In order to provide for the pastoral care of the people of God in the Archdiocese of New Orleans, Archbishop Aymond has made the following assignments:

Deacon Jason A. Binet, Holy Family Parish, Luling, effective June 25, 2022.

Deacon Michael P. Cardella, Jr., St. Christopher the Martyr Parish, Metairie, effective June 25, 2022.


Deacon Greg A. Flores, St. Rita Parish, Harahan, effective June 25, 2022.

Deacon Timothy O. Kettenring, St. Francis of Assisi Parish, New Orleans, effective June 25, 2022.

Deacon Julius A. Laurent, Jr., Ascension of Our Lord Parish, LaPlace, effective June 25, 2022.

Deacon Bryan E. McCauley, St. Dominic Parish, New Orleans, effective July 1, 2022.

Deacon Eduardo Melendreras, Cathedral of St. Louis King of France, New Orleans, effective June 25, 2022.


Deacon Robert Michael Rivault, Most Holy Trinity Parish, Covington, effective June 25, 2022.

Deacon Kevin M. Robichaux, St. Anthony Parish, Luling, effective June 25, 2022.

Deacon Francisco J. Rodriguez, St. Peter Parish, Covington, effective June 25, 2022.

Deacon Michael J. Sorensen, St. Benilde Parish, Metairie, effective June 25, 2022.

Deacon Bruce S. Trigo, St. Charles Borromeo Parish, Destrehan, effective June 25, 2022.

Deacon Kerry J. Winder, Transfiguration of the Lord Parish, New Orleans, effective June 25, 2022.

Deacon Andrew David Warriner, St. Catherine of Siena Parish, Metairie, effective July 1, 2022.
With sincere gratitude, we wish to thank Father Patrick Carr and the Saint Rita's Parish staff for hosting The Serra Club Altar Servers of the Year Mass and Donald McKay of the Serra Club with Father Colm Cahill, Director of Vocations. Ninety young adults were recognized for their fidelity to Altar serving.

As we move closer to the expected decision Supreme Court decision on the Dobbs case and considering the media attention the leaked decision received, I feel it important to share the resources from the USCCB with more information about the case and prayer resources. Additionally, we have developed a listing of local resources for women, children, and families online at https://nolacatholic.org/prolifenola. Please feel free to incorporate this information into your parish ministry as you see pastorally appropriate. Please click on the link to find the resources in English and Spanish.

The Archdiocesan-wide Mass for Life will be held on Friday June 10, 2022 at 6:30 PM at St. Dominic Church, New Orleans.

Archbishop Hughes and I will be attending the USCCB Spring Assembly in San Diego, June 13-17, 2022.

Sunday, June 19, 2022, is Father’s Day. Attached please find a blessing that can be used at Masses to give recognition and God’s blessings to fathers. Click here to download the attachment.

The Administrative Offices of the Archdiocese will be closed on Monday, June 20, 2022 in observance of Juneteenth.

The Ministerial Council will meet on Tuesday, June 21, 2022 at 10:00 AM in the Notre Dame Pastoral Center.

The Permanent Diaconate Ordination will be Saturday, June 25, 2022, at the Cathedral at 10:00 AM.

The Golden Wedding Anniversary Celebration will be held on Sunday, June 26, 2022, at 3:00 PM, at St. Philip Neri Church in Metairie, LA. For more information call the Marriage and Family Life Office at 504-861-6243.

Please include in the Prayers of the Faithful for the duration of the hurricane season: “That through the intercession of Our Lady of Prompt Succor we will be spared damage to life and property during the hurricane season.”

The Administrative Offices of the Archdiocese will be closed on Monday, July 4, 2022, in observance of Independence Day.
Mission Statement for the Departments and Offices of the Archdiocese of New Orleans

Impelled by God’s call and inspired by the vision of the Ninth General Synod, the ministries of the Archdiocese of New Orleans, in union with the Archbishop and with one another, serve the people, parishes, schools and organizations of the archdiocese, enabling them to encounter Jesus and witness his love with joy.

