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#### CONFIRMATION

Preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation is a three year program. It begins in the 9th grade of high school and ends in the 11th grade with the reception of the Sacrament. 

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 2:00 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.

6:30 p.m. Mass & Novena **Tuesday** 

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

Adoration until 12:10 p.m. Mass

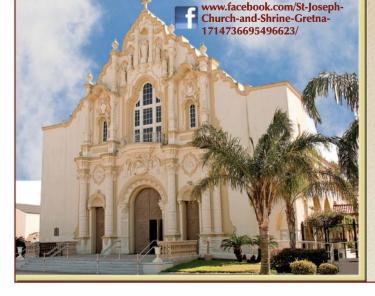
#### **CONFESSIONS**

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

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

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

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

#### **WEEKEND MASSES**

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

#### **DAILY MASSES**

8:30 a.m. & Novena Monday

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

Mass Holy Hour & Novena

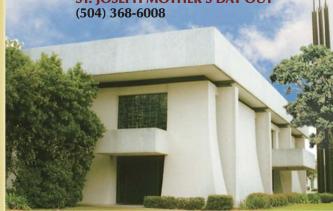
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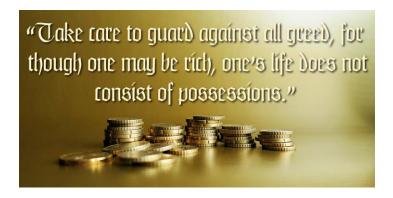
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#### 18<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Readings for the week of July 31, 2022 Sunday, 18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Ecc 1:2; 2:21-23; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14, 17; Col 3:1-5, 9-11; Lk 12:13-21

Monday, St. Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

Jer 28:1-17; Ps 119:29, 43, 79, 80, 95, 102; Mt 14:13-22-36

Tuesday, St. Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop and St. Peter Julian Eymard, Priest

Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 22-23 & 29; Mt 15:1-2, 10-14

Wednesday, Jer 31:1-7; Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13; Mt 15:21-28 Thursday, St. John Vianney, Priest

Jer 31:31-34; Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mt 16:13-23

Friday, Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7; Dt 32:35cd-36ab, 39abcd, 41; Mt 16:24-28

Saturday, The Transfiguration of the Lord Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2Pt 1:16-19; Mk 9:2-10

Sunday, 19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Wis 18:6-9; Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22; Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12; Lk 12:32-48 or 12:35-40



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.

Eucharistic Exposition and Benediction with Novena to the Sacred Heart of Jesus will be held at St. Anthony Church on First Friday following the 8:30 a.m. Mass. All are welcome.





#### **COLLECTIONS FOR JULY 23-24, 2022**

Will be reported in next week's bulletin



As part of the Archdiocesan Missionary Cooperation Plan, Reverend Jean-Pierre Tambwe, CSSp, will visit St Joseph Church and St Anthony Church on August 6-7, 2022 to speak about the

missionary work of the Church and in particular that of the Spiritans (officially Congregation of the Holy Spirit). To learn more about the Spiritans, please visit their website www.spiritans.org. This visit is part of a national program in which annually a representative of one of the missionary groups visits parishes of the Archdiocese to invite parishioners to share in the mission work of the universal Church. The Spiritans are an international community engaged in a wide range of missionary activity in over 60 countries throughout the world. Fr. Jean-Pierre is a missionary priest from Congo, now ministering in a Spiritan parish in Harlem. Our foreign missionaries are blessed with a richness of diversity, a charism of unity. When Jesus said, "You shall witness to me in Jerusalem and in Samaria and to the ends of the earth", He made the spread of the Gospel an essential part of our Catholic life. If you are able, please place your donation in the second collection basket on August 6th or 7th or use one of the Spiritan collection envelopes. Thank you for your generosity in helping the Spiritan missions develop and prosper.

#### In Memoriam

Let us remember to pray for the repose of the soul of *Leona Cambre*. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. *Amen*.

