Saint Patrick's Church



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Established 1833

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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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New Orleans, Louisiana 70113
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Thanksgiving Day



Traditional Latin Mass at 7:15 a.m.

Mass in English at 9:00 a.m.

There will be no 11:30 a.m. Mass on this day.

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 Propers

Traditional Latin Mass - Sunday at 9:15 a.m.

Last Sunday After Pentecost

English—All other Masses

Lord Jesus, King of the universe

Entrance Antiphon

How worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and divinity, and wisdom and strength and honor. To him be glory and power for ever and ever.

Communion Antiphon

The Lord sits as King for ever.
The Lord will bless his people with peace.

Upcoming Special Masses (Latin)

~Thanksgiving Day Thursday, November 26 at 7:15 a.m.
~Immaculate Conception *(obligation)*
Tuesday, December 8 at 6:30 p.m.
There will be no 7:15 a.m. Mass on this day
~Our Lady of Guadalupe *by candlelight*
Saturday, December 12 at 6:00 a.m.
~Sung Vespers for Gaudete Sunday, December 13 at 4:00 p.m.

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 11:30a.m. Mass on 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 Officeat 504-525-4413 for wedding inquiries at least 6 – 8 months prior to the wedding date.

Banns of Matrimony

Please pray for those preparing for the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony.



St. Patrick's Church

November 28, 2026
Jake Alexander Mareno & Destiny Nicole Ahysen
December 5, 2026
Sterling Michael Suggs & Rebekah Ashley Breaux
Stephan Desmidt & Emma Ruth Gielen



Holy Face Devotion

Sunday, November 22, 2026
Please join us in observance of the "Holy Face Devotion" to offer prayers of reparation for the sins that offend God. Prayers are offered on the **4th Sunday of each month following the 9:15 a.m. Mass.**

Save the Date!



Stewardship

End-Of-Year Donations

Please know that donations are posted when they are received. Please make sure your end-of-year donations arrive by **December 30, 2026**

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 and make payment for Masses. **Visit our websites to support St. Patrick's and/or St. John the Baptist**.

Weekend Offerings

St. John the Baptist	November 1
First Collection (Operating Costs)	$ 667
Restoration & Maintenance	$ 804
Online Giving	$ 250
St. Patrick's Church	
First Collection (Operating Costs)	$ 14,196
Restoration & Maintenance	$ 4,174
Online Giving	$ 2,732

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
Betty Bergin
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 Cuicchi
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
Leonora V. Maurice
Bob & Lilly Maurin
Carla McClelland
McCrossen & Neely Families
Albert George Messina
Cecilia McNamara Messina
Dianne C. Montalbano
Nassau & Foster Families
Martha D. & Daniel F. Nolan
Masson & Paulin Families
Jeremy Reed
Beverly B. Orillion & Family
Patrick Logan Petagna
Petrolia Family
Ramirez & Mackie Families
Redmann & Rapier Families
Ellin Reitmeier
Jack Markem Riley, Jr.
Gladys & Louis Schwartz
Carl & Marjorie Sklamba
Anna & Joseph Szabo
Smith, Salles & Barkerding Families
Sotile & LcBlance Families
Leonardo Spalluto
Susan Spalluto
John D. Sparck
Mary Streckfus & Gary Glynn Families
Patrick F. Taylor
Hilton & Mary Toups
Mark Anthony Toups
Salvator Trentacoste
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 **Pope Leo XIV**

Candles at the Altar of the Sacred Heart
Please pray for **Fr. Garrett O'Brien**

Candles at the Altar of Our Lady
Please pray for **Elaine Andre**

Candles at the Statue of St. Patrick
Please pray for **Ben Bragg & Patrick Lynch, Jr.**

Candles at the Statue of St. Joseph
Please pray for **Andrew Fourcade**

St. John the Baptist Sanctuary Candle
Please pray for **Darla & Jim Brilli**

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.

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:

Pat Andras; Bill Andre; Elaine Andre; Fr. Walter Austin; Baby Sophie; Michael Barry; Celeste Bertaut; June Bounds; Billie Butler; Geraldine Cheramie; Mary Cassard; Gary Carbo & Family; Sheila Clark; Ali Cooper; The Croff Family; Cynthia Dominquez; Claire Dupont; Ella; Fernando Estevez; Kathleen Gaudin; Warren Hart; Xavier A. Hartmann; Cynthia Hemelt; Cy Hoormann; Ella Hoormann; Anna & Roquey Jobes; Ron Johnson; Ann Johnston; Patricia Kelly; Fr. Stanley Klores; Stewart Lagarde; Gwen Lindberg; James Benjamin Liuzza; Jason Liuzza; Francis Marin; Fr. Bob Massett; Doug Matthew; Arthur Maurice; Darlene Melendez; Erena Messina; David M. O'Keefe; Kathleen O'Keefe; Shannon O'Keefe; Rachel Pedeaux, Shelly Presley; Robert B. Ramirez; Stephen Drexel Ridley; Mari Ridley; Mark Riedl; Patricia Russo; Toby Russo; Jude Augustine Rivera; Carolyn Ann Centanni Stevens; Simon Templet; Anne Marie Theriot; Ben Thomas; Marlene Thomas; Ernest Thomas Trejo Jr.; MaryTrentacoste; Darlene Walk; Jane Wilson; John Zar

