

# Saint Patrick's Church

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## Easter Triduum

Holy Thursday, April 6, 6:30 p.m.

Good Friday, April 7, 3:00 p.m.

Easter Vigil, April 8, 8:00 p.m.

## Easter Sunday

April 9, 7:30 a.m.

9:00 a.m.\*

11:00 a.m.\*

*\*Missa Sancta Gabrielis, Haydn*

### 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

TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS—SUNDAY AT 9:00 A.M.

Palm Sunday

ENGLISH—ALL OTHER MASSES

Palm Sunday Of The Passion Of The Lord

### UPCOMING SPECIAL MASSES (LATIN)

☞ Maundy Thursday, April 6, 2023 6:30 p.m.

☞ Good Friday, April 7, 2023 3:00 p.m.

☞ Holy Saturday, April 8, 2023 8:00 p.m.

☞ Easter Sunday, April 9, 2023 9:00 a.m.



### THE MATER DESOLATA AT ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH

On Holy Saturday, April 8, 2023 from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., come pray with the Mother of Our Lord in her abandonment and profound sorrow while she waits with unwavering faith in the Resurrection as Jesus lies in the tomb. A replica of the Shroud of Turin will be displayed on the altar for veneration.

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

St. Patrick's Church will pray the Stations of the Cross Friday during Lent at 8:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m.  
Rosary and Adoration will follow.

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

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

#### St. Patrick's Church

APRIL 9, 2022

IVY UHLICH



### ST. PATRICK'S ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Follow our Accounts:

Facebook: Old St. Patrick's New Orleans

Twitter: StPatricksNola

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## GOOD FRIDAY FASTING AND ABSTINENCE

Please remember, Good Friday is a day of fasting and abstinence.

The norms concerning **abstinence** from meat are binding upon members of the Latin Catholic Church from age 14 onwards. This penance includes forgoing meat from warm blooded animals and animal products that contain or confer the flavor of meat.

For members of the Latin Catholic Church, the norms on **fasting** are obligatory from age 18 until age 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal, as well as two smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal. If possible, the fast on **Good Friday is continued until the Easter Vigil** (on Holy Saturday night) as the "paschal fast" to honor the suffering and death of the Lord Jesus and to prepare ourselves to share more fully and to celebrate more readily his Resurrection.

### PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

1/2 Day Thursday, April 6, thru Monday, April, 10

Will reopen Tuesday, April 11, 2023.



## STEWARDSHIP

### PONTIFICAL GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION

Pope Francis has asked our parish to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, which helps Christians in the Holy Land, where they are now less than 2% of the population. Your support is essential to help the church minister in Parishes, provide Catholic schools, and offer religious education. The Pontifical Good Friday Collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines of Christianity, including those in Jerusalem, Nazareth, and Bethlehem, to name only a few.

When you contribute to the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, you join with Catholics around the world in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land. PLEASE BE GENEROUS!

[www.myfranciscan.org](http://www.myfranciscan.org) or [www.custodia.org](http://www.custodia.org)



### Grateful Stewardship

Our Stewardship must never be about us, but instead about the One who died for us.

Consider donating through online giving.



Hotel Hope, Ministry to the Poor and Ozanam Inn

**THANK YOU**  
for your generosity

Your donations to our Poor Box have helped us to assist these worthy organizations on your behalf.

### WEEKEND OFFERINGS:

MARCH 26, 2023

#### ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

First Collection (Operating Costs) \$609

Restoration & Maintenance \$610

#### ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

First Collection (Operating Costs) \$5,036.97

Restoration & Maintenance \$2,778

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## IN MEMORY OF 2023

Ahmed Families  
 Ronald P. Barreca  
 Walt & James Birdsall  
 Liguori & Elsie Birrcher  
 Louis Breecher, Sr.  
 Leanora Goodyear Breecher  
 Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence C. Britto  
 Mr. & Mrs. Peter Butler  
 Emily Cercena  
 Fr. Wilfredo T. Comellas  
 Robert & Elizabeth Crosby  
 G.P. & Sarah Dalton  
 Mrs. Irma V. Dalton  
 Maurice & Helen Dance  
 Elizabeth Reeks Deriax & Family  
 George O. DeMilia  
 Ernest Duhe  
 Mr. & Mrs. Theophile A. Duroncelet, Jr.  
 Capt. Joseph & Condalaura Fletchas  
 Katherine Foster  
 Odis & Imogene Fowler  
 Joseph & Yvonne Fritscher  
 Aaron Arthur Frost  
 Judge H. Charles Gaudin  
 Graugnard-St. Pierre Families  
 Mr. & Mrs. Joesph Valsin Guillotte  
 Frank Casper Hemelt

