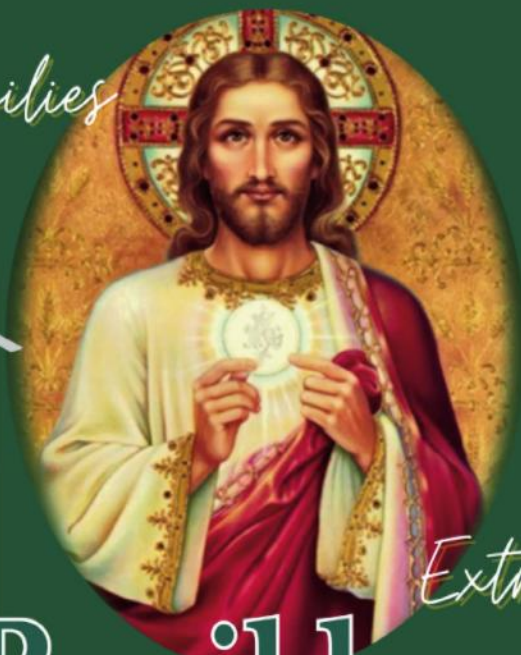


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# St. Benilde

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### CLERGY

Rev. Matthew Johnston, Pastor  
Deacon Stephen Gordon  
Deacon Michael Sorensen

### OFFICE MANAGER

Colleen Hezeau

### BAPTISMS

First and Third Sundays of the month at Noon. Please call the Parish Office for more information.

### MATRIMONY

Please contact a priest/deacon 8 months prior to your wedding.

### FUNERALS

Arrangements may be made at the Parish Office.

[www.stbenilde.org](http://www.stbenilde.org)

### MASS TIMES

Saturday Vigil ... 4:00 p.m.  
Sunday ... 9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.  
                    & 4:00 p.m.  
Mon., Wed., Fri. ... 7:00 a.m.  
Tuesday and Thursday...5:30 p.m.

### HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

See Inside the Bulletin  
for Schedule

### CONFESSION

Saturday ... 3:00—3:45 p.m.  
Tuesday ... 5:00-5:25 p.m.  
Thursday ... 5:00-5:25 p.m.  
and by appointment at the Parish  
Office

### DEVOTIONS

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual  
Help Following 5:30 p.m.  
Mass on Tuesday

Mary's Hour Saturdays at 8:00 a.m.  
in the Church

### NEWCOMERS

Call the Parish Office to receive a  
New Parishioner Registration  
Packet.

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

St. Benilde Conference  
(504) 233-3246.

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### DIVINE MERCY ADORATION CHAPEL

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration from 7:00 a.m. Monday till 10:00 p.m. Friday

## Ministers of the Liturgy & Mass Intentions

**Saturday, June 7, 2025**  
**4:00 p.m.**

*Intentions:* In honor of St. Jude, Charlton Hymel, Tommy Montgomery, Merle & Charles Dittmer, Patrick C. McKinney, Flora Maria Be, Pat Manfre, Robert Phelps, Fr. Matthew Johnston(L), Jess Matherne, Jr., Bernard Cleary, Maria LeBlanc, Mike Brelet, Michele Moyer Pepperman, Rosemary Gennaro, Margaret Bourgeois(L), Kenny Bairnsfather, Romelia Schiro, Louis Roussel, Jude Abadie Jordan, Charles A. Claverie, III  
*Song Leaders:* Traditional Choir

**Sunday, June 8, 2025**  
**9:00 a.m.**

*Intentions:* Jamie "Mame" Bennett  
*Song Leaders:* Traditional Choir

**11:00 a.m.**

*Intentions:* Leigh Whitman Director, Paul Hymel, Jr. , Dolores Masson, Glenn Hymel, Janne Cahill(L), Deacon Willie Mayo Berthelot, Tricia O'Connor(L), Brennan Hanson (L), Fr. Cedrick L.W.P. (L), Michael J. Caillouet, Patricia Doyle, George Jacob(L), Paul & Courtney Fleming & Family(L)  
*Song Leaders:* Contemporary Choir

