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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.

Mass Holy Hour & Novena

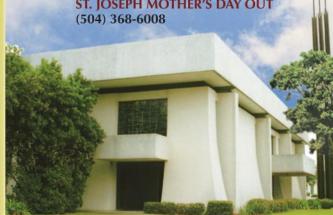
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#### 32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Readings for the week of November 6, 2022 Sunday, 32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time 2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14; Ps 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15; 2 Thes 2:16; 3:5; Lk 20:27-38 or Lk 20:27, 34-38

Monday, Ti 1:1-9; Ps 24:1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; Lk 17:1-6 Tuesday, Ti 2:1-8, 11-14; Ps 37:3-4, 18&23, 27&29; Lk 17:7-10

Wednesday, The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22

Thursday, St. Leo the Great, Pope & Doctor of the Church Phmn 7-20; Ps 146:7, 8-9a, 9bc-10; Lk 17:20-25

Friday, St. Martin of Tours, Bishop

2 Jn 4-9; Ps 119:1, 2, 10, 11, 17, 18; Lk 17:26-37

Saturday, St. Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr

3 Jn 5-8; Ps 112:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 18:1-8

Sunday, 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time
Mal 3:19-20a: Ps 98:5-6 7-8 9: 2.7

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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 OCTOBER 29-30, 2022 Will be reported in future bulletin

#### Second Collection November 12-13, 2022 St. Joseph Restoration Fund



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.



Wedding Banns Friday, November 11, 2022 Rocky Taulli Angela Aiavolasiti

The St. Joseph Women's Club will hold their quarterly meeting on Monday, November 14th 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.



### **Changes to Mass Intention Requests**

Effective immediately, all requests for mass intentions will need to be for one person or one family **ONLY** at a cost of \$5.00 each.

#### **Examples:**

**Correct** – John Smith **OR** Jane Smith **OR** Smith Family

Incorrect – Mr. & Mrs. John Smith **OR** John & Jane Smith **OR** Smith, Jones, & Johnson Families This change stems from an audit conducted by the Archdiocese in which it was noted that the way we were previously granting mass intentions was incorrect

We are sorry for any confusion in this matter. If you have any questions, please call the St. Joseph Parish Office.

#### MASSES AND INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

#### ST. JOSEPH

Saturday, November 5, 2022

**4:00 p.m.** – Ella Spottswood, Leta & Sidney Phillips, James K. Gaudet, Eddie Falterman, Letha & Al Ehret, Marjorie King, Carla Percle, Raymond M. Beaucoudray, Ursula Ramm, Leona "Sue" Brunet Cambre, Souls in Purgatory, Patsy M. Grefer, James Giangrosso, Helen Bach, Favors Granted

Sunday, November 6, 2022

7:30 a.m. – Josie & Junior Barbier

**9:30 a.m.** – Mathilda Pfeiffer Trombatore, Wiley J. Beevers, Marie Lynn Reine, Josephine Pasateri Weigel, Marvin J. Miller, Felix, Lucille, & Eldon Hebert, Charles & Philomena Miller, Richard & Mercedes Lehenbauer, In Thanksgiving, Terry Malinda, Lester Cambre, Virginia Gaudet, Souls in Purgatory, Leona "Sue" Brunet Cambre, Peter & Eliska Spera

11:30 a.m. – For All Parishioners

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

Monday, November 7, 2022

12:10 – Poor Souls in Purgatory

Tuesday, November 8, 2022

12:10 – Conversion of Sinners

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

Wednesday, November 9, 2022

12:10 - Cristina Spottswood

Thursday, November 10, 2022

12:10 - Louis J. Guccione, Jr.

Friday, November 11, 2022

12:10 – Mathilda Pfeiffer Trombatore



The Sanctuary Light this week at **St. Joseph** will burn in memory of **Lester Cambre** 

#### ST. ANTHONY

Saturday, November 5, 2022

5:00 p.m. – Deanna Reine

Sunday, November 6, 2022

10:30 a.m. - Carmen Koenig Kass, Thibodaux Family

Monday, November 7, 2022

8:30 a.m. – William "Bill" Ward

Tuesday, November 8, 2022

8:30 a.m. - William "Bill" Ward

Wednesday, November 9, 2022

**8:30 a.m.** – The Wedge Family

Thursday, November 10, 2022

8:30 a.m. – Powers, Guillot & Russo Families

Friday, November 11, 2022

8:30 a.m. – Billy R. Cannon

Saturday, November 12, 2022

8:30 a.m. – William "Bill" Ward

5:00 p.m. – Deanna Reine, Kevin Vu

Sunday, November 13, 2022

10:30 a.m. - Carmen Koenig Kass, JoAnn Schonacher



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assortment of media and consider checking out something for yourself or for someone you know, so that you may increase your Faith and understanding of timeheld beliefs.

