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# THE VERCELLIAN



**Spring Forward** 

Spring begins on March 19 th . We moved our clocks forward on Sunday the 10 th of the month in preparation for the beginning of daylight savings time. This year is moving ahead. We are into Lent, Fish Frys, and missions at our respective churches. Holy Week and Easter are upon us.

Without Easter and Jesus' death and resurrection, for our sins, there would be no church or Easter Season. Easter is a time for us to reflect on what Christ has given to each of us and all of humanity.

Lately I have been attending church services more than I normally do. I have noticed more people in church with the beginning of Lent. We are all concerned about what is happening in our world. Global Warming, the Economy, Wars in Ukraine, Israel, and the Gaza strip, as well as immigration and China. We do not have answers but, we have Faith that God will. Prayer is our best means of resolving these issues.

This is also the year of elections. May we think wisely and elect officials that preserve our democracy. Much is going on. Let us observe the Three Pillars of Lent. Prayer, Fasting and Acts of Charity. My Lenten Plans include Being More Compassionate, Listening Better,

Showing Concern for Others and Being More Charitable in Words and in Deed.

Wishing you and your families a Blessed Easter Season.

Vince Petreikis

President

Archdiocese of New Orleans Union of Holy Name Societies

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### **ROSARY DRIVE**



# RADIO ROSARY 77st Anniversary

ROSARY DRIVE ENVELOPES ARE AVAILABLE PLEASE CONTACT BOB RAUCH AT 831-343488 OR 722-9422

Deadline: March 31, 2024



"Dear children! Pray and renew your heart so that the good which you have sown may bear the fruit of joy and oneness with God. Darnel has seized many hearts and they have become unfruitful; that is why, you little children, be light, love and my outstretched hands in this world which yearns for God Who is love. Thank you for having responded to my call."



#### EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

All Holy Name Society members are encouraged to attend our monthly executive board meeting held on the third Tuesday of every month.

Come and bring your ideas and be a part of our renewal plans and future success!

Our next meeting is March 19, 2024 at 12:00 pm. at St. Clement of Rome 4317Richland Ave. Metairie, La.

## **COME JOIN US!!**

The continued success of our society is greatly dependent on our members attending and supporting the decisions made at these meetings. Your attendance will help us to Continue bringing new and innovative ideas to our mem-

bers.



### Our website address is

www.noauhns.org

Please notice that the website includes an icon to make donations to the Holy Name Society and the Rosary Drive.

#### **Website Highlights**

9 day Novena to Blessed John of Vercelli
Video clip of the rededication of the Shrine of Blessed
John of Vercelli at St. Dominic Church
Holy Name Society Monthly Newsletter
Holy Name Society Radio Rosary Schedule
Memorial list of deceased members and families

Please take advantage of the many benefits of our website!

Please send in information on any activities taking place in your parish! This will make it possible to send it out to all of the other Holy Name Societies! Please contact Anthony Smith at 481-3407 or email me at anthonys2029@gmail.com

The National Holy Name Societies website address is NAHNS.COM

You can also like us on facebook! The link is: https://www.facebook.com/hnsnola

Anyone can go online to read the latest edition of the national newsletter.

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#### **Temple of the Holy Spirit**



I was praying over a demonically afflicted person and I got to the phrase in the final imperative prayer where it says: "Acknowledge the Spirit of truth and grace, who repels your attacks and confounds your lies." Shortly thereafter it says: "Depart from this man (woman) whom by spiritual anointing God has made a holy temple." The demonic reaction was strong. This obviously hit a nerve.

So, I emphasized these theological truths: "I command you, in Jesus' name, to open your eyes and see that he is a temple of the Holy Spirit!" And again I prayed, "The Holy Spirit dwells in him; there is no room for you. The light of the Spirit casts out the darkness!" Another of our exorcists has had the same experience. He, too, in exorcism sessions hammers home the truth: "She/he is a temple of the Holy Spirit."

This pneumatic aspect (pertaining to the Holy Spirit) of the new Rite of Exorcism is a powerful addition. It only makes sense. The incarnation of the Son of God enabled our humanity to be filled with the Holy Spirit and to participate in Divine life. This did not happen to the angels.

It is speculated that one of the reasons why Lucifer rejected God was his envy of humanity. So, in the exorcism, I continued: "Open your eyes and look! See that he is a temple of the Holy Spirit, which you [the demons] will never be!" This was immediately followed again by a very strong demonic reaction.

It is an awesome truth that, in Christ and by the sanctifying grace of the sacraments, we are now temples of the Holy Spirit. We don't think of it much and I don't think we really grasp this profound reality. But the demons, who disdain humans as grossly inferior, are obviously quite aware of it. It tortures them.



### HOLY NAME NEWSLETTER **ADS AND MEMORIALS**

## IF YOU WISH TO PLACE AN AD PLEASE EMAIL YOUR AD COPY TO ANTHONYS2029@GMAIL.COM

The cost for and ad is used to defer the administrative cost to publish the newsletter. We would appreciate it if those parishes that haven't taken an ad please speak to your members about taking out and ad. We have lowered the cost to make it possible for more parishes to afford to take an ad and support our efforts. Please contact Anthony Smith at 481-3407 about renewing your ad if you haven't done so already. Thanks to those parishes that have supported us.

Yearly ads: 3 ½" X 2" ...... \$ 5.00 4 ½ X 3" ...... \$15.00 5 ½ X 4" ...... \$25.00

Memorials—\$ 5.00/per year If you have a loved one that you would like to add to our memorial or obituary page please email the information to:

anthonys2029@gmail.com

Ad renewals are now due. Please forward your check to P.O. Box 6644 Metairie, La. 70096

If any updates need to be made on your ad please confact us at 481-3407



WVOG – 107.9 FM LIVE RADIO ROSARY BROADCAST Due to reception issues on 600 AM please tune into 107.9 FM to listen to the live broadcast.

The 2024 Radio Rosary schedule is posted on the HNS website.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** The radio station informed us that going through the internet would give us a much clearer transmission.

If you have any questions please call Anthony Smith at 504-481-3407.





Sunday April 14, 2024

St. Maria Goretti Parish 7300 Crowder Blvd. N.O.

The Rosary will be recited at 7:55 am followed by mass at 8:30.

Please speak to your society members and encouraged them to attend our convention.

The convention will begin immediately following mass in the Msgr. Gauthreaux Center.

The Holy Name Society members of St. Maria Goretti will be serving breakfast prior to the beginning of the convention. THIS IS A BREAKFAST YOU DO NOT WANT TO MISS!!

We hope to see everyone there and help us support our Holy Name Society.



- St. Maria Goretti—They had 8 members that attended their radio Rosary, 22 members attended their monthly meeting, 11 members attended the Catholic Men's conference.
- Christ the King— They had 14 members that attended their radio Rosary, 9 members attended their monthly mass 16 members attended their monthly meeting.
- Most Holy Trinity— They had 14 members that attended their radio Rosary.
- St. Matthew— They had 2 members that attended their radio Rosary.
- