St. Joan of Arc
Catholic Church

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August 11, 2019
The Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Mass Schedule:

Mass of Anticipation (Vigil)
Saturday: 4:30 PM
Sunday:
7:30 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:30 AM and 5:30 PM
Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday: 8:15 AM
Tuesday: 6:00 PM
Saturday: 7:30 AM

Our Clergy:

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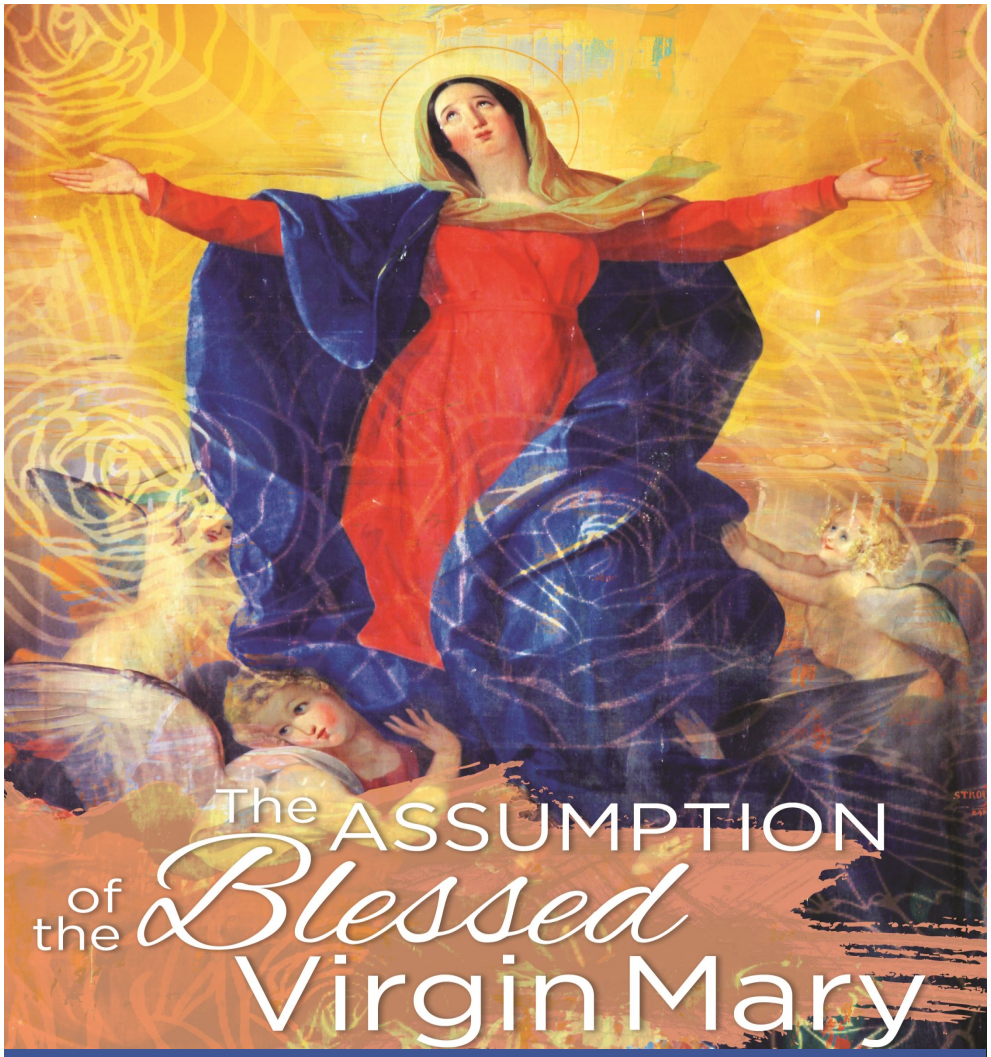

Mass Schedule for the
Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Wed., August 14– 6 PM Vigil Thurs., August 15—8:15 am, 12 pm, & 6 pm

The mission of St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church
is to bestow Christ's love through worship, education, outreach and stewardship that will provide an avenue for salvation to our parishioners.

This bulletin is in loving memory of Buddy & Ron Bailey

Parish Calendar

Sunday, August 11th
- Carmelite Missionary Collection

Monday, August 12th
- PSR Opening Mass at 6:30 pm at AOL

Tuesday, August 13th
- Adoration at 3 pm in the Church
- Benediction & Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help at 5:40 pm in the church
- Bingo at 7 pm in the KC Hall, 346 Fir St.