Mark Your Calendars

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SECTION II
ACTION REQUESTED

Pastors and parish secretaries are asked to please ensure response and follow-up on the items below.

National Second Collection Envelopes

National Collection envelopes are ordered yearly on behalf of the parishes by the archdiocese using an online ordering system. It is not available for individual parish use. If you are receiving the amount of envelopes you need, no action is required. If you are receiving an excessive or deficient amount for your parish, please notify Alison Guerra at aguerra@arch-no.org before July 15, 2022, for adjustment.

National Collections coordinates envelopes for the following: Catholic Communication Campaign, Catholic Home Missions Appeal, Catholic Relief Services Collection, Collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development, Peter’s Pence Collection, Retirement Fund for Religious.

July 4-8, 2022 Priest Retreat

The next priest retreat is scheduled for July 4-8, 2022, at the Archdiocese of New Orleans Retreat Center. Click here to see the list of registered priests. For more information, please contact Alison Guerra in the Department of Clergy at aguerra@arch-no.org.
 SECTION III
PARISH PUBLICITY

Announcements below are made available for publicizing to parishioners via placement in parish bulletins, on parish websites and social media, or other appropriate means

Upcoming Retrouvaille Weekend

Retrouvaille is a program designed to provide help and support to married couples who are undergoing difficulties in their relationship. Sponsored by the Catholic Church, Retrouvaille is open to couples of all faiths. It has proven helpful to couples who are troubled and stressed, or if the relationship has grown cold and distant. The next Retrouvaille Weekend will be June 24-26, 2022, at the William J. Kelly Retreat Center in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi. For registration or additional information, please go to the Retrouvaille website https://www.helpourmarriage.org/ or email retrouvaillenola@gmail.com.

TEC New Orleans- Retreat Opportunity for Teens and Young Adults

Teens Encounter Christ (TEC) is a three-day retreat weekend based on the Paschal Mystery where teens and young adults are invited to enter into a deeper, loving, and personal relationship with Christ through activities, prayer, and small group discussions. TEC is a retreat experience with an approach designed for teens and young adults who have completed at least the second semester of the sophomore year of high school.

In summer of 2022, there are two opportunities to attend a TEC retreat. TEC 142 will be held June 25th-27th, and TEC 143 will take place July 30th-August 1st. All retreats are held at Rosaryville Retreat Center in Ponchatoula, LA, and the cost to attend is $120. To register to attend a summer TEC retreat, visit www.tecneworleans.com/applications. Questions? Email tecneworleans@gmail.com. Click here for flyer.

OBCM Juneteenth Commemoration Events

The Office of Black Catholic Ministries is collaborating with several community organizations to host the following Juneteenth commemoration events. Please join us as we pray with the community:

June 11 - Libation and Remembrance of the Ancestors at 11am (2513 Bayou Rd, New Orleans, LA 70119)
OBCM Director, Dr. Ansel Augustine will lead a time of prayer with the community, and culture bearers, where all will remember our deceased loved ones that have sacrificed to make a better way for all of us.

June 19 - History Lesson and Prayer Service at noon (Tomb of the Unknown Slave at St. Augustine Church)
Sacred Relics of the Saints: Treasures of the Church

Carlos Martins, a Vatican-appointed expert on relics will be here with an extraordinary Vatican collection of over 150 relics, some as old as 2,000 years. Among the treasures will be relics of St. Joseph, St. Maria Goretti, St. Therese of Lisieux (the “Little Flower”), St. Francis of Assisi, St. Anthony of Padua, St. Thomas Aquinas, and St. Faustina Kowalska. There will also be a portion of the Veil of Our Lady and one of the largest remaining pieces of the True Cross in the world. Those in attendance will be able to examine and venerate each relic. Throughout history, many healings have been worked in the presence of relics; and thousands have occurred through this ministry. Do not miss this opportunity. You are encouraged to bring your articles of devotion (such as rosaries, holy cards, etc.) and pictures of ill friends/family members, which you will be able to touch to the reliquaries as a means of intercession. This is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity. Please spread the word.

