejoice, O glorious Virgin,  
Lovely beyond all others,  
Farewell, most beautiful maiden,  
And pray for us to Christ.

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

St. Patrick's Church  
will have  
**Stations of the Cross**

All **Fridays** 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.



*Happy  
Anniversary  
50  
Years together*

## 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.**

## FAMILY FUNDAMENTALS

"In the Eucharistic gift of charity the Christian family finds the foundation and soul of its "communion" and its "mission": by partaking in the Eucharistic bread, the different members of the Christian family become one body, which reveals and shares in the wider unity of the Church."

*Familiaris Consortio*

St. John Paul II

Last week, I reflected on the parallels between the Eucharistic sacrifice and the Sacrament of Matrimony. This week, we continue to discuss St. John Paul II's thoughts on the Eucharist and the family. He has broadened his thoughts to include the entire Body of Christ in comparison to the nuclear family. When we partake in consuming Christ's Body and Blood, we are not only connecting individually to our Creator, but to our brothers and sisters in Christ. We are no longer responsible for just ourselves; we are crucial, cohesive parts of the living organism that is the Church. As we look to the Eucharist as our inspiration for life and love itself, always remember our responsibility to honoring the rest of His body.

~Megan Coote  
Parish Apostolate Coordinator