Wednesday, August 14th
- Vigil Mass for the Assumption of Mary at 6 pm

Thursday, August 15th
- **Office Closed**
- Masses at 8:15 am, 12 pm and 6 pm
- Legion of Mary at 4:30 pm in the St. Joseph room

Friday, August 16th
- Bingo at 7 pm in the KC Hall, 346 Fir St.

Saturday, August 17th
- Men's basketball at 8 am in the gym

Parish School of Religion Registration

Any student in grades 1-12 who is not enrolled in a Catholic school is invited to join us for religion education classes on Monday evenings from 6:00-7:30 pm at Ascension of Our Lord. Registration forms may be found on our website, sjachurch.com. **Opening Mass for PSR will be August 12 at 6:30 pm at Ascension of Our Lord Church.**

RCIA & Adult Confirmation

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults includes those who are interested in joining the Catholic faith, have not received any Sacraments after Baptism, or simply want to learn more about their faith.

Adults interested in receiving the sacrament of Confirmation must have received the Sacraments of Eucharist and Reconciliation and be in good standing with the Church. Acceptance is determined through an interview process. The program classes begin in the fall.

If you are interested in learning more about our RCIA program or Adult Confirmation, please contact our Religion Coordinator at 651-1072 or email dre@sjachurch.com.

Parish Events

Mass Intentions

Our Mass Intention book for the next Liturgical year will open on Tuesday, August 27.

(Our next Liturgical year begins on Dec. 1, 2019 and ends Nov. 28, 2020.)

If God has blessed you with the gift of singing, we ask that you strongly consider joining one of our choirs. Our Chancel Choir, Children's Choir, and Contemporary Choir are all in need of additional singers. The beginning of a new school year is a great time to give one of these choirs a try. Call the church office for more information on how you can join.

"Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms."
1 Peter 4:10

Directory

St. Joan of Arc Church Pastoral Team

Mrs. Jennifer Suarez, Office Manager
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Mr. Ryan Flynn and Mrs. Carly Flynn, Youth Directors & Confirmation Coordinators
youth@sjachurch.com
Mr. Ray Templet, Jr., Maintenance Manager

Sacraments

Confessions: Saturday: 8:00 AM, before all Masses except the Tuesday 6:00 PM Mass and by appointment.
Baptisms: First Sunday of the month following the 11:30 AM Mass. To begin the preparation process, call the Parish Office.
Weddings: Arrangements must be made at least 6 months prior to the wedding. Call the Parish Office to schedule a meeting with a priest or to book the church.
Anointing of the Sick: Please call the Parish Office or 504-468-7163 (evenings).

St. Joan of Arc Catholic School

Mrs. Jennifer Poulos, School Principal
Sr. PierCarla Barone, FDP, Liturgy Coordinator

Telephone: 985-652-6310
Website: www.sja-school.com
Office Hours: M-Th: 8 am-12:30 pm

Baptisms

Welcome to the newly baptized:

✞ **Paisley Elizabeth Mace**

Daughter of Theodore & Elizabeth Mace

At Rest in Christ

✞ **Leonard Hebert** ✞

We ask for your prayers for the repose of his soul. Pray also that his family and friends are strengthened by their faith and consoled by their hope in eternal life.

Stewardship

We are all stewards of our time, talents, & treasure

A Stewardship moment for
The 19th Sunday of Ordinary Time

In today's Gospel reading, Jesus concludes his teaching about those who are "faithful and prudent stewards" with that classic stewardship teaching: "Much will be required of the person entrusted with much, and still more will be demanded of the person entrusted with more." Christian stewards recognize that God is the ultimate source of their gifts, talents, resources and aptitudes, and that God wants them to use these varied gifts in his service. This week might be a good time to reflect on our God-given gifts. Are we using those gifts to serve the Lord? If Christ came back to us unexpectedly tomorrow would we be able to give a full accounting of how we have exercised stewardship over these gifts?

Thank You for Your Service

Thank you to all of our Sacristans for their extraordinary service to our Church. We appreciate the time that they devote to this ministry as well as the reverence that they exhibit as they prepare the Altar for the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. Our Sacristans include Lily Dufrene, Larry & Joy Davis, Len Arcuri, Joey Arcuri, Alcee Duplessis, Nyler Williams, Larry Blanchard, and John Wille. A special thanks to Mr. John Wille for preparing for most daily Masses as well as funerals, baptisms, and weddings.

Advertiser Spotlight

G. Smith Motorsports

Thank you to G. Smith Motorsports for their continued support of our church and church bulletin.

