

# Saint Patrick's Church

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**St. John the Baptist**  
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NEW ORLEANS HISTORIC LANDMARK  
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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. (Latin)  
5:30 p.m. (Anticipated Mass)

Sunday 8 a.m., 9:15 a.m. (Latin),  
11 a.m., & 5:30 p.m.

Monday-Friday 7:15 a.m. (Latin), & 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 504-291-2217 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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Mr. B. Andrew Mills ~ [amills@arch-no.org](mailto:amills@arch-no.org), ext. 1003

### MASS PROPERS

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

Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

**ENGLISH—ALL OTHER MASSES**

Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Turn your ear, O Lord, and answer me;  
save the servant who trusts in you, my God.  
Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long.

#### COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The earth is replete with the fruits of your work, O Lord; you bring forth bread from the earth and wine to cheer the heart.

### UPCOMING SPECIAL MASSES (LATIN)

☙ **Holy Cross**, Thursday, September 14, 2023 6:30 p.m.

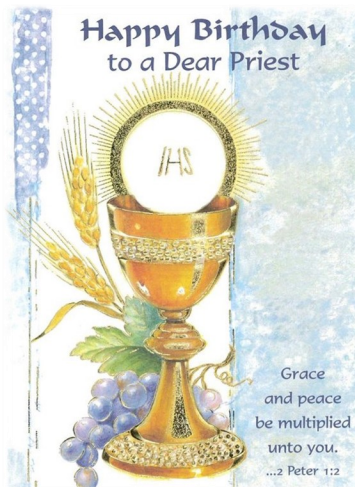
☙ **Requiem**, Wednesday, September 20, 2023 6:30 p.m.

☙ **Our Lady of the Rosary**, Saturday, October 7, 2023 9:15 a.m.

☙ **Requiem Low Mass**, Saturday, October 21, 2023 8:00 a.m.

☙ **Christ the King**, Sunday, October 29, 2023 9:00 a.m.

Followed by Benediction



**Father O'Brien**

May your Birthday  
be nice in every way  
may God grant you His blessings  
today and every day.

**Happy Birthday!**

**With Love,  
You parish staff  
& parishioners**

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION

Classes will begin soon!

Classes will be held in the rectory once a month on Sundays. Please contact Marti Luke in the office for an application at [mluke@arch-no.org](mailto:mluke@arch-no.org).



### INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?

#### RCIA BEGINS IN SEPTEMBER

If you or anyone you know is considering becoming Catholic, our Rite of Initiation for Adults (RCIA) is beginning on **Tuesday,**

**September 5, 2023 at**

**6:30 p.m.** in the rectory.

Please contact the office for an application at 504-525-4413.

### JUNIOR SCHOLAE FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

If you have children who would like to sing with the St. Gregory's Schola for Boys (ages 8-12) or the St. Cecilia's Schola for Girls (ages 8-18), please contact Andrew Mills for more details, or to obtain a registration form. 504.525.4413x1003 or [AMills@arch-no.org](mailto:AMills@arch-no.org). The new season will begin the first full week in September.

### ST. PATRICK'S ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Follow our accounts:

Facebook: Old St. Patrick's New Orleans

Twitter: StPatricksNola

Instagram: StPatricksNola



## 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:

**AUGUST, 2023**

**ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST**

First Collection (Operating Costs)

\$

Restoration & Maintenance

\$

**ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH**

First Collection (Operating Costs)

\$

Restoration & Maintenance

\$

**THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2023 OBSERVANCE OF LABOR DAY**

If you would like to receive future electronic communications, please send your email address to: [stpatrick@arch-no.org](mailto:stpatrick@arch-no.org)