The following churches will host the Sacred Relics of the Saints:

**Thursday, June 9 at 6:30 pm**
St. Benilde Church  
1901 Division Street  
Metairie, Louisiana 70001  
(504) 834-4980

**Sunday, June 12 at 2:00 pm**
St. Jane de Chantal Church  
72040 Maple Street  
Abita Springs, Louisiana 70420  
(985) 892-1439

**Friday, June 10 at 7:00 pm**
St. Margaret Mary Church  
1050B Robert Blvd  
Slidell, Louisiana 70458  
(985) 643-6124

**Monday, June 13 at 6:30 pm**
St. Joan of Arc Church  
529 W. 5th Street  
LaPlace, Louisiana 70068  
(985) 652-9100

**Saturday, June 11 at 1:00 pm**
Mary, Queen of Peace Church  
1501 West Causeway Approach  
Mandeville, Louisiana 70471  
(985) 626-6977

**Catholic Charities Disaster Response Information**

Disaster Case Management is a time-limited process by which a skilled and trained CCANO staff (Disaster Case Manager) collaborates with a disaster-affected individual or family (Client) to develop a plan to help them recover after a disaster. This goes beyond providing relief, providing a service or resource, or meeting any urgent needs. Case managers serve as the client’s primary point of contact to access and coordinate services on their behalf. Clients play a critical role, as this is a collaboration, and they will be required to be active in their own recovery.

**EXAMPLE OF SERVICES:** FEMA/SBA Navigation, Assistance with Appeals, Benefit Enrollment (Medicaid, SNAP, other), Referral and Coordination of Community Resources, Housing Navigation, Direct Assistance Advocacy

As we enter into the Hurricane Season, Catholic Charities is here to help. In partnership with the Louisiana Disaster Case Management Program CCANO doesn’t just assist with immediate needs when a disaster strikes they are here to assist with on-going services like FEMA/SBA navigation; Benefit Enrollment; Housing Navigation and Assistance with Appeals to name a few. For more information take a look at our flyer by clicking [here](#) and share the flyer to anywhere in our communities to spread the word.
SECTION IV
NEWS AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE
Following is news and information of general interest to the local Church

Sarah Jane McMahon in Summer Concert – Sunday, July 3

Sarah Jane McMahon, an acclaimed soprano soloist, will perform a “Stars, Stipes and Summertime Tunes” Concert on Sunday, July 3, 2022, at 3:00 pm at St. Francis Xavier Church, 444 Metairie Rd., Metairie, LA. The Concert will feature patriotic songs and classic American Music. Sarah Jane McMahon performs leading roles with opera companies and symphony orchestras locally and worldwide, and is the Director of Sacred Music/ Cantor at St. Louis Cathedral. She will be joined by Accompanist, Linden Uter, who is Music Director and Cantor at St. Francis Xavier and one of the ‘Victory Belles’ at the New Orleans World War II Museum. Admission to the Concert is free. A Good Will Offering will be taken. The St. Francis KCs will serve free hot dogs and fixings from 1:15 – 2:30 pm under the Parish Pavilion. For further info, see the attached flyer or call the Church at 504-834-0340. Please see attached flyer for more information.

Retreat for Women Facing Infertility

If you struggle with infertility, you may feel like you’re in a lonely, desert place. But you are not alone! The Archdiocese of New Orleans and Springs in the Desert are partnering to offer a one-day retreat for women on Saturday, August 27 at St. Pius X Catholic Church. Wherever you are on the path of infertility, we invite you to join us for reflections on different aspects of the infertility experience, to receive encouragement and some practical suggestions for strengthening your relationship with God and your spouse, and to pray and share community with others on this same path.
Saturday, August 27 - St. Pius X Catholic, New Orleans
9am until 3pm - Lunch and a light breakfast are provided
Please join us for Mass at 8am in the Church
Learn more and register at https://springsinthedesert.org/nola/

It is our honor to walk with you!

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Job opportunities are currently listed on our HR page: https://nolacatholic.org/employment

Please refer to our Job-Link often and share with qualified referrals!

For any submissions or inquiries on the NolaCatholic e-Bulletin, please contact communications@arch-no.org.