

Saint Patrick's Church

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

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High Solemn Requiem Mass



St. Patrick's Church
Tuesday, April 20, 2020 at 6:30 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 PROPER

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

Low Sunday

ORDINARY FORM—ALL OTHER MASSES

Second Sunday of Easter, Divine Mercy

UPCOMING SPECIAL MASSES (LATIN)

☞ St. Joseph in Eastertide Saturday, May 1, 9:15 a.m.

☞ Requiem (low Mass) Saturday, May 8, 8 a.m.

☞ May Crowning Sunday, May 9, 9 a.m.

☞ Ascension Thursday, May 13, 6:30 p.m.

**ST. PATRICK'S 1:30 P.M. LATIN LOW MASS
WILL END ON SUNDAY, APRIL 25, 2021.**

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.



**CONGRATULATIONS
TO OUR OWN MEGAN
& ADAM COOTE AND
BIG BROTHER JAMES
ON THE BIRTH OF
NOAH FRANCIS,
MARCH 10, 2021
AND HIS BAPTISM
APRIL 6, 2021**

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BANNS OF MATRIMONY

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



St. Patrick's Church

APRIL 24, 2021

Mariana Alexis Muravitsky & Antonio Cercena

Paige Elizabeth Egan & Ryan Christopher Roy



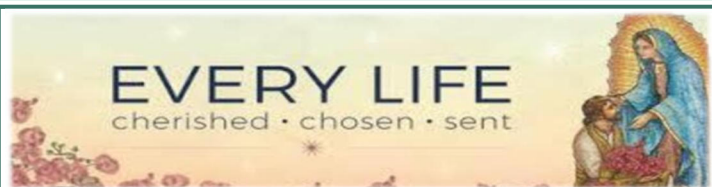
SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

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

St. Patrick's Church

APRIL 17, 2021

Louis Dean Frantz



ST. PATRICK'S RESPECT LIFE GROUP

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, April 24th, 2021 starting at 9 am and ending before 9:30 am.



STEWARDSHIP

**NEXT WEEKEND, APRIL 24/25, 2021,
THE 2ND COLLECTION WILL BE FOR THE
ARCHDIOCESE PRIEST RETIREMENT FUND.
YOUR GENEROSITY APPRECIATED.**

WEEKEND OFFERINGS:

APRIL 11, 2021

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

First Collection (Operating Costs)	\$1,003
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Second Collection (Restoration & Maintenance)	\$1,014
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ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

First Collection (Operating Costs)	\$8,796
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Second Collection (Restoration & Maintenance)	\$3,218
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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 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
 Gary Glynn & Mary Streckfus Families
 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
 Captain Hillary P. Lincoln
 Luccioni Family
 Renée & John Lulich, Jr. & Family
 Elvera & Sidney Martin
 Masson & Paulin Families
 Leonora V. Maurice
 Bob & Lillie Maurin
 Norma McClellan
 Carla McClelland
 McCrossen & Neeley Families
 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 & Louis Schwartz

Carl & Marjorie Sklamba
 Smith, Salles & Barkerding Families
 Leonardo Spalluto
 John D. Sparck
 Mitchell D. Stella
 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

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The Easter Flower list will run through Easter Season. If you would like to add a name to the Easter Flower 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.

ST. PATRICK'S PASCHAL CANDLE

Dedicated in the honor of the Blessed Virgin Mother and St. Joseph

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 **Nola Wolsch, Vincent, Alice & Stephen Luccioni**

CANDLE AT THE STATUE OF ST. PATRICK

Please pray for Ben Bragg

CANDLE AT THE STATUE OF ST. JOSEPH

Please pray for **Albert Moschella**

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH SANCTUARY CANDLE

Please pray for **Lois Lauland Walk**

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
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MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, April 17

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH

4 p.m. St. Lucy Society Living and Deceased; Randy J. Thibodeaux†; Lois Lauland Walk†

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

8 a.m. Special Intention
5:30 p.m. Wanda & Garrell Adam†; Allan E. "Pops" Amundson, Jr.†; Veronica Marie Billot†; Conversion of President Joseph R. Biden, Jr.; Bridget Figenshur†

Sunday, April 18

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH

9:15 a.m. For the Parishioners of St. John the Baptist

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.; Thomas D. Brown†; Norma J. Bumbarger†; Cassara Family; June Estopinal†; Fr. Thomas J. Fitzgerald†; Fr. Eugene Harrison†; Colbert Henry†; Mrs. Dora Higgins; In Memory of List; Dr. Abner Landry, Jr.†; Mary Mangiaracina†; Mr. & Mrs. Roy Marchand & Children; Norma McClellan†; McCloskey Family; Jane O'Chatelain†; Mary Ramirez; Daria S. Swinnen†; Joseph D. Vindel†; Joaquin Williams†

11 a.m. Roy Moak†
1:30 p.m. Theresa Watson Rawicki
5:30 p.m. Elizabeth Breland

Monday, April 19

7:15 a.m. Special Intention
11:30 a.m. Cristian Bourgeois

Tuesday, April 20

11:30 a.m. Dr. Walt Birdsall†
6:30 p.m. Beverly Braud Bellini†

Wednesday, April 21

7:15 a.m. Fr. Van Constant
11:30 a.m. Otto B. Candies†

Thursday, April 22

7:15 a.m. Theresa and James Rawicki
11:30 a.m. Richard C. Vanderbrook†

Friday, April 23

7:15 a.m. Jeanette Marie Smith
11:30 a.m. Richard C. Vanderbrook†
†Deceased

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

FAMILY FUNDAMENTALS

The Lord's triumph, on the day of the Resurrection, is final. Where are the soldiers the rulers posted there? Where are the seals that were fixed to the stone of the tomb? Where are those who condemned the Master? Where are those who crucified Jesus? He is victorious, and faced with His victory those poor wretches have all taken flight. Be filled with hope: Jesus Christ is always victorious.

