



Immaculate Conception

JESUIT CHURCH

Scripture Readings

Acts 1:1-11
Hebrews 9:24-28, 10:19-23
Luke 24:46-53

Music

9:30 am, 11:00 am, & 7:30 pm

- Gathering** **#574 Crown Him with Many Crowns**
- Psalm Response** **"The Lord is king, most high over all the earth."**
- Gifts Preparation** **#568 Rejoice, the Lord is King!**
- Recessional** **#573 To Jesus Christ, Our Sovereign King**

The texts of the Mass responses, as well as the Creed, can be found in the front covers of the Gather Hymnal. Sunday evening Benediction hymns can be found in the Gather hymnal: #139, #137, and #615.

OUR ARCHDIOCESAN FAMILY PRAYER

Loving and Faithful God, through the years the people of our archdiocese have appreciated the prayers and love of Our Lady of Prompt Succor in times of war, disaster, epidemic and illness. We come to you, Father, with Mary our Mother, and ask you to help us in the battle of today against violence, murder and racism. We implore you to give us your wisdom that we may build a community founded on the values of Jesus, which gives respect to the life and dignity of all people.

Bless parents
 that they may form their children in faith.
 Bless and protect our youth
 that they may be peacemakers of our time.
 Give consolation to those
 who have lost loved ones through violence.
 Hear our prayer and give us the perseverance
 to be a voice for life and human dignity
 in our community.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.
 Our Lady of Prompt Succor, hasten to help us.
 Mother Henriette Delille, pray for us
 that we may be a holy family.

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MASSES

Monday-Friday: 7:30 am, Noon
 Saturday: 8 am, 4 pm (Sunday Vigil)
 Sunday: 8 am, 9:30 am, 11 am, 7:30 pm

CONFESSIONS

Monday-Friday: 11-11:50 am
 Saturday: 3:15-3:50 pm
 Sunday: 7-7:25 pm

DEVOTIONS

Tuesday:	at Masses	Perpetual Help Novena
Friday:	at Masses	Sacred Heart Novena
	12:30 pm	Benediction
	12:40 pm	Stations of the Cross & Rosary
First Friday:	8-11:45 am	Adoration & Benediction
	at Masses	Sacred Heart Novena
	12:30 pm	Stations of the Cross & Rosary
Sunday:	9 am	Rosary
	7 pm	Adoration, Rosary, & Benediction
CHURCH TOURS	3:15 pm	Saturdays

WEEKLY REFLECTION

Habitual patterns of thought can have a profound influence on one’s happiness. What we think has the potential to dictate how motivated we are, what we feel about ourselves, and how anxious or depressed we become. Distortions in our thinking can lead to negative emotions. Psychologists who recommend cognitive therapy encourage us to challenge our irrational and distorted thoughts. Previous weekly reflections have discussed how polarized thinking can lead to self-doubt as well as unhealthy attitudes about others. People are not simply annoying; they become totally unbearable if one thinks in all-or-nothing terms.

Emotional reasoning is one the ten common cognitive distortions that lead to disordered emotions. The illusion that one’s emotions provide a true indicator of reality can lead to significant negative feelings. Our emotions are not always reliable guides to the truth. Our feelings can be based on misapprehensions so that our judgments do not conform to the real world. Someone experiencing depression may incorrectly conclude that he is worthless and that his future is hopeless. Anger may lead one to conclude incorrectly that the people around him don’t care and do not respect him. Feelings of guilt may lead someone to conclude incorrectly that he is responsible for an injury which can’t be forgiven. Anxiety can convince someone that he will be unable to cope with some future event that he cannot control.

Unnecessary tension develops because someone’s emotional state misinterprets another’s intentions. All too often people assume the worst about the people they deal with, and they allow their emotions to dictate an irrational response. Strong emotions get in way of our perceiving reality. Many of us are comfortable with emotions that lead us to distorted judgments. Violence results from perceived affronts to one’s dignity even though no insult has been intended. In the last ten years, oversensitivity to perceived insults has become very fashionable. Those who complain about so called micro-aggressions are victims of emotional reasoning. If another person has no intention of being offensive, why should anyone react as if he has been profoundly insulted?

