FIFTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

July 10, 2022



Immaculate Conception JESUIT CHURCH

Scripture Readings

Deuteronomy 30:10-14 **Colossians 1:15-20** Luke 10:25-37

Music

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

Gathering #567 Holy, Holy, Holy!

Psalm Response "Turn to the Lord in your need,

and you will live."

Gifts Preparation #695 **You Are Near**

Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Recessional #614

You

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

A recent Gallup Poll found that 78% of Americans agree that the country is headed in the wrong direction. Citizens with diametrically opposed views of politics, religion, and society are concerned about the future of the nation.

Some find the cause of the problem in younger generations that do not share the values of earlier generations. Of course this complaint has existed for millennia. The ancient Greek philosopher Socrates lamented, "The children now love luxury; they have bad manners, contempt for authority; they show disrespect for elders." Although intergenerational conflict seems to be a part of the human condition, some of today's youth in Western societies seem to be more alienated, anxious, and depressed than earlier generations of young people. On the other hand, many young people today appear to negotiate adolescence and young adulthood with relative ease.

Parents, teachers, and the church have a responsibility for the emotional and character development of children. We succeed when young people develop resilience, a moral compass, and a sense of purpose. Unfortunately so much of our contemporary society conspires against us in the work of developing happy and productive young adults.

It can be difficult to develop a moral compass if the media and other influences insist that all truth is relative. To-day's youth are encouraged to speak "their truth" as if each person is capable of determining what is true for himself or herself. Parents, mentors, and the clergy must counteract this pernicious force and provide examples of people who have live by moral principles.

Failure is a part of life. Frustration, disappointment, and defeat are not disasters. The older generations need to model resilience so youth can learn that minor setbacks need not be devastating. The exaggeration of obstacles diminishes one's optimism. Someone who chooses to live in victim mode becomes trapped in a spirt of powerlessness.

Contemporary society has seen an increase in young adults, especially young men, who seem to have no ambition. An inordinate fear of failure can make one reluctant to take personal responsibility for the direction of one's life. The contemporary culture encourages immediate gratification of one's desires. It is hard to develop a sense of purpose without having the ability to postpose pleasurable activities and accept one's responsibilities to society.

Let us pray for parents, teachers, and other mentors that they may provide a good example and encourage young people to develop resilience, a sense of purpose, and a moral compass. Let us pray for the out pouring of the Holy Spirit in this endeavor because we are engaged in spiritual warfare against relativism, learned helplessness, and confusion.

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.

MASS CELEBRANTS

Saturday, July 9

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

Sunday, July 10

8:00 a.m. Fr. Gros, S.J.

9:30 a.m. Fr. John Brown, S.J.11:00 a.m. Fr. John Brown, S.J.7:30 p.m. Fr. Jonathon Polce, S.J.

Saturday, July 16

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

Sunday, July 17

8:00 a.m. Fr. McGinn, 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.

PRAY FOR PEACE

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*.

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.



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

BLACK AND INDIAN MISSIONS COLLECTION

On **July 16-17, 2022**, the Archdiocese of New Orleans will take up the annual Black and Indian Mission Collection, which has a direct impact in our own archdiocese as we benefit locally from grants funded by the collection. Your generosity to this collection reflects the depths of your faith and your willingness to help our brothers and sisters in need; it is an opportunity to evangelize and further the missionary cause of bringing the Gospel to our African American and Native American family. Additional information about the work of the Black and Indian Mission Office can be found at https://blackandindianmission.org

TEC RETREAT OPPORTUNITIES FOR TEENS AND YOUNG ADULTS

Teens Encounter Christ (TEC) is a three-day retreat weekend based on the Paschal Mystery where teens and young adults are invited to enter into a deeper, loving, and personal relationship with Christ through activities, prayer, and small group discussions. TEC is a retreat experience with an approach designed for teens and young adults who have completed at least the second semester of the sophomore year of high school. In summer of 2022, there are two opportunities to attend a TEC retreat. TEC 142 will be held June 25th-27th , and TEC 143 will take place July 30-August 1. All retreats are held at Rosaryville Retreat Center in Ponchatoula, LA, and the cost to attend is \$120. To register to attend a summer TEC retreat, visit www.tecneworleans.com/applications. Questions? Email tecneworleans@gmail.com.

