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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. and to com.

#### SICK AND SHUT-INS

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.

## Saint Joseph

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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

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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#### **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 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.

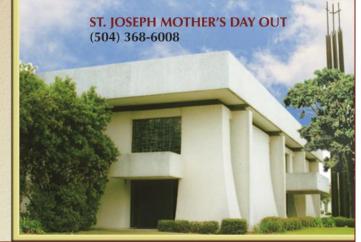
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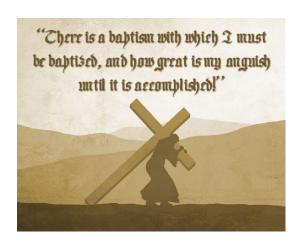
Saturday 4:30 p.m.

and anytime by appointment

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#### 20th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Readings for the week of August 14, 2022 Sunday, 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time Jer 38:4-6, 8-10; Ps 40:2, 3, 4, 18; Heb 12:1-4; Lk 12:49-53

Monday, The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, **Solemnity** Rev 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-58

Tuesday, St. Stephen of Hungary Ez 28:1-10; Dt 32:26-27ab, 27cd-28, 30, 35cd-36ab; Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday, Ez 34:1-11; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Mt 20:1-16

Thursday, Ez 36:23-28; Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mt 22:1-14

Friday, St. John Eudes, Priest Ez 37:1-14; Ps 107:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Mt 22:34-40

Saturday, St. Bernard, Abbot & Doctor of the Church Ez 43:1-7ab; Ps 85:9ab&10, 11-12, 13-14; Mt 23:1-12

Sunday, 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 66:18-21; Ps 117:1, 2; Heb 12:5-7, 11-13; Lk 13:22-30



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. welcome.





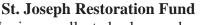
#### **COLLECTIONS FOR AUGUST 6-7, 2022**

#### ST. JOSEPH

Envelopes, Loose, Checks	\$7,354.00
Online (8/1-7/22)	\$ 779.00
Total Collected	\$8,133.00
Budgeted Weekly Expense	
Net Income [+ or – budgeted expense]	

ST. ANTHONY Will be reported in a future bulletin

## **Second Collection** August 20-21, 2022



Monies collected have been



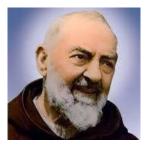
earmarked for this fund and will be used for major repairs to the exterior of the church, auditorium, cafeteria building, and other major projects to restore the beauty of St. Joseph Church. This collection will not replace the monthly Maintenance Fund collection but will be an additional collection.



Monday August 15th is the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Since it falls on a Monday, it is NOT a Holy Day of **Obligation**. However, all are invited to

come celebrate the Solemnity at either St Anthony at their 8:30am Mass or St Joseph at their 12:10pm Mass. There is no Vigil Mass or Holy Day of Obligation schedule. It is just the one Mass at each Church.

St Anthony Church & Magnificat Westbank Chapter celebrates St Pio of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio). There will be veneration of 1st Class Relics on September 23, 2022 starting with Mass with School Children at 8:30am. Church will be open all day with



Veneration & Blessing with Relics. Prayer teams available. Recitation of the Rosary: 10:00am, Noon, 2:00pm, 4:00pm. Divine Mercy Chaplet 3:00pm. Mass at 6:00pm. St Anthony Catholic Church; 924 Monroe St Gretna LA 70053.

#### MASSES AND INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

#### ST. JOSEPH

#### Saturday, August 13, 2022

**4:00 p.m.** – Leta & Sidney Phillips, James K. Gaudet, Eddie Falterman, Gerald T. LaBorde, Sr., Letha & Al Ehret, Maria & Virlie, Benny Randazzo, Roy, Marguerite, & Kenney Ortolano, Bill Wilcox, Jr., Lloyd Capdeville, Raymond M. Beaucoudray, Poor Souls in Purgatory, Conversion of Sinners, Ursula Ramm, Leona "Sue" Brunet Cambre, Pam Beaucoudray

Sunday, August 14, 2022 7:30 a.m. – Terry Malinda

9:30 a.m. – Cambre, Brunet, Fonseca & Boudreaux Flys., Wiley J. Beevers, Marie Lynn Reine, Josephine Pasateri Weigel, Theresa DiPascal, W. Richard & Helen White, Roch, Virginia & Sebastian, Lester Cambre, Virginia Gaudet, William "Bill" Ward, Marlin Leger, Sr., Gladys Leger, Poor Souls in Purgatory, Conversion of Sinners, Karen Barnes, Donna Lindsey

11:30 a.m. – For All Parishioners

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

# Monday, August 15, 2022 (Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary)

12:10 – Joseph Acosta, Raymond Acosta, Lisa Alito Grisaffi

Tuesday, August 16, 2022

**12:10** – Toby Ragas

**6:30 p.m.** – Terry Malinda

Wednesday, August 17, 2022

12:10 – Louis Guccione, Jr.

