



ST. JOAN OF ARC

CATHOLIC CHURCH

MARCH 29, 2026

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD



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"Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord." - Mt 21:9

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Welcome and thank you for being a part of our Mass. Your presence is a blessing!



THIS BULLETIN IS FOR
DAUGHTERS OF DIVINE PROVIDENCE



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MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday | 4:30pm Vigil
Sunday | 8:00am, 10:00am & 5:00pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday, Wed-Sat | 8:15am
Tuesday | 6:00pm

OUR CLERGY & RELIGIOUS

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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.

PARISH EVENTS

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HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Sunday, March 29th - Palm Sunday

Monday, March 30th

Tuesday, March 31st

- Tuesday Morning Disciples 6:00 AM in FLC
- Cleaning Angels 8:00 AM in church
- Adoration 3:00 PM in church
- OCIA 6:30 PM in St. Joseph's Room
- BINGO 7:00 PM at Msgr. Bergeron Hall

Wednesday, April 1st

- Confession 8:45 AM in church
- School Last Supper Service 9:30 AM in church
- School Living Way of the Cross 2:00 PM in courtyard

Thursday, April 2nd - Holy Thursday

- Office Closed
- Morning Prayer 8:15 AM in church
- Mass of the Lord's Last Supper 7:00 PM in church
- Altar of Repose 8:00 PM til Midnight in FLC
- Night Prayer & Reposition 12:00 AM in FLC

Friday, April 3rd - Good Friday

- Morning Prayer 8:15 AM in church
- Lord's Passion 3:00 PM in church
- Divine Mercy Chaplet following the Lord's Passion in church
- Way of the Cross 5:00 PM walking & in church

Saturday, April 4th - Holy Saturday

- First Saturday Confession 7:00 AM in church
- Morning Prayer 8:15 AM
- First Saturday Devotions following Morning Prayer in church
- Garden Angels 9:15 AM in the Prayer Garden
- No 4:30 PM Mass
- Easter Vigil 8:00 PM in church



Cleaning Angels

ALL ARE INVITED TO JOIN OUR CLEANING ANGELS ON TUESDAY, MARCH 31ST, AT 8:00 AM TO CLEAN OUR CHURCH IN PREPARATION FOR EASTER.

CLEANING SUPPLIES PROVIDED.



HOLY WEEK WITH OUR VIKINGS
Wednesday, April 1st

The Last Supper 9:30 AM in church (students washing of hands).
Living Way of the Cross 2:00 PM in the courtyard.



First Saturday of April

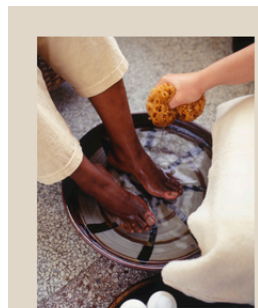
7:00 AM Confessions
7:30 AM Rosary
8:15 AM Morning Prayer
8:45 AM Rosary Meditation



Garden Angels

Join us in our prayer garden every First Saturday of the month following morning devotions. We pray the St. Joan of Arc Chaplet and work in our garden.

HOLY WEEK

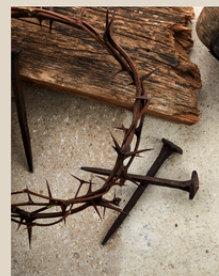


HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 2ND

Morning Prayer 8:15 AM

Mass of the Lord's Last Supper 7:00 PM

Altar of Repose 8:00 PM in the FLC
Litany of the Hours every Hour
Night Prayers - Midnight



GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 3RD

Morning Prayer 8:15 AM

The Passion of Our Lord 3:00 PM followed by the Divine Mercy Chaplet

Way of the Cross 5:00 PM (walking and in the church)



HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 4TH

Morning Prayer 8:15 AM
Easter Vigil 8:00 PM

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 5TH

Easter Mass 8:00 AM and 10:00 AM

STEWARDSHIP & DIRECTORY

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SACRAMENTS



Confessions: 30 minutes Before the Vigil Mass & all Sunday Masses, at 8:45 AM on Wednesdays, and 7:00 AM on First Saturdays.

Baptisms: First Sunday of the month following the 10 AM Mass. To begin the preparation process, call the Parish Office.



