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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.

Website: www.stjosephgretna.com

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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
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

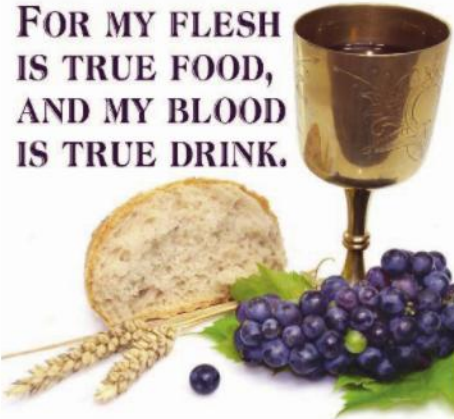
CONFESSIONS

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



TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**FOR MY FLESH
IS TRUE FOOD,
AND MY BLOOD
IS TRUE DRINK.**



Readings for the Week of August 19, 2018

Sunday	Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time Prv 9:1-6; Ps 34:2-3, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15; Eph 5:15-20; Jn 6:51-58
Monday	Saint Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church Ez 24:15-24; Dt 32:18-19, 20, 21; Mt 19:16-22
Tuesday	Saint Pius X, Pope Ez 28:1-10; Dt 32:26-27ab, 27cd-28, 30, 35cd-36ab; Mt 19:23-30
Wednesday	The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary Ez 34:1-11; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Mt 20:1-16
Thursday	Saint Rose of Lima, Virgin Ez 36:23-28; Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mt 22:1-14
Friday	Saint Bartholomew, Apostle Rv 21:9b-14; Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18; Jn 1:45-51
Saturday	Saint Louis; Saint Joseph Calasanz, Priest Ez 43:1-7ab; Ps 85:9ab & 10, 11-12, 13-14; Mt 23:1-12
Sunday	Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b; Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18- 19, 20-21, 22-23; Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32; Jn 6:60-69



**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.**



COLLECTIONS FOR AUGUST 11-12, 2018

ST. JOSEPH

Envelopes	\$2,862.25
Loose Collection	<u>\$1,857.81</u>
Total Collected	\$4,720.06
Budgeted Weekly Expense	\$9,224.51
Net Income [+ or - budgeted expense]	-\$4,504.45

Restoration Fund \$4,719.77

ST. ANTHONY

Envelopes	\$1,318.00
Loose Collection	\$1,024.59
School Maintenance	\$ 502.53



St. Joseph \$10,000 Gala

As part of the St. Joseph Restoration Project, we will host the St. Joseph \$10,000 Gala on Friday, November 2nd from 7:00 – 10:00 p.m. in the St. Joseph Gymnasium. Tickets are \$100 each which includes admission for 2 people and your food and drink (beer, wine & soft drinks).

The Gala will include fun activities, such as: 50/50 raffle, Pick A Prize raffle, Silent Auction, horse races, football pools (Nov. 3 Alabama at LSU and Nov. 4 L.A. Rams at Saints), and other various prizes throughout the evening.

Tickets are now available through any St. Joseph Women's Club member, the St. Joseph Parish Office, and the St. Joseph Gift Shop after all weekend masses. For more information, please contact Darnell LeBlanc at 391-2233 or 460-5291. **Remember all proceeds will benefit the St. Joseph Restoration Fund.**

**Healing Service
St. Joseph Church
Thursday, September 20**

Presenter: Mr. Francis B. Kelly

An ordinary man living an ordinary life (more information about Mr. Kelly in future bulletins).

Mass at 6:00 p.m. followed by Mr. Kelly's presentation and Confession will also be available.



MASSES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

ST. JOSEPH

Saturday, August 18, 2018

4:00 p.m. – Leta & Sidney Phillips, James K. Gaudet, Pete Taulli, Sr., Evelyn D. Taulli, Julian Taulli, William Taulli, Eola White, Doyce Hebert, Letha & Al Ehret, Charles Cavanaugh Lyons, Louise Diaz Lyons, Louie & Rosalie Gattuso, Virgie Trosclair Ott, William “Bill” Swiler, James Junior Pace, George Kleinpeter, Jr., O.H. Guidry, Patsy Grefer, Barbara Brown, Martin Junius Rodriguez, Kathleen Prats Vogt, Kenneth Leithman, Paul Mandina, Christopher Brannon Sweeney, Corinne Ribaul Sweeney, Anthony Bono, Jr.

