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April 12, 2026

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MASS SCHEDULE

Monday-Saturday 8:30AM
Saturday Vigil 4:00 PM
Sunday - 8:30 AM, 10:30 AM &
6:00 PM

ADORATION (Chapel)
Sundays 11:30-12:30

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays, 2:30 PM-3:30 PM
Sundays 5:15 PM-5:45 PM

**BAPTISM, MARRIAGE AND
COMMUNION for the SICK**

Please call the office to schedule



JESUS, I TRUST IN YOU.

Divine Mercy Sunday

April 12, 2026



April 5, 2026

**PUBLICATION DEADLINES PREVENT
REPORTS FOR THIS
WEEK.**



GOD BLESS YOU ALL!



May God Bless You



**The sanctuary lamp
this week burns for
Rose Severa**

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK

**Claire Noble, Carol Ramos, Ann Moulton,
Renee Cure, Greg Dupont,
Sandy Meyer, Jack Kennedy,
Tracy Southern, Dennis
Coughlin Jr., Charlotte
Lejeune, and Residents of
St. Anthony's.**



**WE ARE UPDATING OUR
PRAYER LIST! If you are aware of someone
that needs prayers please call the office at
504-733-0922 to let us know.**

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, April 11, 2026

4:00 PM Norma & Lance Hubble, Adolph Tony Indovina,
Lamar Bourgeois Jr., Rose Severa, Frank &
Dolores Chappetta, Jai Polk, Hugh & Maureen
Howat, Dick & Dee Broussard, Brandstetter/
Bailey Families, Kathy & Kerry Sweeney (L),
Theresa & Emile Maddie, Sr., Charles Ferrara,
Julio Anleu, Diane Lewis, Rick LeBlanc

Sunday, April 12, 2026

8:30 AM Cindy Spence
10:30 AM Vida Bourgeois, Gravois & Coughlin Fmly.
Audrey Barilleaux, Effie Sarti, Madeleine
Landry, Michael Blanchard, Gordon Landry
Harris Miller, Thao Vu, Elizabeth Steen (L)
Harry Hancock, Therese Demouy, Kevin
Rayes, Asher Busch, Charles Ferrara Sr.
Shirley Guercio, Stephen Boone, Susan
Green

6:00 PM All SMM Parishioners

Monday, April 13, 2026

8:30 AM Frank Cristina

Tuesday, April 14, 2026

8:30 AM Prat Family

Wednesday, April 15, 2026

8:30 AM Bob Hollingsworth

Thursday, April 16, 2026

8:30 AM AJ & Brenda Simon

8:30 AM **Friday, April 17, 2026**

Alphonse J. Simon Sr.

8:30 AM **Saturday April 18, 2026**

Sylvan Witte

**iT'S
BUNCO
TiME!**

**TODAY AT 2:30 IN
MASSETT HALL!**

DON'T MISS IT!

April 16, 2026

***The Newest Doctor of the Church:
The Teachings of St. John Henry Newman***

Presented by Professor James M. Jacobs
Assistant Academic Dean: Notre Dame Seminary
SMM Parishioner

April 28, 2026

33 Days to Eucharistic Glory

Join us for a six-week journey to Eucharistic
Consecration (4/28, 5/5, 5/12, 5/19, 5/26, 6/2 & Sun., 6/7)

***PRAYER IN PREPARATION FOR THE CONCECRATION OF THE
ARCHDIOCESE OF NEW ORLEANS TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS***

In June of 2026, to mark the Semi quinentennial of the United States, the Bishops of the United States will consecrate the nation to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. On June 14, 1874, Archbishop Napoleon Perché first consecrated our own archdiocese to the Sacred Heart. Our new archbishop, James Checchio, has asked that we once again consecrate the Archdiocese of New Orleans to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, placing ourselves more fully under the Kingship of Jesus and inviting His Sacred Heart to reign in our parishes and in our families. In the coming weeks, we will learn more about the plans to celebrate this consecration in the parishes and the archdiocese.

