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#### SICK AND SHUT-INS

Please notify office.

#### MARRIAGE

Please call at least nine-six months in advance.

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**OFFICE HOURS** 

Monday - Thursday: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon

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#### WEEKEND MASSES

4:00 p.m. Vigil Saturday

Sunday 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 a.m.

6:30 p.m. (Haitian/Creole)

#### **DAILY MASSES**

Monday-Friday 12:10 p.m.

6:30 p.m. Mass & Novena Tuesday

**First Friday** 8:00 a.m. Mass

Adoration until 12:10 p.m. Mass

### CONFESSIONS

3:00-3:45 p.m. Saturday

8:30 a.m. (upon request) Sunday

6:00-6:30 p.m. Anytime by appointment. Tuesday

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Monday 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Tuesday & Thursday 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon

#### WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 5:00 p.m. Vigil 10:30 a.m. Sunday

#### **DAILY MASSES**

8:30 a.m. & Novena Monday

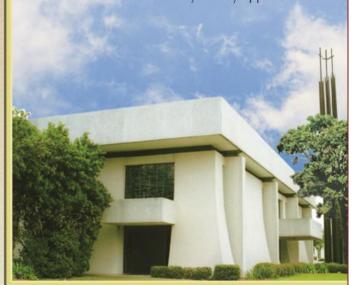
Tuesday-Saturday 8:30 a.m. First Friday 8:30 a.m.

Mass Holy Hour & Novena

#### CONFESSIONS

Saturday 4:30 p.m.

and anytime by appointment



### PENTECOST SUNDAY



Readings for the Week of May 20, 2018

Pentecost Sunday Sunday

> Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34; 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25; Jn 20:19-

23or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

Monday Saint Christopher Magallanes, Priest and

Companions, Martyrs

Jas 3:13-18; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15; Mk 9:14-29

Tuesday Saint Rita of Cascia, Religious

Jas 4:1-10; Ps 55:7-8, 9-10a, 10b-11a, 23;

Mk 9:30-37

Wednesday Jas 4:13-17; Ps 49:2-3, 6-7, 8-10, 11; Mk 9:38-40 Thursday

Jas 5:1-6; Ps 49:14-15ab, 15cd-16, 17-18, 19-

20:Mk 9:41-50

Friday Saint Bede the Venerable, Priest and Doctor

of the Church; Saint Gregory VII, Pope; Saint

Mary Magdalene de' Pazzi, Virgin Jas 5:9-12; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8-9, 11-12;

Mk 10:1-12

Saturday Saint Philip Neri, Priest

Jas 5:13-20; Ps 141:1-2, 3 and 8: Mk 10:13-16

Sunday The Most Holy Trinity

Dt 4:32-34, 39-40; Ps 33:4-5, 6, 9, 18-19, 20,

22;Rom 8:14-17; Mt 28:16-20



Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help is held each Monday at 8:30 a.m. at St. Anthony Church and each Tuesday at St. Joseph Church during Mass at 6:30 p.m.

Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus will be held at St. Anthony Church on First Friday following the 8:30 a.m. Mass.





# **Baptismal Seminar**

For information regarding Baptismal Seminars, please call the St. Joseph Parish Office.



# **COLLECTIONS FOR MAY 12-13, 2018**

#### ST. JOSEPH

Envelopes	\$2,128.00
Loose Collection	
Total Collected	\$4,508.75
Budgeted Weekly Expense	\$9,224.51
Net Income [+ or - budgeted expense] -	

Maintenance Fund . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . \$1,454.00

#### ST. ANTHONY

Envelopes	•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		•	\$2	,045.00
Loose Collection															\$	615.15
<b>Maintenance Fund</b>															\$	970.05

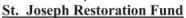


# Peter's Pence Collection May 19-20

second collection Our weekend will be for Peter's Pence. a worldwide collection that supports

the charitable works of Pope Francis. Funds from this collection help victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a witness of charity to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous today. For more information, visit www.usccb.org/peters-pence.

# Second Collections May 26-27



Monies collected will be



earmarked for this fund and will be used for projects such as washing/waterproofing/restoring the stucco to the exterior of the church, repair of termite damage in the auditorium/cafeteria building, and other major projects to restore the beauty of St. Joseph Church. This collection will not replace the monthly Maintenance Fund collection but will be an additional collection.



#### St. Anthony School Maintenance Fund

This collection is for projects to aid in the upkeep of St. Anthony School.

Please be as generous as your means will allow in these collections.

# MASSES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

### ST. JOSEPH

#### Saturday, May 19, 2018

4:00 p.m. – Leta & Sidney Phillips, James K. Gaudet, Roy, Marguerite & Kenney Ortolano, Benny Randazzo, Jr., Charles & Louise Lyons, Christopher Brannon Sweeney, Corinne Ribaul Sweeney, Pete Taulli, Sr., Evelyn D. Taulli, Julian Taulli, William Taulli, Eola White, Doyce Hebert, Patsy Grefer, George & Rita Jacobsen, Letha & Al Ehret, Freddie (Lucky) Rogers, Charles Cavanaugh Lyons II, Mamie Kass, Julia & Michael Daunhauer, Theresa DiPascal, W. Richard & Helen White, Kenneth Leithman, Ellen Rice, Anthony J. Bono, Jr., Carolyn Hornyak, Palermo Family (Emile, Mamie, Ciro & Josie), Sadie Beaucoudray

