

# NolaCatholic e-Bulletin



ARCHDIOCESE OF  
**NEW ORLEANS**

**June 28, 2017**

## SECTION I

### A MESSAGE FROM THE ARCHBISHOP

#### Official Appointment

Reverend Lance Campo, as a member of the Notre Dame Seminary faculty and formation staff, effective July 1, 2017.

Reverend Patrick Wattigny as President of St. Pope John Paul II High School, while remaining pastor of St. Luke, Slidell. Fr. Wattigny is relieved of his responsibility as chaplain of the school in order to fulfill his ministry as President. This is effective July 1, 2017.

#### Announcements

- The Clarion Herald won eight awards at the 2017 Catholic Media Conference in Quebec City, including honorable mention for “Newspaper of the Year” in the largest circulation category. Beth Donze won third place for best reporting on a sacramental celebration (the transitional diaconate ordination) and honorable mentions for best personality profile (Regina Matrum winner Gail Dagle) and best reporting on vocations (a 500-mile walking pilgrimage by Dominican Father Thomas Schaeffgen). Honorable mentions were received by Peter Finney Jr. for best general commentary newspaper column and by Christine Bordelon for local newswriting (Steve Gleason’s faith talk). Art director Lloyd Robichaux also won two advertising design awards. Well done and congratulations to Peter Finney, Jr. and his excellent staff.
- A Mass will be celebrated for the opening of the Chapel at St. Anthony Garden, 601 Holy Trinity Drive, Covington, on Thursday, June 29, 2017, at 10:00 AM.
- I will be away most of July for meetings, retreat, and vacation. My schedule is as follows:

June 30-July 4	USCCB Convocation in Orlando, FL
July 5– July 6	Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C.
July 6– July 9	National Black Catholic Conference in Orlando, FL
July 10-July 25	Retreat and Vacation

During this time my access to phone calls, mail, and e-mail will be limited, especially July 10th -25th. You remain in my prayers during this time of meetings and solitude.

- The Administrative Offices of the Archdiocese will be closed on Tuesday, July 4, 2017, in observance of Independence Day.
- July 11th is the Feast of St. Benedict. Happy Feast Day to Abbot Justin and the monks of St. Joseph Abbey. They will also celebrate the completion of the repairs to the monastery as a result of the flood in 2016.
- Please include in the Prayers of the Faithful for the duration of the hurricane season: “That through the intercession of Our Lady of Prompt Succor we will be spared damage to life and property during the hurricane season.”
- Please note the dates of the Priests Convocation/Louisiana Priests Convention on September 19-21, 2017. All diocesan priests and religious pastors are expected to participate.

This bulletin is also available on the Archdiocesan website, [www.arch-no.org](http://www.arch-no.org), or [www.nolacatholic.org](http://www.nolacatholic.org)

Office of Justice and Peace looking for Parishes to Host Peace Prayer Walks During 2018

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Glory and Praise Books Available

*Impelled by Christ's call and inspired by the Holy Spirit through the work of the Ninth General Synod, the ministries of the Archdiocese of New Orleans, in union with the Archbishop and with one another, serve the people of the parishes, schools and organizations of the archdiocese in enabling them to encounter Jesus and to witness with joy.*

### Death

Deacon Paul Mumme died Sunday, June 25, 2017, at the age of 80. He was ordained in December of 1991 and is survived by his wife of almost 60 years, Elizabeth "Liz" Howley Mumme, 9 children, 22 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren. A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 1:00 PM on Thursday, June 29, 2017, at St. Genevieve Church in Slidell. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Cemetery. Please remember Deacon Mumme, his family and all who mourn his death in your prayers. Priest and deacons are invited to vest: please bring alb, cincture and white stole.

