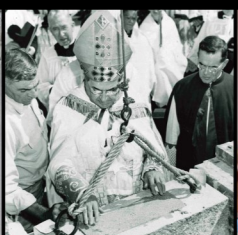




SAINT RITA CATHOLIC CHURCH NEW ORLEANS

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No one has greater love than this,
to lay down one's life for one's friends.

JOHN 15:13

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MAY 9, 2021

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MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Schedule

Mon-Fri: 7:00am

Sat: 8:00am

Sunday Schedule

Sat: 4:00pm

Sun: 7:00am, 10:30am,
5:00pm

RECONCILIATION

Mon-Fri: 6:30am

Sat: 7:30am

Sat: 3:00pm, Sun: 4:00pm
Or Upon Request

CHURCH OPEN

Mon-Fri: 6:00am-6:00pm

ST. RITA PARISH OFFICE

Monday-Thursday

8:00am-2:00pm

2729 Lowerline St.

New Orleans, LA



REGISTER



WORSHIP



SATURDAY, MAY 8

4:00 p.m. Charles Gallmann, Lauren Tyler Read, Alex Tilmans, Tiffany & Randy Ryan, Fred Amman, Joe & Shirley Pavur, Jennie Macior, Florence & Herman Folse, Ralph McCormick

SUNDAY, MAY 9

7:00 a.m. For All Parishioners
10:30 a.m. Bobbeye Lewis, Zacchaeia Prosper, Sybil Prosper, Beverly Dufrechou, Patrick Kearney, Anne Thomas, Gladys Mussiett, Helena Bisio, Anna Doré, Ken LaPrairie, Thanksgiving for all Donors to Catholic Charities

5:00 p.m. St. Rita School Scholars, Faculty, and Their Families

MONDAY, MAY 10

7:00 a.m. For a Special Intention

TUESDAY, MAY 11

7:00 a.m. In Thanksgiving for all Donors to Catholic Charities

WEDNESDAY, MAY 12

7:00 a.m. For Deceased Interred in Archdiocesan Cemeteries

THURSDAY, MAY 13

7:00 a.m. For All Souls in Purgatory

FRIDAY, MAY 14

7:00 a.m. Francis Kelley

SATURDAY, MAY 15

8:00 a.m. St. Rita School Scholars, Faculty, and Their Families

Readings of the Week

Monday: Acts 16:11-15; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b;
Jn 15:26 — 16:4a

Tuesday: Acts 16:22-34; Ps 138:1-3, 7c-8;
Jn 16:5-11

Wednesday: Acts 17:15, 22 — 18:1; Ps 148:1-2,
11-14; Jn 16:12-15

Thursday: Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 [1-7, 11-13]; Mk 16:15-20 (for Ascension); otherwise Acts 18:1-8; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 16:16-20

Friday: Acts 1:15-17, 20-26; Ps 113:1-8;
Jn 15:9-17

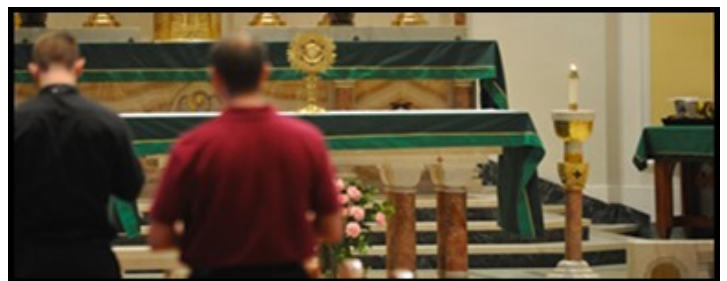
Saturday: Acts 18:23-28; Ps 47:2-3, 8-10;
Jn 16:23b-28

Sunday: Acts 1:15-17, 20a, 20c-26; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20; 1 Jn 4:11-16; Jn 17:11b-19; or, for Ascension, Acts 1:1-11; Ps 47:2-3, 6-9; Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 [1-7, 11-13]; Mk 16:15-20

Weekly Collection

May 2, 2021

Weekly	\$4,958.40
Online Giving	\$2,494.93
Building & Maintenance	\$1,232.00



Vocation Chalice Prayers

Seminarians

David Herrera, Elijah Thomson
Joseph Odongo, Andrew Smith

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GIVE ONLINE

Register to support St. Rita.





Fr. Patrick Carr



St. Rita Catholic Church

Statement of Activity

For the Nine Months Ending March 31, 2021

Expenses			
Personnel Costs		Campus Upkeep	
Pastor	15,449	Maintenance & Supplies	28,932
Administrative & Janitorial	50,171	Insurance	37,301
Ministry	<u>35,096</u>	Utilities	<u>36,026</u>
	<u>100,716</u>		<u>102,259</u>
Staff Compensation & Benefits		Ministry	
Health Insurance Costs	16,752	Social Welfare	9,974
Payroll Taxes	7,647	School Support	<u>16,711</u>
Auto & Business Expenses	4,500		<u>26,685</u>
Retirement Expense	<u>8,656</u>	Archdiocesan Support	<u>41,905</u>
	<u>37,555</u>	Total Expenses	\$ <u>341,244</u>
Church and Office Operations			
Church & Office	29,491	Income	
Household	<u>2,633</u>	Ordinary Church Income	\$ 219,326
	<u>32,124</u>	Masses, Donations, and Other	67,810
	<u>102,259</u>	Rents and Royalties	79,342
		Building & Maintenance Fund	<u>16,333</u>
		Total Income	\$ <u>382,811</u>
		Net Income	\$ <u>41,567</u>

Thank you for all your support!



