November 10, 2021

SECTION I
A MESSAGE FROM THE ARCHBISHOP

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- True Presence Night with The Vigil Project will be held on Thursday, November 11, 2021 at 7:00 PM at St. Joan of Arc Church, LaPlace.

- Veterans Day, November 11, falls on a Thursday this year. In the spirit of honoring those who have sacrificed and served this country, we encourage pastors to provide a suitable acknowledgement of the military veterans in our parish communities the previous weekend.

Please Include in the Prayers of the Faithful:

For all Veterans, in thanksgiving for their service to our country and that God will bless them with His gift of peace.

- Archbishop Hughes, Bishop Cheri and I will be in Baltimore, MD, November 14-18, 2021, for the USCCB general meeting.

- All Administrative Offices of the archdiocese will close for the Thanksgiving holiday at noon on Wednesday, November 24, 2021, and will re-open at the beginning of the business day on Monday, November 29, 2021. Please be assured that my prayer on Thanksgiving Day will include all of you as we continue to encounter Jesus and grow as his disciples.

- The Epiphany gathering for priests will take place on Wednesday, January 6, 2022. It will begin with vespers at 5:30 PM at Notre Dame Seminary Chapel followed by a reception at nt resudebce. You must RSVP to Alison Guerra at 504-861-6269 or aguerra@arch-no.org by December 14, 2020. Please see the attached flyer for more information.
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.

DEATHS

Fr. Joseph M. Doyle, S.S.J., a Josephite priest and former President of St. Augustine High School, founding Chaplain of Woman’s New Life Center and a former Chaplain of Legatus, died in New Orleans on November 2, 2021. Visitation and Mass of Christian Burial were held at Corpus Christi Church Friday, November 5, 2021 followed by interment at St. Louis Cemetery #3. Please keep Father Doyle, his family, and members of the Society of St. Joseph of the Sacred Heart in your prayers.

Sister Rose Ann Bacak, SSND, a School Sister of Notre Dame, died October 24, 2021. Funeral services were held on October 28, 2021 at Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Covington. Please keep Sister in your prayers along with her family and the School Sisters of Notre Dame.

Sister Elizabeth Morgan, SSND, a School Sister of Notre Dame, died October 29, 2021. Visitation and Mass of Christian Burial were held at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Covington on November 9, 2021. Please keep Sister, the Morgan Family and the School Sisters of Notre Dame in your prayers.

Mark Your Calendars

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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

Archdiocesan Natural Family Planning Classes

With professional instruction, Natural Family Planning has proven itself to be safe, effective, and a moral way for couples to plan their families. It is a method which respects the meaning of human sexuality as God created it and thus marital love is enhanced and strengthened. This class series the Office of Marriage and Family Life is offering in the SymptoPro™ Method of Natural Family Planning will be conducted by Kelly Donahue of the Archdiocese of New Orleans. This series will be virtual by using Zoom. The dates of the class series are November 12, November 26, December 10, 2021, and January 7, 2022. The Zoom class hours are 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. You do need to attend all sessions. The cost is $105.00 and includes all classes and materials. Preregistration is required. Register online https://nolacatholicfla.regfox.com/sympto-thermal-nfp-course.
True Presence Nights

All are welcome to join Archbishop Aymond for an evening of Eucharistic Adoration at the regional True Presence Night. Archbishop Aymond, along with The Vigil Project, will lead the last evening of encounter with the True Presence of Christ in the Eucharist on November 11, 2021. The evening will include adoration, benediction, and reflection as well as the opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Download the flyer to help share this incredible opportunity.

True Presence Event for Youth November 13

All 5th through 7th graders and high school youth are invited to this special event on Saturday, November 13, from 6-10 pm at the CYO Center in New Orleans. The evening will include prayer, Mass, music, talks, food and fellowship with other youth. There is no cost to attend. To register go to http://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/event?oeidk=a07eimorlea53d8523e&llr=aryxp89ab. There will be a second Youth True Presence Night on December 11 at St. Margaret Mary in Slidell. The link to RSVP for December can be found online at http://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/event?oeidk=a07eimouti9042d5203&llr=aryxp89ab.

Notre Dame Seminary Institute for Lay Ecclesial Ministry (ILEM) Open House

The Notre Dame Seminary Programs for Laity will be hosting an Open House for prospective students interested in learning about and applying for the Institute for Lay Ecclesial Ministry (ILEM), the Master of Arts in Pastoral Leadership (MAPL) and the Master of Arts in Theological Studies (MATS) programs. The Open House will take place on Wednesday, February 2nd, 2022, from 6:30-7:30pm in the Pastoral Center in St. Joseph Hall. There will be presentations by the ILEM, MAPL, and MATS program directors and current students about the programs, along with information about the Handing on the Faith Scholarship Program. The ILEM program will be beginning a new cohort of students this Summer 2022, and registration is open for this program only once every two years, so all prospective students are strongly encouraged to attend the Open House and apply for this holistic formation program! The ILEM program culminates in a public commissioning as a Lay Ecclesial Minister of the Archdiocese of New Orleans by Archbishop Aymond, and both the MAPL and MATS programs are fully accredited MA programs. For those who cannot attend in person, there will be a virtual option as well. To RSVP, please click here.

Christ the King Solemn Mass and Eucharistic Procession

St. Peter Catholic Church invites everyone to worship with us at our 26th annual Solemn Mass and candlelight Eucharistic Procession celebrating The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe on Sunday, November 21st at 5:00 in the evening. Reserved seating for Religious is available in the front left section of the church. For those unable to process, the prayer of the Rosary will be prayed in the church. For more information, please call St. Peter Rectory at 892-2422.