## IN MEMORY OF 2023

Ahmed Families	Mr. & Mrs. Joesph Valsin Guillotte	Redmann & Rapier Families
Robert A. Andras, Sr.	Frank Casper Hemelt	Jeremy Reed
Frederic Andras	Patricia Hepler	Jack Markem Riley, Jr.
Lucille Totina Andras	Hoormann, Fischer & Clement Families	Howard Lucy Scanlan
Ronald P. Barreca	Allen & Bessie Jeansonne	Roussel & Sherman Families
Walt & James Birdsall	Mary Scanlan Jeansonne	Schaetz & Steim Families
Liguori & Elsie Bircher	Allen Kauffman Family	Gladys & Louis Schwartz
Louis Breecher, Sr.	Wendy Kirkland	Carl & Marjorie Sklamba
Leanora Goodyear Breecher	James S. Klazynski, Sr.	Smith, Salles & Barkerding Families
Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence C. Britto	Belinda Christine Lazaro	Leonardo Spalluto
Mr. & Mrs. Peter Butler	William & Delta Lazaro, Sr.	John D. Sparck
Emily Cercena	Bill Lewis	W.G. & Sadie Stroud
Fr. Wilfredo T. Comellas	Luccioni Family	W. Gilbert Stroud, Jr.
Robert & Elizabeth Crosby	Renée & John Lulich, Jr. & Family	Anna & Joseph Szabo
Mary W. Courts	Mackie, Turner & Ramirez Families	Patrick F. Taylor
G.P. & Sarah Dalton	Elvera & Sidney Martin	Charles "Red" & Sadie Thomas
Mrs. Irma V. Dalton	Antoinette Maselli	Joseph J. Torre, Jr.
Maurice & Helen Dance	Masson & Paulin Families	Hilton & Mary Touns
Elizabeth Reeks Deriax & Family	Leonora V. Maurice	Mark Anthony Touns
George O. DeMilia	Bob & Lillie Maurin	Salvador Trentacoste
Ernest Duhe	Carla McClelland	Versie & Leona Wallace
Mr. & Mrs. Theophile A. Duroncelet, Jr.	McCrossen & Neely Families	Ettie Wentz
Capt. Joseph & Condalaura Fletchas	Albert G. Messina	Rev. Anthony J. White
Katherine Foster	Cecelia McNamara Messina	Walter Mitchell Whiteside
Odis & Imogene Fowler	Dianne C. Montalbano	Jonathan Philip Wilson
Joseph & Yvonne Fritscher	Nassau & Foster Families	Robert & Lillian Wilson
Aaron Arthur Frost	Dominic Mai Nguyen	Jack H. & Cynthia Young
Judge H. Charles Gaudin	Daniel F., Sr. & Martha D. Nolan	
Graugnard-St. Pierre Families	Beverly Beter Orillion & Family	

### ST. PATRICK'S PASCHAL CANDLE

*Please pray for Howard & Lucy Scanlon, Allen & Bessie Jeansonne*

### ST. PATRICK'S SANCTUARY CANDLE

*Please pray for Fr. Stanley Klores*

### CANDLES AT THE ALTAR OF THE SACRED HEART

*Please pray for Vocations to the Priesthood*

### CANDLES AT THE ALTAR OF OUR LADY

*Please pray for Tammy O'Brien*

### CANDLE AT THE STATUE OF ST. PATRICK

*Please pray for The Hibernians*

### CANDLE AT THE STATUE OF ST. JOSEPH

*Please pray for The Members of St. Joseph's Guild*

### ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST SANCTUARY CANDLE

*Please pray for Louis Lauland Walk*

### ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH PASCHAL CANDLE

*Please pray for Mrs. Antoinette Cammarata Maselli*

### PRAYERS AFTER SUNDAY MASS

*Please join in!*

*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.

#### *Sub Tuum Praesidium*

We fly to thy patronage, O holy Mother of God; despise not our petitions in our necessities, but deliver us always from all dangers, O glorious and blessed Virgin. Amen.

#### *Hurricane Prayer*

Our Father in heaven, through the powerful intercession of Our Lady of Prompt Succor, spare us from all harm during this hurricane season, and protect us and our homes from all disasters of nature. Our Lady of Prompt Succor, hasten to help us!

### PRAYERS FOR THE FAITHFUL

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

Elliana Belew; Karen Belew; Harold E. Berrigan, Jr.; Fr. Anthony Aloysius Birkel, III; Dominique Bozant; Fr. Ian Bozant; Marilyn Bourgeois; Gina Collier; Edna Guillory; Dennis Giuratano; Anna & Roquey Jobs; Cy Hoormann; Ella Hoormann; Judy Hoormann; Ann Johnston; Stewart Lagarde; Gary Luccioni; Rosemary Lyons; Ann Macaluso; Carey T. Mackie; Dominic Martello; Joseph Martello; Margaret Martello; Fr. Jeffrey Montz; Mary & Michael Park; Courtney Pellegrino; Loren Nicolas Ramos; Fr. Randy Roux; Patricia Russo; Toby Russo; Ainsley Saleun; Andre' Saleun; Antoine Saleun; Elena DiGrado Sanderlin & baby; Baby Gloria Marie Silva; Melsey Saunders; Gene Schaetz; Orabelle Fauchaux Simon; Jose Spencer; Templet Family; Mary Trentacoste; Edward Turncliff; Ellen Wall; Lynda Walgamotte; Manuel Walters; Sharon L. Wiseman; Li Yip.

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



## PRAYER

### MASS INTENTIONS

#### Saturday, August 26

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

4:00 p.m. St. Lucy Society Living and Deceased.; Robert Anthony Andras†; Howard Comeaux†; Lois Lauland Walk†

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

8 a.m. Fr. Garrett M. O'Brien, J.C.L.  
5:30 p.m. Holy Souls in Purgatory; In Memory List; Mr. Louis M. Robinette, Jr.; John Onstott†; Judy Ory†; Ms. Muriel Alugas†; Robert Anthony Andras†;