**4:00 p.m.**

*Intentions:* Nancy Carline (L)  
*Cantor:* Lauren Gisclair  
*Organist:* Sarah Finnicle

**June 9-13, 2025**

Monday	7:00 a.m.	Eric Cifreo
Tuesday	5:30 p.m.	Claire Bourgeois(L)
Wednesday	7:00 a.m.	Edwin Melan, Jr.
Thursday	5:30 p.m.	Virginia Angelico
Friday	7:00 a.m.	Marisa & Marvin Saborio

## This Week at St. Benilde

**Monday, June 9**

*Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church*

7:00 a.m. **Mass**

7:00 p.m. **Divine Mercy Cenacle Group**

**Tuesday, June 10**

5-5:25 p.m. **Reconciliation** in the Church

5:30 p.m. **Daily Mass**

6-10:00 p.m. **St. Benilde Men's Club Cabbage Ball League** on the Blacktop

7:00 p.m. **HALOS-Healing after loss to overdose or suicide** in the Parish Office

7:30 p.m. **Contemporary Choir Practice** in the Church

**Wednesday, June 11**

*Memorial of Saint Barnabas, Apostle*

7:00 a.m. **Daily Mass**

7:00 p.m. **Red Bird Ministries-Grieving Parents Support Group** in the Parish Office

7:30 p.m. **That Man is You!** in the Teen Center

7:30 p.m. **CCRNO Prayer Mtg.** in the Church

**Thursday, June 12**

5-5:30 p.m. **Reconciliation** in the Church

5:30 p.m. **Daily Mass**

6-10:00 p.m. **St. Benilde Men's Club Cabbage ball League** on the Blacktop

6:30 p.m. **Come Lord Jesus** in the Parish Office

**Friday, June 13**

*Memorial of Saint Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church*

7:00 a.m. **Daily Mass**

**PENTECOST** Sunday



## This Week at St. Benilde Cont.

<b>Saturday, June 14</b>	8:00 a.m. <b>Mary's Hour</b> in the Church
	3:00-3:45 p.m. <b>Reconciliation</b> in the Church
	4:00 p.m. <b>Vigil Mass</b>
<b>Sunday, June 15</b> <i>The Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity</i>	9:00 a.m. <b>Mass</b>
	11:00 a.m. <b>Mass</b>
	4:00 p.m. <b>Mass</b>

## Stewardship of Treasure

May 24 & 25, 2025

First Collection Envelopes.....	\$1,620.00
First Collection Loose.....	\$1,215.00
Repairs & Maintenance 2nd Collection.....	\$80.00
Candles.....	\$149.00
Msgr. Endowment Fund.....	\$5.00
Online Giving.....	\$1,412
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>\$3,374</b>

Thank you so much for your generous support of St. Benilde Parish. Your gifts of treasure help ensure that the many good works taking place within our parish can continue. To set up an



## Prayer Intentions:

**The Church Sanctuary Lamp** burns for Dolores Masson



**Adoration Chapel Sanctuary Lamp** burns for Pope Leo XIV

**The Altar Flowers** in memory of deceased parishioners



**Altar Volunteers**  
Week of June 1  
Anita Delaup

**June Linens**  
Large - Elaine Servary  
Small - Sherrie Holliday

## ADORERS NEEDED

**MONDAYS**  
1:00 P.M. - 2:00 P.M.

**WEDNESDAYS**  
3:00 A.M. - 4:00 A.M.  
1:00 P.M. - 2:00 P.M.  
11:00 P.M. - 12:00 A.M.

**THURSDAYS:**  
10:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.

**FRIDAYS:**  
3:00 A.M. - 4:00 A.M.  
10:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.



Our Divine Mercy Adoration Chapel needs adoration hours covered by at least one committed adorer. Please consider volunteering your time. Scan the QR code or visit <https://adorationpro.org/stbenilde/> to sign up today.

