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SICK AND SHUT-INS

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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.

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

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

Email: stjosephgretna@arch-no.org



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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
Sunday 10:30 a.m.

DAILY MASSES

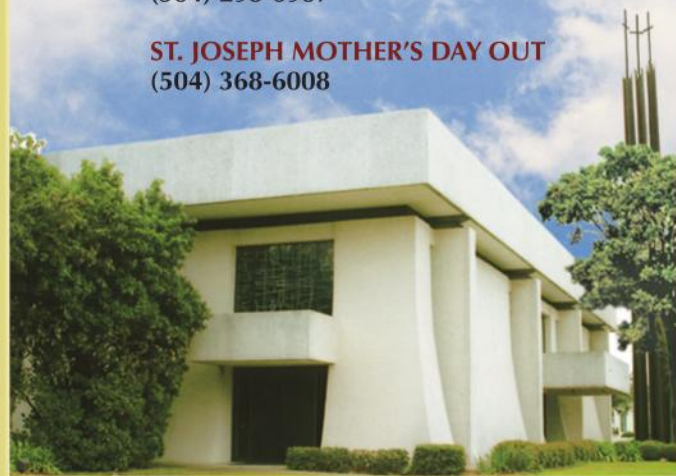
Monday 8:30 a.m. & Novena
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First Friday 8:30 a.m.
Mass Holy Hour & Novena

CONFESSIONS

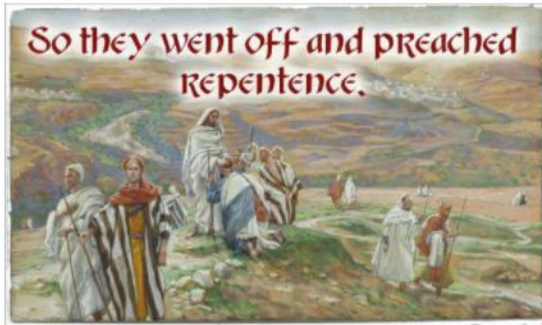
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and anytime by appointment

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FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Readings for the week of July 14, 2024:

Sunday, July 14, 2024 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Am 7:12-15; Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14; Eph 1:3-14 or
1:3-10; Mk 6:7-13

Monday, July 15, 2024 St. Bonaventure, Bishop & Doctor of
the Church

Is 1:10-17; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21&23; Mt 10:34-11:1

Tuesday, July 16, 2024 Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Is 7:1-9; Ps 48:2-3a, 3b-4, 5-6, 7-8; Mt 11:20-24

Wednesday, July 17, 2024

Is 10:5-7, 13b-16; Ps 94:5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 14-15;
Mt 11:25-27

Thursday, July 18, 2024 St. Camillus de Lellis, Priest

Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Ps 102:13-14ab&15, 16-18, 19-21;
Mt 11:28-30

Friday, July 19, 2024

Is. 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Is 38:10, 11, 12abcd, 16;
Mt 12:1-8

Saturday, July 20, 2024 St. Apollinaris, Bishop & Martyr

Mi 2:1-5; Ps 10:1-2, 3-4, 7-8, 14; Mt 12:14-21

Sunday, July 21, 2024 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jer 23:1-6; Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6; Eph 2:13-18;
Mk 6:30-34



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 6-7, 2024

Will be reported in next week's bulletin

COLLECTIONS FOR JUNE 29-30, 2024

ST. JOSEPH

Envelopes, Loose, Checks	\$5,679.00
Online (6/24-30/24)	\$ 713.00
Total Collected	\$6,392.00
Budgeted Weekly Expense	\$9,224.51
Net Income [+ or – budgeted expense] ..	-\$2,832.51

Peter's Pence \$ 975.86

ST. ANTHONY

Envelopes, Loose, Checks	\$1,006.00
Online (6/24-30/24)	\$ 210.00
Total Collected	\$1,216.00
Budgeted Weekly Expense	\$5,342.00
Net Income [+ or – budgeted expense] ..	-\$4,126.00

Peter's Pence \$ 564.00

Second Collection – July 20-21, 2024

The Black & Indian Mission Collection exists to help diocesan communities to build up the Church and preach the Gospel of Jesus among the African American, Native American, and Alaska Native people of God. Every year, it is the amazing generosity of Catholic faithful, just like you, who enable the Black & Indian Mission Office to support the following important priorities: Enlivening Parish Life & Catechesis, Helping Educators Reach Kids, Empowering Evangelization, Encouraging Vocations. For more information, visit

www.blackandindianmission.org

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.