Emotional reasoning threatens our personal wellbeing because it can lead to deeper depression, anxiety, or anger. When one’s feelings do not align with reality we can see the result in divisions in families and workplaces. Emotional reasoning is a great tool for those who want to manipulate the public. It is easy to disguise the truth when everyone is focused on an emotional response that does not conform to reality. The unscrupulous use fear to control others. Demagogues have great success appealing to feelings of envy and resentment.

Let us pray for the grace to evaluate our feelings, so we can avoid falling into emotional traps. Let us pray for insight into how we have avoided the truth by allowing emotional reasoning to dominate our thoughts.

Anthony McGinn, S.J.

WHO WE ARE AND WHAT WE DO

Rooted in our identity as Catholic and Jesuit, and driven by the spirituality of St. Ignatius of Loyola, Immaculate Conception Parish gives glory to God by creating a faith community where all are welcomed to experience God’s love in Word and Sacrament and Community, and where all are challenged to embrace the mission of fulfilling God’s desires for us and our world by growing in love and by becoming Christ to others through lives of prayer, witness, and service.



VISITING? / WELCOME!



No matter where you are from, what you do, your current family or marital situation ...
 No matter your personal history, age, background, race or political affiliation ...
 No matter your religion or self-perceived relationship with God or the Church ...
we are very happy you are with us. Learn more about our parish by visiting our website, and if you would like to learn more about the art and architecture of our building, we invite you to consult the brochure found at the back of the church.

Every Sunday Morning Coffee & Donuts are served in the parish hall following the 8:00 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. Masses.

PARISH BULLETIN AVAILABLE ON LINE

Every Wednesday the parish bulletin for the upcoming Sunday is posted on the church’s website, www.jesuitchurch.net. Likewise one may find a link to the bulletin on the Facebook page, *Immaculate Conception Jesuit Church*.

DAILY MASS LIVESTREAMED

The parish will continue to livestream the first Mass of the day (7:30 a.m. on Monday to Friday and 8:00 a.m. on Saturday and Sunday). One may find the livestream on **YouTube** at *Immaculate Conception Jesuit Church*. Similarly one can find the livestream on our **Facebook** page, *Immaculate Conception Jesuit Church*.

MASS CELEBRANTS

Saturday, May 28

4:00 p.m. Fr. McGinn, S.J.

Sunday, May 29

8:00 a.m. Fr. Gros, S.J.
 9:30 a.m. Fr. McGinn, S.J.
 11:00 a.m. Fr. McGinn, S.J.
 7:30 p.m. Fr. Stephen Kramer, S.J.

Saturday, June 4

4:00 p.m. Fr. McGinn, S.J.

Sunday, June 5

8:00 a.m. Fr. McGinn, S.J.
 9:30 a.m. Fr. McGinn, S.J.
 11:00 a.m. Fr. Gros, S.J.
 7:30 p.m. Fr. John Brown, S.J.

BECOME A PART OF THE FAMILY

To become a member of the parish, please complete the registration form found on the parish website (www.jesuitchurch.net) by selecting tabs entitled “I’m New” and “I’m New to the Parish.”

CHURCH TOURS

We have begun giving tours of the church again. A 30-minute docent-led tour of our church takes place each Saturday at 3:15 p.m. With advance notice to the parish rectory, guided tours can be arranged at other times as well.

LITURGICAL MINISTRY

If you would like to serve our parish as a lector, minister of Holy Communion, hospitality minister, usher or altar server, please contact one of the priests.

PRAY FOR PEACE



You might like to follow Immaculate Conception Parish on Facebook by logging onto www.facebook.com and then entering *Immaculate Conception Jesuit Church* and “Like” us.

NEWS FROM AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

**PERMANENT DIACONATE FORMATION
GROUP OF 2027**

Preliminary plans are now underway to call and form the next group. Archbishop Aymond has approved the formation of the next diaconate formation group. Four sessions will be offered to illustrate and explore the formation, life and ministry of serving as a deacon in the Church. These "Information Nights" are informal gatherings in the evenings. Those who sense God speaking to them about the possibility of serving in ordained ministry are encouraged to "Come and See". Attendance at one of these sessions will allow the formation community to share basic criteria for entrance into formation and will enable each participant to consider requesting an invitation to attend the more formalized "Discernment Gatherings". Wives are encouraged to attend. All are asked to pre-register for one of the sessions by email: pdiaconate@arch-no.org. Questions? 504- 861-6329. You may choose to attend any one of the following, but attendance at one of these nights is required to attend the remaining "Discernment Gatherings" and to submit an application to enter formation.

