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Please notify office.

MARRIAGE

Please call at least nine-six months in advance.

NEWCOMERS

Welcome! Please introduce yourself and register in church or at the parish center.

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon
Friday: Office Closed
Church is open for prayer until 4:30 p.m. daily.

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Vigil
Sunday 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 a.m.
6:30 p.m. (Haitian/Creole)

DAILY MASSES

Monday-Friday 12:10 p.m.
Tuesday 6:30 p.m. Mass & Novena
First Friday 8:00 a.m. Mass
Adoration until 12:10 p.m. Mass

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 3:00-3:45 p.m.
Sunday 8:30 a.m. (upon request)
Tuesday 6:00-6:30 p.m. Anytime by appointment.

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OFFICE HOURS

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
Sunday 10:30 a.m.

DAILY MASSES

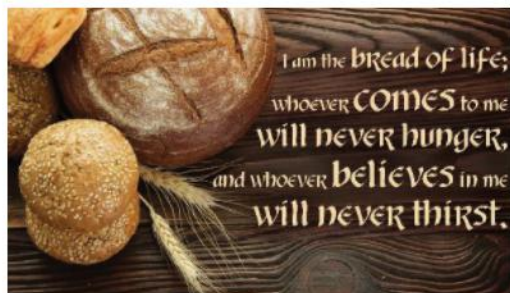
Monday 8:30 a.m. & Novena
Tuesday-Saturday 8:30 a.m.
First Friday 8:30 a.m.
Mass Holy Hour & Novena

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 4:30 p.m.
and anytime by appointment



EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Readings for the Week of August 5, 2018

Sunday	Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Ex 16:2-4, 12-15; Ps 78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54; Eph 4:17, 20-24; Jn 6:24-35
Monday	The Transfiguration of the Lord Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Mk 9:2-10
Tuesday	Saint Sixtus II, Pope, and Companions, Martyrs; Saint Cajetan, Priest Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 29 & 22-23; Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14
Wednesday	Saint Dominic, Priest Jer 31:1-7; Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13; Mt 15:21-28
Thursday	Saints Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin and Martyr Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mt 16:13-23
Friday	Saint Lawrence, Deacon and Martyr 2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-6, 7-8, 9; Jn 12:24-26
Saturday	Saint Clare, Virgin Hab 1:12—2:4; Ps 9:8-9, 10-11, 12-13; Mt 17:14-20
Sunday	Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 1 Kgs 19:4-8; Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Eph 4:30—5:2; Jn 6:41-51



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.



The next SAM (Substance Abuse Ministry) meeting will be at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, August 14th in the St. Joseph Parish Office.



COLLECTIONS FOR JULY 28-29, 2018

ST. JOSEPH

Envelopes	\$2,874.25
Loose Collection	<u>\$2,181.00</u>
Total Collected	<u>\$5,055.25</u>
Budgeted Weekly Expense	\$9,224.51
Net Income [+ or – budgeted expense]	-\$4,169.26

ST. ANTHONY

Envelopes	\$ 805.00
Loose Collection	\$ 483.30



A second collection for the Maintenance Fund will be

taken up at all masses this weekend. This monthly collection will be dedicated solely for the maintenance, repairs, or upgrades to our church complexes. Please be as generous as your means will allow.

Second Collections

August 11-12

St. Joseph Restoration Fund

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.

St. Joseph Religious Articles

Members of the St. Joseph Women's Club will staff the St. Joseph Gift Shop before and after all masses next weekend. **Note: Religious Articles are available for purchase the second weekend of each month.**



MASSES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

ST. JOSEPH

Saturday, August 4, 2018

4:00 p.m. – Leta & Sidney Phillips, James K. Gaudet, Letha & Al Ehret, Charles Cavanaugh Lyons, Louise Diaz Lyons, Austin Peet Calamari, Mamie Kass, Christopher Brannon Sweeney, Corinne Ribaul Sweeney, Evelyn Eschete & Raymond Jacomine, Sr., Evelyn Rousselle & George Cosse, Sr., Aileen Cosse Edgecombe, Priscilla Jacomine & Gilbert Cosse, Patsy Grefer, Paul Mandina, Anthony J. Bono, Jr., Bill Swiler, Kenneth Leithman, Sue Gegenheimer