MASSES AND INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

ST. JOSEPH

Saturday, July 13, 2024

4:00 p.m. – Sidney J. Waguespack, Jr., The Ehret Fly.,
The Falterman Fly., Joni Bathel, Maria Pham, Patsy
Grefer, Cynthia Bealer Adams

Sunday, July 14, 2024

7:30 a.m. – Amy Loup, Eric & Alice Houin, Angelo
Arnona, Sally Fradella, Patrick Cassidy, Ana de
Marquinez, Evelyn King, Souls in Purgatory

9:30 a.m. – Barry Giglio

11:30 a.m. – For All Parishioners

6:30 p.m. – For the Haitian Community

Monday, July 15, 2024

12:10 – Ralph Goodwyne, Sr.

Tuesday, July 16, 2024

6:30 p.m. – Amy DeMoras

Wednesday, July 17, 2024

12:10 – Robert J. Mayville, Sr.

Thursday, July 18, 2024

12:10 – Louis J. Guccione, Jr.

Friday, July 19, 2024

12:10 – Leona “Sue” Brunet Cambre



The Sanctuary Light and Flowers on
the Altar this week at **St. Joseph** will
be in memory of
**Leona “Sue” Brunet Cambre and
A.J. Cambre**

In Memoriam

Let us remember to pray for the repose of the souls
of **Heather Houin Mebane** and **Leverda Richard**.
May their souls and the souls of all the faithful
departed rest in peace. *Amen.*

ST. ANTHONY

Saturday, July 13, 2024

5:00 p.m. – Clay Leon, III, Clay Leon, IV, Henry
Estrade

Sunday, July 14, 2024

10:30 a.m. – Nellie Relle, Dorothy Schexnayder Bush

Monday, July 15, 2024

8:30 a.m. – Peggy D. Rome

Tuesday, July 16, 2024

8:30 a.m. – Anna Evans

Wednesday, July 17, 2024

8:30 a.m. – Mary Miller

Thursday, July 18, 2024

8:30 a.m. – Simone Scanio

Friday, July 19, 2024

8:30 a.m. – William Bender

Saturday, July 20, 2024

8:30 a.m. – Mary Miller

5:00 p.m. – Tre’ Anthony Walker, Angel Noland

Sunday, July 21, 2024

10:30 a.m. – Simone Scanio



If you or someone you know in St.
Joseph or St. Anthony Parishes is
homebound and would like to
receive Holy Communion, please
notify the office at 504-368-1313
and someone will be in contact with you.

The Westbank Charismatic Prayer Group
will be meeting at St. Anthony Church on
the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month.
Rosary at 7:00pm, Praise & Worship at
7:30pm, and Mass at 8:00pm.



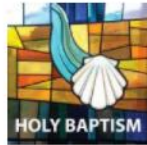


**SUNDAY AND MONDAY
BINGO'S AT GRETNA
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St. Joseph Church as the 3:00pm slots on Sundays and Mondays at the Gretna Bingo Palace. Please come out to play BINGO and support our Church.

Baptismal Seminar

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



**Magnificat Meal Hosted by the
West Bank/Marrero Chapter
Saturday, August 10, 2024
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Registration/Check in 9:00-9:30am

Breakfast 9:30am – 12:00 Noon

Please arrive 15 minutes early. Open seating

Testimony by: Fr. Steve Leake

Tickets: \$20; Sales end August 3

May be obtained from Cindy Delger (504)319-6788
or Westbank Religious Supply House (504)341-6558

**Domestic Church Families Informational Meeting
Monday, August 26 – 7:00pm
St. Joseph Auditorium**

Do you want to:

Grow closer to God as a couple; enjoy more peace in your marriage; find supportive community with other couples in the parish; nurture your own personal prayer life; encourage your children in the faith?

**Come learn about a lay movement designed for
Sacramentally married couples that started in
Poland with the help of St. John Paul II**

Questions – Contact David Mullek

Email: dmullek@gmail.com

(251)213-1164

www.domesticchurchfamilies.com



Attention Married Couples!

You are invited to the ultimate summer date night, the Faith & Marriage Apostolate's 15th Annual Diocesan-Wide Supper and Substance on **Fri., July**

**26th, from 5:30pm - 8:30pm at Mid-City Lanes
Rock 'N' Bowl on S. Carrollton Ave in New Orleans!**

This ultimate summer date night includes a powerful prevention from Jean & Janice Charbonnet, a TOTALLY 80's dance experience from the band, L'Eighties Night, drinks at the bar, an array of classic Southern Louisiana cuisine to enjoy, and of course bowling throughout the night!

To purchase your tickets or for sponsorship opportunities go to FaithandMarriage.org.



