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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.

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

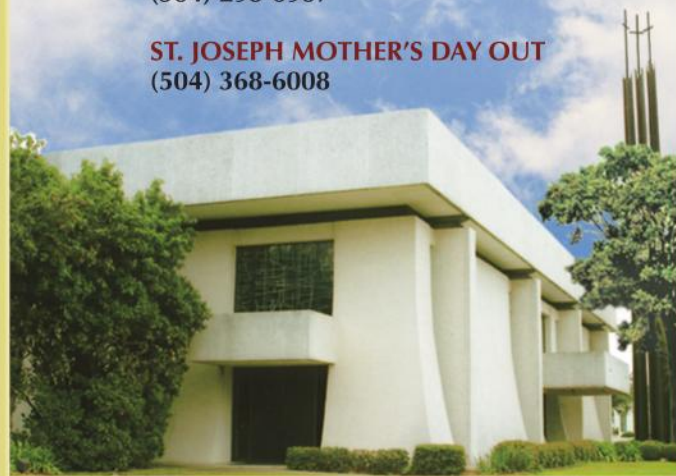
Monday 8:30 a.m. & Novena
Tuesday-Saturday 8:30 a.m.
First Friday 8:30 a.m.
Mass Holy Hour & Novena

CONFESSIONS

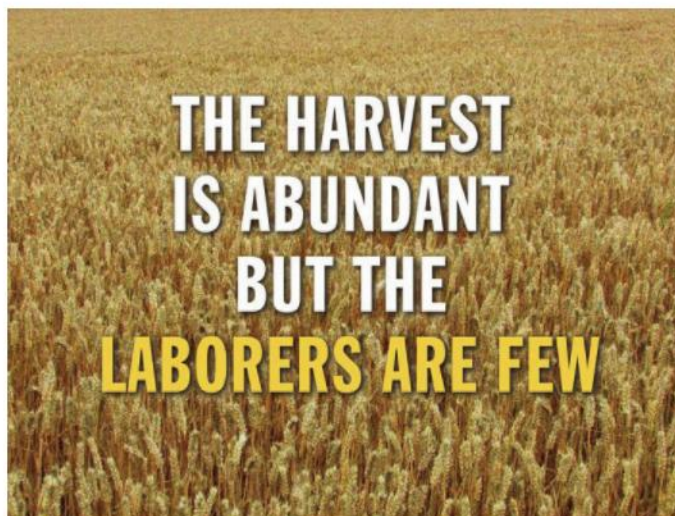
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FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Readings for the Week of July 7, 2019

Sunday	Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 66:10-14c; Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20; Gal 6:14-18; Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or Lk 10:1-9
Monday	Gn 28:10-22a; Ps 91:1-2, 3-4, 14-15ab; Mt 9:18-26
Tuesday	Saint Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs Gn 32:23-33; Ps 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7ab, 8b and 15; Mt 9:32-38
Wednesday	Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a; Ps 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19; Mt 10:1-7
Thursday	Memorial of Saint Benedict, Abbot Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5; Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21; Mt 10:7-15
Friday	Gn 46:1-7, 28-30; Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40; Mt 10:16-23
Saturday	Saint Henry Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a; Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7; Mt 10:24-33
Sunday	Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Dt 30:10-14; Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37 or Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Col 1:15-20; Lk 10:25-37



**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.**



PARISH SUPPORT COLLECTIONS FOR JUNE 29-30, 2019

ST. JOSEPH

Envelopes	\$2,524.65
Loose Collection	<u>\$1,166.00</u>
Total Collected	\$3,690.65
Budgeted Weekly Expense	\$9,224.51
Net Income [+ or – budgeted expense]	-\$5,533.86

ST. ANTHONY

Envelopes	\$ 883.00
Loose Collection	<u>\$ 528.83</u>
Total Collected	\$1,411.83
Budgeted Weekly Expense	\$5,342.00
Net Income [+ or – budgeted expense]	-\$3,930.17

A second collection for the Maintenance Fund will be taken up at all masses next



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.



STOP THE RAIL FROM CREATING A SPUR IN GRETN

A proposal from the New Orleans and Gulf Coast Railway Company would expand train tracks by creating another spur in the city of Gretna in order to transport Canadian crude oil. This would be dangerous to our city. Smaller trains have already derailed in Gretna from NOGC Railway Company. Send a letter to your Senators and Representative to stop this atrocity (copies are available in the rear of church or click on this article to get to the pdf's to print and send to Senators Kennedy and Cassidy, as well as Representative Richmond). Tell them to go a different route and to respect our city, our community, and our citizens.