The Sunday
obligation to attend
Mass is restored
effective
June 6, 2021



Celebrating in May



BIRTHDAY

Vincent Buchert 5/2
Elise Hieger 5/3

Karen O'Brien 5/14
Margaret Mary Sewell 5/15
Sr. Mac Paisant 5/16
Joseph Perra 5/19

Kylori Washington 5/4
Karen Vanoni 5/4
Katie Jouty 5/5
Cecilia Nervez 5/5
Jackson Delany 5/6
Tiffany Ryan 5/6
Catherine Ketchens 5/7
Randal Patterson 5/7
Tom Ryan 5/7
Claire Walsh 5/9
Davin Barthelemy 5/10
Jade Barthelemy 5/12
Patricia Girtley 5/12
Ava Fortin 5/13
Jackie Harris 5/13
Evie McCabe 5/13
Yvonne Bayhi 5/14
Marie Foret 5/14
Vicky Lee 5/14
Chris McCabe 5/14
Michael Sewell 5/19
Alex Sewell 5/19
Sandy Whann 5/19
Neil Rogers 5/20
Arthur Ross 5/20
Madrona DeMarais 5/21
Mariam Torre
Madelyn Buchert 5/23
Coty Magnuson 5/25
Leena O'Hara 5/25
John Gallagher 5/28
Nicolas Foley 5/28
William McCormick 5/28
Marie Spansel 5/28
Adelie Elson 5/29
Richie Foley 5/29
Alana Terrence 5/30
Michael Warren 5/30
Grant Jones 5/31
ANNIVERSARY
John & June Ramoneda 5/3
Guylan & Rona Sanders 5/11
Hank & Colleen Nusloch 5/13
Leon & Bernadette Jackson 5/19
Michael & Laura McCormick 5/22



Two-Week Calendar

May 9

May Crowning of the Blessed Mother

Mass

7am

Bible Study

9am

Mass

10:30am

Jubilarian Mass

3pm

Confession

4pm

Mass

5pm

10

Mass

7am

11

Mass

7am

12

Mass

7am

School Mass

2:30pm

School of

Community

7pm

13

Mass

7am

Blood Drive

3pm

Praise &

Worship

6pm

14

Mass

7am

15

Mass

8am

Confession

3pm

Mass

4pm

16

Mass

7am

Bible Study

9am

Mass

10:30am

Confession

4pm

Mass

5pm

17

Mass

7am

18

Mass

7am

19

Mass

7am

School of

Community

7pm

20

Mass

7am

21

Mass

7am

22

Mass

8am

Confession

3pm

Mass

4pm



After completion of our Moreau Center renovations earlier this year, the amount remaining from our #iGiveCatholic Campaign was **\$3,147**. These monies were used to purchase a brand new steel sign for the front of church! Installed last weekend, this update will help communicate our schedule to the thousands of folks who pass by our little island off Broad Place and Pine Street each week. This new sign will soon be joined by a matching one on Lowerline Street to better mark the entrance to the Parish Office. Thank you for your continued generosity to St. Rita. It sure is nice to see some new 'signs' of growth!





Blood drive on behalf of St. Rita's student
7 year old Abron Frye
battling Tcell Lymphoblastic Leukemia
Son of Abiram Frye Sr. & Misty Frye
Brother to Abiram Jr., Abria and Abrian



Date: Thursday, May 13, 2021

Time: 3 pm to 7 pm

Place: Moreau Center/Saint Rita School Goal: 35 donations

All blood donations are being tested for COVID-19 antibodies

No waiting period after receiving vaccine



To practice social distancing appointments
are needed. Scan QR with phone's camera
app. Appointment link then at top of screen

Speed up your donation by filling out your medical questionnaire using FastLane before you arrive!



THE BLOOD CENTER
Serving you for life!



Complete FastLane questions the
DAY OF your donation to save time.
Scan QR code with your phone's
camera to open link to FastLane

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Treasures

FROM OUR TRADITION



Just as the origins of Lent have to do with accompanying people in the final stages of preparation for baptism at Eastertime, so does the structure of the Easter season help the newly received Catholics take root in the community. This is the season of "mystagogy," which means "reflection on the mysteries." This means that new Catholics are remembering the sacraments by which they become one with us, and are sorting out the implications for their everyday life. They can understand the excitement of Cornelius and his family in the first reading, filled with the Holy Spirit, and so eager to begin their new life that they overwhelm St. Peter. The second reading and the Gospel today likewise help our new brothers and sisters explore their new life as an experience of God's tender love.

Long ago, our tradition named these newly baptized adults and children the "neophytes," from Greek words meaning "newly planted." Newly planted in the garden of faith, they look to us to provide the fertile soil in which their new life can take root and grow. You can help. If you have "neophytes" in your parish, a card or note of welcome, or warm words of congratulation, are still timely. It's Easter!

- Rev. James Field, © J.S.Paluch Co.



With the conclusion of another school year at NDS, we also see a pause in our Daily Adoration Schedule. Until September, St. Rita Parish **will not have** Daily Adoration in the mornings and evenings.

However, our St. Rita Young Adults will continue to host Praise & Worship on the 2nd Thursday of each month, with their next holy hour being this Thursday, **5/13 at 6pm**. All are welcome.

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