#### MASSES AND INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

#### ST. JOSEPH

Saturday, July 30, 2022

**4:00 p.m.** – Leta & Sidney Phillips, James K. Gaudet, Eddie Falterman, Letha & Al Ehret, Patsy Grefer, Peggy Guccione, Sam Lazzara, All Souls in Purgatory, Conversion of Sinners, Felton Robichaux

**Sunday, July 31, 2022 7:30 a.m.** – Karen Barnes

9:30 a.m. – Wiley J. Beevers, Marie Lynn Reine, Josephine Pasateri Weigel, Terry Malinda, Lester Cambre, All Souls in Purgatory, Conversion of Sinners, Virginia Gaudet, Helen Houin D'Amico, Doris Hallenus, Les Bonano, Michael Barthelemy, James Edward Adams, Pearl Casbon, Jerome Griffin

11:30 a.m. – For All Parishioners

**6:30 p.m.** – For the Haitian Community

Monday, August 1, 2022 12:10 – Ellen McDermott

**Tuesday, August 2, 2022 12:10** – David M. Link

**6:30 p.m.** – Roy Allain & Howard Comeaux

Wednesday, August 3, 2022 12:10 – Debbie Wilde

Thursday, August 4, 2022 12:10 – Ramona H. Ramos

Friday, August 5, 2022 (First Friday) 8:00 a.m. – Michael Danjean

**12:10** – Gabriella Rodrigue



The Sanctuary Light and Flowers on the Altar this week at St. Joseph will be in memory of

Michael Danjean



ST. ANTHONY

Saturday, July 30, 2022

**5:00 p.m.** – Emelda Rachel, Judy Dominick, Johnny Rideau

Sunday, July 31, 2022

**10:30 a.m.** – Carmen Koenig Kass, Margaret D. Arnold

Monday, August 1, 2022 8:30 a.m. – Billy R. Cannon

Tuesday, August 2, 2022 8:30 a.m. – The Wedge Family

Wednesday, August 3, 2022 8:30 a.m. – Margaret D. Arnold

Thursday, August 4, 2022 8:30 a.m. – Josefa Laso

Friday, August 5, 2022 (First Friday) 8:30 a.m. – Mary Louise Catanese

Saturday, August 6, 2022 8:30 a.m. – Lorraine Ditta

**5:00 p.m.** – Emelda Rachel, Judy Dominick, Johnny Rideau

Sunday, August 7, 2022 10:30 a.m. – Joseph Long Nguyen, Carmen Koenig Kass

#### Prayer for the Hurricane Season

Through the intercession of *Our Lady of Prompt Succor*, may we be protected from all loss of life and property during this hurricane season.



#### SUNDAY AND MONDAY BINGO'S AT GRETNA BINGO PALACE BENEFIT ST. JOSEPH RESTORATION

St. Joseph Church as the 3:00pm slots on Sundays and Mondays at the Gretna Bingo Palace. Please come out to play BINGO and support our Church.

#### St. Joseph Restoration Fund Major Contributors of \$5,000 or More

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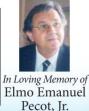
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#### **Baptismal Seminar**

For information regarding Baptismal Seminars, please call the St. Joseph Parish Office or send an email to stjosephgretna@arch-no.org.



The St. Joseph Women's Club will hold their quarterly meeting on Monday, August 8th at 1:00 p.m. in the Social Room of the Family Life Center. All women, 18 years of age or older, are invited to attend.





St. Joseph Ladies Retreat August 12, 13, 14

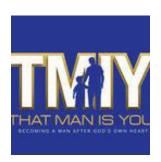
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Church to answer questions after all
weekend masses.



Fr. Gary will again this year be offering classes on our Catholic Faith for those interested in becoming Catholics or wanting to enrich their Faith. Classes will resume Thursday, September

8th at 6:30 pm in the St Joseph Rectory and will run throughout the year until Holy Week. Call Parish Office for details. We are also looking for those who would like to assist Fr. Gary in presenting the classes. Sometimes the best way to learn our Faith is to teach our Faith. All are welcome!



