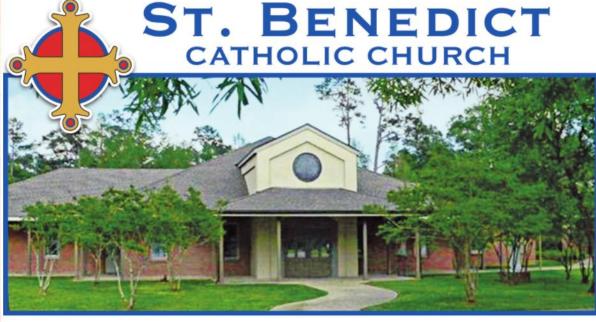
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# MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil 5:30 pm Sunday 8:00 & 10:30 am Tuesday-Friday 8:00 am

# RECONCILIATION

5:00-6:00 pm Wednesday Saturday 4:00-5:00 pm

## **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

**Fridays** 8:30-9:30 am First Friday 7:00-8:00 pm

# **ROSARY FOR PEACE**

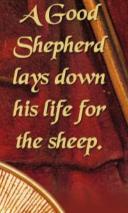
Third Thursday 7:00 pm

MARRIAGE Please contact the church office at least six (6) months prior to the desired date of the

**SACRAMENT OF THE SICK** Any Catholic who is in danger due to age or health, or undergoing medical procedures and feels the need for the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick, please contact Father Charles. It is the parish's custom to do anointings during the daily Mass, but they can also be administered privately. For emergencies, call the parish office 892-5202 and follow the prompt for emergencies.

# **BAPTISM** Please email Deacon Danny

dmusso@arch-no.org or contact the office to begin preparations. Seminars are held on the last Monday of the month, 7:00 p.m.



### MISSION STATEMENT

Guided by the Gospel, strengthened by the Eucharist, and inspired by Benedictine values, the mission of St. Benedict Catholic Church is to be a vibrant family of believers, worshipping God with joy, excitement, and reverence. Forming the Body of Christ and acting upon our faith in Jesus, we strive to spread the Good News by engaging in ministries of hospitality, hope, education, spirituality, and social justice to each other and those beyond our community.





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May 7, 2022

To all Clergy, Religious, and Laity of the Archdiocese of New Orleans:

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ.

As you know, the respect for human life, especially for our sisters and brothers in the womb, is of the utmost concern for Catholics in the Archdiocese of New Orleans. At the same time, caring for the less fortunate, including pregnant mothers in need, is integral to living out the "Gospel of Life".

This summer, we expect the U.S. Supreme Court to issue a decision in the abortion-related case Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health that could alter or even overturn Roe v. Wade. This decision could allow Louisiana, through existing state laws, to protect the lives of more unborn babies. Please join me in prayer for the Supreme Court and the Justices. Lord, please grant them discernment, courage, and strength to make wise decisions that safeguard the rights of the least among us.

Regardless of the decision, the Archdiocese of New Orleans stands with open arms to help mothers in crisis pregnancies. Our pro-life commitment includes loving both the baby and the mom.

Through Catholic Charities Pregnancy Services, St. Vincent Maternity Clinic, Adoption Services, the Woman's New Life Center, and other ministries, we provide a wide variety of free, confidential, and caring pregnancy and parenting assistance services. In addition, many other public and private agencies in the area offer services to help mothers and families in need.

I look forward to a day when the legal right to human life is restored in Louisiana. Let us continue to pray and work for a greater respect for the dignity of life, especially for the unborn, and to support every mother and family in need.

Wishing you God's blessing and asking you to join me in prayer, I am

Sincerely in Christ,

Most Reverend Gregory M. Aymond Archbishop of New Orleans





Tuesday, May 10 Dan & Ina Berlin

Wednesday, May 11 +Brendan Fitzsimmons

**Thursday, May 12** Brendan Fitzsimmons

Friday, May 13
Brendan Fitzsimmons

Saturday, May 14 5:30 p.m.

+Donald Naquin, Patrick Rapp, Harry & Delta LeBlanc, +Tom Norton, +Jerry Luke, Christine Davis, John DeSilva, +Anne Hills, Christian Fortner, Dave Buquoi, +Poor Souls, +Kevin Sullivan, Vivian LeBlanc

> Sunday, May 15 8:00 a.m. Parishioners of Saint Benedict 10:30 a.m.

+Kris Rotolo, +Juliane Rollman, +Phillip E. Lee, Jr., +Mitchie Welch, Gail Boudreaux, Vivian LeBlanc, +Elmira DeRocha

# Happening this Week

# Monday, May 9

KC Choir Practice 6:30 p.m.

# Wednesday, May 11

Lunch Ministry Resumes at 8:45 a.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation available, 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. Knights of Columbus Meeting 6:30 p.m.

# Thursday, May 12

Men's Club Meeting 7:00 p.m.

# Friday, May 13

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, 8:30-9:30 a.m. Blanket Ministry 10:00 a.m.

# Saturday, May 14

Sacrament of Reconciliation available, 4:00 to 5 p.m.



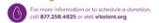
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Mass Attendance: 603
Building Fund on Deposit: \$396,418



# Prayer List



Deacon Nelvin Luke, Jim Seward, Anthony Sorrentino, Dee Sylvia, Earline Todd, Hunter Wagner, Julie Wagner, Tina Zocco, Clara Armstrong, Dr. Jerry Casey, Lisa Valley, Scott Lee, Carol Everhardt, Bennett Miller, Joanne Leber, Anna Isone, Gerardo Antonucci, Presley Patrick, Kaiden Lessard, Jennifer Bradley, Derek Feske, Fred and Lynne Guillot, Ryan Ware, Lois Seals, Billie Chiasson, Timothy Rollman, Vivian LeBlanc, Michael Duran, Donna McFatter, Angela Brady, Jackie Catalanotto, Jean Kelt, Judy Woolley, Joseph Candilora, John DeSilva, Phillip E. Lee, Sr., Gloria Nordman, Jan Nordman



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