Thank You for your Treasure

July Electronic Contributions

	Online Giving	Direct
Deposit		
Regular Contributions:	$ 6,481.50	$ 5,019.00
Capital Improvements:	$ 295.00	$ 140.00
School Endowment:	$ 20.00	$ 55.00
Early Childhood:		$ 60.00
Poor Box	$ 95.00	
CHEC	$ 20.00	

Capital Improvements collection moved to August 17/18

Parish News

Fr. Abacus' Corner

The cost of Flood Insurance for our parish is $23,768/year….that equals almost $2,000/month!!!

School Buildings:	$14,200
Church, Rectory, & Family Life Center:	$ 7,430
Convent and Thrift Shop:	$ 2,138

Please remember that anyone working with children in our parish MUST BE CERTIFIED IN SAFE ENVIRONMENT. Dates and locations for **Safe Environment** training may be found at www.nolacatholic.org/safe-environment. You may RENEW your Safe Environment certification online by going to https:://safeandsacrednola.org
Call the church office if you have questions.

PROMISE TO PROTECT
PLEDGE TO HEAL

Kids' Corner

Prayer
Dear God, help me to stay close to Jesus.

Something to Draw
Draw a picture of Jesus coming back in the clouds.

Mission for the Week
Every day I will read, play, and listen to things that make God happy.

Puzzle– Unscramble words from today's Gospel:
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thief servants morning coming

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School News

Boosterthon FUN RUN
FITNESS • LEADERSHIP • CHARACTER

Check our website or Facebook page for more information on our 2nd VIKING BOOSTERTHON on 8/28!

We are raising money to offset the cost of our NEW cafeteria tables.
If you would like to sponsor a student in the run and don't know who to ask, please contact Emma Vicknair at e.vicknair@sja-school.com.
Our program kicks off on 8/19 with a pep rally at 2:20 pm. You are welcome to join us to see what this fundraiser is all about.

Mark Your Calendar!

Mon., Aug. 12: 1st Full Day of School for Boys in PS2, PS3, PK4, & K
Tues., Aug. 13: 1st Full Day of School for Girls in PS2, PS3, PK4, & K
Wed, Aug. 14: 1st Full Day for all PS2, PS3, PK4 & K students
Thurs., Aug. 15: Mass at 8:15am
Mon., Aug. 19: Boosterthon Kickoff Pep Rally at 2:20pm
Tues., Aug. 20: Individual picture day
Wed., Aug. 21: Back to School Night for 1st-7th Grades
Fri., Aug. 23: Mass at 8:15am

Called to Prayer

Please Keep in Your Prayers:

Frani Abington, Marilyn Acosta, James Lynn Anderson, Jr., Betsy Arcuri, Charlotte Bixler, Jake Boudreaux, Elizabeth Bourgeois, Jennie & Baby Brynleigh Bowers, Jamie Brady, Mary Breaud, Craig "Seed" Broussard, Zachary Brown, Maria Eugenia Casanova, Felix Cerami, Mabel Clement, Reily Marie Cleveland, Sammi Jo & Madden Conrad, Wade Cooper, Stephen Cupit, Lorraine & Kernis Dugas, Rose Elfer, Brantley & Oakley Falgout, Lisa Falgout, Ryan Falgout, Lakin Felder, Brenda Fontenot, Rod Ford, David Foy, Joseph Galland, Reyna Gary, Jean Gendron, Susan Gendron, Larry Hebert, Leonard Hebert, Lorraine Hebert, Jaci Walters Henley, Bryan Hymel, Sue Hymel, F.J. Keller, Reece Keller, Ricky Keller, Victoria Keller, Brother Benedict Kelley, Richard Klibert, Geraldine Labat, Acadia LaBranche, Alton "Pete" Landry, April Landry, Randy Lambert, Catherine Landry, Elijah Landry, Joann Laurent, Tim LeBlanc, Lester Louque, Jr., Terry Mabile, Bryan Madere, Dale Madere, Donna Fisher Marman, Luce Marks, Jennifer Massi, Faith McNeely, Godfrey McNeely, Lawrence Michele, Pamela Milioto, Millicent A. Mullen, Janice Parquet, Ry-Keem Parquette, Lee Perilloux, Charlee Grace Petit, Pete & Theresa Pitre, Bill & Annabelle Provence, Jennifer Redlin, Renee G. Richard, Joel Rivera, Antoinette Rollo, Nick Rose, Angie Roussel, Ethel Judy Shirer, Elizabeth Smith, Janice Stayton, Connie Thorn, Ron Troxler, Brayden Turner, Marie Turner, Steven Turner, Kathy Tuson, Jane Duhé Weinert, Eugene Williams

To add someone to the prayer list, contact the church office at 652-9100.