Weddings: Arrangements must be made at least 8 months prior to the wedding. Call the Parish Office to schedule a meeting with the priest and to book the church.

Anointing of the Sick: Please call the Parish Office or 504-584-6079 (evenings).

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STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

WEEK OF 03/13 - 03/20

Regular Collection	\$12,630.50
Capital Improvement	\$511.00
Seminary Education	\$2,405.00

Weekly Total **\$15,546.50**

There is no second collection next weekend.

DONATE ONLINE

Your generosity and financial support of the Church is always much appreciated. Without you and your support, we would not be able to provide so many services to so many people in our parish. Many of you have been using our online giving link in our website www.sjachurch.com and now with this QR Code below, it will also link you to that page in which you can make your online donation and contribution to the parish.

Hopefully this makes the online giving more user friendly and we can continue to provide much needed spiritual help to all of our people.

Thank you for your treasure.
"...God loves a cheerful giver."
2 Corinthians 9:7



STEWARDSHIP

As a Catholic, I am very grateful for the wonderful expression of the Mass. When united in this liturgical experience, we are not only present to the reality of the bread and wine becoming the real presence of Jesus, but are also connected spiritually to the institution of the Holy Eucharist at the Last Supper and to the future heavenly banquet at the end of time. During the Eucharistic Prayer, this is a time to be truly as mindful as we can to what is happening in our midst. Our effort to completely surrender ourselves to the moment is a true act of stewardship.

When we hear the Gospel reading of the passion and death of Jesus at Mass, we are also being called to give of ourselves completely to the moment and to be truly caught up in the story. We should strive to be there at the events of over two thousand years ago, but also to what the reality of those events mean for us today. To do this effectively, we need to spend more time reflecting on the dynamics of the events of Jesus' passion. Hopefully, our Lent has been fruitful and we have spent time with devotions like the Stations of the Cross. Maybe we have taken time to read Scripture slowly and deliberately, taking time to let each aspect sink into our mind and spirit. If Lent has been instead a time of too much business and not much prayer and reflection, the good news is that it is never too late.

During this Holy Week, take some time to enter into the story of the Passion. Good stewardship calls us to not only give of that which can be seen, but also that which cannot be seen. Surrender your mind, body, and spirit to Jesus. He carries his cross before you and beckons you to follow him.

--Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

DIVINE MERCY NOVENA

"The Divine Mercy Chaplet can be said anytime, but the Lord specifically asked that it be recited as a novena. He promised, "By this Novena (of Chaplets), I will grant every possible grace to souls."

He told St. Faustina "I desire that during these nine days you bring souls to the fountain of My mercy, that they may draw therefrom strength and refreshment and whatever grace they have need of in the hardships of life, and especially at the hour of death" (Diary, 1209).

For each of the nine days, our Lord gave Saint Faustina a different intention: All mankind, especially sinners; the souls of priests and religious; all devout and faithful souls; those who do not believe in God and those who do not yet know Jesus; the souls who have separated themselves from the Church; the meek and humble souls and the souls of little children; the souls who especially venerate and glorify His mercy; the souls detained in purgatory; and souls who have become lukewarm.

Our Divine Mercy Cenacle invites all to join them in praying this powerful Novena.

Divine Mercy Novena

Good Friday, April 3rd - following 3:00 PM Service
in church

Saturday, April 4th - 3:00 PM in church

Easter Sunday, April 5th - 7:00 PM in church

Monday, April 6th - 7:00 PM in church

Tuesday, April 7th - following 6:00 PM Mass in
church

Wednesday, April 8th - 7:00 PM in church

Thursday, April 9th - 7:00 PM in church

Friday, April 10th - 7:00 PM in church

Saturday, April 11th - following 4:30 PM Mass in
church

Divine Mercy Sunday, April 12th - 3:00 PM in church

FROM OUR PASTOR

My dear parishioners,

Today is Palm Sunday and Passion Sunday, the beginning of Holy Week. The Church wants us to meditate on the most important events of salvation history for the whole world, since Christ came to the world not to be the founder of a religion, but to bring us salvation from the sin of our first parents. He came to call the whole world to the One True God within the One True Church which He founded under the Apostles He himself chose and gave them the mission to convert and baptize all. This truth is hard to accept and even to believe in a world that seems to want to accept every religion as a way to salvation, forgetting that only one faith is truly legitimate since it was revealed to us by God Himself in the Second Person of the Holy Trinity. As Catholic Universal Christians, this is our belief. As we enter this very important and special week,

let us renew our commitment to the faith we received and professed in our baptism.