St. Josemarie Escriva

~Megan Coote
Parish Apostolate Coordinator



A PRAYER FOR ALL BELOVED PRIESTS



Pray for Fathers O'Brien, Farge, Klores, Bozant, Melcher & Roux,

O Jesus, Eternal Priest, keep Thy priests within the shelter of Thy Sacred Heart, where none may touch them.

Keep unstained their anointed hands, which daily touch Thy Sacred Body.

Keep unsullied their lips, daily purpled with Thy Precious Blood.

Keep pure and unworldly their hearts, sealed with the sublime mark of the priesthood.

Let Thy Holy Love surround them from the world's contagion.

Bless their labors with abundant fruit, and may the souls to whom they minister be their joy and consolation here and their everlasting crown hereafter.

Mary, Queen of the Clergy, pray for us: obtain for us numerous and holy priests. † Amen

"The priesthood is the love of the heart of Jesus"

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; 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 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 Provencano; Gregory 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 Tumcliff; Charles Ventre; Mae Webb; Albert Weidenbacher, Jr.; Melissa Willmon; Sharon L. Wiseman

After several weeks of other topics, I'd like to revisit my series about Eucharistic theology. After spending a few weeks on the Old Testament, we can begin looking at the New Testament in depth as a way of better understanding the gift of the Eucharist. We start with the Gospels.

We are all familiar with the story of our Lord's birth, but sometimes we miss the Eucharistic overtones contained in the details. Our Lord was born in Bethlehem, which translated, means "house of bread." Since there was no place for Him in the inn, He was placed in a manger. This is the place where the animals would eat. (Lk 2)

When tempted by Satan in the desert, the Lord says that we do not live by bread, but by God's Word. The Word of God, Jesus Christ, will provide us a spiritual Bread that sustains us in ways earthly bread never could.

In the Gospel of John, our Lord says that unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains a

single grain. If it dies, however, and is planted in the ground, then it produces much fruit. This is a symbol of our Lord. By His death, He is planted in the tomb. Yet this death is not the final defeat. Instead, by dying He produces much fruit for all the members of His body. Like a grain of wheat, He allows His body to die, produce a rich harvest and be formed into the Eucharistic Bread which sustains us, the mystical Body of Christ.

Finally, it is fascinating to notice that the two times our Lord predicts Judas' betrayal, the prophecy comes in a Eucharistic context. In John chapter 6 (which I'll address in a future column) the Lord mentions that one of the Apostles is 'a devil.' (Jn 6:70). Also, at the Last Supper our Lord foretells Judas' evil deed. Fulton Sheen reflects that the Eucharist was the first crack in Judas' faith and his priesthood. Next time, I'll look more closely at the Last Supper and the miracles when our Lord multiplied loaves.

~ Fr. O'Brien



IN LOVING MEMORY AND HONOR OF...

Arsenio Abenojar
Dominador C. Abenojar
Marina Abenojar
Mrs. Madelaine Albares
Alfortish Family
Dallas Alleman
Allen & Kaffman Families
Allan E. "Pops" Amundson, Jr.
Inez "Honey" Amundson
Mr. & Mrs. William Andre
Mr. & Mrs. Malcolm Barberot, Sr.
Stephanie Barbier
Dottie Barkemeyer
Earl Barkemeyer
Julia Bayli
Beauvais-Chase Family
Walter Birdsall, MD
Bowman Bourgeois
Beverly Burregi
Joseph Burregi
Mr. Patrick J. Butler
Mr. & Mrs. Peter Butler
Calleja-Murla Family
Lena & Goldie Champagne
Michael Champagne
Betty Cooper
Deceased Choir Members
John DeGroy
Malba DeGroy
Janice Dorris
Claude Dubret, Jr.
Claude Dubret, Sr.

Ester Dubret
Lucille Ducatel
Marcel Ducatel
Ernst Dulte, Jr.
Emerick Family
Marissa Jean Fernandez
Chester Falterman
The Fitzpatrick Family
Trey Francke, III
Henry M. Funck
Ellen R. Funck
Craig J. Funck
St. Gemma Galgani
Gaudet Vocke Family
Katherine Gilyot
Leo Gilyot
Helen Bernice Good
Mr. & Mrs. F.A. Graugnard, Jr.
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Valsin Guillotte
Richard Curry Hale
Anna Sue Holden
Edmund Holden
Cody Paul Lacoste
Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Lamarque
Belinda Christine Lazaro
Emma LeSage
Lucien LeSage
Capt. Hillary P. Lincoln
Loetzerich Family
Luccioni Family
Mr. & Mrs. Charles P. Luke, Jr.
Masson & Paulin Families
Maurin, Crosby & McClellans Families
Juanel "Mimi" & Jake "Tutu" Meek

Mrs. Harold Meredith
Harry Meredith
Keith Meredith
Mr. & Mrs. Carlo Miceli, Sr.
Leroy Mohr
Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Molaison, Sr.
Mr. & Mrs. Morris Molaison, Sr.
Charles Pereria
Emile Pereria
Ernesto C. Perico
Gladys I. Ramirez
Mardee D. Rodriguez
John & Lilly Roseberry
Carl Roussel, Sr.
Roussel & Sherman Families
Capt. & Mrs. B.A. Rousselle
Antoine Saleun
Noëlie "Mamie" Saleun
Lester & Shirley Sandborn
Eugene Schoen
Robert Schoen
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Frank Sherman, Sr.
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