



Immaculate Conception
(Jesuit Church)

Scripture Readings

Genesis 14:18-20

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

Luke 9:11-17

Music

4:00 pm, 10:00 am & 7:30 pm

Gathering # 949 Alleluia! Sing to Jesus
(verses 1 & 3)

Psalm Response “You are a priest forever in the line of Melchizedek.”

Gifts Preparation # 914 At That First Eucharist

Communion # 951 This Is the Body of Christ

Recessional # 598 O God Beyond All Praising

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, 10:00 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:	9:30 am	Rosary
	7 pm	Adoration, Rosary, & Benediction
CHURCH TOURS	3:15 pm	Saturdays

WEEKLY REFLECTION

Political leaders take the opportunity afforded by an inaugural address to set forth the agenda for their leadership. Similarly, Pope Leo's sermon at his installation as pope presented his vision for the church and his service as its shepherd. I comment below on three lines from the sermon.

"Love and unity. These are the two dimensions of the mission entrusted to Peter by Jesus." Pope Leo referred to the Gospel read at the Mass in which the risen Jesus asked Peter three times, "Do you love me?" In response to Peter's affirmation of his love, Jesus commissioned him, "Feed my sheep." Jesus called Peter to be the shepherd despite his threefold denial. We are reminded of the truth that all of us are sinners who are called to do extraordinary things. It is only through the grace of God, which forgives and empowers us that we can respond to Christ's call. God's unconditional love for us can remove any barriers that would prevent us from responding to his call to self-sacrificial service. What Christ did for Peter is what he does for Pope Leo and for us. He brings forgiveness that empowers us in service.

"I would like that our first great desire be for a united church, a sign of unity and communion, which become leaven for a reconciled world." Divisions in the church have been with us from the beginning. Paul wrote to the Corinthians, "For it has been reported to me about you, my brothers, by Chloe's people, that there are rivalries among you." (1 Corinthians 1:11) The spirit of Jesus that brings unity is in constant conflict with the evil spirit that promotes "hatreds, rivalry, jealousy, outbursts of fury, acts of selfishness, dissensions, factions, and envy." (Galatians 5:20) The spirit of discord thrives where pride flourishes. Following the humble Christ does not mean we compromise the truth. Jesus met fierce resistance because he spoke the truth. The humility we should cultivate helps us resist the parts of our psyche that crave recognition, cling to rigid perfectionism, reject what is unfamiliar, and judge those whose experiences differ from ours. A united church is a humble church.

"For our part, we want to be a small leaven of unity, communion, and fraternity within the world." If the Church is to become such a leaven, each of us needs to be leaven within the Church. We must resolve to avoid the discord and pride that divides the Church. The church will bring harmony and peace to the world through Christ. We must follow his example of self-sacrifice and humility. The world suffers from hatred, violence, prejudice, and exploitation of the vulnerable. We cannot be leaven of change by ourselves. We need to grow in our relationship with Christ so that every day we grow as one who promotes unity rather than discord, forgiveness over anger and resentment, and joy over discouragement and depression.

Let us pray for Pope Leo. May he be empowered to bring greater harmony to the Church. May his leadership on the world stage promote peace and justice. May the example of his humility inspire us to greater self-sacrifice for the good of others.

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 10:00 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."

MASS CELEBRANTS

Saturday, June 21

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

Sunday, June 22

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

10:00 a.m. Fr. McGinn, S.J.

7:30 p.m. Fr. Gros, S.J.

Saturday, June 28

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

Sunday, June 29

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

10:00 a.m. Fr. Gros, S.J.

7:30 p.m. Fr. Brown, S.J.

CHURCH TOURS

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.

The church's high altar was designed by architect James Freret, who was one of the first two graduates of Jesuit High School. The altar was built in Lyons, France, and dedicated on December 8, 1873, 150 years ago. The first Jesuits in New Orleans emigrated from Lyons in 1847.



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.

PRAY FOR PEACE

NEWS FROM AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

FIVE-DAY SILENT DIRECTED RETREAT SPONSORED BY THE ARCHDIOCESEAN SPIRITUALITY CENTER

Come to a Directed Retreat. A directed retreat is a completely silent retreat. Each retreatant meets daily with a spiritual director, is given scripture to pray with and spends the rest of the day in silence, prayer and rest. Through scripture and reflection under the daily guidance of the Spiritual Director, the retreatant will become more aware of God's presence and action in their life. Held at the Cenacle on the Lake, 5500 St. Mary Street Metairie, LA 70006, **Begins: Thursday, July 24, 4:00pm, and Ends: Wednesday, July 30, after breakfast.** Sponsored by the Archdiocesan Spirituality Center. Register on the web: <https://nolacatholic.org/registration>, or Telephone (504) 861-3254. Cost \$500. Deposit \$100.