Wednesday, June 1 – 6:30 PM, Archdiocese of New Orleans Administration Building, 7887 Walmsley Avenue, New Orleans, LA.

**HEADING TO THE NORTHSHORE FOR
JUNE'S CHRIST IN THE CITY**

Christ in the City is going over the Causeway Bridge on Tuesday, June 7th and will be held at 7 PM at Our Lady of the Lake (312 Lafitte Street, Mandeville.) Christ in the City is the archdiocesan monthly gathering of Eucharistic adoration, reconciliation, and fellowship for NOLA Catholic Young Adults (ages 18 – 39.) Christ in the City is sponsored by the CYO / Youth and Young Adult Ministry Office of the Archdiocese of New Orleans. For more information, please contact James Behan, Associate Director for Young Adult Ministry and Associate Director for Marriage and Family Life at jbehan@arch-no.org.

**CATHOLIC COMMUNITY FOUNDATION
SEEKS ST. JOHN PAUL II AWARD
NOMINATIONS**

Catholic Community Foundation Seeks Saint John Paul II Award Nominations The Catholic Community Foundation (CCF) is seeking nominations for the 25th annual Saint John Paul II Award. Names of nominees and related information must be submitted by Friday, June 3, 2022, at 11:59 p.m. A nomination form, which includes submission details, can be downloaded from the foundation's website at www.ccfno.org. The award will be presented to an outstanding Catholic layperson(s) or permanent deacon who resides in the Archdiocese of New Orleans and who exhibits inspirational examples of generosity and Christian stewardship. Award criteria include: • Practicing Roman Catholic layperson(s) or permanent deacon • High moral character • Volunteer service and board memberships • Exemplary personal values This year's winner will be recognized during our annual 'Celebration of Catholic Generosity'. The most recent recipients were Lloyd and Jan Tate in 2021. Please contact Pamela Richard at prichard@ccfnola.org with questions.

**RETRouvaille WEEKEND FOR
TROUBLED MARRIAGES**

Retrouvaille is a program designed to provide help and support to married couples who are undergoing difficulties in their relationship. Sponsored by the Catholic Church, Retrouvaille is open to couples of all faiths. It has proven helpful to couples who are troubled and stressed, or if the relationship has grown cold and distant. The next Retrouvaille Weekend will be **June 24-26, 2022**, at the William J. Kelly Retreat Center in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi. For registration or additional information, please go to the Retrouvaille website <https://www.helpourmarriage.org/> or email retrouvaillela@gmail.com.

PENTECOST MASS AND PRAISE CELEBRATION AT CENTER OF JESUS THE LORD

Experience the Presence and Power of the Holy Spirit on **Sunday, June 5, 2022** for Pentecost Mass at 10:00 am, Praise Celebration at 11:30-1:00pm. Please come join us for prayer, music, testimonies, liturgical dance and more. Center of Jesus the Lord, 1307 Louisiana Ave., New Orleans, LA 70115. Please call 504-529-1636 for more information.

PARISH NEWS

IGNATIAN YEAR FIRST TUESDAY TALKS

at Immaculate Conception Church
Tuesday, June 7, 12:30 p.m.

Dennis Lauscha
President of the New Orleans Saints

"**Cannonball Conversations**," a lunchtime speaker series hosted by **Immaculate Conception (Jesuit) Church** in honor of the current international Ignatian Year, will welcome **Dennis Lauscha, President of the New Orleans Saints**, on **Tuesday, June 7, at 12:30 pm**. Born in New Orleans, Mr. Lauscha attended Jesuit High School and earned an MBA from Loyola University New Orleans, where he is currently a member of the Board of Trustees. A CPA by training, Mr. Lauscha joined the Saints in 1998 as treasurer and rose to become president of the organization in 2012. Taking to heart the Jesuit emphasis on service, he has also shared his time and expertise on many local boards and committees, including at the National WWII Museum and the New Orleans Museum of Art. Mr. Lauscha's presentation, **God and Ticket Sales**, follows the noon Mass at the church, located at 130 Baronne Street. The 45-minute presentation will include time for Q&A at the end. "Cannonball Conversations" features prominent local voices talking about faith, finding your path, and changing the world. The event will also be live-streamed on the parish YouTube channel. Called for 2021-2022, the Ignatian Year commemorates the 500th Anniversary of St. Ignatius of Loyola's conversion and the 400th of his canonization