# PENTECOST

*Party*

**8 | 5**  
JUNE | PM

**UNDER THE PAVILION**

**FOOD TRUCKS ♠ INFLATABLES**

**FACE PAINTING ♠ CORN HOLE ♠ GAMES**

**THIS PARISH EVENT IS FREE; MONEY WILL BE NEEDED FOR FOOD TRUCKS**

The entire St. Benilde community is invited to our second annual Pentecost Party on Sunday, June 8, from 5-7:00 PM under the Pavilion.

## St. Benilde Catholic Church....Rooted and Built Up in Christ



**The Divine Mercy Cenacle** is a faith formation program that includes songs, prayers, and discussions on Scripture, the Catechism of the Catholic Church, and the Diary of St. Faustina.

Meetings are held on the fourth Monday of each month at 7:00 PM in the Parish Office. Members should bring their own Holy Bible and the Catechism of the Catholic Church. The Cenacle Formation Manuals and the Diary of St. Faustina will be provided.

For more information, contact Val Hebert at [valencemet@aol.com](mailto:valencemet@aol.com) or 504-427-0327.



### HALOS Group

*Healing After Loved Ones Suicide*



**2ND TUESDAYS EVERY MONTH**  
7:00 PM in the Parish Office



## WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY ON THE BOOK OF EPHESIANS

# Fearless AND FREE

SIX LESSONS

## FEARLESS & FREE



EXPERIENCING HEALING AND WHOLENESS IN CHRIST

Fearless and Free, a Bible study based on the book of Ephesians, is ideal for those who long for wholeness of heart and are in need of freedom from past wounds. So many of us are wrestling through the reality that life isn't easy, even when we are doing the right thing. Suffering can slam into us from left field, leaving us reeling.

This study provides a firm foundation to stand on no matter what life throws our way. With an emphasis on healing and wholeness, Fearless and Free is the most personal and transformative study that Walking with Purpose has offered so far.

**REGISTER BY JUNE 9 TO BE INCLUDED IN THE GROUP ORDER FOR STUDY MATERIALS**

**STARTING JUNE 18**

**EVERY 1ST & 3RD WEDNESDAY**

**7:30 PM IN THE TEEN CENTER**

**STUDY SCHEDULE:**

JUNE 18  
JULY 2  
JULY 16  
JULY 30  
AUGUST 6  
AUGUST 20



Contact Jennifer Allen at [jallen@arch-no.org](mailto:jallen@arch-no.org) or Beth Beguiristain at [bethbeg2016@gmail.com](mailto:bethbeg2016@gmail.com) to join or learn more!

# TMIY

THAT MAN IS YOU!

BECOMING A MAN AFTER GOD'S OWN HEART

## SUMMER SCHEDULE

**6/11, 7/9, 7/23, 8/13, 8/27**

7:30 PM IN THE TEEN CENTER

STUDYING THE GLORIOUS MYSTERIES

OPEN TO ALL MEN OF THE PARISH

**JOIN NOW!**

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ST. BENILDE'S  
**CYO**  
OPEN TO TEENS IN GRADES 8 THROUGH 12

## June Events

8

### PENTECOST PARTY

Mass at 4PM followed by food trucks, face painting, corn hole, games, and more. Bring money for food trucks!

13

### HOLY HOUR & SOCIAL

Holy Hour from 7-8PM in the Adoration Chapel; Snacks + Games from 8-9:30PM in the Teen Center

21

### CARWASH FUNDRAISER

Enjoy fun in the sun from 10-2PM while raising money for your CYO retreat

22

### CYO NIGHT

Teen Mass at 4PM followed by food, formation, and fellowship in the Teen Center from 5-8PM

Please bring a \$5 donation for food

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JOHN 15: 4-5

**CAR WASH FUNDRAISER**  
St. Benilde CYO  
All proceeds benefit our Teen Retreat Fund  
Saturday, June 21  
10AM - 2PM  
St. Benilde Church Parking Lot