PETER'S PENCE

The Peter's Pence collection is a gesture of solidarity through which every member of the faithful can participate in the activity of the Pope as Pastor of the universal Church. "The faithful's offerings to the Holy Father through the Peter's Pence Collection are destined to Church needs, to humanitarian initiatives and social promotion projects, as well as to the support of the Holy See." The collection will be taken up in our archdiocese on the weekend of **June 28-29, 2025.**

SPRINGS IN THE DESERT RESOURCES FOR COUPLES STRUGGLING WITH INFERTILITY

For Catholics struggling with infertility and pregnancy loss, Mother's Day can be hard – but there is hope and healing in community! Springs in the Desert, a Catholic ministry that accompanies these women and couples by offering them a place of respite and solidarity where they can know God's love for them and discover. If you would like to learn more about this ministry and its virtual and in-person events, encouraging blog posts, podcast episodes, and more, please contact the Office of Marriage & Family Life at 504-861-6243 or mfl@arch-no.org.

ANNUAL FOURTH OF JULY CONCERT

Sarah Jane McMahon, an acclaimed soprano soloist, will headline "American Music through the Decades," a Fourth of July Concert on **Sunday, July 6, 2025**, at 3:00 pm at St. Francis Xavier Church, 444 Metairie Rd., Metairie, LA. The Concert will feature patriotic music and popular America music from the 50s and 60s. Sarah Jane will be joined by soloist and accompanist, Linden Uter, the Music Director of St. Francis Xavier Church. Admission is free. A Good Will Offering will be taken. The KCs of St. Francis Xavier will serve free hot dogs from 1:15 – 2:30 pm in the air-conditioned gym. For further info, call the Church at 504-834-0340.

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PARISH NEWS

ARE YOU OVER 50 YEARS?

Are you retired or finished raising your family? Do you have time on your hands and feel you have more to give? How about giving back, enriching your spiritual life and building community with other mature adults doing the same? Take a look at the Ignatian Volunteer Corps (IVC). Through IVC you can make a difference in our metro area while living out the values of St. Ignatius. As a member of IVC you will serve the poor and marginalized while participating in spiritual formation in a community of peers who share a commitment to service. Interested? For more details see our website www.icvusa.org/NewOrleans or contact Becky Goff at bgoff@icvusa.org.



**MANRESA HOUSE OF RETREATS
IGNATIAN PILGRIMAGE
OCTOBER 7-17, 2025**

Manresa House of Retreats is sponsoring an Ignatian Pilgrimage to the important sites of Ignatius Loyola in Spain and in Rome. The Ignatian Pilgrimage is scheduled for October 7-17. The cost is approximately \$4,800 per person, double occupancy. The cost includes airfare, hotel accommodations, transportation, and two meals a day. You will have an opportunity to go through the Jubilee Doors at St. Peter's.

Go to the following link:

<https://www.catholicjourneys.com/tour/st-ignatius-pilgrimage>

Once on that site scroll down the October dates (October 7-17) and click in column on the bottom right where it says: "Book Here." By clicking "Book Here" you are not obligated to go on the trip, but you will be able to check out the details of the pilgrimage. It will take you to a password protected page. The password is "Manresa." If you have question email Br. Larry Huck at bro-hucksj@gmail.com.

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS**Saturday & Sunday, June 28 & 29**

Peter's Pence Collection

Saturday & Sunday, July 5 & 6

Mission Appeal

Tuesday, July 8, 5:30 p.m.

Pastoral Council Meeting

Thursday, July 10, 5:00 p.m.

Baptism Preparation Class

Saturday, July 19, 8:45 a.m.

Respect Life prayer at Clinic 4636 S. Claiborne

Saturday & Sunday, July 19 & 20

Black and Indian Missions Collection

Wednesday, August 6, 12:30 p.m.

Parish Finance Council Meeting

Saturday & Sunday, August 9 & 10

Catholic Relief Services Collection

Thursday, August 14, 4:45 p.m.

Baptism Preparation Class

Thursday, August 14

5:15 p.m. Vigil Mass for the Assumption

Friday, August 15 Feast of the Assumption

Masses at 7:30 a.m., noon, and 4:15 p.m.

Saturday, August 16, 8:45 p.m.

Respect Life prayer at Clinic 4636 S. Claiborne

Saturday & Sunday, August 23 & 24

Liturgical Music Fund Collection

Thursday, September 4, 5:00 p.m.

Baptism Preparation Class

Saturday, September 20, 8:45 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.

