

May 25, 2025 - SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

Saturday

Vigil: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday:

7:00, 9:00, 11:00 a.m.

Monday:

Communion Service: 8:00 a.m.

Tuesday-Friday Mass: 8:00 a.m.

Tuesday:

8:00 a.m. Mass & Novena to Our Lady of

Perpetual Help; Adoration & Benediction

9:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration

RECONCILIATION

By appointment and 30 minutes before each Mass on the weekend.

Saint Genevieve Catholic Church continues to be a vibrant and welcoming family of people from diverse cultures who joyfully worship and work together to know and spread the Good News of Jesus Christ. We strive to meet the changing needs of our community, both physical and spiritual, by encouraging our parishioners to become involved using their many talents and various gifts. We strive to increase participation at Mass, work for racial harmony, strengthen and promote family unity, support the needs of the elderly, and serve as advocates for the youth.

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

“PEACE I LEAVE WITH YOU;
MY PEACE I GIVE TO YOU.”



Saturday, May 24, 2025

4:00 pm-Mass: Celebrant— Fr. Gerald L. Seiler Jr.

Intention: Cynthia Abney



Sunday, May 25, 2025

7:00 am Mass: Celebrant— Fr. Daniel Okafor

Intentions: Rufino Jesusa, Dr. Aynaud Maurice Hebert & Mrs. Adelaide M. Hebert, Esther DiMarco, Cody Doucette, John Claude Roberts III, Earline Banner, Betty N. Cooper.

9:00 am Mass: Celebrant— Fr. Gerald L. Seiler Jr.

Intention: Parish Family

11:00am Mass Celebrant— Fr. Gerald L. Seiler Jr

Intention: Lin & James Holmes Jr, Deacon Paul Mumme, Grant Pichon, Janet Hebert, Cynthia Abney, Ursula Paige, Gloria White, Lucy Labauve, Doris Dekwa



8:00 am Weekday Mass Intentions

Mon., May 26th. Communion Service

Tues. May 27th. Wilson Navarre

Wed., May 28th. Cynthia Abney

Thur. May 29th. Roberts Family

Fri. May 30th. Dr. Aynaud Maurice Hebert & Mrs. Adelaide M. Hebert



Funerals or Memorial Mass

Please call the Church Office for the Funeral

or Memorial Mass arrangement for your loved one.

No Church fee for Funeral or Memorial Mass.

Weekend Collections May 18, 2025

Collections \$5,255.20

Clarion Herald \$17.00



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Please join us in praying for our new Holy Father!



O God, you have chosen Pope Leo XIV, as the shepherds to lead your Church on earth. Grant him wisdom and strength to govern with fidelity to your holy word, and courage and compassion to build up your Church in unity and peace. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.



The Sanctuary light burn in loving memory of
Fr. Roel Lungay



Banns of Marriage

Nicholas Lemoine & Caley Preston
On June 14, 2025

Scripture Readings; For the Week of May 25, 2025

Sunday	Sixth Sunday of Easter Acts 15:1-2, 22-29; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; Rev 21:10-14, 22-23; Jn 14:23-29
Monday	Memorial of Saint Philip Neri, Priest Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b; Jn 15:26-16:4a
Tuesday	Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 7c-8; Jn 16:5-11
Wednesday	Acts 17:15, 22-18:1; Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14; Jn 16:12-15
Thursday	Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9; Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23; Lk 24:46-53
Friday	Acts 18:9-18; Ps 47:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Jn 16:20-23
Saturday	Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Zeph 3:14-18a or Rom 12:9-16; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6; Lk 1:39-56
Sunday	Seventh Sunday of Easter Acts 7:55-60; Ps 97:1-2, 6-7, 9; Rev 22:12-14, 16-17, 20; Jn 17:20-26

In those places where the observance of the Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord has been transferred to the Seventh Sunday of Easter, the Mass and readings of the Ascension are used. Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9; Eph 1:17-23 or Heb 9:24-28; 10:19-23; Lk 24:46-53

Proclaim a joyful sound and let it be heard; proclaim to the ends of the earth: The Lord has freed his people.
(Isaiah 48:20)

**For Urgent Prayer, call Mary Bell Neck,
985-781-1030**

**May the healing power of Christ bestow
upon them.**



Hatfield, George
Millet, Jackie
Staes, Donald,
Staes, Melvin,
Staes, Eugene
Parker, Elbert & John
Beard, Brad
Billings, Charles & Brenda
Navarre, Lillian & Wilson Jr.
Staes, Diane
Staes, Robert
Larive, Laura
Haggerty, Janet & Dcn. Dan
Dupre, Joy
Staes, Liebe
White, Cathy
Johnson, Sherry
Chadwick, Judy
Lawrence, Joyce
Neal, Audrey

Roberts, Craig
Millet, Baby Max
James, Larry
Devezin, Anna
Stein, Patricia
Barros, Edolia
Graham, Rita
Ladner, Kathy
Staes, Lynn
Hayle, Debra
Narcisse, Freddy
Henderson, Shirley
Davis, Odell
Lifton, Kimberly
Tamborella, Gail
Ladner, Lou
Collins, Barbara
Lusher, Keith
Wyatt, Mary Ann
Hess Pinac, Leane



Anointing of the Sick

Please call the office to make arrangements for anointing. If someone is on hospice, please do not hesitate. It is important that you call the office so Fr. Jerry can visit as soon as possible.