Sunday, May 20, 2018

7:30 a.m. - Dorothea Gelpi

9:30 a.m. - Marlin Leger, Sr., Christopher Brannon Sweeney, Corinne Ribaul Sweeney, Mary & Joseph Ribaul, Sr. & Family, Salvador P. Ribaul, Sr., Leon A. Ribaul, Sr., Joseph Ribaul, Jr., Marie Lynn Reine, Josephine Pasateri Weigel, Theresa DiPascal, Charles & Louise Lyons, Horace & Vernell Soileau, E.J. & Beulah Cambre, Jackie Cambre, Mary Jane Switzer, Evelina Diggs, Janeth Gaile Lachmann, Dale Lynn Hinyup, James H. Robinson, Ann Hamberger, Leonard Trochez, Grace Cedotal Ott, Alice Gillard Brown, Austin Peet Calamari

11:30 a.m. – Luke LaBruzza, Sr.

**6:30 p.m.** – For All Parishioners

Monday, May 21, 2018

12:10 - Gavin Vegas

**Tuesday, May 22, 2018** 

12:10 - Christopher Brannon Sweeney

6:30 p.m. - Gerald DeLuca

Wednesday, May 23, 2018

12:10 - Marie S. & Leo T. Cox, Jr.

Thursday, May 24, 2018

12:10 - Charles & Louise Lyons

Friday, May 25, 2018

12:10 - Corinne Ribaul Sweeney

### ST. ANTHONY

#### Saturday, May 19, 2018

5:00 p.m. – Vera Schexnayder, Phyllis Hubert, Kenneth Leithman, Unborn Babies, Souls in Purgatory with No One to Pray for Them

Sunday, May 20, 2018

10:30 a.m. - Rosalind Williams, Helen Carpenter

Monday, May 21, 2018

8:30 a.m. - Charles Cavanaugh Lyons II

Tuesday, May 22, 2018

8:30 a.m. - Julia & Michael Dauenhauer

Wednesday, May 23, 2018

8:30 a.m. - Harold Gaddie

Thursday, May 24, 2018

8:30 a.m. - Valerie Thibodaux

Friday, May 25, 2018

8:30 a.m. - Vera Schexnayder

Saturday, May 26, 2018

8:30 a.m. - For Souls in Purgatory with No One to Pray for Them

5:00 p.m. – Phyllis Hubert, Kenneth Leithman, Unborn Babies, Souls in Purgatory with No One to Pray for Them, Francesco Rizzoto

Sunday, May 27, 2018

10:30 a.m. - Vera Schexnayder, Father Do Quang Cao

# Baptized Unto the Lord

May 6, 2018 - St. Joseph

Dominic Alexander Vekic Son of Paul & Robyn Vekic

Marshall Henry Delhom

Son of Christopher & Lora Delhom

May 13, 2018 - St. Anthony Brendan Douglas Maloney

Son of John & Tabitha Maloney

# PARISH NEWS

The Woman I Was Created to Be



Wednesday, May 23, 2018 9:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Archdiocesan of New Orleans Retreat Center 5500 St. Mary St., Metairie

This Day of Reflection and Prayer is not about any one image or understanding of woman, nor is it about anyone's image and understanding of woman, not even our own. This is not a feminist experience nor is it a fundamentalist view of woman. This will be a time to come away with God, our Creator, to allow the One who loved each of us into being, to show each of us who we are created to be. Through prayer and reflection, this day will be an experience of "the eternal originality of 'woman', just as God wanted her to be, a person for her own sake, who discovers herself by means of a sincere gift of self'. Suggested donation is \$45 for the day. For more information or to register, call 504-861-3254. Register online at <a href="http://asc.arch-no.org/">http://asc.arch-no.org/</a>



Rev. Thomas Bouterie will be the celebrant at all masses June 2-3 at St. Anthony Church. Fr. Tom will speak about the mission of "Food For The Poor" providing direct relief to the poor throughout Latin America and the Caribbean. Fr. Bouterie will share

personal witness about "Food For The Poor's" mission to care for the destitute as a means of living out the Gospel mandate to love one another. Please join us in welcoming Father Bouterie.

Father Glenn Meaux of Cross Catholic Outreach will be visiting St. Joseph Parish the weekend of June 2-3 to speak at all Masses on behalf of the



poor in developing countries. Cross Catholic Outreach was founded to create a meaningful link between parishes in America and the priests and nuns working in the Church overseas in the Caribbean, Africa, Asia, Central and South America.

### Sponsor of the Week

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St. Anthony School in Gretna hosted the first *Isaiah 43* parenting series this semester and had tremendous success. Average attendance at the six workshops was 33 parents and 67 different parents attended workshops. That's an Isaiah 43 record! In addition to great attendance, St. Anthony School did an outstanding job organizing workshop dinners, fun activities for the kids, and prize giveaways. Pictured above parents receive their Christian Active Parenting certificates at the final workshop on April 18. We look forward to returning to St. Anthony in the Fall 2018 semester.

# Stop By - Take a Look!

Within your reach are many books that can open your hearts to spiritual guidance. Stop by and take a look in the St. Anthony Library



where you surely will find something of interest for you and your children.

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