Mickey Joey Bruce, Jr.	Bill Pope	Trent Washington
Rena Cantrell	Mickey Pugh	& Family
Veronica Davis	Gerard Randolph	Harold Werling
Rosalyn DeBartolo	& Family	Lisa Werling
Elinne Dison	Joyce Randolph	Patricia Wilson
Beverly George	Kate Brechtel Ryan	Survivors of the fire in
Irma Jimenez	Shirley Schnyder	North Macedonia
Ryan Jupiter, MD	Sumrall Family	
Andrew Kareen	Janette, Joseph, &	<i>Names appear for</i>
Charlotte LeJeune	Carl Todd	<i>three months unless</i>
Kent Lilledahl	Tevest Vance	<i>otherwise requested.</i>
Michael Lulich	Angelle B. Wagner	<i>To request that a</i>
John McCurdy	Virgie Walker	<i>name be included,</i>
McKord, Sumrall, Todd	Imelda Ward	<i>please phone</i>
& Pinner Families		<i>529-1477.</i>

IN MEMORY

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

Sr. Ruth Angelette, O.P. †	Yvonne Bebe Maestri †
Aline Hebert Barker †	Linda Venus Mayer †
Sheldon "Skip" Brechtel †	Johnny McCrossen †
Brandon Butera †	Ruth McKinnis †
Grace Battiste Butler †	Michael A. Melton †
Gloria Albano Caldarera †	Frank Misuraca †
Emile Angelo Carmouch †	Salvador Mule' †
Katherine Casey †	Kathryn Neilson †
Taylor Casey †	Brian North †
Jacquelyn B. Clarkson †	Frank Perry †
John Combe †	Janet Pesce †
Patrice Cook †	Milton Retif †
Dierdra "Dede" Dardis †	Sidonie Schmidt †
Edward Davis †	Sheldon Strasner †
Roberto Diaz †	Frances Dee Tarantino †
Milton Duckert †	Sheryl Anne Thornton †
Pat Ellis †	The 59 victims of a fire in
Brian Fabregas †	Kocani, North Macedonia †
Marie Giorlando †	
Philip Henriquez †	<i>The names of recently deceased</i>
Fr. Thomas Hoffman, S.J. †	<i>appear on the list for twelve</i>
Ronald Karcher †	<i>months.</i>
Zena Ophelia Kiper †	<i>Please phone 529-1477 to re-</i>
William B. Kitchen †	<i>quest that a name be included.</i>
Leslie Lange †	
Grace Lemieux †	
Gloria Schexnayder Lewis †	

HOLY FATHER'S JUNE INTENTION

That the world might grow in compassion

Let us pray that each one of us might find consolation in a personal relationship with Jesus, and from his heart, learn to have compassion on the world

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

Saturday, June 21

8:00 am Greg Faia †
4:00 pm Richard Vanderbrook †
Carl Orgeron †
Robert Holstein †
Lyle Panepinto †

Sunday, June 22

8:00 am Jerry Edmonds †
Stephen Barry Verloin DeGruy †
Emma Scheuermann †
Patrick Briggs †
10:00am Mass for the People
7:30 pm Owen J. LaCour, Sr. †

Monday, June 23

7:30 am All Souls †
Noon Joyce Helmstetter †

Tuesday, June 24

7:30 am Byron "Red" Adams †
noon Richard Kuntz †

Wednesday, June 25

7:30 am Rosemary Gennaro †
noon Susan Griffin †

Thursday, June 26

7:00 am Gloria Mae Betts Malry †
noon Mary Ann Taffaro †

Friday, June 27

7:30 am Joseph Michael Cheri †
Noon Deidra "DeDe" Dardis †

Saturday, June 28

8:00 am Raymond Hoffmann †
4:00 pm Christopher Vanderbrook †
Carl Orgeron †
Audrey Holsman †
Peter Richard †

WEDDING BANNS

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

June 28, 2025

Anna Alessi Mermilliod & Samuel Morgan Rea
Taylor Sylvester & Kevin Paul Mangum

July 12, 2025

Gabrielle Alyse Bella & Steven Anthony Hathoot

July 19, 2025

Chole Denham & Stephen Haworth

August 2, 2025

Breck Gilmer & Samuel Scott Delmer, Jr.

COLLECTIONS (June 2-8, 2025)

Sunday: \$8,775.00

Weekdays: \$390.00

Ministry to the Poor: \$952.00

COLLECTIONS (June 9-15, 2025)

Sunday: \$6,070.00

Weekdays: \$689.00

Ministry to the Poor: \$141.00

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 208 O'Keefe

The new management of the parking garage at 208 O'Keefe has installed a new system for payment. Instead of using pre-paid cards, you will enter a one-time code on the Premium Parking app. Details are available on the website www.jesuitchurch.net and on the parish Facebook page *Immaculate Conception Jesuit Church*.

Upon entering the garage, please enter the six-digit code and your license plate number in the Premium Parking app. You may park for 120 minutes.

The parish will provide special codes for parishioners at the previous rate of \$2.00.

THE CODES ARE VALID ONLY DURING WEEKEND MASS TIMES.