### Mark Your Calendars

- August 10, 2017 Institution for the Ministry of Acolyte for the 2018 Diaconate Formation Group
- Sept. 13, 2017 Confession available in all parishes, 5:00 PM-6:30 PM
- Sept. 19-21, 2017 Priests Convocation/Louisiana Priest Convention in New Orleans
- Nov. 6, 2017 Day of Formation for all Catholic School Administration, Faculty, and Staff
- March 7, 2018 Confession available in all parishes, 5:00 PM-6:30 PM
- March 14, 2018 Confession available in all parishes, 5:00 PM-6:30 PM
- March 21, 2018 Confession available in all parishes, 5:00 PM-6:30 PM
- May 19, 2018 Transitional Diaconate Ordination
- June 2, 2018 Priesthood Ordination
- June 23, 2018 Permanent Diaconate Ordination
- May 18, 2019 Transitional Diaconate Ordination
- June 1, 2019 Priesthood Ordination

### SECTION II ACTION REQUESTED

Pastors and parish secretaries are asked to please ensure response and follow-up on the items below

- ✓ The Office of Justice and Peace, Office of Racial Harmony, and Isaiah 43 Program are looking for parishes to host peace prayer walks during 2018. Peace prayer walks are held on the last Tuesday of each month. Interested parishes should contact Sr. Teresa Rooney at (504) 861-6272.

**SECTION III  
PARISH PUBLICITY**

Announcements below are made available for publicizing to parishioners via placement in parish bulletins, on parish websites and social media, or other appropriate means

**Prayer Intention from Pope Francis for July**

Lapsed Christians. That our brothers and sisters who have strayed from the faith, through our prayer and witness to the Gospel, may rediscover the merciful closeness of the Lord and the beauty of the Christian life.

**Black and Indian Mission Collection Announcement**

On July 15-16, 2017, 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. Please publicize the collection via bulletin and pulpit announcements in advance of July 15-16 and on the weekend of the collection. Sample bulletin announcements from the national office can be accessed [here](#), and additional information about the work of the Black and Indian Mission Office can be found at <http://www.blackandindianmission.org>.

**Willwoods Married Couples Retreat: August 26<sup>th</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup>**

Would you like to break away with your spouse and spend quality time together enriching your marriage? Then join us on August 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> for a Married Couples Retreat at the beautiful Archdiocese of New Orleans Retreat Center located along Lake Pontchartrain in Metairie. Attending a married couples retreat annually is a wonderful way to deepen your love for God and each other! To register or for more info call Jason Angelette at (504) 830-3716 or visit [www.willwoods.org](http://www.willwoods.org). Suggested donation of \$275 is requested but not required.

## SECTION IV NEWS AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

Following is news and information of general interest to the local Church

### **The July Respect Life Focus is on Conscience Protection/Religious Liberty**

#### **Our spiritual work of mercy:**

Please join in our prayer during the month of July. Download the Prayer [here](#).

#### **Our corporal works of mercy:**

A simple email action you can do in a few minutes.

The Conscience Protection Act of 2017 (HR 644 & S 301) has been introduced in Congress. This much-needed, common-sense legislation will clarify federal law and ensure that those who provide health care and health coverage can continue to do so without being forced by government to help destroy innocent unborn children. Please take a moment to let your representatives in Congress know that we expect them to protect our most cherished liberties. Click [here](#) to open the Human Life Action link.

**Please share with family and friends!**

### **Social Justice Ministry Cluster Meetings**

The Social Justice Ministry Cluster Meeting originally scheduled for June 20, 2017, has been rescheduled for June 28, 2017, at 6:00 PM at Blessed Trinity Church at 4230 S. Broad St. The East Jefferson Cluster Meeting is still scheduled as planned for June 29, 2017, at the Hispanic Apostolate (St. Lawrence the Martyr) at 6:00 PM at 2525 Maine St. in Metairie.

### **4th Annual Wine and Dine Gala with Chef John Folse Benefiting the Archdiocese of New Orleans Retreat Center**

Make plans now to join us on Friday, July 28, 2017, for our Wine and Dine Gala with Chef John Folse. You may download the invitation [here](#). For more information or to reserve tickets click [here](#) for the link. If you are unable to attend, you may still support the mission of the Archdiocese of New Orleans Retreat Center by making a monetary contribution or donating an item for the auction. You may also register as a bidder, view our auction items via your computer or iPhone, and bid on your favorite selections even if you can't be present for the evening!

### **Glory and Praise Books**

St. Anselm Church in Madisonville has about 90 copies of Glory and Praise, Classic Edition, 1990 to give to anyone who needs them. Please contact Terry Holzenthal at 985-845-7342 for more information.

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