



Saint Patrick's Church

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St. John the Baptist
Catholic Church

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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.*

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 the Parish Office at 504-525-4413 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

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MASS PROPER

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

Septuagesima Sunday

ENGLISH—ALL OTHER MASSES

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Save us, O Lord our God! And gather us from the nations, to give thanks to your holy name, and make it our glory to praise you.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Let your face shine on your servant.

Save me in your merciful love. O Lord, let me never be put to shame, for I call on you.

UPCOMING SPECIAL MASSES (LATIN)

☞ **Candlemas** Monday, February 2 at 6:00 p.m.

(There will be no 7:15 a.m. Mass on this day.)

☞ **Requiem** (Low Mass) Tuesday, February 17 at 7:15 a.m.

☞ **Ash Wednesday** (Sung Mass) Wednesday, February 18, 7:00 a.m.

☞ **Vespers for Laetare** (with choir) Sunday, March 15, 4:00 p.m.



SATURDAY, MARCH 21, 2026

**BONNABEL BOAT LAUNCH
METAIRIE**

"Birth"day Party with food, music, and family fun to follow



*Register by Monday, February 23, to receive a race t-shirt.

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Benefiting Woman's New Life Clinic



ST. PATRICK'S MEN'S CLUB

Will meet on

Saturday, February 7, 2026

Directly following the 8:00 a.m. Mass

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

JANUARY 25, 2026

Elizabeth Honoré Bernacchio



ST. PATRICK'S DAY SPONSORSHIP

Tuesday, March 17th is St. Patrick's Day!

Join us for Latin Mass at 6:30 p.m.,

followed by our annual

St. Patrick's Day Celebration for the parish!

This event gets bigger and better every year with Irish food, music, fun and fellowship! If you would like to contribute to the celebration, we would welcome any donation, large or small.

Contact Marti Luke for details at 225-572-5959

Or email mluke@arch-no.org.

MARDI GRAS SCHEDULE ADJUSTMENTS

There will be no 5:30 p.m. Mass on **Sunday, February 15** due to Mardi Gras parades.

There will be no 11:30 a.m. Mass on Mardi Gras day,

Tuesday, February 17

The parish office will be closed on

Monday, February 16 & Tuesday, February 17.

The office will reopen on **Ash Wednesday, February 18** at 8:30 a.m.



STEWARDSHIP

PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE IF YOU NEED A DONOR LETTER FOR TAX PURPOSES.

Call or e-mail Mrs. Jennifer Suarez at 504-525-4413 x1002 or jsuarez@arch-no.org

IT'S SAFE. IT'S SIMPLE. IT'S CONVENIENT.

We are very grateful for your generosity. Our online giving program makes it easy for you to achieve your stewardship goals. You can donate to multiple funds with one charge as well as request/make payment for Masses. **Visit our websites to support St. Patrick's and St. John the Baptist.**

WEEKEND OFFERINGS

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST	JAN. 18
First Collection (Operating Costs)	\$ 644
Restoration & Maintenance	\$ 591
Online Giving	\$ 150
Annual Appeal	\$ 9,488
ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH	
First Collection (Operating Costs)	\$ 9,130
Restoration & Maintenance	\$ 3,733
Online Giving	\$ 1,920

If you would like to receive future electronic communications, please send your email address to: ctoy@arch-no.org



IN MEMORY 2026

Ahmed Family
 Robert Anthony Andras, Sr.
 Freddie Andras
 Lucille Totina Andras
 Ronald P. Barreca
 Roland D. Belew
 Dr. Walter Birdsall
 Baby McCune Anne Breazeale
 Leanora Goodyear Breecher
 Louis Breecher, Sr.
 Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence C. Britto
 James J. Buras
 John D. Burckell
 Mr. & Mrs. Peter Butler
 Emily Cercena
 Fr. Wilfredo T. Comellas
 Mary Helen Wentz Courts
 Robert & Elizabeth Crosby
 James & Laura Cucchi
 G.P. & Sarah Dalton
 Mrs. Irma V. Dalton
 Maurice & Helen Dance
 Mr. & Mrs. Theophile A. Duroncelet, Jr
 Michael Fay
 Capt. Joseph & Condalaura Fletchas
 Fontenot Family
 Katherine Foster