Sunday, August 19, 2018

7:30 a.m. – Marvin J. Miller

9:30 a.m. – Cambre, Brunet, Fonseca & Boudreaux Families

11:30 a.m. – Luke LaBruzza, Sr., Theresa DiPascal, Charles Cavanaugh Lyons, Louise Diaz Lyons, Horace & Vernell Soileau, E.J. & Beulah Cambre, Jackie Cambre, Julia & Michael Dauenhauer, Lemm & Isabella Bauer, Don Theriot, Marie Lynn Reine, Josephine Pasateri Weigel, Charles Cavanaugh Lyons II, Alfred Berry, Christopher Brannon Sweeney, Corinne Ribaul Sweeney, Mary & Joseph Ribaul, Sr. & Fly., Salvador P. Ribaul, Sr., Leon A. Ribaul, Sr., Joseph Ribaul, Jr., Ann Connick Stansberry, Elizabeth Rau Schwarz, Richard T. Carbo, Jr., Benny Palombo, Margaret Bladsacker Arnold, John S. Jacobsen, Jr., Mitchell White, Theresa Ann Francois, Verlin “Buck” Baker, Megan Hebert Grabert, Ted Dewey, Sr., Terry Thibodaux, Carl Francis Orgeron, Steve Young

6:30 p.m. – For All Parishioners

Monday, August 20, 2018

12:10 – Brad Theard

Tuesday, August 21, 2018

12:10 – Joseph Ribaul, Jr.

6:30 p.m. – Melissa Rogers

Wednesday, August 22, 2018

12:10 – Christopher Brannon Sweeney

Thursday, August 23, 2018

12:10 – Roxanne Richard

Friday, August 24, 2018

12:10 – Corinne Ribaul Sweeney

ST. ANTHONY

Saturday, August 18, 2018

5:00 p.m. – Unborn Babies, Lauren & Skip McGinnis Anniversary, Kenneth Leithman, Phyllis Gegenheimer Hubert, Ann Connick Stansberry

Sunday, August 19, 2018

10:30 a.m. – Conversion of Souls, Margaret Arnold, Faye Landry, Stephen Chachere, Betty Gaudet, Saxon (Buddy) Toca

Monday, August 20, 2018

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

Tuesday, August 21, 2018

8:30 a.m. – Marie & C.W. Cox

Wednesday, August 22, 2018

8:30 a.m. – Valerie Thibodaux

Thursday, August 23, 2018

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

Friday, August 24, 2018

8:30 a.m. – Helen Carpenter

Saturday, August 25, 2018

8:30 a.m. – Judy Schonacher

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

Sunday, August 26, 2018

10:30 a.m. – Margaret D. Arnold, Theresa Francois, Faye Landry, Betty Gaudet, Saxon (Buddy) Toca



The Flowers and the
Sanctuary Light at **St. Joseph**
this week will be in memory
of **Marvin J. Miller**



The Sanctuary Light at **St. Anthony** this
week will burn in memory of
Marie & C.W. Cox

PARISH NEWS

Baptismal Seminar

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



Magnificat Westbank Chapter Breakfast

Saturday, September 8
9:00 a.m. - Noon

**Café Hope at Timberlane Country Club,
Gretna**

Speaker: Denny Charbonnet

**Tickets: \$20.00 on sale August 1st to
September 4th (no tickets sold at the door)**

For tickets or further information, please
contact Diane Ribando 913-4903 or Dee
Caskey 884-8672.

Ecclesiology & the Mission of the Church

Visitation of Our Lady School (3520 Ames Blvd., Marrero) is hosting a 10-hour theology course on **Ecclesiology** (*the study of the nature, structure, and constitution of the Church*) and **the Mission of the Church** on **Saturday September 29 & October 6 from 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM in the Main Building Room 105**. This course is about the Church and her mission in today's world. It presents the theology of the Church and uses the experience of the Church's family as its vision. Catholic school teachers, Parish School of Religion catechists, and catechetical leaders can earn Office of Religious Education basic certification credit for completing this course, however, the course is open to anyone seeking to learn more about their Catholic faith. The cost of the course is \$10. To register, visit www.nolaore.org or call 504-861-6328 for more information.