THEY WERE ALL FILLED  
WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT

ACTS 2:4

ST. BENILDE CYO

**Holy Hour  
& Social**

13th June 2025

Holy Hour from 7-8:00 PM in the Adoration Chapel; Snacks, Games & Hang Out to follow from 8-9:30 PM in the Teen Center

St. Benilde's CYO (Catholic Youth Organization) aims to engage teens in 8th-12th grades with our St. Benilde Parish family. We seek to deepen their faith by fostering relationships with Jesus Christ and each other.

To learn more about this ministry, contact Alexandra Walters, [awalters@arch-no.org](mailto:awalters@arch-no.org).






# EMPOWERING THE YOUNG CHURCH

Sponsor the Church of TODAY by sponsoring a CYO Teen! Help our young Church foster deeper relationships with Our Lord!

Questions please contact  
awalters@arch-no.org



Join St. Benilde Church for  
**MARY'S HOUR**  
Saturday Mornings

8:00 AM  
in the Church

Little Office of the  
Blessed Virgin Mary,  
Novena to the Miraculous  
Medal, Rosary & More!

Contact Val Hebert at  
[valencemet@aol.com](mailto:valencemet@aol.com) for  
more information,



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that you can also use to sign up. Just enter your name and e-mail address, and you can still receive all messages sent out by St. Benilde Church.

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#### How do I access my options?

When you register, you will be able to choose whether you would like to receive notes by email, text, or both, and the ministries you would like to join. To make changes, you can access your account at any time by using your email or phone, and password. The password can be created at the time of the registration or later.

#### How do I register?

Joining is easy and it only takes about 2 minutes. Simply text **STBENILDE** to **84576** from your cell phone and follow the instructions. Or visit <https://stbenildecatholicchurch.flocknote.com>.



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AT MASS**

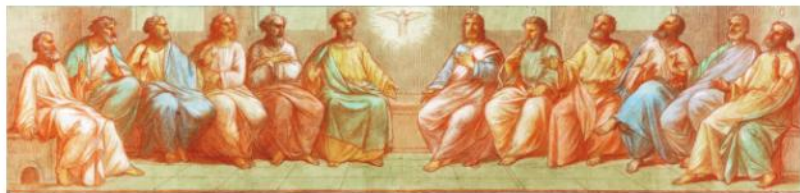
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IF INTERESTED





The CYO/Youth & Young Adult Ministry Office of the Archdiocese of New Orleans invites #NOLACatholicYoungAdults in their late teens to 30s to Christ in the City.

For more information, visit [nolacatholic.org/citc](http://nolacatholic.org/citc) or contact James Behan at [yam@arch-no.org](mailto:yam@arch-no.org).



### Flag Day Patriotic Concert at the National Shrine of Our Lady of Prompt Succor

The National Shrine of Our Lady of Prompt Succor will host a Flag Day Patriotic Concert on Saturday, June 14, following the 11:30 am Mass. All are welcome to join for Mass and the concert, or to arrive for the start of the concert. Please remember that the Shrine of Our Lady of Prompt Succor has been designated a local Jubilee Pilgrimage Site and that graces are available to those who visit the site and participate in the sacraments.

### WIDOWED? DIVORCED? SEPARATED?

Have you lost your spouse due to Death, Divorce or Separation? Having difficulty coping? Help is on the way. The Beginning Experience Ministry, under the New Orleans Archdiocese Office of Marriage and Family Life, will begin a 10-week program to help those struggling with their loss.

“Moving Forward With Hope . . . Coping With Life Alone” will take place on Wednesday evenings, June 4, 2025, through August 6, 2025, 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m., St. Angela Merici Catholic Church Conference Room, adjacent to the Church, at 835 Melody Dr., Metairie.

Cost: \$40

Call Ms. Joey at 504-812-3300 for registration and with questions.







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