### 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

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For information regarding Baptismal Seminars, please call the St. Joseph Parish Office or send an email to <a href="mailtostjosephgretna@arch-no.org">stjosephgretna@arch-no.org</a>.





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### **RCIA/Faith Formation Classes**

or School

has resumed on Thursdays at 6:30pm in the St. Joseph Rectory and will run throughout the year until Holy Week. Call Parish Office for details. All are welcome!

That Man is You has started back on Fridays. Join us for breakfast in the St. Joseph Cafeteria at 5:45am; we will begin our presentation at 6:15am followed by small group discussion; we will have you out by



7:30am. Register for this free program online at <a href="https://www.tmiy.org">www.tmiy.org</a>. All men are invited.



#### **Adult Catechetical Formation**

Come join us on Mondays from 4pm to 5:30pm in the St Joseph Auditorium to watch renowned scholars on video present on Catholic topics to help us better

understand and live out our Faith. No need to RSVP; just show up. Refreshments are generally served at the gathering, so please come check us out.

#### Come, Lord Jesus! Bible Study

Tuesdays - 6:30PM - Young Adult Ministry (call the Parish Office if interested) Wednesdays - 1:00PM - St. Joseph Cafeteria Thursdays - 9:30AM - St. Anthony Rectory



Throughout the month of November, we will be praying for our deceased loved ones. You may write the names of your loved ones in the "Book of Life" which

has been placed on a pedestal in front of the Baptismal Font in St. Joseph Church and inside the main entrance to St. Anthony Church.

#### Workshops for New Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and Readers



Basic workshops for new Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and readers are being

presented this Fall by the Office of Worship. Attendance at a workshop for EMHCs is required before a person can be delegated by the Archbishop to serve in this ministry. Readers are strongly encouraged to attend the workshop for readers. The complete schedules and more information can be found on the Office of Worship website at <a href="https://nolacatholic.org/lay-liturgical-ministry-formation">https://nolacatholic.org/lay-liturgical-ministry-formation</a>. Participants are to be preregistered by their parish before attending. If you have any questions, please contact the Office of Worship at 504- 861-6300 or worship@arch-no.org.



Altar Servers are needed at both St Joseph and St Anthony Parishes. Altar servers must have received the Sacraments of Baptism and Eucharist and can be between the ages of 8 to 98

[Remember Clarence at St Joseph;)] Servers should be mature enough to understand their responsibilities and to carry them out well and with appropriate reverence. Open to men and women, boys and girls. Altar serving is an equal opportunity ministry. Since the role of server is integral to the normal celebration of the Mass, at least one server should assist the priest. On Sundays and other more important occasions, two or more servers should be employed to carry out the various functions normally entrusted to these ministers. Please contact Parish Office if interested.

## **Respect Life Coordinator**

St Joseph/St Anthony is looking for a volunteer Respect Life Coordinator to help promote opportunities to highlight and integrate Respect Life themes in our parishes, school, and community. If you are interested, please speak with Fr. Gary. St Joseph Church has a kiosk of Catholic books, pamphlets, and cd's in the back of the Church. Please check out the wide assortment of media and consider purchasing something for yourself or for someone you know, so



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#### ST. JOSEPH CHURCH FOOD DRIVE



As a reminder, the St. Joseph Women's Club sponsors a year-round **Food Drive**. With Thanksgiving Day approaching, let us assist others in need

at this time by donating non-perishable food items. **The food will be donated to the Gretna Food Bank.** Please bring your non-perishable food items and place them in the box provided in the rear of St. Joseph Church.

The St. Vincent de Paul Society St. Joseph Conference is seeking help with collecting food items for Thanksgiving baskets. The food drive will be held Oct. 30, Nov. 6 and Nov. 13. There will be



boxes in the back of St. Joseph Church marked as St. Vincent de Paul Food Drive.



**St. Anthony Parish** will be collecting non-perishable food items for our St. Anthony School families again this year.

St. Anthony School children will also be involved in collecting food at school.

We will also collect gift cards for the families to buy turkeys or hams. Please don't make the cards for any more than \$20 each.

We thank you for your generosity to those in need.

#### **Event Sponsor**



# Saturday, October 29 Chili Cookoff on the River



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#### Raffle winners will be announced at a later date.

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**Theological Spiritual Practical Theological formation** is provided by the McGrath Institute for Church Life (MICL) at the University of Notre Dame and consists of four online courses.

**Spiritual and Practical formation** is provided by Paradisus Dei through a combination of in person retreats and online coursework. Missionaries should expect to spend approximately two hours per week on the online courses. **The Formation year** begins with a retreat at Notre Dame in August. The second retreat's location varies by class year, and the final Commissioning retreat weekend is hosted at the University of Notre Dame. Anyone interested, please contact Fr. Gary.



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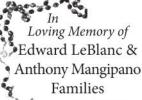
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