For adults: Take time this week to renew your baptismal promises. They remind us to reject Satan and to accept Christ, and everything that He revealed to us.

For parents with children: Remind your children that they have been baptized in the Christian faith and let them know the promises you and their godparents made for them on the day of their baptism.

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SJA PARISH FAIR
APRIL 24TH, 25TH, 26TH



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Live on Stage
 Friday, April 24
 CHASE TYLER BAND
 Saturday, April 25
 THIRD GEAR
 KINGS OF NEON
 Sunday, April 26
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 PARTY AT JOE'S

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 DRAWING HELD ON SUNDAY, APRIL 26, 2026
 DRAWDOWN BEGINS AT 4PM
 WINNER NEED NOT BE PRESENT

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AT REST IN CHRIST

✝ **Amelia Hindman**

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

WELCOME THE NEWLY BAPTIZED TO OUR FAMILY



Dallas Ian Drentrel

Child of Monty John Drenttel & Alyssa Michelle Mulkey



Jenesis Laikenly Johnson

Child of Juanta Lakan Johnson & Adaysha Jay'Nae Davis



Augustine Matthew Roussel

Child of Ryan Matthew Roussel & Elizabeth Anne Lan Cui



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What Is Palm Sunday? Understanding the Meaning Behind the Celebration

As Easter approaches, many Christians around the world observe Palm Sunday, a meaningful tradition that marks the beginning of Holy Week—the most sacred time in the Christian calendar. But what exactly is Palm Sunday, and why is it significant?

The Biblical Roots of Palm Sunday

Palm Sunday commemorates Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem, an event recorded in all four Gospels of the New Testament. As Jesus entered the city riding on a donkey, crowds of people gathered to welcome Him, waving palm branches and shouting, "Hosanna! Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!" (John 12:13)

The palm branches and joyful cries symbolized victory, peace, and hope. At the time, the people of Jerusalem believed Jesus was coming to establish an earthly kingdom and free them from Roman rule. Though their understanding of His mission was incomplete, their praise foreshadowed the deeper spiritual victory Jesus would soon achieve through His death and resurrection.

Why Palm Sunday Matters

Palm Sunday is more than just a historical remembrance—it sets the tone for the days to come. It begins Holy Week, the final week of Lent, which includes Holy Thursday (The Last Supper), Good Friday (Jesus' Crucifixion), and ultimately Easter Sunday, when Christians celebrate Jesus' resurrection.

The day serves as a powerful reminder of Jesus' humility and His willingness to suffer for the sake of humanity. Riding on a donkey instead of a horse reflected His mission of peace rather than conquest—a King unlike any other.

How Palm Sunday Is Celebrated

In churches around the world, Palm Sunday is often marked by processions, prayers, and the reading of the Gospel account of Jesus' entry into Jerusalem. Congregants are given blessed palm branches to hold during the service, which many later take home as a sign of faith and protection.

These same palms are saved and burned to create the ashes used in the following year's Ash Wednesday services, symbolizing the cycle of repentance and renewal.

A Time to Reflect

Palm Sunday invites believers to pause and reflect on what it means to truly welcome Jesus into their lives—not just with words or outward celebration, but with hearts open to His love and purpose. It calls us to walk with Him through the events of Holy Week, drawing closer to the hope and promise of Easter.