Patricia Hepler  
 Hoormann, Fischer & Clement Families  
 Allen & Bessie Jeansonne  
 Allen Kauffman Family  
 Wendy Kirkland  
 James S. Klazynski, Sr.  
 Belinda Christine Lazaro  
 William & Delta Lazaro, Sr.  
 Bill Lewis  
 Luccioni Family  
 Renée & John Lulich, Jr. & Family  
 Mackie, Turner & Ramirez Families  
 Elvera & Sidney Martin  
 Antoinette Maselli  
 Masson & Paulin Families  
 Leonora V. Maurice  
 Bob & Lillie Maurin  
 Carla McClelland  
 McCrossen & Neely Families  
 Albert G. Messina  
 Cecelia McNamara Messina  
 Dianne C. Montalbano  
 Nassau & Foster Families  
 Dominic Mai Nguyen  
 Daniel F., Sr. & Martha D. Nolan  
 Beverly Beter Orillion & Family  
 Redmann & Rapier Families

Jeremy Reed  
 Jack Markem Riley, Jr.  
 Howard Lucy Scanlan  
 Roussel & Sherman Families  
 Schaetz & Steim Families  
 Gladys & Louis Schwartz  
 Carl & Marjorie Sklamba  
 Smith, Salles & Barkerding Families  
 Leonardo Spalluto  
 John D. Sparck  
 W.G. & Sadie Stroud  
 W. Gilbert Stroud, Jr.  
 Anna & Joseph Szabo  
 Patrick F. Taylor  
 Charles "Red" & Sadie Thomas  
 Joseph J. Torre, Jr.  
 Hilton & Mary Toups  
 Mark Anthony Toups  
 Salvador Trentacoste  
 Versie & Leona Wallace  
 Rev. Anthony J. White  
 Walter Mitchell Whiteside  
 Jonathan Philip Wilson  
 Robert & Lillian Wilson  
 Jack H. & Cynthia Young

### ST. PATRICK'S PASCHAL CANDLE

*Please pray for Howard & Lucy Scanlan and Allen & Bessie Jeansonne*

### ST. PATRICK'S SANCTUARY CANDLE

*Please pray for Tomás Nakoa Marcos Choza-David*

### CANDLES AT THE ALTAR OF THE SACRED HEART

*Please pray for The Faithful Departed*

### CANDLES AT THE ALTAR OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MOTHER

*Please pray for Mrs. 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 Lydia Borne*

### ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH SANCTUARY CANDLE

*Please pray for Mrs. Lois Lauland Walk*

### ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH PASCHAL CANDLE

*Please pray for Mrs. Antoinett Cammarata Maselli*

### PRAYERS FOR THE FAITHFUL

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

Bob Andras; Elliana Belew; Karen Belew; Harold E. Berrigan, Jr.; Fr. Anthony Aloysius Birkel, III; Dominique Bozant; Fr. Ian Bozant; Marilyn Bourgeois; Gina Collier; Mike Dawson; Dennis Giuratano; Anna & Roquey Jobes; Warren Hart; Cy Hoormann; Ella Hoormann; Ann Johnston; Stewart Lagarde; Rosemary Lyons; Ann Macaluso; Carey T. Mackie; Dominic Martello; Joseph Martello; Margaret Martello; Mary & Michael Park; John Onstott; Courtney Pellegrino; Loren Nicolas Ramos; Fr. Randy Roux; Patricia Russo; Toby Russo; Ainsley Saleun; Andre' Saleun; Antoine Saleun; Gene Schaetz; Orabelle Faucheux Simon; Jose Spencer; Templet Family; Mary Trentacoste; Edward Turncliff; Ellen Wall; Manuel Walters; Adam Wilk; Sharon L. Wiseman

If you would like to add a name to this list, please call the  
parish office at 504-525-4413



# PRAYER

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday, April 1

#### **ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH**

4 p.m. St. Lucy Society Living and Deceased.; Howard Comeaux†; Lois Lauland Walk†

#### **ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH**

8:00 a.m. Rose Seminary†

5:30 p.m. Holy Souls in Purgatory†; In Memory of List; Maria Marchand; Kenneth Odinet Sr.†; Steve Pazos; Jon Schnur; Marie Zar

### Sunday, April 2

#### **ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH**

9:15 a.m. Antoinette Maselli†

#### **ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH**

7:30 a.m. Pro Populo—For the People of the Parish

9:00 a.m. Jwahr Alotaibi; Mrs. Angel†; Mr. & Mrs. William Andreé†; Jerry Black†; Destin Black; Grace Vincent Calleja†; Cassara Family; Mary W. Courts†; Johnny DeDarrio†; Chantal Dickson; Fr. William J. Farge; Mrs. Gage†; S.J.; Frank Casper Hemelt†; Holy Souls in Purgatory†; In Memory of List; Rose Hoskins; Betty Hughes; Maryeline Jeansonne; Jobes Family; Ronald Krause; Peter Lama†; Marilyn Kelly; Kinzer Family†; Carey T. Mackie; Davonté Glenn Cortes Jean Marie; Maria Marchand; Jackie, Joseph, Emma, Dominic, Maria, Therese, Jude, Margaret & John Martello; Mr. & Mrs. James R. McClellan†; Henry McCloskey; McCloskey Family; Albert G. Messina†; Cecelia McNamara Messina†; Elio Miccio†; My Deceased Family Members†; Adam Perret†; Special Intentions; Solemn High Latin Mass; Donna Roark; Florence Russolino; Tania Saladrigas†; Selma†; Jon Schnur; Special Intention; Beatriz Traub†; Danny Martin Nemeth; Dominic Mai Nguyen†; O'Brien Family; Fr. Garrett M. O'Brien, J.C.L.; Thanksgiving for Favors Granted; Thanksgiving to Jesus, Mary & Joseph; Lawrence Ural; Malcolm Williams†; Ann Marie & Ian Williams; Ettie Wentz†