LIGHT A CANDLE IN PRAYER

Our church has a beautiful Sacred Heart Candle Shrine for lighting candles. Please use the candles provided by the church in the candle racks. Kindly refrain from providing your own candles. Candles are available for purchase at the parish office.

Home Bound Ministry

Our homebound ministry is here to serve you, please call the church office if you have some one in need to receive communion in their home.

St. Genevieve Golden Age Ministry

Golden Age Ministry meets every 2nd Monday of each month at 1:00 pm to 3pm. All Senior citizen in our parish are welcome to join our ministry. Please call Ms. Claire Crawford for more information at 985 288 0504.

PRE-CANA/MARRIAGE PREPARATION CLASSES 2025 MARRIAGE PREPARATION DATES ARE OPEN.

Couples preparing for the Sacraments of Marriage can now register for the 2025 calendar of Catholic Engaged Encounter weekends, as well as Days of the Engaged, Sessions A&B, and Special Marriage Preparation sessions! To learn which options are right for you and sign up, visit nolacatholic.org/getting-married-1. For additional questions, please contact the Office of Marriage and Family Life at (504) 861-6243 or email at mfl@arch-no.org



May-Wedding Anniversary Celebrants

Rene & Gail Dinet, 10th.
Dennis & Sandra Cousin, 17th.
Bill & Elayna Cross, 17th.
John & Jean Tebbs, 30th.



May -Birthday Celebrant

Patricia Kelly, 2nd. Jean Devezin, 13th.
Claire Crawford, 6th. Ed Cousin, 30th.
Jeanette Ladner, 6th. Rene Glass, 20th.
Betina Breaux, 11th.

The St. Genevieve Daily Mass Group.

We invite you to join us for our monthly Birthday Celebration on the last Wednesday of each month. Call us if you would like to be added to our Birthday list. Call Edolia at 985 285 1561 or Mary at 985 641 8011.

The St. Genevieve Ladies Altar Society

Ladies of St. Genevieve **"We want you"** to share your talent and treasure with our Altar Society Ministry. Our ministry is wonderful way to offer your service to God and his Church. For more information call Lodie Javery at 985 640-2008

Join us for Eucharistic Adoration

Do you want to grow in love and holiness? Come! Spend quiet time with the Lord in Eucharistic Adoration and develop a personal relationship with Jesus. You will be very glad you did when difficulties come your way. Weekly on Tuesday, adoration times are from 9:00 am to 7:00 pm in the church.

Charismatic Prayer Group

Our Charismatic Prayer Group has their weekly one-hour meetings in the Church. The hour of prayer begins at 7:00 pm with the Rosary and is followed by a praise and worship service. Come join us on Tuesday evenings as we praise the Lord!

Fitness Ministry

The Fitness Ministry Line Dancing is on Tuesdays, at 11:00 am. Also, an evening line dance class. The evening class is on the **First & Third Tuesday** of every month starting at 6:00pm in the Family Life Center. For more information please contact Connie Narcisse at 985 502 7502.



ST. GENEVIEVE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

We invite you to share our mission to serve our neighbors in need in our area and to grow in holiness through service. We meet every 2nd. Tuesday of the month at noon at Henriette Delille Center meeting room. Please call Joyce Lawrence at 504 251 3445 for more information.

If you love me, keep my commandments, says the Lord, and I will ask the Father and he will send you another Paraclete, to abide with you forever. (John 14:15-16)



We are actively recruiting Altar Servers and Youth Choir Members. Choir meets Saturdays at the Henriette Delille Center and sings at 9am Mass.

Share your Time and Talent!

BUILDING YOUTH MINISTRY:

Are you interested in Bible Study, Youth Adoration Nights? Do you have suggestions? Join/Visit/Contact the Youth Ministry Support Team.



Sign up !

Get informed of Youth Group Nights, Socials, Service Opportunities, Retreats, Deanery Events, Fieldtrips and more! Poll interest for Bible Study and Adoration Nights.

RECRUITING LIFE TEEN CORE MEMBERS RISE OF LIFETEEN!

Respond to your call to serve as a **Life Teen Core Member!**

Life teen core member requirements:

Ages 19-99, Willing to grow in spirituality, Care for Teens. Love Jesus , Love the Church , Ready to serve.