Odis & Imogene Fowler
 Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Valsin Guillotte
 Alexandra Alford Healy
 Frank Casper Hemelt
 Patricia Hepler
 Hoormann, Fischer & Clement Families
 Bettina Hurley
 Thomas Kenny
 Wendy Ann Kirkland
 Belinda Christine Lazaro
 William & Delta Lazaro, Sr.
 William C. Lewis
 The Luccioni Family
 Frank Major
 Mary Iris Manning
 Leonor V. Maurice
 Bob & Lilly Maurin
 Carla McClelland
 McCrossen & Neely Families
 Albert George Messina
 Cecilia McNamara Messina
 Dianne C. Montalbano
 Nassau & Foster Families
 Simon Hoa Hai Hoang Nguyen
 Martha D. & Daniel F. Nolan
 Masson & Paulin Families
 Jeremy Reed

Beverly B. Orillion & Family
 Petrolia Family
 Ramirez & Mackie Families
 Redmann & Rapiere Families
 Ellin Reitmeier
 Jack Markem Riley, Jr.
 Gladys & Louis Schwartz
 Carl & Marjorie Sklamba
 Anna & Joseph Szabo
 Smith, Salles & Barkerding Families
 Leonardo Spalluto
 Susan Spalluto
 John D. Sparck
 Patrick F. Taylor
 Hilton & Mary Toups
 Mark Anthony Toups
 Salvator Trentacosta
 Versie & Leona Wallace
 Ettie Wentz
 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 Ramirez-Mackie Families

ST. PATRICK'S SANCTUARY CANDLE

Please pray for Anne-Marie Theriot

CANDLES AT THE ALTAR OF THE SACRED HEART

Please pray for Pat Andras

CANDLES AT THE ALTAR OF OUR LADY

Please pray for Mr. & Mrs. Gary O'Brien

CANDLE AT THE STATUE OF ST. PATRICK

Please pray for Ben Bragg & Patrick Lynch, Jr.

CANDLE AT THE STATUE OF ST. JOSEPH

Please pray for John Kerry

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST SANCTUARY CANDLE

Please pray for Leighton & Lisa Ciravolo

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PASCHAL CANDLE

Please pray for Benefactors of St. John the Baptist

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.



PRAYERS FOR THE FAITHFUL

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

Pat Andras; Bill Andre; Fr. Walter Austin; Baby Sophie; Celeste Bertaut; Billie Butler; Nica Capritto; Geraldine Ceramic; Gary Carbo & Family; Cynthia Dominguez; Fernando Estevez; Kathleen Gaudin; Cynthia Hemelt; Cy Hoormann; Ella Hoormann; Anna & Roquey Jobs; Ron Johnson; Patricia Kelly; Fr. Stanley Klores; Francis Marin; Arthur Maurice; Darlene Melendez; Erena Messina; David M. O'Keefe; Rachel Pedeaux, Shelly Presley; Stephen Drexel Ridley; Mari Ridley; Patricia Russo; Toby Russo; Jude Augustine Rivera; Carolyn Ann Centanni Stevens; Simon Templet; Anne Marie Theriot; Ernest Thomas Trejo Jr.; Mary Trentacoste; Edward Turncliff; Darlene Walk; John Zar