BAPTISMS & BAPTISM PREPARATION

Baptisms usually occur after the 11:00 a.m. Mass on Sundays. We are happy to consider other days of the week and times if the church is available and a parish priest can be available. We hold a monthly baptism preparation class for parents and godparents on the second Thursday of each month. The next one will take place **Thursday, June 9** at 5 p.m. in the parish rectory. Registration is required. To do so, please contact the parish office and leave a message. Please consult the parish website, <https://jesuitchurch.net/how/have-a-child-baptized>

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

Saturday, May 28, 1:00 p.m.

Knights of the Holy Sepulcher Investiture

Sunday, May 29, 2:00 p.m.

Knights of the Holy Sepulcher Investiture

Thursday, June 9

Baptism Preparation Class

Saturday, June 18

Respect Life prayer at Clinic 4636 S. Claiborne

Saturday and Sunday July 10 and 11

Mission Appeal from the Sisters of the Destitute

Tuesday, July 12, 5:30 p.m.

Pastoral Council Meeting

Thursday, July 14, 5:00 p.m.

Baptism Preparation Class

Saturday, July 16, 9:15 a.m.

Respect Life prayer at Clinic 4636 S. Claiborne

Saturday & Sunday, July 16 & 17

Black and Indian Missions Collection

Tuesday, August 2, 12:30 p.m.

Parish Finance Council Meeting

Thursday, August 11, 5:00 p.m.

Baptism Preparation Class

Monday, August 15 Feast of the Assumption

The feast of the Assumption is NOT a Holyday of Obligation in 2022

Saturday, August 20, 9:15 p.m.

Respect Life prayer at Clinic 4636 S. Claiborne

Thursday, September 8, 5:00 p.m.

Baptism Preparation Class

Saturday, September 17

Respect Life prayer at Clinic 4636 S. Claiborne

PRAYER LIST

Your prayers are asked for the following individuals who are facing illness or other life challenges.

Marie Immaculate Azor	Cal Miller	Trent Washington
Lisebeth Azor	Vivian Perkins	& Family
Shirley Azor	Joyce Randolph	Carol Werling
Gloria Albano Calderera	Margeaux Randolph	Harold A. Werling
Rena Cantrell	Jamal Randolph	Lisa Werling
Rosalyn DiBartolo	Gerrad Randolph	Patricia Wilson
Zachary Fowlkes	Jaia Randolph	
Beverly George	Shirley Schnyder	<i>Names appear for</i>
Dennis Giurintano	Nadine Azor Shandler	<i>three months unless</i>
Mary Glassman	and children	<i>otherwise requested.</i>
Victor Gonsoulin	Sheldon Strasner	<i>To request that a</i>
Aggie Jackson	Victoria Thomas	<i>name be included,</i>
Sunny Johnson	Richard Thomason	<i>please phone</i>
McKord, Sumrall, Todd	Rosalyn Vance	<i>529-1477.</i>
& Pinner Families	Tevest Vance	
Jerry Mulkey	Imelda Ward	

IN MEMORY

May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Joseph Angelico †	Henrietta Theresa Gaugis Martin †
Paul Augustin †	Terrence Joseph McElveen †
Emily Becknell †	Mary Alice McKay †
Matthew Blakenship †	Nageswary Mirtipati †
Spencer A. Bienvenu, Jr. †	Francis Moises †
Laura Calderera †	Fr. Leo Nicoll, S.J. †
Dr. Nicholas Campo †	Helen Belou Noto †
Sal Cannatella †	Herbert Nuttli †
Margie Clark †	Rev. Norman B. O'Neal, S.J. †
James J. Cooke, Jr. †	Christina Phomes †
Richard Davis †	William D. Postell, Jr. †
Daniel Deichmann †	Juliette Pugh †
Fr. Joseph Doyle, S.S.J. †	Jan Reuther †
James E. Fitzmorris, Jr. †	Connie Richardson †
Louis Fortier †	Fr. Peter Rogers, S.J. †
Louis Flattman †	Dorothy Romig †
Patrick Gandolfi †	Ann Marie Richards Ross †
Lois Gandolfi †	Ralph Seals †
Cossette Theresa Harbison †	Steve Slumber †
Jack Hayes †	Dr. Robert Songy †
Rene Howard, Jr. †	Rex Stem †
Paige Kelley †	Ralph Allen Stern, Jr. †
John Laborde †	Dr. Vincent Tumminello †
O.J. LaCour, Jr. †	Timothy Turner †
Rene Lazare †	Ed Webb †
Felix Henri Lapeyre †	Bill Wessel †
Glenda Liuzza †	<i>The names of recently deceased</i>
Earle Louder †	<i>appear on the list for twelve months.</i>
James J. Lynch III †	<i>Please phone 529-1477 to request</i>
Rev. Donald Martin, S.J. †	<i>that a name be included.</i>