**St. Joseph Women's
Retreat
August 23 – 25, 2024
Our Lady of Hope
Retreat Center**

**Special Guest – Aimee Boudreaux MacIver
“Who Do You Say That I Am?:
A Retreat for Women”**

Registration forms available in rear of St. Joseph Church, Parish Office, or on the St. Joseph website

For more information, please contact Linda

“Grief is Work”

Grief Retreat for Women and Men

August 17 & 18, 2024

The Cenacle of the Lake

5500 St. Mary St., Metairie

**Presenters: Fr. Gary Copping, Jewell Bayhi, and
Jason Angelette**

Grief affects our entire system, and working through grief is just that – work. It is important, necessary, and exhausting work. Grief is personal and individual, and everyone experiences grief differently. It requires time, resources, effort, and energy. Learn how to treat yourself with patience and compassion to allow the process to unfold. **\$150 registration fee includes meals and accommodation.**

**Please register by visiting neworleansretreats.com
or by calling 504-267-9604.**



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 begin Thursday, August 29th 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!**

Friendship

Did you ever have a dream about something that you wanted but everything around you said it was impossible? Then someone came to you and said that they could help you if you just followed the plan that they set for you.

St. Paul, while he was in prison in Ephesus, as a prisoner of the Lord, had this plan for them. The plan he wrote about was the blessings that Jesus brought to us from the Father that would release the Ephesians and us from the environment of fear and hostility to one of caring and love. God the father had planned this fullness of time to restore all things to Jesus. Our human culture required time to grow into fully understand the plan of the Father. Paul spoke about the gifts God had for us and how accepting these gifts we would lead to eternal life, joy, peace, patience, and kindness which would change their living conditions from fear, anger, and injustice.

Paul said that God has taken us out of the total power that man had over man and through Jesus put God in control of us.

These changes would bring all people together. There would be no separation but unity of all. This was the plan of God sending his only son from then until the end. **That is what love does, it removes barriers and opens the heart to accept change.**

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Save the Date!!
Friday, September 6, 2024
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That Man Is You! is an interactive men's program focused on the development of male leadership in the modern world. It combines the best research from science with the teachings of the Catholic faith and the wisdom of the saints to develop the vision of authentic men capable of transforming themselves, their families and greater society. Christ didn't say, "*Behold, I make new things.*" He said, "*Behold, I make all things new.*" A new day is dawning for Catholic men. Now is our hour! The future of world and the Church is happening on our watch. His mercy is new every morning. A new hope is rising!

EXPERIENCE THE POWER OF TRANSFORMATION AS YOU DISCOVER:

Earth shattering theological insights from some of the greatest theologians of our day, A New Creation Story, New Spiritual Life, New Adam, New Eve, New Fruitfulness, New Tree of Life, New Fruit from the New Tree of Life.

Enkindle a deep Catholic spirituality and arm yourself with the two most powerful spiritual weapons.

Renew a profound, faithful and reverent love for the one, holy, Catholic, and apostolic Church rooted in Sacred Scripture; Discern what kind of men we need to save the Church and the world; Become the man your family, our Church, and our world desperately awaits; be inspired to set out to re-evangelize the de-Christianized and secularized; become a new creation in Christ!

FALL SEMESTER:

Week 1: All Things New

Week 2: The Road to Emmaus

Week 3: God's Covenant Made New

Week 4: The Lamb's Supper

Week 5: Four Great Truths about Mary

Week 6: Mary, Mother of All Peoples

Week 7: The Marian Message to the Modern World

Week 8: The Prophetic Vision of St. John Bosco

Week 9: From Protestant Pastor to Catholic Professor

Week 10: Why God?

Week 11: Why Jesus Christ?

Week 12: Why the Catholic Church?

Week 13: A New Evangelization

Breakfast is served at 5:45am in cafeteria, followed by presentation in auditorium.



Our Italian Cookie Sale Is Back!!
Note: Change in Baking Schedule and Deadline Dates

Baking for the annual Italian Cookie Sale by the St. Joseph Women’s Club will begin Monday, August 12th. Orders will be filled the beginning of September. Almond, sesame, anise-flavored sweetbread and the ever-popular fig cookies will be available (fig \$12/dozen & all others \$7/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 at the St. Joseph Parish Office, on our St. Joseph Church website**; or by calling Debbie Swiler at 504-722-5958. Don’t be disappointed, place your order early!

Deadline for submitting orders is Monday, August 5.

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 OR PUT IN SEALED ENVELOPE MARKED COOKIE SALE AND PLACE IN COLLECTION BASKET.

**ST. JOSEPH WOMEN’S CLUB
ITALIAN COOKIE SALE**

Buyer’s Name ----- Club Member -----

Telephone # ----- Telephone # -----

Fig Cakes (Cuccidati) ----- dz @ 12.00 dozen \$ -----

Sesame Seed ----- dz @ \$7.00 dozen \$ -----

Anise Sweetbread -----dz @ \$7.00 dozen \$ -----

Almond ----- dz @ \$7.00 dozen \$-----

Note: Preservatives are not used in our cookies; not gluten free, and some may contain nuts. They can be frozen if you want to keep them for Thanksgiving, Christmas, or longer. **Cash accepted or check payable to St. Joseph Women’s Club. **Deadline for submitting orders is Monday, August 5!****



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