To add a name to this list, please call the parish office at 504-525-4413

Saturday, January 31

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH

4:00 p.m. St. Lucy Society; Lois Lauland Walk†

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

8:00 a.m. Joy D. André; Joseph Songy†

5:30 p.m. Michael L. Thiele II†; Cynthia Cheri; Anne-Marie Theriot

Sunday, February 1

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH

9:15 a.m. Fr. Minh Cong Phan

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

8:00 a.m. Fr. Joseph Martello

9:15 a.m. Family & Friends of Elaine Andre; Cassara Family; Vincent dePaul Brouillette, Jr†; Andrew Fourcade; GLB; Alexandra Alford Healy†; Fr. Reginald Hoefler OP; Ella Hoormann; Holy Souls in Purgatory†; "In Memory" List; Mary Scanlan Jeansonne†; Patricia Kelly & Laura Kelly Storms; Fr. Stanley Klores; Mr. & Mrs. Stewart & Didi Lagarde; Mary Iris Manning†; Janet Martello†; Jackie, Julie, Joseph, Dominic, Therese, Jude, Margaret, John Martello, Luke & Maria Corona, Andrew Mayer, Emma Polozola, Ross, Emma & John Lotspeich; Jose Maria Mendes-Bonito†; Albert G. Messina†; Cecilia McNamara Messina†; Mary Helen Wentz Courts†; Ettie Wentz†; Thomas Miller; Nancy Pennington†; Carol Ann Plizga; Ann Maucele Saia†; Joseph & Una Songy†; Lauren Stidham; Anne-Marie Theriot; Gregory Torore†; Joe Maggio Family; Lee Vaccari Family; Marian Vaccari Walker†; Jack H. & Cynthia Young†

11:00 a.m. Salvador Trentacosta†

5:30 p.m. Pro Populo

Monday, February 2

11:30 a.m. Paige Saleun

6:00 p.m. Fr. Edward James Fallon†

Tuesday, February 3

7:15 a.m. Fr. Reginald Hoefler, OP

11:30 a.m. Philip Schnur

Wednesday, February 4

7:15 a.m. James Pitts

11:30 a.m. James Bruce†

Thursday, February 5

7:15 a.m. John Kevin Watson

11:30 a.m. Philip Schnur

Friday, February 6

7:15 a.m. John Thomas Sweeney†

11:30 a.m. Daniel Rein†

Continuing our reflections on the gift of the diaconate, we must ever keep in mind the special connection between the diaconate and the model of Christ, the servant. The very word, *diakonia* is Greek for service. Christ is the reference point for the life of a deacon, and the unique model of servanthood that Christ shows is illuminated in St. Paul's letter to the Philippians. There Paul explains that Christ did not cling to His heavenly glory, but rather emptied Himself to become our servant. This is a kind of service marked by love and humility; it is a kind of service which entails a self-renunciation and self-offering

Such a kind of service is not satisfied to seek only results or temporal contentment. Instead, Christian *diakonia* aspires to a kind of service which benefits the soul of both the servant and the served. In other words, *Diakonia*, is service joined to our worship and our witness. Such a service, no doubt, is the call of all the baptized! The ordained deacons, however, take this responsibility to an excellent degree and, by the sacrament of Holy Orders, become set apart as servants to all the faithful.

Truly this kind of service is one which requires a spiritual strength and vision to carry out. Christ not only commands this kind of service; He demonstrates it as well, perfectly on the Cross. We also look to the washing of the feet to understand the dynamic of Christian service: we are to serve others as He has served us. At the Last Supper He washed the apostles feet and said, "For I have given you an example, that you also should do as I have done to you." (Jn 13) In Mark 10, the service that Christ asks of us is even described as a slavery! But when, like Christ, we are made the slaves of the will of God, then we can accomplish divine things like the conquering of darkness and sin, all while filled with the unfailing love of our Father. Thus, the servanthood of the faithful has two sources: the service Christ has given us, and the drive to accomplish the victorious will of the Father. ~Fr. O'Brien

A SUMMER JOB LIKE NO OTHER!

Hawkeye Ranch near Cody, Wyoming is looking for summer employees. The position is perfect for college-aged young adults (19 and higher) who want to promote the faith while immersed in the beauty of God's creation. The photo below cannot capture the pristine and secluded setting of the South Fork of the Shoshone River!

The mission of Hawkeye Ranch is to assemble groups of faithful Catholics for a week-long escape into the outdoors while having daily Mass in the ranch chapel. Horseback riding, fishing, hiking, skeet shooting are all offered in the comfort of a guest ranch. Staff members will meet amazing friends while providing food service, childcare and other assistance to the guests' activities.

Visit Hawkeye.wy.life and click Summer Jobs for more info.



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