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May Crowning



Sunday, May 14,
9:00 a.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

TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS—SUNDAY AT 9:15 A.M.

Fourth Sunday after Easter

ENGLISH—ALL OTHER MASSES

Fifth Sunday of Easter

UPCOMING SPECIAL MASSES (LATIN)

✠ **May Crowning Sunday**, May 14, 2023 9:00 a.m.

✠ **Ascension Thursday**, May 18, 2023 6:30 p.m.

✠ **Parish Confirmations**, May 20, 2023, 10:00 a.m.

✠ **Sunday after the Ascension**, May 21, 9:15 a.m.

✠ **Corpus Christi Thursday**, June 8, 2023 6:00 p.m.

Followed by procession and Benediction

✠ **Corpus Christi Sunday**, June 11, 2023 9:15 a.m.

With First Holy Communions and Benediction

MASS INTENTION BOOK

The 2024 Mass intention book will open for parishioners to reserve Masses on May 22nd. Reserving a Mass intention for a loved one, living or dead, is an important way to more closely participate in the offering of the Mass. The Mass is the most powerful prayer we have! Please contact the parish office for more information.

MAY CROWNING

May 13, & 14, 2023

ST. PATRICK'S

SUNDAY 9:00 A.M. MASS

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

SATURDAY, 4:00 P.M. VIGIL MASS

SUNDAY, 9:15 A.M. MASS

Parents and children wishing to present a flower to Our Lady, please contact the parish office.



ST. PATRICK'S ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Follow our Accounts:

Facebook: Old St. Patrick's New Orleans

Twitter: StPatricksNola

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MARRIAGE PREP MENTOR COUPLES NEEDED

Our Parish is seeking married couples who are willing to serve!

In-home marriage prep mentoring is a powerful way to help engaged couples to understand the beauty of Sacramental Marriage while connecting with fellow Catholics.

The training for this important service is coming up soon. Please contact Fr. Garrett if the Lord is asking you to serve!



BENEDICTINE MONK OF NORCIA TO VISIT ST. PATRICK'S

Father Martin Bernhard, OSB, a monk of the Monastery of Norcia in Italy will join us for the 9:15 a.m. Mass on Sunday, May 14.

Norcia is the birthplace of St. Benedict where a Benedictine community was reestablished in 1998.

The community follows the ancient monastic rule of St. Benedict and celebrates their liturgies in the older use of the Latin rite. The community is also well-known for Bierra Nursia, their own brewing operation that provides vital financial support to sustain and expand their monastic efforts, especially after a 2016 earthquake that severely damaged the monastery.

Father Bernhard will be available to connect with supporters and spread awareness of their community at a reception in the Courtyard immediately following the 9:15 Mass. Please join us!



STEWARDSHIP

GRATEFUL STEWARDSHIP

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

Consider donating through online giving.



WEEKEND OFFERINGS:

APRIL 30, 2023

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

First Collection (Operating Costs)	\$663
Restoration & Maintenance	\$471
Catholic Home Mission	\$116

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

First Collection (Operating Costs)	\$5,380.69
Restoration & Maintenance	\$709
Catholic Home Mission	\$1,482

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IN MEMORY OF 2023

Ahmed Families
 Frederic Andras
 Lucille Totina Andras
 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 Touns
 Mark Anthony Touns
 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

CANDLES AT THE ALTAR OF THE SACRED HEART

Please pray for

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

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; Mark 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; Elena DiGrado Sanderlin & baby; 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, May 6

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH

4:00 p.m. St. Lucy Society Living and Deceased.; Mary Lynn Bonck†; Howard Comeaux†; Lois Lauland Walk†

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

8 a.m. Hope Marie-Thérèse Templet
5:30 p.m. Holy Souls in Purgatory; In Memory List; Kenneth Odinet, Sr. †