Second Collection-Catholic Campaign for Human Development

The annual second collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development will take place November 20-21. The Catholic Campaign for Human Development is the anti-poverty program of the U.S. Bishops and sponsors organizations around the U.S., who help lift low income people out of poverty in a way that low income members have a significant voice in how to address their concerns. The motto of the Campaign is “A Hand Up, Rather than a Handout.” The Catholic Campaign has sponsored many organizations in the archdiocese, such as Café Reconcile, to provide avenues to address the structural issues around poverty. Please remember the Catholic Campaign during this Thanksgiving Season! For more information see the link to the USCCB resources: https://www.usccb.org/committees/catholic-campaign-human-development/2021-catholic-campaign-human-development-collection
SECTION IV
NEWS AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE
Following is news and information of general interest to the local Church

Medjugorje Visionary to visit November 20
St. Francis Xavier Church, 444 Metairie Rd, Metairie, LA will host the visit of Medjugorje Visionary Ivan Dragicevic on Saturday, November 20, 2021. Ivan will attend the 4:00 pm Vigil Mass, give a talk about Our Lady after Mass, lead the recitation of the rosary, and share the message he receives after his nightly apparition. A flyer with additional info is attached. All are invited.

Advent Northshore Morning of Reflection
A special Advent Morning of Reflection, sponsored by the Catholic Women in Action Committee of the Catholic Community Foundation, will be held on Tuesday, November 30, 2021 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 A.M. at Mary Queen of Peace Church in Mandeville. Rev. Andrew Rudmann, will celebrate Mass. Lorraine Hess will offer a reflection. Reservations are required. For more information and to R.S.V.P., please contact Kathi Zimmerman at 504.527.5794 or kzimmerman@ccfnola.org. Please see attached flyer here for more details.

Advent Southshore Morning of Reflection
A special Advent Morning of Reflection, sponsored by the Catholic Women in Action Committee of the Catholic Community Foundation, will be held on Thursday, December 9, 2021 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 A.M. at St. Rita Church in New Orleans. Rev. Patrick Carr, will celebrate Mass and offer two reflections. Reservations are required. For more information and to R.S.V.P., please contact Kathi Zimmerman at 504.527.5794 or kzimmerman@ccfnola.org. Please see attached flyer here for more details.

An Evening of Organ Music
All are invited to An Evening of Organ Music in honor of St. Cecilia at St. Patrick's Church, New Orleans on Wednesday 17 November 2021 at 6:30 p.m. featuring the music of Buxtehude, Frescobaldi, J. S. Bach, Franck, and Bonnet, Mr. B. Andrew Mills, Organist. No admission charge. All are welcome!

Catholic Charities Disaster Case Management
Catholic Charities Archdiocese of New Orleans is offering assistance with Disaster Case Management to all those in the archdiocesan area impacted by Hurricane Ida. Impacted members of your community may contact Catholic Charities at (985) 605-5841 or https://www.ccano.org/disaster-response-services/. See link to flyer for more information.

Inaugural Organ Concert, St. Francis of Assisi Church
Sunday, November 21 - 3:00 p.m.

St. Francis of Assisi Church presents our Inaugural Organ Concert of our Cornell Zimmer Organ – Opus 155 featuring Dr. Jennifer Pascual, Director of Music and Organist at St. Patrick’s Cathedral, New York City. Sunday, November 21, 2021 3:00 p.m. St. Francis of Assisi Church, 631 State Street, Uptown New Orleans. Concert is free and open to the public. For further information, contact St. Francis of Assisi Church (504) 891-4479 or see the attached flyer.
CHRIST IN THE CITY

The next Christ in the City, an evening of Eucharistic Adoration for young adults in their late teens, 20s, and 30s, will be on Tuesday, November 30th at 7:00 pm in the Chapel at Notre Dame Seminary [2901 S. Carrollton Ave., New Orleans]. This will replace the evening previously scheduled for December 14th. A social hour will follow. Future Christ in the City evenings in 2022 are scheduled for January 4, February 1, and March 8. For more information, please contact James Behan, Associate Director for Young Adult Ministry and Marriage and Family Life, at yam@arch-no.org. Christ in the City is sponsored by the CYO/Youth & Young Adult Ministry Office of the Archdiocese of New Orleans.

YOUNG ADULT ONLINE TRIVIA NIGHTS | NOVEMBER 16 & DECEMBER 7

#NOLA Catholic Young Adults are invited to put their ‘thinking caps’ on and get a team together as the CYO / Youth & Young Adult Ministry Office will be hosting two Online Trivia Nights:
- Tuesday, November 16, starting at 6:30 PM | Theme: "Eucharist"
- Tuesday, December 7, starting at 6:30 PM | Theme: "St. Joseph"
Groups up to 5 members can sign up at bit.ly/nolayamtriviateam. For more information, please contact James Behan, Associate Director for Young Adult Ministry and Marriage and Family Life, at yam@arch-no.org.

2022 MARRIAGE PREPARATION OPTIONS ARE LIVE

Engaged couples can now register for Catholic Engaged Encounter Retreat Weekends, archdiocesan Days for the Engaged sessions, or Special Marriage Preparation workshops in 2022 in order to complete their sacramental preparation by visiting nolacatholic.org/mfl, then clicking on “Getting Married?”. Click here for a full 2022 calendar and explanations of the marriage preparation options available.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Job opportunities are currently listed on our HR page: https://nolacatholic.org/employment

Please refer to our Job-Link often and share with qualified referrals!

For any submissions or inquiries on the NolaCatholic e-Bulletin, please contact communications@arch-no.org.