#### Sunday, August 27

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

9:15 a.m. Dan Akers

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

8:00 a.m. Stephen L. Hayman†  
9:15 a.m. Robert Anthony Andras†; Mr. & Mrs. William Andre†; Cassara Family; Fr. Van Constant; Mary W. Courts†; John Francis Mitchell Donovan, Jr.†; Lauren Gisclair†; William Hart†; Stephen Hayman; Frank Casper Hemelt†; Holy Souls In Purgatory; Linda Russell Howard†; In Memory List; Mary Scanlan Jeansonnet†; Jobs Family; Marilyn Kelly†; Ronald Krauss†; Peter Lama†; Carey T. Mackie; Maria Marchand; Jackie, Joseph, Emma, Dominic, Marie, Therese, Jude, Margaret; Luke Corona, & John Martello; Nancy Meunier†; Mr. & Mrs. James R. McClellan†; McCloskey Family; Albert G. Messina†; Cecelia McNamara Messina†; Diedra Fava Miller†; Claire Nix; Fr. Garrett M. O'Brien, J.C.L.; John Onstott†; Toby Russo; Eugene Schaetz†; Victims of the Holocaust; Ettie Wentz†  
11 a.m. Living & Deceased Members of the Richard/Suarez Family  
5:30 p.m. Pro Populo—For the People of the Parish

#### Monday, August 28

7:15 a.m. Jon Schnur  
11:30 a.m. Stephen Hayman

#### Tuesday, August 29

7:15 a.m. Lori M. Templet  
11:30 a.m. Frank Casper Hemelt†

#### Wednesday, August 30

7:15 a.m. Richard Tullier, Sr.  
11:30 a.m. Marylyn Bourgeois

#### Thursday, August 31

7:15 a.m. Fr. John V. Dumas†  
11:30 a.m. Mr. Louis M. Robinette, Sr.

#### Friday, September 1

7:15 a.m. William Wingfield  
11:30 a.m. Mike Dawson



### YEAR 2024 MASS BOOK OF INTENTIONS & CANDLE MEMORIALS

Mass Intentions for 2024 are being accepted. Turn in your Mass Intention requests by mail, email, collection basket or in the rectory  
Mass Intention envelopes are in the Narthex.

**Mass Intention suggested donation is \$5.00 each.**

**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!**

**To schedule, please call the parish office: 504-525-4413.**



## SERVITE DOMINUM IN TIMORE

The moment that the priest and ministers ascend the altar seems, at first, to be a merely practical one. However, in the liturgy, even the simple moments can be endowed with great meaning. Abbé Barthe in his A Forest of Symbols explains that after the priest and ministers pray a dialogue, the priest silently recites the *aufere a nobis*, again beseeching God's mercy as he ascends the holy place. This prayer can be traced to the sixth century and is followed by a prayer invoking the saints whose relics are in the altar stone.

Next, the priest kisses the altar. It stands as a sign of respect, friendship, intimacy and a gesture of peace. The kiss signifies a marriage made present in the Holy Mass, the unique union of Heaven and Earth—the divine and the human join together. Just as Christ united our human nature to His divine nature, the Mass brings the people of God into God's own presence using material instruments as channels of grace. The simple gesture of a kiss points also to the fact that Christ has come among us as a divine bridegroom, preparing the Church for Himself as a spotless bride (Is 61:10, Eph 5:27, Rev 19:8).

Follow this, the priest incenses the altar on top and across the front with an elaborate routine. Incensation has been an established element of Christian worship since the second century. It also has roots in Jewish worship (Ps 140:2) and is referred to in the New Testament (Rev. 5:8, 8:3). Incense is a gift offered to God by means of burning; therefore, it takes on the character of sacrifice since the item is destroyed in the act of offering. It is often sweet smelling which conveys a purifying symbolism: driving away unpleasant things both temporal and spiritual. The sacrifice of burning incense gives a visual embodiment to the offering of our prayers to God. Both, we hope, will ascend to God's holy place in heaven. Christ's role as sacrificer was foretold by the gift of frankincense at the visit of the Magi. Incense, therefore, reminds us that the whole of the life of Christ was an offering to the Father. Similarly, then, we recall that Christ is with us as we daily offer ourselves in union with Him.

The priest incenses the altar in a way that is meant to completely surround the altar with this blessed burnt offering. Associating this smoke with the altar signifies the altar as the place of sacrifice. He begins by incensing the cross of the altar (it shows us the apex of Christ's self-sacrifice), then the right side of the altar, then returning to the center, he then incenses the altar's left. This ritual has origins in the processional rite proper to the ancient liturgical rituals. Thereby, recalling for us that the Holy Mass places us on a continuous pilgrimage with Christ toward the Father—a journey that is only made possible by sacrifice. Once the altar is incensed, you will notice that the priest hands the thurible to the deacon who promptly incenses him. This illuminates the priest's role as both sacrificer and sacrifice. The priest's work at the altar is not just to reenact the externals of Christ's passion, but to lovingly offer himself in union with the Lord. The priest stands in Christ's place Who is the one perfect Sacrifice, and the great High Priest, alone worthy to render an acceptable offering to the Father. ~Fr. O'Brien



**CONFESSION AVAILABLE AT ST. PATRICK'S  
AND IN ALL PARISHES IN OUR ARCHDIOCESE  
ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2023  
FROM 5 P.M. TO 6:30 P.M.**