HEALING OF THE HEART GRIEF RETREAT

This Retreat is open to men and women who are grieving the loss of someone. (stillborn, miscarriage, child, adult child, spouse, parent, siblings or friends) It will be held at the Archdiocese of New Orleans Retreat Center, 5500 St. Mary St. Metairie, La 70006 on **August 19 and 20, 2022**. This is a one night retreat helping us to search our heart for hope. Come and find the Hope to heal you on your journey. The cost is \$100.00 and scholarships are available. For more information or to register go to: neworleansretreats.com or call the Retreat Center 504-267-9604.

ON HUMAN TRAFFICKING IN SOUTHERN LOUISIANA

The Metro Chapter of the Knights of Columbus will sponsor a meeting to speak about human trafficking of children in Southern Louisiana. The meeting will take place on **Wednesday**, **July 20**, **2022** between 7 and 10 p.m. in Saint Joseph's Hall on the premises of Saint Francis Xavier Church, 444 Metairie Road, Metairie, La. 70005. An assistant U.S. Attorney and a member of the Federal Bureau of Investigation will present information about human trafficking in our area and how to prevent it. Parents and students in grades 8 - 12 who are in Catholic Youth Organizations in the Archdiocese of New Orleans are particularly encouraged to attend, as well as brother knights and their families. Because seating is limited in the Hall, please RSVP with Dick Cooper by emailing rwccnslt@aol.com or calling (252) 497-1682.

IN-HOME MARRIAGE PREPARATION MENTOR TRAINING

Saturday, July 30, 2022 | Visitation of Our Lady, Marrero Couples interested in being mentors through the In-Home Marriage Preparation method are invited to a training presented by Jan and Lloyd Tate, the authors of the In-Home Marriage Preparation program. The next available training is scheduled for **Saturday**, **July 30, 2022** from 8:30 AM - 3:30 PM at Visitation of Our Lady Church, 3500 Ames Blvd., Marrero. The cost for training is \$125 per couple and materials are included. Couples who attend the training must bring their own lunch. Couples can register at https://nolacatholicfla.regfox.com/inhome-marriage-preparation-training. For questions or information, please contact the Office of Marriage and Family Life at (504) 861-6243.

REDBIRD MINISTRY FOR GREIVING PARENTS

If you have lost a child from miscarriage, stillborn, infancy, young child or adult child please join us at Our Lady of the Lake Church, Mandeville, La at 6:30pm on the second Thursday of every month in the cafeteria. The next support group will be Thursday, **July 14** and then on **August 11**. Grandparents are also welcome. For more information contact Jewell Bayhi at 504-330-5975.

PARISH NEWS

IGNATIAN YEAR FIRST TUESDAY TALKS

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

Dr. Reynold Verret President of Xavier University

NEWS FROM AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

RETREAT FOR WOMEN FACING INFERTILITY

If you struggle with infertility, you may feel like you're in a lonely, desert place. But you are not alone! The Archdiocese of New Orleans and Springs in the Desert are partnering to offer a one-day retreat for women on Saturday, August 27 at St. Pius X Catholic Church. Wherever you are on the path of infertility, we invite you to join us for reflections on different aspects of the infertility experience, to receive encouragement and some practical suggestions for strengthening your relationship with God and your spouse, and to pray and share community with others on this same path. Saturday, August 27 - St. Pius X Catholic, New Orleans 9am until 3pm - Lunch and a light breakfast are provided Please join us for Mass at 8am in the Church Learn more and register at https://springsinthedesert.org/nola/It is our honor to walk with you!

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 retrouvaillenola@gmail.com

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

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, July 19, 5:30 p.m.

Pastoral Council Meeting

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

Saturday & Sunday, September 17 & 18

Catholic Communications Collection

Tuesday, September 20, 6:00 p.m.

Mass for State Convention of Priests

Tuesday, October 11, 5:30 p.m.

Pastoral Council Meeting

Thursday, October 13, 5:00 p.m.

Baptism Preparation Class

Saturday, October 15, 9:15 a.m.

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.