Sunday, May 7

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH

9:15 a.m. Antoinette Maselli†

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

8:00 a.m. Pro Populo—For the People of the Parish
9:15 a.m. Mr. & Mrs. William Andre†; John Bryant†; Cassara Family; Mary W. Courts†; Marc Dehoey; William E. Duplechain†; Jobs Family; Armando Gonzales†; Frank Casper Hemelt†; Holy Souls in Purgatory; In Memory List; MaryEline Jeansonne; Marilyn Kelly†; Ronald Krause; Carey T. Mackie; Dr. Brian & Mrs. Maher & Family; Danny Martin Nemeth; Peter Lama†; Mr. & Mrs. James R. McClellan†; Henry McCloskey; McCloskey Family; Davonté Glenn Cortes Jean Marie; Maria Marchand; Albert G. Messina†; Cecelia McNamara Messina†; Jackie, Joseph, Emma, Dominic; Maria, Therese, Jude, Margaret, & John Martello; Ellio Miccio†; Jean Derek Mooney; Dominic Mai Nguyen†; Claire Nix; Eric Parsons; Helen Plavetsky†; George Peter Vourvoulias III; Scott Walls, MD†; Ettie Wentz†; Monique Wesner & Family ; Jeremy Whitaker
11 a.m. Janet Scanlen McIntyre†
5:30 p.m. George Gabb†

Monday, May 8

7:15 a.m. Angelo Joseph Giorlando†
11:30 a.m. Steve Pazos

Tuesday, May 9

7:15 a.m. Celeste & Barton Barrios
11:30 a.m. Mary Ellen & Dan Deen

Wednesday, May 10

7:15 a.m. Madeleine Eloise Danielle
11:30 a.m. Rosemary Ida Sullivan†

Thursday, May 11

7:15 a.m. Madelyn Lee
11:30 a.m. Michael J. Remondet†; & Janine McKay Anderson†

Friday, May 12

7:15 a.m. Dominic Mai Nguyen†
11:30 a.m. Frank Casper Hemelt†



SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

We welcome the newest members of the Catholic Church. Please pray for the newly baptized and their families!

St. Patrick's Church

MAY 7, 2023

GLORIA MARIE SILVA



SERVITE DOMINUM IN TIMORE

The third theological virtue is charity. Stated simply, charity is friendship between God and man. In Christ, we can now have a common life with God, and hope to enjoy it perfected in heaven. In this light, true charity is a grace since it is possible only because of what Christ accomplished through His passion. Our charity toward God can never match what is due to God, but we can perfect our charity as we love God for Who He is, rather than what He does for us. Now, this present life, is our opportunity to grow in charity because, should we arrive in heaven, at that point, the extent of our charity will be fixed. Mortal sin extinguishes charity within us, turning off our common life with God. The first stage of charity to God is resistance against even slight sin; the spiritually proficient then, long to grow in God's love; the perfect seek to love God alone and to love others because of Him, losing themselves in God.

When the virtue of charity is directed toward neighbors, we love them for God's sake. God extends charity toward us to the extent that we reflect Him. Thus, the greater we love others and love God, the more of His charity He shares with us. This also clarifies for us how to love ourselves. We are loveable not merely for our skills or accomplishments, but rather because we are creatures of God whom He loves. We do ourselves a disservice by attempting to love what is ungodly about ourselves. Instead, we seek transformation in His love that we may resemble Him more and more.

With a properly ordered love of God and love of self, we will have a font from which to draw as we love others. We are called to love everyone, but not everyone equally. The greater someone resembles God, the greater claim they have on our love. Thus, our love for Our Lady must take a unique priority. Our duty of charity is greater as someone is more proximate to us, such as a spouse, child or friend. Keep in mind, love for self is not the same as love for our own earthly existence. Great charity is expressed by laying down one's life for another. But one's own spiritual life may never be sacrificed for any reason. At the same time, we can love our enemy even if they do not much resemble God. After all, the presence of God is still within them, and our love for our enemy is ultimately given for God's sake. To hate a person is to deny the image of God in them and it is a compromise of our love for God. Charity depends on correct faith and hope. If we do not know the true by faith and the good by hope, then our love will be misguided.

In addition to hatred, charity is harmed by spiritual sloth since it entails excessive love for worldly pleasures and too little love for the good things of God. Envy, or sorrow at another's good, harms charity because we deny the goodness of the action of God in another's life. Contention and argumentativeness harm charity because they offend the unity of God's people.

To increase our charity, we can tell God we love Him through praying an "act of charity," spontaneous or otherwise. Performing good works for others, let us stir our intention to love God by those works. Mortification deepens our love for Godly things by detaching from the worldly. Recourse to the Sacred Heart, the "burning furnace of charity" allows us to see that love is an energizing motive with us, an inner impulse that leads us to fulfillment and delight in Godliness. ~Fr. O'Brien