August Prayer Intention of the Holy Father

That families, through their life of prayer and love, become ever more clearly "schools of true human growth."

Please Pray for Our Priests & Seminarians:

August 12—Rev. Eitido Jerome, S.S.J.
August 13—Rev. Jared Paul Rodrigue
August 14—Rev. Bac-Hai Viet Tran
August 15—Rev. Randall S. Gibbens, S.J.
August 16—Rev. Michael Burke, O.P.
August 17—Rev. Robert C. Cavalier
August 18—Rev. Earl Muller, S.J.

St. Joan of Arc
Patron of Soldiers, *Pray for us*

May God keep special watch over these men and women in the United States Military.

Monica Bourg
2nd Lt. Gregory Boyle
Private Chase Carr
Casey Williams Deen
Raymond Gendron, III
2nd Lt. Thomas Gray
LCpl Jonathan Grenier
PFC Michael Hanley
Cpt. Alex Hernandez
Cpt. Ashley Hernandez
LCpl Matthew Johnson
Edwin Preston Johnston
Sgt. SPC Dillon Mabile
SR Alexander J. Norris
SFC Paul J. Pena
Brett Rosa
2nd Lt. Matthew Suarez
Cpt. Nick Sutton
Wesley Triche
Vanessa Penniciaro Velazquez

Spiritual Events

Register now!!!

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RETREAT FOR MEN
September 26-29, 2019
St. Joan of Arc & Ascension of Our Lord Churches

Join us for an extraordinary weekend on Sept. 26-29 at the Lumen Christi Retreat Center. This is an opportunity for spiritual renewal and the making of many friends. The retreat begins Thursday evening, Sept. 26 with check-in at 5:30 pm at St. Joan of Arc and ends Sunday, Sept. 29 with a meal of fellowship at SJA's Family Life Center following 11:30 am Mass.

Cost for each retreatant is $250 with a deposit of $100 included with registration form. **Registration forms are due Sept. 6.** Contact the Church office if you are unable to pay all or part of the retreat fee.

Registration forms and additional information may be found on our pew tables and on our website, sjachurch.com

Rosaryville Spirit Life Center

***Women's Silent Ignatian Retreat*– August 22-25**
Led by Becky Eldredge and Stephanie Cloustre Davis
Go to catholicretreatcenter.org to register.

***Fit for Christ*– October 18-20**
A women's retreat designed to refocus and get a plan for our mind, body and spirit to work toward being the best versions of ourselves. For more info. contact Cassie Cure at 504-756-4129 or fitforchristretreat@gmail.com

Catholic Charismatic Renewal of New Orleans

FRESH FIRE 2019
"Anointing, Fall on Us"
Saturday, August 24 • 10 to 3 • Includes Lunch
St. Benilde Cafeteria, 1901 Division St., Metairie, LA
For lunch, pre-register by noon, August 21.
Deacon Larry and Andi Oney, Johnny Bertucci, Casey Sprehe
Music by Jamie Diliberto and Tongues of Fire

Register at www.ccrno.org or call 504-828-1368

Mass Intentions

Mon, August 12, 2019—St. Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious

8:15 AM: Evangeline Grace Ory

Tue, August 13, 2019—St. Pontian, Pope, Martyr & St. Hippolytus, Priest, Martyr

6:00 PM: Johnnie P. Aguilar

Wed, August 14, 2019—St. Maximilian Kolbe, Priest & Martyr

8:15 AM: James Edward Cupit

6:00 PM Vigil: John M. Bateman, Jr.

Thurs, August 15, 2019—The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:15 AM: Mass for the People

NOON: Marie Jouty; Therese` & Foster Cambre; Melanie Deslatte Brown; Herman Deslatte, Jr.; Herman Deslatte, Sr.; Karen Deslatte; Lois Clement; Theresa Keating; Floyd & Carol Vicknair; Henry Edler; Charmaine Faucheux; Debbie O'Cain; Patrick Collum, Sr.; Rita Louque LeBlanc; Elizabeth Martin; Roth Hildebrandt; Soul of Joseph Tue Nguyen; Sally Roccaforte; Lawrence "Larry" Boudreaux; Janice hoover; Kathleen Becnel; Jessica Galatas; Norman Zeringue, Jr.; Harold Chiasson; Tony Miranda; Glen Keating; Fr. Matthew Johnston; Kevin & Shawn Keller; Jennie & Octave Mabile; All Living & Deceased Members of the F. J. Keller Family; All Living & Deceased Members of the Mabile Family; Henry, Alice Mae & Gil Maurin; Mervin Guillot; Kevin Richoux; Connie Cambre; Jean M. Verbos; Tommy & Jerrye St. Martin; Billy St. Martin; Mandy Russell; Bobby & Jeanne Ory; Irene Hebert; Clifford Hebert; Milton Brady; Fabia Ibieta; Shirley Wickboldt; Almena Stayton; Stephen Cupit; Nellwyn Torres; Jackey Nolan; Church Ladies Prayer Warriors