A. Duke Allen
Coco Gelpi Bendernagel
Gloria Albano Caldarera
Rena Cantrell
Rosalyn DiBartolo
Zachary Fowlkes
Beverly George
Sunny Johnson
McKord, Sumrall, Todd
& Pinner Families
BeBe Maestri
Jerry Mulkey
Vivian Perkins
Joyce Randolph

Jaia Randolph
Jamal Randolph
Gerard Randolph
Margeaux Randolph
Shirley Schnyder
Sheldon Strasner
Rosalyn Vance
Tevest Vance
Imelda Ward
Trent Washington
& Family
Patricia Wilson

Names appear for three months unless otherwise requested. To request that a name be included, please phone 529-1477.

IN MEMORY

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

Nageswary Mirtipati †

Francis Moises †

Herbert Nuttli †

Juliette Pugh †

Jan Reuther †

Fr. Leo Nicoll, S.J. †

Helen Belou Noto †

Christina Phomes †

William D. Postell, Jr. †

Connie Richardson †

Dorothy Romig †

Steve Slumber †

Dr. Robert Songy †

Timothy Turner †

Ralph Seals †

Rex Stem †

Ed Webb †

Bill Wessel †

Fr. Peter Rogers, S.J. †

Ann Marie Richards Ross †

Dr. Vincent Tumminello †

Joseph Angelico † Paul Augustin † Dwayne Barnes † Emily Becknell † Mitchell Berry † Matthew Blakenship † Spencer A. Bienvenu, Jr. † Laura Caldarera † Dr. Nicholas Campo † Sal Cannatella † Margie Clark † James J. Cooke, Jr. † Richard Davis † Daniel Deichmann † Fr. Joseph Doyle, S.S.J. † James E. Fitzmorris, Jr. † Louis Fortier † Louis Flattman † Patrick Gandolfi † Lois Gandolfi †

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Patrick Gandolfi †
Lois Gandolfi †
Cossette Theresa Harbison †
Rene Howard, Jr. †
Page Kelley †
John Laborde †
O.J. LaCour, Jr. †
Glenda Liuzza †

James J. Lynch III †

Mary Alice McKay †

Rev. Donald Martin. S.J. †

Henrietta Theresa Gaugis Martin †

Terrence Joseph McElveen †

The names of recently deceased appear on the list for twelve months. Please phone 529-1477 to request that a name be included.

HOLY FATHER'S JULY PRAYER INTENTION

For the elderly: We pray for the elderly who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look to the future with hope and responsibility.

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

Saturday, July 9

8:00 am Wayne Paul Haddad † 4:00 pm Carl Orgeron †

Christopher Vanderbrook †

Pat Power †

Jody Harper Waggenspack†

Sunday, July 10

8:00 am Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Nuttli † 9:30 am Intention of Celebrating Priest

11:00 am Mass for the People7:30 pm Juliette Pugh †

Drew Gerard Weinstein † Owen J. LaCour, Sr. †

Linda Razza

Monday, July 11

7:30 am Bill Wessel †
Noon Esther Pedesco†

Tuesday, July 12

7:30 am Matt Evans †
Noon Francis Moises †

Wednesday, July 13

7:30 am William J. Huhner † Noon Rev. Peter S. Rogers †

Thursday, July 14

7:30 am Ernie Simoneaux †

Noon Bill Ward †

Friday, July 15

7:30 am Beatrice Puccio Kettering †

Noon Francis Moises †

Saturday, July 16

8:00 am O.J. LaCour, Jr. † 4:00 pm Carl Orgeron †

Richard Vanderbrook †

Richard Vanderbroo Herbert Nuttli † Robert Wiswall†

WEDDING BANNS

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

July 23, 2022

Kara Bergen Johnson & Corey Christopher Gaconi

July 30, 2022

Aimee' Brien & Brennan Eschete

August 6, 2022

Lillian Wirth Faucheaux & Matthew Taylor Burger

August 13, 2022

Macie Coker & Taylor Billings

August 20, 2022

Emily Elizabeth Turner & Thomas Patrick Mallory

September 3, 2022

Natalie Fortune & Rhett Reynolds

COLLECTIONS (June 27-July 3, 2022)

This information was not available when the bulletin was printed. This information will appear in next week's bulletin.



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.