From April 12 (Divine Mercy Sunday) through June 14, all parishes are asked to pray the Act of Consecration to the Sacred Heart for the designated intention at all Sunday Masses. This prayer can be said in lieu of the Family Prayer, which will no longer be mandatory to pray at Sunday Masses.

Printed cards with the Act of Consecration can be found in the Missalette holder in each pew. Please leave the card in the pew so that we can recite it at every Sunday Mass from now until June 14. For your convenience, a full-page copy of the prayer is available in the bulletin. Please take a bulletin when you leave so that you may pray the Act of Consecration in your own home.



Prayer in Preparation for the Consecration of the Archdiocese of New Orleans to the **SACRED HEART OF JESUS**

O Sacred Heart of Jesus,
fountain of eternal life,
Your Heart is a glowing furnace of Love.
You are my refuge and my sanctuary.

O my adorable and loving Savior,
consume my heart with the burning fire
with which Yours is inflamed.

Pour down on my soul those graces which flow from Your love.

Let my heart never rest until it finds You,
who are its center, its love, and its happiness.

Let my heart be united with Yours.
Let my will be conformed to Yours in all things.

May Your Will be the rule of all my desires and actions. Amen.



Sunday Intentions

April 12 - Christ's Protection over our
Archdiocese and City

April 19 - Peace among Nations & for
Immigrants and Refugees

April 26 - An End to Racism

May 3 - The Defense of All Human Life

May 10 - Addictions and Mental Health

May 17 - Vocations to Priesthood and
Consecrated Life

May 24 - Marriages and Families

May 31 - Those Distant from the Church

June 7 - The Faithful Departed



ARCHDIOCESE OF
NEW ORLEANS

Monday, April 13, 2026

Mass	8:30 AM
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Tuesday, April 14, 2026

Mass	8:30 AM
Marion Servants –DC-HF	9:30 AM
Adoration –Chapel	4:00-7:00 PM
CLJ-DC-Luke	6:00 PM

Wednesday, April 15, 2026

Mass	8:30 AM
Social Apostolate	5:30 PM
Christlife #2 DC-HF	6:30 PM

Thursday, April 16, 2026

Mass	8:30 AM
CLJ-DC-Luke	6:00 PM
Connect –DC-HF	6:30 PM

Friday, April 17, 2026

Mass	8:30 AM
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Saturday, April 18, 2026

Mass	8:30 AM
Confessions	2:30 PM
Vigil Mass	4:00 PM

Sunday, April 19, 2026

Sunday Masses	8:30 AM, 10:30 AM, & 6:00 PM
Confessions	5:15-5:45 PM

CATHOLIC GAME NIGHT

Our next Catholic Game Night (CGN) will be on Monday **APRIL 20TH** at 7:00 PM in the Discipleship Center.

Doors open at 6:45 PM, and games start at 7:00 PM. Must be 18 or older to play.

As always, there's no admission fee, but please bring an unexpired food item for the SMM Social Apostolate. We will once again have drinks, snacks, a 50/50 raffle, and a door prize raffle. Prizes awarded to the winning persons or teams! Catholic Games Night brings us closer ... one question at a time!!"

. GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

The Office of Marriage and Family Life is pleased to announce the annual Archdiocese of New Orleans Golden Wedding Anniversary Celebration will be held on Sunday, June 7, 2026 at 3:00 p.m. at St. Joseph Catholic Church, New Orleans. This prayer service will honor couples who are celebrating or have recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. The celebration is open to couples married in **1976** or before. **(To register, please contact your parish office before Friday, April 17, 2026).** Please Note: **The Golden Wedding Anniversary Celebration is a prayer service, not a Mass and will not fulfill the couple's Sunday obligation.** Couples should plan to attend Mass at their home parishes.

**ADULT CONFIRMATION**

St. Mary Magdalen is offering Adult Confirmation classes on April 29th and May 3rd from 3:00-5:30 pm in the Discipleship Center. Candidates will be confirmed by Archbishop James F. Checchio at St. Louis Cathedral on May 24th. If you are interested, please contact Melanie S. Gaumond, Director of Religious Education at smmdre@arch-no.org or (504)766-8163.