6:00 PM: Stephen Hotard

Fri, August 16, 2019—St. Stephen of Hungary

8:15 AM: Helen Lasseigne

Sat, August 17, 2019

7:30 AM: Marie Ory Dupont

Sat, August 17, 2019—Anticipatory Mass for The Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:30 PM: Jim Riley; Living & Deceased Members of the Cupit & Rayne Families; Shirley Montz; Joseph S. & Muriel Millet; David & Marlene Lions; Stephen Hotard; Robert Cazenave; Annette & Lionel Simon; Lena & U. J. Himel; Roland Martinez; Leo & Shirley Simon; Rita St. Pierre; Kristy Marse; Mitsy Oubre; Lea & Carol Becnel; Kevin & Shawn Keller; Jennie & Octave Mabile; All Living & Deceased Members of the F. J. Keller Family; All Living & Deceased Members of the Mabile Family; Lois Clement; Mack E. Reine, Jr.; Westley & Vivian St. Pierre; Mr. & Mrs. Eddie Jouty, Sr.; Theresa Keating; Robert Richoux; Barbara Tregre; Lawrence "Buggie:" Michel; Rita LeBlanc; Glen Keating; Janice Hoover; Daniel Tamplain; Bobby & Myrtle Robichaux; Keith Robichaux; Jessica Galatas; Gerald J. Chenier; Virginia "VA" Ursick; Connie Cambre; Kevin Richoux; Clifford Hebert; Thank God for His Many Blessings; Verlie Marks; Debbie O'Cain; Patrick Collum, Sr.; Huey Breaud; Brynn Conrad; Joseph "Tony" Miranda; Therese` & Foster Cambre; Melanie Deslatte Brown; Herman Deslatte, Jr.; Herman Deslatte, Sr.; Karen Deslatte

Sun, August 18, 2019—Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 AM: Marie Ory Dupont

9:30 AM: Jeffrey Feucht & Audrey Feucht Boe

11:30 AM: David Dill, III; Farrel Weber, Jr. & Sr.; Courtney S. Guidry; Maurice Aucoin; Kathleen Rodrigue; Floyd & Carol Vicknair; Rosalind Millet Hutson; Glen Keating; David Faucheux; Foster & Therese` Cambre; Malcolm Cambre; Joseph Berthelot; The Deceased Members of the Rene & Sedalize Faucheux Family; Living & Deceased Members of the Buddy Bailey Family; Charmaine Faucheux; Thomas Giroir; Nadge Druin; Rita Louque LeBlanc; Tony Miranda; Kevin Richoux; Huey Breaud; Darran Sanchez; Rayquan Mason; Henry, Alice Mae & Gil Maurin; Warren & Florence Roussel; Janice Hoover; Debbie O'Cain; Mervin Guillot; Patrick Collum, Sr.; Norman Zeringue, Jr.; Theresa Keating; Rose Ann Brady; Fr. Matthew Johnston; For the Immaculate Heart of Mary; Clifford Hebert

5:30 PM: Mass for the People

Sanctuary Light Will Be Lit 8/12 — 8/18 for:

Bobby & Myrtle Robichaux; Keith Robichaux;
Donald Chenier & Family; Lois Clement; Debbie O'Cain

Convent Light Will Be Lit 8/12—8/18 for:

Evangeline Grace Ory; Adrian J. Suarez;
Norman Zeringue, Jr.

Readings

Readings for the Week of August 12th through August 18th

Monday, August 12th:	Dt 10:12-22 Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20 Mt 17:22-27
Tuesday, August 13th:	Dt 31:1-8 Dt 32:3-4ab, 7, 8, 9 and 12 Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
Wednesday, August 14th:	Dt 34:1-12 Ps 66:1-3a, 5 and 8, 16-17 Mt 18:15-20
Thursday, August 15th:	Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16 1 Cor 15:20-27 Lk 1:39-56
Friday, August 16th:	Jos 24:1-13 Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22 & 24 Mt 19:3-12
Saturday, August 17th:	Jos 24:14-29 Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 11 Mt 19:13-15
Sunday, August 18th:	Jer 38:4-6, 8-10 Ps 40:2, 3, 4, 18 Heb 12:1-4 Lk 12:49-53