L.A. Robichaux

Prayer

Saturday, November 21

St. John the Baptist Church

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

St. Patrick's Church

8:00 a.m. Music Benefactors of St. Patrick's Church

5:30 p.m. William R. Alpaugh, Sr.; Mona Roussel†

Sunday, November 22

St. John the Baptist Church

9:15 a.m. St. Lucy Society

St. Patrick's Church

8:00 a.m. Fr. Mark Raphael

9:15 a.m. Friends & Family of Elaine André; Those Listed in the Book of the Dead † ; Bowman Bourgeois † ; Theresa Brasette † ; Cassara Family; Mary Cassard; Conversion of Sinners; Glenna D'Benedetto † ; Christophe Eldridge; Carolina Pinto Fajardo† ; Mary Ann Fernandez; Andrew Fourcade; GLB; Alexandra Alford Healy † ; Holy Souls in Purgatory † ; Judy Hoormann; "In Memory" List; John Kerry; Dwight LeBlanc; Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Licali† ; Janet Martello†; Jackie, Julie, Joseph, Dominic, Therese, Jude, Margaret, John Martello, Luke & Maria Corona, Andrew Mayer, Emma Polozola, Ross, Emma & John Lotspeich; Ms. Jean Mascaro † ; Ben Mathieu; McCloskey Family; Anthony Messina † ; Albert G. Messina † ; Cecilia McNamara Messina † ; Ronald Messina†; Mary Helen Wentz Courts†; Ettie Wentz†; Ethel McNamara Schneider † ; Mr. & Mrs. Lloyd Miceli† ; Michael Miceli† ; Antoinette Micelli† ; Mr. & Mrs. Carlo Miceli, Sr.† ; Carlo Miceli, Jr.† ; Philip & Thomas Miller; Janet Mills; Mr. & Mrs. Morris Molaison, Sr.† ; Morris Molaison, Jr† ; Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Molaison, Sr.†; Andrew Molaison, Jr† ; Mr. & Mrs. Sidney Molaison† ; Mr. & Mrs. Louis Molaison† ; Ms. Georgia Mussachia†; Mr. & Mrs. Diego Navia† ; Mr. & Mrs. Jason Navia† ; Danny Nemeth; Jacques L.Z. Nemeth; Sharon Nemeth; Simon Hoa Hai Hoang Nguyen † ; William H. Phelan † ; The Pitts Family; Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Sallinger † ; Frances Sallinger † ; Joseph & Una Songy † ; Anne-Marie Theriot; David Toups † ; Joe Maggio Family; Lee Vaccari Family; Marian Vaccari Walker † ; Mark J. Wegmann†

11:00 a.m. JO. Jack Smythe†

5:30 p.m. Pro Populo

Monday, November 16

7:15 a.m. John Morgan†

11:30 a.m. Mary Streckfus Dufour†

Tuesday, November 17

7:15 a.m. Sr. Michelle Joyce†

11:30 a.m. Evelyn Cenni

Wednesday, November 18

7:15 a.m. Special Intention

11:30 a.m. Philip Schnur

Thursday, November 19

7:15 a.m. Elizabeth Schnur

11:30 a.m. Norma Glynn

Friday, November 20

7:15 a.m. Consecration of the United States & Our Lady of America

11:30 a.m. Matthew Schnur

Servite Dominum in Timore

We continue to follow the reflections of Pope Leo XIV on the documents of Vatican II. We have already covered *Dei verbum*, *Lumen gentium,* and *Sacrosanctum concilium*. All three of these documents are classified as constitutions, the first two being called dogmatic constitutions. Today we take up the fourth and final constitution of the Council, *Gaudium et spes*. *Gaudium et spes* is designated as a 'pastoral constitution,' and it teaches on the Church in the modern world. The label 'pastoral' connotes something essential about the Church as she continues the ministry of Christ. Just as Christ took on flesh and became like us in all things but sin, so too the Church must enter the context of modern man in order to raise it up. This effort of outreach and compassion is the starting point for the teachings of this document regarding how the Church should interact with the world. This gives rise the document's famous opening line, "The joys and hopes of the men of this age ... are the joys and hopes of the followers of Christ."

With this in mind, we are to engage the world with genuine concern for the burdens of the human family. "[T]he Church has always had the duty of scrutinizing the signs of the times and of interpreting them in the light of the Gospel" (GS, 4). Doing so is not motivated by any worldly ambition, but solely for the advance of the Gospel and in promotion of continuous conversion. Where the Church encounters the men of this world as poor and afflicted, all the more does our apostolic zeal move us to reach them with the love and the truth of Christ. With a discerning eye upon the matters of the world, the Church can point out the contradictions found therein, such as great advances in technology coexisting with declines in morality, great wealth for some coexisting with life-threatening poverty, great strides in political order coexisting with violence and war. In highlighting the struggles of modern man, the Church can better propose Christ as, "the key, the focal point and the goal of … all human history" (GS, 10).

In addition to commenting on the struggles of humanity, so too must the Church remind the world that any virtue and value that the world espouses has a divine origin. Foundational for society in the Church and in the world is the notion of the dignity of the human person. This human dignity is rooted in the fact God created us in His image and likeness, and gave us dominion over creation for His glory. This dignity comes to its apex in Christ who, "fully reveals man to man himself and makes his supreme calling clear" (GS, 22). With this as our foundation, we can speak to the hearts of man beckoning them to Christ and His Church. ~Fr. O'Brien