

UPCOMING EVENTS

St. Martha and Infant Jesus

- Sept. 1 (IJ) Rosary 9:00 a.m.
- Sept. 3 (SM & IJ) Labor Day (Office Closed)
- Sept. 4 (IJ) Gold Agers 2:00 p.m.
- Sept. 5 (SM) Bible Study 9:30 a.m. (PO)
- Sept. 5 (SM) Baptism Seminar 7:00 (PO)
- Sept. 7 (SM) Adoration 8:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. (Chapel)
- Sept. 9 (SM & IJ) Children’s Liturgy Begins
- Sept. 10 (SM) Justice & Life Ministry 6:30 p.m. (PH)
- Sept. 12 (SM) Bible Study 9:30 a.m. (PO)
- Sept. 12 (SM) Confession 5:00-6:30 p.m.
- Sept. 12 (IJ) Catholic Charismatic Renewal WB 7:30 p.m.
- Sept. 17 (SM) Bible Study 6:00 p.m. (PO)
- Sept. 19 (SM) Bible Study 9:30 a.m. (PO)

PO = Parish Office PH = Parish Hall

CONFESSION

Fr. Lich will be available to hear confessions at St. Martha on Wednesday, September 12th from 5:00 to 6:30 p.m.

JUSTICE & LIFE NEWS

Peace Prayer Walk

St. Cletus
Tuesday, Sept. 4, 2018
3600 Claire Ave., Gretna
6pm

No walk if there is inclement weather

Save the Date: Jazzed for Life, Pro-Life Event

Saturday, Sept. 20, 2018
FREE and open to all

Register at: <https://respectlife.arch-no.org/jazzed-for-life>

ROSARIES NEEDED FOR HEALTHCARE

Rosaries are needed for patients in healthcare facilities. We need rosaries that are made of either rope-like twine or plastic. We are unable to use the ones that have any metal parts as they have a tendency to tear the skin of some patients. If you can donate any of the needed rosaries, please send them to:
Deacon Jeff Tully / 1000 Howard Ave. / New Orleans 70113
The rosaries are given to Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, deacons and priest who visit patients in healthcare facilities. Many thanks!



PRAYER FOR PROTECTION AGAINST STORMS AND HURRICANES

Our Father in Heaven through the intercession of Our Lady of Prompt Succor, spare us during this Hurricane season from all harm. Protect us and our homes from all disasters of nature. Our Lady of Prompt Succor, hasten to help us. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Our Lady of Prompt Succor,
Hasten to Help Us**

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

“Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound”



Attention: Parents of children attending Kindergarten through third grade!

**Start Date for Children’s Liturgy at St. Martha and Infant Jesus:
Sunday, Sept 9, 2018 - All Morning Masses**

What is Children’s Liturgy?

Liturgy of the Word for Children is a program in which the Sunday scripture readings are proclaimed and explained on a level appropriate to children attending Kindergarten through Third grade. Our Children’s Liturgy takes place at the 8:30 and 10:30 am Mass on Sunday Mornings at St. Martha and 10:00 am Mass at Infant Jesus of Prague.

This program begins in September and ends in May. Any child in this age group may participate. Registration is necessary and a form will be given to the children at their first class and it must be returned in order to attend Children’s Liturgy. All Children’s Liturgy Catechists have safe environment training and background checks as required by the Archdiocese of New Orleans.

Children’ Liturgy Program

Before every Sunday morning Mass an announcement is made to meet our Children’s Liturgy Catechist in the back of the church to be escorted to our Children’s Liturgy Room. After a welcome and prayer, the children are read the Sunday Gospel and given an activity worksheet to help them understand. Following a closing prayer, our usher will let the catechist know when it’s time to return to Mass. The children will return to Mass and participate in the Presentation of the Gifts before returning to their seat with their parents.

Mrs. Louise Frederick, PSR



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22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

POPE FRANCIS' SEPTEMBER PRAYER INTENTION

Universal – Young People in Africa

That young people in Africa may have access to education and work in their own countries.