HOLY FATHER'S MAY PRAYER INTENTION

For faith-filled young people: We pray for all young people, called to live life to the fullest; may they see in Mary's life the way to listen, the depth of discernment, the courage that faith generates and the dedication to service.

EACH MASS IS OFFERED FOR THE INTENTIONS OF ALL PRESENT & FOR THE FOLLOWING:

Saturday, May 28

8:00 am John K. Singletary
 4:00 pm Christopher Vanderbrook †
 Carl Orgeron †
 Ann Marie Richard Ross †
 Henrietta Gaugis Martin †

Sunday, May 29

8:00 am Ann Burgau †
 9:30 am Intention of Celebrating Priest
 11:00 am Mass for the People
 7:30 pm Owen J. LaCour, Sr. †
 Henrietta Gaugis Martin †
 Charles W. Myers, Sr. †
 Ronnie Guillot †

Monday, May 30

7:30 am Wanda Schiff †
 noon Adelia Thomas †

Tuesday, May 31

7:30 am Alfredo Lopez, M.D. †
 Noon Lisa Howe Hendrix †

Wednesday, June 1

7:30 am Jeanette Briggs
 Noon Dot Benge †

Thursday, June 2

7:30 am George Cortello †
 Noon Lisa Dubos DeVille †

Friday, June 3

7:30 am Marie Immaculate Azor
 Noon Jan Pattarozzi

Saturday, June 4

8:00 am Laary Tillman †
 4:00 pm Richard Vanderbrook †
 Carl Orgeron †
 Timmy Rigney †
 Austin A. Dalfanso †

WEDDING BANNES

Please keep in your prayers those who in the coming weeks will be united in the Sacrament of Matrimony

June 3, 2022

Shaunna Dionne Jones & Denver George Edwards

June 4, 2022

Carley Elizabeth Boyce & Jon-Michael Joseph

June 10, 2022

Cynthia Ta & Jonathan Naylor

June 11, 2022

Fallon Alise Anzalone & Parker Clayton Babcock

Danielle Lynn Vogt & Patrick Gregory LaCour

June 18, 2022

Gabrielle Bodet & Garrett Scott Malbrough

Breah Elizabeth Bender & Branden Michal Munster

COLLECTIONS (May 16-21, 2022)

Sunday: \$6,473.00
 Weekdays: \$ 470.00
 Ministry to the Poor: \$966.19

**ONLINE PARISHIONER REGISTRATION & GIVING**

We invite you to register as a member of our parish family. To do so, log on to www.jesuitchurch.net and click the "I'm New" and "To the Parish" tabs, or contact the parish office. Also, follow Immaculate Conception Parish on Facebook by logging onto www.facebook.com and entering *Immaculate Conception Jesuit Church* and "Like" us. In reflecting upon your support of the parish, please consider online giving, a quick and easy way to do your part to foster the life and ministry of our parish.

PARKING at 220 O'Keefe

For registered Immaculate Conception parishioners, parking at a reduced fee of \$2.00 for a 3-hour period is available in the **SP PLUS PARKING GARAGE** at 220 O'Keefe, next to the Quality Inn, near the corner of O'Keefe and Common. The garage is open to parishioners for regularly-scheduled parish Masses on the weekend.

To get the reduced rate, for each visit you must use a magnetic voucher card available for purchase in the parish office, or you may order vouchers by completing the form available on the back counter of the church.

To take advantage of the reduced rate, enter the garage from O'Keefe, and take a ticket from the auto attendant. **KEEP YOUR TICKET.** When you exit the garage, you will need to insert both that ticket and the voucher.

Difficulties? The SP Plus Parking emergency number is **504-293-4500**. *Questions?* Please contact Judy Burke at 529-1477, ext. 223.