Thursday, August 18, 2022

**12:10** – Marvin J. Miller

Friday, August 19, 2022

**12:10** – Brad Theard



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



#### ST. ANTHONY

Saturday, August 13, 2022

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

Sunday, August 14, 2022

**10:30 a.m.** – Carmen Koenig Kass, Mary Strohmeyer, Thibodaux Family

Monday, August 15, 2022 (Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary)

8:30 a.m. – Ray Escoffier

Tuesday, August 16, 2022

**8:30 a.m.** – Billy R. Cannon

Wednesday, August 17, 2022

8:30 a.m. – Raymond Strohmeyer, Sr.

Thursday, August 18, 2022

**8:30 a.m.** – The Wedge Family

Friday, August 19, 2022

8:30 a.m. – Raymond Strohmeyer, Sr.

Saturday, August 20, 2022

8:30 a.m. – Margaret D. Arnold

**5:00 p.m.** – Lawrence Kass, Sr., Larry Kass, Jr., Emelda Rachel, Judy Dominick, Johnny Rideau

Sunday, August 21, 2022

10:30 a.m. – Carmen Koenig Kass



The Sanctuary Light this week at St. Anthony will burn in memory of Carmen Koenig Kass



## 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

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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.



#### Shield the Badge with Prayer

A monthly **Rosary for Peace** for law enforcement, emergency personnel, firefighters, military, and peace in the world will be held at **St. Joseph Church at 1:00pm on Saturday, August 20.** Everyone is invited to attend. For more information, please call Mary Grace at 367-7515.

#### **Prayer for Law Enforcement Officers**

Almighty God, whose great power and eternal wisdom embraces the universe. Watch over all police and law enforcement officers. Protect them from harm in the performance of their duty to stop crime, robbery, riots, and violence. Help them keep our streets and homes safe, day and night.

We commend them to Your loving care because their duty is dangerous.

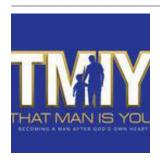
Grant them strength and courage in their daily assignments.

Dear God, protect these brave men and women, grant them your almighty protection, and unite them safely with their families after duty has ended.

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

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



Registration for grades 1-8 will take place on **Monday**, **August 29th from 5:30-6:30 P.M.** in the St. Anthony School office at 900 Franklin Street. Please bring the child's Baptismal certificate.



# 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.

It's that time of year again!
Start cleaning out your
closets, attics, and garages!
We need your treasures!!
On Saturday, October 1st (8am-



3pm), St. Joseph Restoration Committee will participate in the annual Gretna Citywide Yard Sale.

FURNITURE ONLY will be accepted starting TUESDAY, AUGUST 1st – Please contact Mary Helen Williams (504-450-8481) to set up time to bring furniture item(s) to Gym at corner of 7<sup>th</sup> & Newton Sts..

<u>Starting Wednesday, September 7 & each</u> <u>Wednesday & Saturday in September from 9am –</u> <u>1pm, other donations accepted are listed below:</u>

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 (women & men) (no other clothing will be accepted); Purses/Totes (in good condition); Religious Articles; Large riding electronic cars for kids; Gardening & Patio; Camping & Sporting Goods; Bicycles/Exercise Equipment.

Not accepted: Wheelchairs/Walkers

(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 Sts. You must be able to bring your own donations – <u>no pick-ups will be scheduled</u>. For more information, call Mary Helen Williams 504-450-8481.

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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### Our Italian Cookie Sale Is Back!!

Baking for the annual Italian Cookie Sale by the St. Joseph Women's Club will begin Monday, September 5th. 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: using the order form below; with any member of the Women's Club; 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 460-6959. **Deadline for submitting orders is Tuesday, September 6.** Don't be disappointed, place your order early!

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 <u>OR</u> PUT IN SEALED ENVELOPE MARKED COOKIE SALE AND PLACE IN COLLECTION BASKET.

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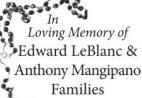
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