#### Save the Date!!

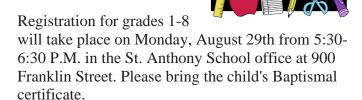
That Man Is You Starting Back Friday, September 9, 2022 Register for this free program online at www.tmiy.org



Baking for the annual Italian Cookie Sale by the St. Joseph Women's Club will begin Monday, September 5th.

More information and order form will be available in next week's bulletin.

#### C.C.D. REGISTRATION FOR THE 2022-2023 School Year





# REGISTRATION FOR THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

Registration for Confirmation will be held on Monday, August 29th from 5:30-6:30 P.M. in the St. Anthony School office at 900 Franklin Street. Baptismal and First Communion certificates are required.

(Remember, all high school students wishing to be confirmed in the 11th grade must register <u>each</u> <u>year</u>, beginning in the 9th grade.)

On Sunday, September 11, 2022, Archbishop Aymond will celebrate the annual liturgy for the Victims and Survivors of Violence at the 11:00 a.m. Mass at St. Louis Cathedral. All parishes are invited to submit the names



of families in their parish who have been affected by violence and murder. They will receive an invitation to this special Mass. Families who have lost loved ones are encouraged to bring a framed photo of their family member to carry during the procession. Survivors who attend will also be remembered in prayer.

If you wish to attend, please contact the Parish Office.



#### HEALING OF THE HEART GRIEF RETREAT

This Retreat is open to men and women who are grieving the loss of someone (stillborn, miscarriage, child, adult child, spouse, parent, siblings or friends). It will be held at the Archdiocese of New Orleans Retreat Center, 5500 St. Mary St. Metairie, La 70006 on August 19 and 20, 2022. This is a one-night retreat helping us to search our heart for hope. Come and find the Hope to heal you on your journey. The cost is \$100.00 and scholarships are available. For more information or to register go to: neworleansretreats.com or call the Retreat Center 504-267-9604.



# **RedBird Ministry for Grieving Parents**

If you have lost a child from miscarriage, stillborn, infancy, young child or adult child, please join us at Our Lady of the Lake

Church, Mandeville, La at 6:30pm on the second Thursday of every month in the cafeteria. The next support group will be Thursday, July 14 and then on

Aug. 11<sup>th</sup>. Grandparents are also welcome. For more information contact Jewell Bayhi at 504-330-5975.



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

On Saturday, October 1st, St. Joseph Restoration Committee will participate in the annual Gretna Citywide Yard Sale.

#### FURNITURE ONLY WILL BE ACCEPTED STARTING MONDAY, AUGUST

<u>1st</u> – Please contact Mary Helen Williams (504-450-8481) to set up time to bring furniture item(s) to Gym at corner of 7th & Newton Sts.

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Beginning Wednesday, September 7 & each Wednesday & Saturday in September from 9am – 1pm, other items can be donated. The following are the only items accepted:

Furniture

Kitchen/Household Items

**Holiday Decorations** 

Home Décor (framed pictures, wreaths, mirrors, lamps)

**Jewelry** 

Vintage Clothing & Accessories

Coffee Table Books Only (no other books will be accepted)

Linens (bedspreads/comforters-no sheets or mattresses)

Formal Wear/Prom Dresses (no other clothing will be accepted)

Purses/totes (in good condition)

**Religious Articles** 

Toys & Games

Large riding electronic cars for kids

Gardening & Patio

Camping & Sporting Goods

Bicycles/Exercise Equipment

#### No electronics

#### (For safety reasons, please bring donated items clean & in working condition)

Donations may be dropped off <u>on those dates only</u> in the Gym at the corner of Newton & Seventh Streets (please knock at the double doors on the Newton Street side). <u>You must be able to bring your own donations – no pick-ups will be scheduled. For more information, please call Mary Helen Williams 504-450-8481.</u>

The Sneak Peek prior to the Rummage Sale will be on Thurs., Sept. 29 from 5:00-9:00 p.m. where you get to bargain shop early for only \$5.



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