

# NolaCatholic e-Bulletin

June 17, 2020

## SECTION I A MESSAGE FROM THE ARCHBISHOP

### Announcements

- Thanks to Fr. Philip Landry, the staff of St. Louis Cathedral, and Betty-Ann Hickey for their assistance in making the Eucharistic Procession around Jackson Square a reverent and prayerful occasion for all on the Feast of Corpus Christi last weekend.
- Sunday, June 21, 2020, is Father's Day. Attached please find a blessing that can be used at Masses to give recognition and God's blessings to fathers. Click [here](#) to download the attachment.
- Adult Confirmation will take place on Sunday, August 16, 2020, at 3:00 PM at St. Louis Cathedral. If your parish has candidates, please contact the Office of Worship at 504-861-6300 or [worship@arch-no.org](mailto:worship@arch-no.org).
- The Order of St. Louis Medallion awards has been tentatively rescheduled for Sunday, October 18, 2020, at 3:00 PM at St. Joseph Church in New Orleans. Please contact Jonelle Foltz at the Clarion Herald at [jfoltz@clarionherald.org](mailto:jfoltz@clarionherald.org) with any questions.
- 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."

This bulletin is also available on the Archdiocesan website, [www.nolacatholic.org](http://www.nolacatholic.org)

Adult Confirmation

Order of St. Louis

Disability Advocates Workshop

2021 Second Collection Schedule

Vacation Bible School Resource

***Mission  
Statement for  
the  
Departments  
and Offices of  
the Archdiocese  
of New Orleans***

***Impelled by  
God's call and  
inspired by the  
vision 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,  
parishes,  
schools and  
organizations  
of the  
archdiocese,  
enabling them  
to encounter  
Jesus and  
witness his love  
with joy.***

## Mark Your Calendars

May 30, 2020	Priesthood Ordination
September 9, 2020	Confession available in all parishes 5:00 PM-6:30 PM
September 15-17, 2020	Priest Convocation for the Archdiocese of New Orleans
May 22, 2021	Transitional Diaconate Ordination
June 5, 2021	Priesthood Ordination
September 20-22, 2021	Louisiana Priests Convention
May 21, 2022	Transitional Diaconate Ordination
June 4, 2022	Priesthood Ordination
September 7-9, 2022	Priest Convocation for the Archdiocese of New Orleans
September 6-8, 2023	Priest Convocation for the Archdiocese of New Orleans

## SECTION II ACTION REQUESTED

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

- ✓ **Adult Confirmation:** The Mass of Confirmation for adults will be celebrated at St. Louis Cathedral on Sunday, August 16, 2020 at 3:00 PM. All parishes who have indicated that they have candidates have been mailed a packet containing the registration information. One set of cards is to be returned to the Office of Worship by Monday, August 2. If you have not received this mailing or if you have any questions, please call or email the Office of Worship at 504-861-6300 or [worship@arch-no.org](mailto:worship@arch-no.org).
- ✓ We have rescheduled this year's **Order of St. Louis Medallion** awards ceremony for Sunday, October 18, 2020, at 3:00 PM, at St. Joseph Church, 1802 Tulane Avenue, New Orleans. Letters to recipients will go out later this summer as information is received from civil authorities regarding congregation size and social-distancing guidelines. Please e-mail Jonelle Foltz at [jfoltz@clarionherald.org](mailto:jfoltz@clarionherald.org) if you have any questions. Thank you.
- ✓ All parishes and schools that are hosting summer camp programs are reminded that **summer camp insurance forms from Catholic Mutual** are available on [www.nolacatholic.org](http://www.nolacatholic.org) at the link [here](#).
- ✓ Pastors are asked to please encourage your parish disability advocate to attend an **online workshop being offered by the Archdiocesan Commission on Persons with Disabilities**. With the theme "Staying Spiritually Connected while Being Physically Isolated," the workshop will take place on Saturday, June 27, 2020, at 9:00 AM. If your parish does not have an advocate, attendance at this online workshop could be an opportunity to introduce a potential advocate to this ministry. Complete information and instructions to register are available in the flyer [here](#).
- ✓ The **2021 Second Collection schedule** for the Archdiocese of New Orleans is available [here](#).
- ✓ **National Collection envelopes** are ordered yearly on behalf of the parishes by the archdiocese using an online ordering system. It is not available for individual parish use. If you are receiving the amount of envelopes you need, no action is required. If you are receiving an excessive or deficient amount for your parish, please notify Debbie Curole at [planningandministries@arch-no.org](mailto:planningandministries@arch-no.org) before July 15, 2020, for adjustment.

National Collections coordinates envelopes for the following: Catholic Communication Campaign, Catholic Home Missions Appeal, Catholic Relief Services Collection, Collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development, Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe, Collection for the Church in Latin America, Peter's Pence Collection, Retirement Fund for Religious, Solidarity Fund for the Church in Africa.

### **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

#### **DO IT YOURSELF VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL FOR FAMILIES**

The idea of a home based digital Vacation Bible School can seem daunting as many families now have the added responsibility of working from home and helping their children navigate on-line education and faith formation. But there is hope with a “less is more” mindset.

A DIY-VBS can be fun and cost effective while inspiring wonder and awe in a children and adults alike. Join us and learn simple creative ways to establish the home as the domestic church, spark creativity with storytelling and visual stories, celebrate lives of the Saints, and engage in music, prayer, and virtual field trips. The Office of Religious Education invites you to join this RCL Benziger workshop on “Do It Yourself VBS” at one of two times:

Tuesday June 23, 2020, at 12 Noon central time with advance registration at:  
[https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_pJc-hZfYQDuyUIAVHSghFA](https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_pJc-hZfYQDuyUIAVHSghFA)

or

Wednesday June 24, 2020, at 3:00 PM central time with advance registration at:  
[https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_1csmlkD3Q3Oq5cbdkAS6OA](https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_1csmlkD3Q3Oq5cbdkAS6OA)

## SECTION IV

### NEWS AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

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

#### UNO Newman Center

Please note the following updated contact information for the UNO Newman Center:

UNO Newman Center  
University of New Orleans  
2000 Lakeshore Drive  
New Orleans LA 70148  
E-mail: [dhayes@archdiocese-no.org](mailto:dhayes@archdiocese-no.org)  
Phone: 504-288-6344  
Chaplain: Rev. Dennis J. Hayes, III

#### Employment Opportunity

New job opportunities are currently listed on our HR page: <https://nolacatholic.org/employment>