Whether you're attending church, reading the Gospel story, or simply taking time for quiet reflection, Palm Sunday is a beautiful opportunity to remember the beginning of Jesus' journey to the cross—and the incredible hope that followed.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Baptismal Calendar

Deacon Paul Ory
Baptismal Seminar - April 9, 2026
7:00pm in the Family Life Center
Baptism - April 12, 2026
After 10:00am Mass

Family Catechesis Calendar

April 20, 2026 - at AOL
Dinner at 5:30pm
Lessons 6:00pm - 7:30pm
Topic: Our Father Who Art in Heaven
Speaker: Fr. Cyril Buyeera

Rites and Scrutinies for OCIA / OCIC

Holy Thursday Practice
4/1/2026 @ 6:30pm
In the Church

Confirmation Calendar

Meeting # 4
April 19, 2026
11:15am - 1:15pm in the Family Life Center

OCIA Calendar

March 31, 2026 - Rev. Jose' I. Lavastida
Topic: Reconciliation
Mass 6:00pm
Lesson - 6:30pm - 7:30pm in Church

Sacramental Prep Calendar

April 13, 2026 - at AOL
6:00pm - 7:30pm
April 15, 2026 - 1st Communion Workshop
6:00pm at SJA Church
April 18, 2026 - 1st Communion Mass
10:00am at SJA Church

Mis queridos feligreses,

Hoy es el Domingo de Ramos y el Domingo de la Pasión, el comienzo de la Semana Santa. La Iglesia quiere que meditemos en los eventos más importantes de la historia de salvación para el mundo entero, ya que Cristo no vino al mundo para fundar una religión, sino para traernos la salvación por el pecado de nuestros primeros padres. El vino para llamar al mundo al Único Dios Verdadero en la Única Iglesia Verdadera que El fundó bajo los apóstoles que El mismo escogió y que les dio la misión de convertir y bautizar. Esta verdad es difícil de aceptar y hasta de creer en un mundo que parece aceptar que todas las religiones son un camino de salvación, olvidando que solo una fe es realmente legítima, ya que ha sido revelada por Dios mismo en la Segunda Persona de la Santísima Trinidad. Como Cristianos Católicos Universales, esa es nuestra creencia. Al comenzar esta semana tan importante y especial, renovemos nuestro compromiso con la fe que recibimos y profesamos en nuestro bautismo.

Para adultos: Toma tiempo esta semana para renovar tus promesas bautismales. Ellas nos recuerdan a rechazar a Satanás y aceptar a Cristo, y todo lo que Él nos reveló.

Para familias con niños: Recuérdales a tus hijos que fueron bautizados en la fe cristiana y déjales saber las promesas que tú y sus padrinos hicieron por ellos el día de su bautismo.

Rev. José I. Lavastida, J.D., S.T.D.



Bendición para la Semana Santa

Permanece con nosotros esta semana, Señor, caminando cada vez más cerca de tu Sagrado y traspasado Corazón.

Sumérgenos en tu amor intenso e imperecedero. Ayúdanos a encontrar tu Pasión de maneras nuevas que nos instruyan, nos sorprendan y nos inspiren. Amén.

Domingo, 29 de marzo - Domingo de Ramos

Lunes, 30 de marzo

Martes, 31 de marzo

Discípulos del Martes por la Mañana: 6:00 a. m. en el FLC

Ángeles de la Limpieza: 8:00 a. m. en la iglesia

Adoración: 3:00 p. m. en la iglesia

OCIA: 6:30 p. m. en la Sala San José

BINGO: 7:00 p. m. en el Salón Mons. Bergeron

Miércoles, 1 de abril

Confesiones: 8:45 a. m. en la iglesia

Servicio de la Última Cena Escolar: 9:30 a. m. en la iglesia

Vía Crucis Viviente Escolar: 2:00 p. m. en el patio

Jueves, 2 de abril - Jueves Santo

Oficina cerrada

Oración de la Mañana: 8:15 a. m. en la iglesia

Misa de la Cena del Señor: 7:00 p. m. en la iglesia

Altar de la Reserva: 8:00 p. m. hasta la medianoche en el FLC

Oración de la Noche y Reposición: 12:00 a. m. en el FLC

Viernes, 3 de abril - Viernes Santo

Oración de la Mañana: 8:15 a. m. en la iglesia

Pasión del Señor: 3:00 p. m. en la iglesia

Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia: después de la Pasión del Señor, en la iglesia

Vía Crucis: 5:00 p. m. (caminando y en la iglesia)

Sábado, 4 de abril - Sábado Santo

Confesiones del Primer Sábado: 7:00 a. m. en la iglesia

Oración de la Mañana: 8:15 a. m.