MASS INTENTIONS

- Sat. Sept. 1 4:00 Infant Jesus**
Anthony & Lena Peperone, Ray Vegas, Rodriguez & Strohmeier Families, Evelyn Manuel, Amy Bairnsfather, Philip J., Philip D., & Michael Saladino, Josie & Bill Peperone, Eugene Blanchard, Jr., James DeSalvo, Gerald & Theresa Causin, Vincent & Santa Saladino, Frank S. Romano, Sr., Allain & Comeaux Families, Margaret Ann Murray
- Sat. Sept. 1 5:30 St. Martha**
John Bergeron, Sandrus Baudoin, Mary Martin, Josef Tuan Tran, Rosie & Harold Clark, & Our Bulletin Sponsor: Wynhoven Healthcare Center
- Sun. Sept. 2 8:30 St. Martha**
Parishioners
- Sun. Sept. 2 10:00 Infant Jesus**
Hernandez Family
- Sun. Sept. 2 10:30 St. Martha**
Tyrell T. Manieri, Sr., Roland Lucas, Jr., Patrice Bulger, Randall Oddo, Malcolm Bonseigneur & Our Bulletin Sponsor: Wynhoven Healthcare Center
- Mon. Sept. 3 8:00 Infant Jesus** LeRoy St. Romain
Tues. Sept. 4 8:00 St. Martha Special Intentions
- Wed. Sept. 5 8:00 Infant Jesus** The Holy Souls in Purgatory
Thurs. Sept. 6 8:00 St. Martha The Holy Souls in Purgatory
Fri. Sept. 7 8:00 St. Martha World Peace
- Sat. Sept. 8 4:00 Infant Jesus**
Ray Vegas, Evelyn, Rene, Victoria & Shelby Manuel, Eugene Blanchard, Jr., James DeSalvo, Rita Landry, Deceased Members & Spouses of the Widows/Widowers Group, Vincent & Santa Saladino, Allain & Comeaux Families, Margaret Ann Murray, LeRoy St. Romain
- Sat. Sept. 8 5:30 St. Martha**
John Bergeron, Sandrus Baudoin, Mary Martin, Maria Hoang Dan Phuong, Joseph Tuan Tran, Anthony Nguyen Van Tinh, Ana Maria Nguyen Thi May, Joseph Vu Van Dam, Ana Nguyen Thi Man & Our Bulletin Sponsor: Louise Frederick, Real Estate Consultant- Keller Williams, Parishioner
- Sun. Sept. 9 8:30 St. Martha**
Parishioners
- Sun. Sept. 9 10:00 Infant Jesus**
Hernandez Family
- Sun. Sept. 9 10:30 St. Martha**
Al Delger, Roland Lucas, Jr., Patrice Bulger, Al Diaz & Our Bulletin Sponsor: Louise Frederick, Real Estate Consultant- Keller Williams, Parishioner
- Mon. Sept. 10 8:00 Infant Jesus** For the Sick
Tues. Sept. 11 8:00 St. Martha All Priests
Wed. Sept. 12 8:00 Infant Jesus For the Holy Souls in Purgatory
Thurs. Sept. 13 8:00 St. Martha World Peace
Fri. Sept. 14 8:00 St. Martha Our Military

DECEASED

Infant Jesus

In your masses and prayers, please remember **Norris Leonard**. Remember also those who mourn him.

NOTRE DAME SEMINARY LAY ENRICHMENT SERIES

Notre Dame Seminary will host a Lay Enrichment Series this fall in order for lay men and women to continue their faith formation. Expert speakers will help you grow in your understanding of the Faith and move into a more mature and informed relationship with the Lord. For more information or to register, please visit www.nds.edu/les or contact the Lay Programs Office by email at maoffice@nds.edu or by phone 504.866.7426 ext. 742.



FLOWERS

Infant Jesus

Week of Sept. 9 The flowers have been donated by the **Widows/Widowers Group** in memory of their **deceased members & spouses**.

St. Martha

Week of Sept. 2 The flowers have been donated by Terry Maneri in memory of **Tyrell Manieri, Sr.**

Week of Sept. 9 The flowers have been donated by Marina Reed in memory of **Mariela Gonzalez**.



SANCTUARY LIGHT

Infant Jesus

The Sanctuary Light will burn the week of **Sept. 2** in memory of **Audrey & Gertrude Monjure** **Sept. 9** in memory of **Audrey & Gertrude Monjure**

VOCATION CROSS

Infant Jesus

Sept. 1 4:00 p.m. Mass **Marilyn Coleman**
Sept. 9 10:00 a.m. Mass **Jeannette Clark**

WEEKLY COLLECTION

	St. Martha	Infant Jesus
Aug. 12 Weekly	\$5,052.00	\$ 858.00
Aug. 19 Weekly	\$4,752.00	\$1,263.00

Thank you for your continued support!