The Youth Ministry would like to recognize and pray for the graduates of all ages. Please email Jatonne El-Amin with your or your child's name. Contact information is on the front page of the Bulletin.

CONGRATULATIONS TO 2025 GRADUATES !!!

Among the high school graduates from our parish are Jerry Aceituno, Orlon Fredin, Austin White and Cedrick Ziegler.

The Little Ones

Jim Burrows

THE HOLY SPIRIT ISN'T LIKE A DOVE YOU CAN KEEP IN A CAGE. IT IS GOD LIVING IN US THAT UNCAGES US!



Jesus answered and said to him, "If anyone loves Me, he will follow My word; and My Father will love him, and We will come to him and make Our dwelling with him. Jn 14:23

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Hosanna Hosanna to the King!

Sunday, June 1, 2025
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Readers and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion.

Saturday, May 24, 2025

4:00 PM Mass

Reader—Christine Monnin

**EMHC — Ann McBride, Lynette Doby,
Rochelle Doucette**

Sunday, May 25 2025

7:00 AM Mass

Reader— Lodie Javery

EMHC— Nancy Miller, Dottie Rumore, Patti Scogin

9:00 AM Mass

Reader— Cathy White

EMHC—Bert Stephens, Bob White, Russell Anclade Jr.

11:00 AM Mass

Reader— Richard Saizan

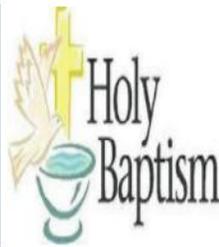
**EMHC— Rebecca Sapera, Andrea Harrison,
Ralph Labauve Jr.**

Pray for Vocation

Gracious and loving God, help the men and women of our archdiocese to hear Your call to serve. Our needs are great and our people thirst for **Your presence**. **Open the hearts of many and raise** up faithful servants of the Gospel, dedicated holy priests, deacons, sisters, and brothers, who will give of themselves for Your people and their needs. Bless those who are serving now with courage and perseverance. Grant that many will be inspired by their example and faith.

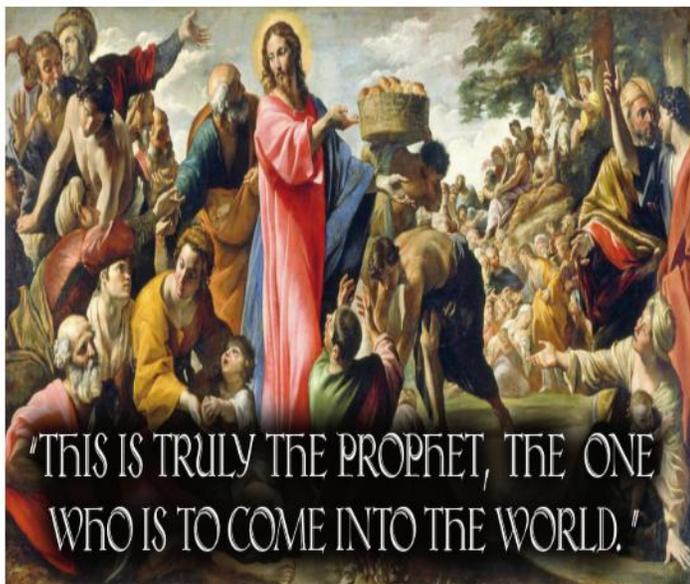
Sacraments of Baptism

Call the Church Office for the upcoming baptism of your child. Please allow at least three months for baptism preparation. Visit www.stgenevieve.us for forms and requirements.



Sacraments of Matrimony

Call the Church Office before making any plans for your upcoming marriage. Please allow at least eight months for wedding preparation requirements.



REFLECTION ON THE GOSPEL

Conflict is a reality of life in community, but it is also an opportune moment for God to act. The apostles and their delegates deliberated and came to a decision not through a pros and cons list nor by democratic vote nor by decibel count in a shouting match but in trusting their prayer and the guidance of the Holy Spirit. Imagine how different our world today could be if we let go of our own agenda and opened our hearts to the prompting of the Spirit.

(Living Liturgy , Sixth Sunday of Easter 2025)

FIRST EUCHARIST AT ST. GENEVIEVE PARISH Fr. Gerald L. Seiler Jr. and Deacon Dan Haggerty



Month of May is in honor of Mary
The children crowned Mary and offered flowers
before the mass and First Communion.
Sunday, May 11, 2025 at 9:00 am mass ,
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Monday, May 26, 2025 Veterans Memorial Day
Memorial Day is an American holiday, observed on the last Monday of May, honoring the men and women who died while serving in the U.S. military. ... Originally known as Decoration Day, it originated in the years following the Civil War and became an official federal holiday in 1971.



Church Office Closed!!!
The Church Office will be closed on Monday, May 26, 2025 in celebration of Memorial Day.

Have a Safe and Blessed Holiday!

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