MASSES AND INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

ST. JOSEPH

Saturday, July 6, 2019

4:00 p.m. – Leta & Sidney Phillips, James K. Gaudet, Letha & Al Ehret, Carl E. Noto, Joyce Berthelot, Ray Gegenheimer, Patsy Grefer, Marion “Shackle” Short, Mary Ann McGovern, Carol Vignes, Anthony J. Bono, Jr., Maria Pham, Dominic Do, Joseph Do, Joseph Dang, Mary Pham, All Souls in Purgatory

Sunday, July 7, 2019

7:30 a.m. – For All Parishioners

9:30 a.m. – Wiley J. Beevers, Marie Lynn Reine, Josephine Pasateri Weigel

11:30 a.m. – Luke LaBruzza, Sr., Marvin J. Miller, Felix, Lucille & Eldon Hebert, Charles V. & Philomena Miller, Richard & Mercedes Lehenbauer, Anthony H. Christiana, Jr., Quentin J. McGuire, Horace & Vernell Soileau, E.J. & Beulah Cambre, Jackie Cambre, Theresa DiPascal, W. Richard & Helen White, Alfred Berry, Marie & Frank Favalora, Catherine & John Roth, Lenny Cannizaro

6:30 p.m. – For the Haitian Community

Monday, July 8, 2019

12:10 – Jane McCall

Tuesday, July 9, 2019

12:10 – Anna Cardinale

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

Wednesday, July 10, 2019

12:10 – David M. Link

Thursday, July 11, 2019

12:10 – Nicole

Friday, July 12, 2019

12:10 – Toni Ragas



Baptismal Seminar

For information regarding Baptismal Seminars, please call the St. Joseph Parish Office or send an email to stjosephgretna@bellsouth.net.

ST. ANTHONY

Saturday, July 6, 2019

5:00 p.m. – Carol Vignes, Doris Barrios, Lawrence (Larry) Kass, Jr., Phyllis Gegenheimer Hubert

Sunday, July 7, 2019

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

Monday, July 8, 2019

8:30 a.m. – Hazel Bush

Tuesday, July 9, 2019

8:30 a.m. – For All Deceased Parishioners

Wednesday, July 10, 2019

8:30 a.m. – For Peace in the World

Thursday, July 11, 2019

8:30 a.m. – Barbara Cook

Friday, July 12, 2019

8:30 a.m. – Margaret D. Arnold

Saturday, July 13, 2019

8:30 a.m. – Michael Davis

5:00 p.m. – Carol Vignes, Jody Kreller, Doris Barrios, Phyllis Gegenheimer Hubert

Sunday, July 14, 2019

10:30 a.m. – Margaret D. Arnold, Doris Barrios



Tickets for the Chicken Dinner on July 28th at St. Joseph Cafeteria will also be sold after all masses at St. Anthony Church starting the weekend of July 6-7.

In Memoriam

Let us remember to pray for the repose of the souls of *Dr. Warren Ferrand and Clarence Acosta (St. Joseph's 95-year old altar server)*. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. *Amen.*



COME LORD JESUS! BIBLE STUDY

This inspiring program is a complete study of the Sunday Readings, including Gospels, Epistles & the Old Testament in three separate volumes. **The classes will be held starting Wednesday, July 10th at 10:30am in the St. Anthony Parish Office.** Call the St. Joseph Parish Office for more information.



First Annual Ladies Retreat for St. Joseph & St. Anthony Parishes – June 28-30 at St. Mary of the Pines in Chatawa, MS was extremely prayerful and uplifting to all of the 25 ladies in attendance. We would like to thank Fr. Gary for leading the retreat and Belinda Constant for coordinating.



The constant flood of influence that comes through the internet and social media in all of its various forms, along

with social pressure from peers, make it difficult for children to live virtuous and holy lives. In this digital age, it's not a matter of if your child will see something inappropriate online. It is a matter of when. Parents have the biggest influence on their kid's behaviors – more than their friends, school, or parish church. It's time to put that influence to use and have much needed conversations with your children. Learn more about how to talk to your kids about internet dangers by reading Covenant Eyes' most recent book, *Confident: Helping Parents Navigate Online Exposure* (provided in the back of church). Then join a free seven-day text-to-opt-in program that provides vital practical tips any caring adult can take to create safer digital environments for themselves and young people. **Text SECURE to 66866 to begin receiving guidance today!**

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To sponsor or volunteer, call Linda LaBorde @504.458.6562.

To donate a dessert, call Marcia Helton @504.621.4955.

Tickets are available after all Masses or at the St. Joseph Parish Office. Make checks payable to St. Joseph Restoration Fund.

All proceeds benefit the St. Joseph Restoration Fund

Come out and support your church!!



**It's that time of year again!
Start cleaning out your closets, attics, and garages!
We need your treasures!!**

On Saturday, October 12th, St. Joseph Restoration Fund will participate in the annual Gretna Citywide Yard Sale. We are taking donations of:

Kitchen/Household Items
Holiday Decorations
Home Décor (framed pictures, wreaths, mirrors, lamps)
Furniture
Jewelry
Coffee Table Books **Only (no other books will be accepted)**
Linens (bedspreads/comforters)
(no sheets or mattresses)
CDs/DVDs/Vinyl Records (33 1/3 or 45) **(no electronics)**
Jeans (women, men & children)
Formal Wear (women & men)
(no other clothing will be accepted)
Vintage Clothing and Accessories
Purses (in good condition)
Religious Articles
Bicycles (clean and in good working condition)

We will collect your donations on Wednesdays only (August 7, 14, 21, & 28 from 9:00am - Noon and on Saturday, August 24 from 9:00am – 1:00pm). Donations may be dropped off on those dates only in the Gym at the corner of Newton & Seventh Streets (please knock at the double doors on the Newton Street side). You must be able to bring your own donations – no pick-ups will be scheduled.

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