11:15 a.m. Janet Scanlan McIntyre†

5:30 p.m. Nancy Mettz†

### Monday, April 3

7:15 a.m. Frank Casper Hemelt

11:30 a.m. Michael J. Remondet† & Janine McKay Anderson†

### Tuesday, April 4

7:15 a.m. Thomas Venturella

11:30 a.m. Albert & Claire Dresel†

### Wednesday, April 5

7:15 a.m. Rev. Luke Melcher

11:30 a.m. Dorothy Johnson†

### Thursday, April 6

6:30 p.m. Simon Philip Ignatius Templet

### Friday, April 7

3:00 p.m. Good Friday

## SUMMER CAMP

The Fraternity of St. Peter offers 2 annual summer camps for boys emphasizing the liturgy and culture of the traditional Latin Mass. Please find more information at:

**StJohnBoscoCamps.org**

The camps will be offered in late July and early August.





## SERVITE DOMINUM IN TIMORE

Allow me to share some thoughts about the Sacred Triduum from Robert Hugh Benson's 1913 book, *Papers of a Pariah*. In it, he presents the poetic reflections of a non-Catholic who has a growing affinity for the richness of Catholicism.

"Of the Maundy Mass, the Sepulcher, and the bloodless sacrifice of Good Friday, it is even harder to write; for instead of one profound emotion there are a thousand; and I could not follow them. It was as a hand dashed across a jubilant harp, and of the incoherent murmur there may be a hundred meetings. Is it in the somber base, or the mellow mid notes, or the ecstatic trebles that the secret lies?

"First, then, the Maundy Mass. The altar is ablaze with lights and gold and flowers, and from a side chapel comes the glow of the expectant tomb. Three priests are there, gorgeous and brilliant; the Mass begins as usual, quietly splendid; and, at the intonation of the *Gloria* there is an event, to me, at any rate, unexpected, which floods the whole soul with a passion that may rise from either torment or bliss. For as the priest's voice ends, there is a crashing chord from the great organ, and a tumult of bells; and as if a whole heaven of sound had split, the mad riot pours on, moment after moment. The chords melt, change, wax in volume; the air is full of the throbbing base of the bourdon, the windy bellowing of the tower, and the shrill silver tinkle of the tiny bells gathered from every altar in the church, to greet the new-born Eucharist—on and on until the heart is torn and vibrating, and the brain exalted with music: the three priests sign themselves with the cross, and there is silence.

"When the Mass is over, sung throughout unaccompanied, with a kind of quiet joy the procession is formed, and the Body of the Lord is born, wafting along on the *Pange Lingua*, to the waiting sepulcher, where It shall lie for a day and a night. The walls are decked with flowers, and sheaves of candles stand on either side. There It is laid in solemn joy, censed, and left.

"Yet the whole affair is not what it seems. It has an air of sorrow beneath the beauty, that rises like the indefinable scent of death from a coffin piled high with flowers and walled with lights. Oh, yes! The vestments are white and gold, the organ peels, the candles flame; but it is no good. It is desperately hard to keep up the exultation. The mind assents, as always, to the liturgical instinct that rejoices over the inauguration of the marriage-supper of the Lamb, but the heart remembers that the Meat and Wine upon the Board have been made possible only by the death of the Lamb whom we love. [...]

"On Friday, then, the climax comes, and it is as simple as the death of a child.

"First, then, I saw three priests in black and white approached the altar. There was some reading from a book, a collect or two, the singing of the Passion - a long song of mournful recitative by various voices; a number of prayers. The peace and stability of the Church, a blessing on Christ's vicar, the Bishop of the diocese, on all clerks, catechumens, and the world, comfort for mourners, conversion for heretics, Jews, and the heathens - this was what was asked as we stood on Golgotha. Then followed the adoration of the Cross.

"How can I describe that, except by saying that it was the simplest thing I have ever seen, as clear and natural as a pool of water, and yet as bitter as brine? The crucifix, laid as if for tenderness' sake on a soft cushion, is approached by all who are present. I, too, went up - I, a heretic and outcast, for Jesus Christ came to save sinners - and knelt there, trembling, between two boys who seemed to tend that wounded Figure, wiping His feet softly after each kiss. And I kissed the smooth ivory, too, above the nail... and he did not strike me!

"One thing, too, I saw: an old woman came up the stones on her knees, moaning and muttering, wrapped in a shawl; and she kissed him, as a mother might, on His pierced feet, His bruised knees, His wounded side.... My God! How beautiful that was! And all while there peeled the reproaches."