Devociones del Primer Sábado: después de la Oración de la Mañana, en la iglesia

Ángeles del Jardín: 9:15 a. m. en el Jardín de Oración

No hay Misa a las 4:30 p. m.

Vigilia Pascual: 8:00 p. m. en la iglesia

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2-12 YEAR-OLDS
ST. JOAN OF ARC'S KIDS SUMMER CAMP

REGISTRATION WILL OPEN FEB. 26
 Limited spaces are available per week. Weekly registration ends the Tuesday prior to the camp week. Spot is not secured until registration is paid in full.

REGISTRATION FEE \$75 WEEKLY RATE \$170
 BEFORE CARE \$5 PER DAY AFTER CARE \$5 PER DAY
 Register and pay in full for 3+ weeks before May 1 and rate reduces to \$155 per week. Sibling discount is \$15.

JUNE 1-26 & JULY 6-17
CAMP HOURS 8 AM - 3 PM
 BEFORE CARE 7-8AM AFTER CARE 3-4PM
 NO DROP-INS

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IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT SUMMER CAMP, EMAIL CHERIE HILBUN AT C.HILBUN@SJA-SCHOOL.COM.

DON'T FORGET



- April 1 | Living Way of the Cross
- April 2 -10| Easter Holidays
- April 13 - 17 | Early childhood Parent/Teacher Conference
- April 14 - 16| Terra Nova Testing
- April 17 | Fun & Fitness Day
- April 24 - 26 | SJA FAIR WEEKEND



CALLED TO PRAYER

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS

Joey Arcuri, Ryan J. Aubert, Gerald Bercegeay, Larry Blanchard, Sr., Fr. Bill Blank; Roxanne Borne; Patricia Boudreaux, Madeline Bourg, Elizabeth Bourgeois, Brynleigh Bowers, Mary Breaud, Zachary Brown, Paulette Cambre, Hayden Cashio, Felix Cerami, Dustin Compagno, Karen Brignac Cook, Mary Cooper, Stephen & Peggy Cupit, Wanda Davis, Trenice Dearmas, Nathan DeLuke, Edward Demley, Cathy Dillenkoffer; Lorraine & Kernis Dugas, Dianne Duhe, Marlene Duhe, Mavis Dumas, Wayne Duplechian, Tommy Dupuy, Kenny Jo Edmonds, Jr., Gary Entremont, Austin Falgout, Brantley & Oakley Falgout, Lisa Falgout, Ryan Falgout, Tammy Fauchoux, Lakin Felder, Linda Feucht, Carl Freeman, Caleb Gary, Reyna Gary, Warren Gaudin, Joan George, Rowena Guillot, Zachary Hall, Eddie Harris, Sandy Haydel, Larry Hebert, Mary Hebert, Lorraine Hebert, F.J. Keller, Wayne Kimball, Jonathan L., Geraldine Labat, Acadia LaBranche, Penny LaBranche, Randy Lambert, Carson Landry, Megan Landry, Meredith Landry, Raymond Laviolette, Jr., Shirley Lawrence, Wanda Lee, Rebecca V. Lewis, Bryan Madere, Dorothy & Jennifer Massi, Dale McClain, Belinda Millet; Casey McKee, Lawrence Michele, Melodia Milioto, Jill Montz, Steven Montz, Deanna Normand, Wilbert Omond, Brenda Ola, James Oubre, Janice Parquette, Lee Perilloux, Charlee Grace & Adam Pete Pitre, Dillan Pope, Bill Provence, Mary Punch, Jennifer Redlin, Deacon Dan Reynolds, Joel Rivera, Michael & Brenda Romain, Nick Rose, Ceothile Roy, Mark Smith, Mr. & Mrs. Tim Smith & Family, Andrea Tamplain, Frankie Tarullo, Leslie Terry, Ty Triche, Ron Troxler, Brayden, Marie Turner, Jenni Vicknair, Dawn Wactor, Glenda Wactor, Toby Weber, Hayden White; John Wille, Mindy Wilson

To add a parishioner to the prayer list, contact the church office at 985-652-9100

MARCH PRAYER INTENTION OF THE HOLY FATHER



For disarmament and peace

Let us pray that nations move toward effective disarmament, particularly nuclear disarmament, and that world leaders choose the path of dialogue and diplomacy instead of violence.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR PRIESTS & SEMINARIANS

March 29 - Rev. Vinh Luu, J.C.L.