Sponsor of the Week

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Religious Education

Registration for C.C.D. and the Sacrament of Confirmation (2018-19) for St. Joseph/St. Anthony children 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 for both registrations and First Communion certificate is also required for Confirmation registration.

Anyone interested in the process of The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA), please contact the St. Joseph Parish Office at 368-1313. The program begins at the end of August or early September and ends on Saturday, April 20, 2019 (Easter Vigil).

Adult Catechism

Fr. Gary will have eight seminars in the St. Joseph Parish Conference Room (or suitable site) at 4:00 p.m. each date to learn about different aspects of our Catholic Faith. Dates are:

Tuesday, Aug. 27 – The Divinity of Jesus

Monday, Sept. 10 – On the Papacy

Monday, Sept. 17 – On the Bible

Monday, Sept. 24 – On the Real Presence

October dates will be announced in future bulletins.

If you have a Catechism of the Catholic Church book, please bring it or it can be pulled up on line also.



Isaiah 43 Ministry
**Parents-Grandparents-
Caregivers**
Childcare-Dinner-Door Prize

Does parenthood have you feeling stressed & overwhelmed? Do you want to connect with your child on a deeper level? Join us for fellowship & explore ways to raise children of joy, character, & a living faith.

Topic: Parenting for School Success

Wednesday, August 29th from 5:30 – 7:00 p.m. in the St. Anthony School Cafeteria

Parents from all grades are welcome.



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

In order for people to make donations who can't deliver on the regular Wednesday collection days, the gym will be open for donations on Saturday, Aug. 25 from 9am to Noon.

Although donated items were originally to be accepted each Wednesday from 9am to Noon through September for this sale, there has been such a high volume of items donated, the gym is expected to be at capacity by the end of August. The last collection day will be Wednesday, Aug. 29. For details, call Debbie Swiler at 504.361.0619.



Capture Memories for a Lifetime

Be a part of our new family directory program.

Our goal is to include everyone!

Last weekend to sign up to take your photo!

St. Joseph and St. Anthony Parishes along with *Lifetouch* Photography are still taking photos for our 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:

August 21-24 (2:00 thru 9:00 p.m.) & August 25 (10:00 a.m. thru 4:00 p.m.)

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.



Italian Cookie Sale

Baking for the annual Italian Cookie Sale by the St. Joseph Women's Club will begin Tuesday, September 4th. Orders will be filled the beginning of October. Almond, sesame, anise-flavored sweetbread and the ever-popular fig cookies will be available (fig \$10/dozen & all others \$5/dozen). There are many ways that you may place your order: with any member of the Women's Club; by using the order form below; forms will be available in the rear of St. Joseph & St. Anthony Churches and at the St. Joseph Parish Office; or by calling Emily Gegenheimer at 367-7310 or 460-6959. Don't be disappointed, place your order early!

SEPTEMBER 4TH IS THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING YOUR ORDER AND PAYMENT!! ORDERS MAY BE DROPPED OFF AT THE ST. JOSEPH OFFICE DURING NORMAL BUSINESS HOURS OR AFTER HOURS, PLEASE PLACE IN THE SILVER DROP OFF BOX OUTSIDE THE OFFICE DOOR.

A portion of the funds raised by the Italian Cookie Sale will be used to purchase ingredients and supplies for the 2019 St. Joseph Altar. Your generous support is appreciated!

ST. JOSEPH WOMEN'S CLUB ITALIAN COOKIE SALE

Buyer's Name _____ Club Member _____

Telephone # _____ Telephone # _____

Fig Cakes (Cuccidati) _____ dz. @ \$10.00 dozen \$ _____

Sesame Seed Cookies _____ dz. @ \$ 5.00 dozen \$ _____

Anise Sweetbread _____ dz. @ \$ 5.00 dozen \$ _____

Almond Cookies _____ dz. @ \$ 5.00 dozen \$ _____

TOTAL \$ _____

Note: Preservatives are not used in our cookies. Cookies are not gluten free and some may contain nuts. They can be frozen if you want to keep them for Thanksgiving, Christmas, or longer.

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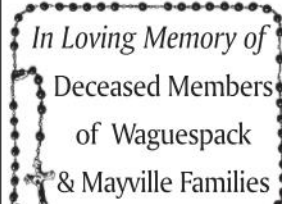
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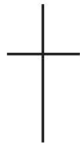
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