Sunday, August 5, 2018

7:30 a.m. – For All Parishioners

9:30 a.m. – Freddie “Frenchie” LeBlanc

11:30 a.m. – Luke LaBruzza, Sr., Link Family, Theresa DiPascal, Marvin J. Miller, Felix, Lucille & Eldon Hebert, Charles V. & Philomena Miller, Richard & Mercedes Lehenbauer, Michael David Danjean, Charles Cavanaugh Lyons II, Julia & Michael Dauenhauer, Horace & Vernell Soileau, E.J. & Beulah Cambre, Jackie Cambre, Marie Lynn Reine, Josephine Pasateri Weigel, Charles Cavanaugh Lyons, Louise Diaz Lyons, Wayne Borne, Abel J. Borne, Jr., Christopher Brannon Sweeney, Corinne Ribaul Sweeney, Mary & Joseph Ribaul, Sr. & Fly., Salvador P. Ribaul, Sr., Leon A. Ribaul, Sr., Joseph Ribaul, Jr., Betty Dufrene

6:30 p.m. – For All Deceased Parishioners

Monday, August 6, 2018

12:10 – Kim LaBruzza

Tuesday, August 7, 2018

12:10 – Christopher Brannon Sweeney

6:30 p.m. – A.J. “Sonny” Cambre, Jr., Lucille Fonseca Brunet, Darinka “Baba” Butirich

Wednesday, August 8, 2018

12:10 – Corinne Ribaul Sweeney

Thursday, August 9, 2018

12:10 – Cheramie, Inguagiato, Popovich Families, George Sanders

Friday, August 10, 2018

12:10 – Mary & Joseph Ribaul, Sr. & Family

ST. ANTHONY

Saturday, August 4, 2018

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

Sunday, August 5, 2018

10:30 a.m. – Casey W. & Margie K. Jones, Margaret Arnold, Faye Landry

Monday, August 6, 2018

8:30 a.m. – Lorraine Ditta

Tuesday, August 7, 2018

8:30 a.m. – Unborn Babies

Wednesday, August 8, 2018

8:30 a.m. – Robert Herzog

Thursday, August 9, 2018

8:30 a.m. – Valerie Thibodaux

Friday, August 10, 2018

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

Saturday, August 11, 2018

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

5:00 p.m. – Conversion of Souls, Mary Lou Lewis, Kenneth Leithman, Stephen Chachere, Phyllis Gegenheimer Hubert

Sunday, August 12, 2018

10:30 a.m. – Henry Strohmeyer, Sr., Margaret Arnold, Faye Landry, Betty Gaudet, Saxon (Buddy) Toca



The Flowers and the Sanctuary Light at **St. Joseph** this week will be in memory of **A.J. Cambre, Sr.**
A.J. Cambre, Jr.
Paul Cambre



Baptismal Seminar

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

PARISH NEWS

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Holy Day of Obligation

Mass Schedule is as follows:

St. Joseph Church:
Tuesday, August 14, 6:30 p.m. Vigil
With Novena

Wednesday, August 15
8:00 a.m., 12:10 & 6:30 p.m.

St. Anthony Mission:

There will be no Vigil on August 14th
Wednesday, August 15 – 8:30 a.m.

**There will be a special collection taken up
at all masses**



C.C.D. Registration for 2018-19 School Year

C.C.D. registration for St. Joseph/St. Anthony children in grades 1-8 will take place on **Monday, August 20th** in the **St. Anthony School Office, 900 Franklin St., from 5:30 – 6:30 p.m.** Please bring the child's baptismal certificate.