March 30 - Rev. Charles Whitney Dussouy

March 31 - Rev. Joseph Duc Dzien

April 1 - Rev. Luke Hungdung Nguyen

April 2 - Rev. Bartholomew Chukwuma

April 3 - Rev. Chung Tran, C.Ss.R.

April 4 - Rev. Ronel Bernandin, O.M.I.

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
Casey Williams Deen
Cpl Bryce Fincher
Raymond Gendron, III
Cpt. Thomas Gray
Cpt. Alex Hernandez
Cpt. Cameran Hymel
Heidi Mayeux Hymel
Spc Chase Ingram
LcPI Matthew Johnston
Edwin Preston Johnston

Cdr. José I. Lavastida
Navy Recruit Brandon McDonald
Sgt. SPC Dylan L. Mabile
PO3 Alexander J. Norris
SFC Paul J. Pena
2nd I. James Perilloux
Brett Rosa
Cdr. Mark Zachary Roussel
1st Lt. Matthew Suarez
Cpt. Nick Sutton
Wesley Triche

UPCOMING EVENTS

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SJA/AOL WOMEN'S ACTS RETREAT

Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me, and I in them. ~ John 6:56

June 4 - 7, 2026

Wherever you are on your faith journey: curious, committed, or quietly searching, ACTS offers space for prayer, community, and an authentic encounter with Christ.

Ladies, we invite you to join us for the 2026 Women's ACTS Retreat.

All ladies are welcome!

The cost is \$325 which is refundable. Limited scholarships available. Transportation to retreat provided.

Registration forms can be found in the rear of the church or at the parish office.

Contact Janelle Williams at (985) 233-9817 or Suzanne Cupit at (504) 473-7313 with questions.



Join us to learn about the
Communal
First Saturday Devotions

Date: March 31, 2026

Time: 7:00 PM

**Location: St. Joan of Arc School
Library (412 Fir St.)**

Park on Fir Street in the lot close to the convent.

504-881-6743
Linda Monistere



985-212-9550
Joan Ory

SAVE THE DATE!!

PRIESTLY ORDINATION

Deacon James Vu
will be ordained a
priest on Saturday,
May 30th,
10:00 AM at
St. Louis Cathedral
in New Orleans.



All are invited to his first Mass as a
priest with us on Sunday, May 31st, at
10:00 AM. A reception will follow in the
gym.

MASS INTENTIONS & READINGS

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MASS INTENTIONS

Mon., March 30, 2026

8:15 AM: Tommy St. Martin

Tue., March 31, 2026

6:00 PM: Louise & Emile Schexnayder

Wed., April 1, 2026

8:15 AM: Olga & John Porteous

Thurs., April 2, 2026 - Holy Thursday

8:15 AM: Morning Prayer

7:00 PM Evan Simoneaux

Fri., April 3, 2026 - Passion of the Lord (Foos Deisy)

8:00 AM: Morning Prayer

3:00 PM: Good Friday Service

Sat., April 4, 2026 - Holy Saturday

8:15 AM Morning Prayer

Sat., April 4, 2026 - Anticipatory, Easter Sunday

4:30 PM: No Mass

8:00PM: Jim Riley; Rosemary Morrison; Living & Deceased Members of the Cupit & Rayne Families; Clari Christy Richard; Kevin Dufrene; Farrel Weber, Jr & Sr.; Toby Weber; Herman & Carmen Rivere; Eddie & Marie Jouty; Norman & Verna Millet; Melanie Millet; Sue LeBlanc; Paul Cimino; Sam Cimino; Elmer Cimino; Anthony Scorsone; Elma Scorsone; Greg Entremont; Rosie Monica; Living & Deceased Members of the Eddie Jouty, Jr. Family; Barbara Cassioppi; Living & Deceased Members of the Musson Family; Shannon Jaubert; Gayle Clement; Lloyd Simoneaux; Tommy St. Martin; The Tamplain & Keating Families; Murle Robinet; Mary Millet; William Ferguson; David James Massi; Jeffrey Paul Massi; Nathaniel G. Massi; Kristi S. Willhite; Regist & Lillian Oubre; Therese' & Foster Cambre; Melanie Deslatte Brown; Herman, Jr. & Karen Deslatte; Herman, Sr. & Marie Deslatte; Pete Brown; Sarah Brown; Mabel & Daniel Vicknair; Mary Vicknair Millet; Kyle & Mary Millet; Marlene & Bobby Bourgeois; The Rollo Family; Greg & Jeanine Loisel; Mary & Wade Cooper; Faye Taylor

Blessing for Holy Week

Be with us this week, Lord,
journeying closer and closer to Your pierced and
Sacred Heart.

Immerse us in Your intense and undying love.
Help us to encounter Your passion in new ways that
inform, surprise, and inspire us.
Amen.

Sun., April 5, 2026 - Easter Sunday of the Resurrection fo the Lord

8:00 AM: Mass for the People

10:00 AM: Mary Catherine "Trinsie" Garon; Daniel Guidry; Jamie Brady; Living & Deceased Members of the Duplechian & Prejean Families; Living & Deceased Members of the Van Dalen & Meariman Families; Elvest & Rose Trosclair; Nolan & Theone Keating; Geraldine T. Oubre; Phyllis T. Hedding; Daniel & Rachael Keating; Jay Michael Chenier; Gerald Chenier; Laura Chenier; The Rollo & Dottolo Families; Deceased Members of the Oubre & Vilemont Families; Cliff Hebert; Ronnie Milioto; Sharleen Aucoin Jouty; Guy Clement; Brad Luminais, Jr.; Living & Deceased Members of the Fisher & Melancon Families; Sheila Adams; Bobbie Jane Wimmer; Mr. & Mrs. Julien Guidry; Godfrey McNeely; Gary Maurin; Wayne Boucvalt; Jonathan Boucvalt; David James Massi; Jeffrey Paul Massi; Nathaniel G. Massi; Kristi S. Willhite; Regist & Lillian Oubre; Westley & Vivian St. Pierre; Edna & Mack Reine, Sr.; P. J. Broussard; Georgette Broussard; Carl Broussard; Carrie Oubre; Roy Dutreix; Harold Dutreix, Sr.; Isabelle Dutriex; Marie Ory Dupont; Tommy St. Martin; Mr. & Mrs. Norman Amedee & Family; Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence Gautreaux & Family; Mr. & Mrs. Robert Lasseigne & Family; Wanda Schiff & Family; Selma Barbier; Kim & Daniel Fuselier; Jean Fuselier; Kirby & Dorothy Fuselier; Kevin Oubre; Natalie Sutton; Murle Robinet; Russell Anthony Lebouef; Russell Mark Lebouef; Joyce Lebouef; Jeanette Cashio; Gloria Keating; Jasper Ratcliff, Jr.; Milton Cox, Jr.; Wilfred Paul Tabb; Marlene Lions; Beverly & Leonard Sutton; Natalie Sutton; Edward & Marie Sutton; Etienne & Emma Feucht; Audrey Feucht Boe; Jeffrey Feucht; Juanita Jacob; Norman Zeringue; Kirk Zeringue; Olga & John Porteous; Gayle Clement; Kathleen Rodrigue; Kevin & Shawn Keller; Jennie & Octave Mabile; All Living & Deceased Members of the F. J. Keller Family ; All Living & Deceased Members of the Mabile Family; Ryan Falgout; Austin Falgout; Joan N. Robinson; Steven Turner; Phyllis Martin; Merrill Bennett Bentley; Henry, Alice Mae, Gil & Gary Maurin; William Ferguson; David Faucheux; Foster & Therese' Cambre; Malcoml Cambre; Joseph Berthelot; Grace Pierson; The Deceased Member of the Olidy & Elise Hymel Family; The Doublas Cambre Family; The Deceased Members of the Rene & Sedalize Faucheux Family; Mary Ann & P. J. Brady; Faye Taylor; Mildred & Ted Millet

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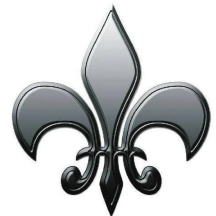
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