Registration for the Sacrament of Confirmation



Registration for Confirmation will be held on **Monday, August 20th** from 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. in the **St. Anthony School Office** located at **900 Franklin St., Gretna.** Baptismal and First Communion certificates are required at registration. Remember, **ALL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS** wishing to be confirmed in the 11th grade must register EACH YEAR, beginning in the 9th grade.

Want to be a Catholic? Want to learn more about the Catholic faith?

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a process that introduces people to the Catholic Faith by inquiry, introduction, and example. **RCIA is for:** Non-Catholics who have not received the Sacraments of Holy Eucharist or Confirmation, or those Catholics wishing to learn more about their faith. **If you are interested or know anyone that might be interested in the RCIA program, please contact the St. Joseph Office at 368-1313.** The program begins at the end of August or early September and ends on **Saturday, April 20, 2019 (Easter Vigil).**



The Archdiocese of New Orleans will offer a writing workshop for persons seeking an annulment in the Catholic Church or for persons responding to an annulment. The workshop will be held in the **St. Benilde Teen Center** in Metairie. The series will be for five Tuesdays, September 11, 18, 25, October 2 & 9. Hours are 7:30 – 9:00 p.m. The materials for the series cost \$25.00. To register, go to their website <https://nolacatholicfla.regfox.com/annulment-writing-workshop-septemberoctober-2018>. For more information, please call Cathy at 504-861-6243.



The St. Joseph Women's Club will hold their quarterly meeting on **Monday, August 13th** at 1:00 p.m. in the **Social Room** of the **Family Life Center.**

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Your "junk" may be someone else's "treasures!"

On Saturday, Oct. 13, St. Joseph Restoration Fund will participate in the Gretna Citywide Yard Sale.

We are taking donations of:

Household Items
Vintage Clothing and Accessories
Clothing, current styles, good condition
(**need jeans**)
Shoes and Purses (in good condition)
Jewelry
Holiday Decorations
Furniture
Toys
Tools
Linens
DVDs/Vinyl Records
Religious Articles
Bicycles (clean, good working condition)

Not taking:

Baby strollers, high chairs, car seats
Stuffed animals
Books
VHS tapes
CDs
Electronics
Luggage
Sheets or mattresses

Donations accepted Wednesdays between 9am - Noon in the Gym, corner of Newton & 7th Streets, first set of doors on Newton St. side. For pickups of large furniture/bicycles, call Debbie Swiler at 504.361.0619 to schedule time/date.



Capture Memories for a Lifetime

**Be a part of our new family directory program.
Our goal is to include everyone!**

St. Joseph and St. Anthony Parishes are partnering with *Lifetouch* for professional photography that will help connect our families in a Joint Church Pictorial Directory.

Each family will receive a **complimentary** 8x10 photograph (suitable for framing) and directory for participating.

You will be able to immediately view your photographs and will also have the opportunity to purchase additional photography gifts.

Photographs for St. Joseph parishioners have already been taken, but if you are still interested, you may contact the parish office to schedule a date/time during the week that photos are being taken for St. Anthony parishioners.

Photographs for St. Anthony Parish will be taken on the following dates:

Tuesday	August 21, 2018	2:00 p.m. thru 9:00 p.m.
Wednesday	August 22, 2018	2:00 p.m. thru 9:00 p.m.
Thursday	August 23, 2018	2:00 p.m. thru 9:00 p.m.
Friday	August 24, 2018	2:00 p.m. thru 9:00 p.m.
Saturday	August 25, 2018	10:00 a.m. thru 4:00 p.m.

A volunteer will be available after all weekend masses at St. Anthony Church to help you schedule your appointment date and time or you may call the St. Joseph Parish Office for assistance.

Photographs will be taken in the Social Room of the St. Joseph Family Life Center.

Any questions, please call the St. Joseph Parish Office at 368-1313.

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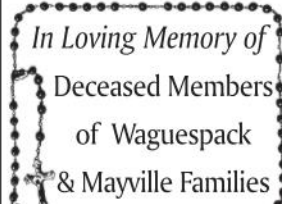
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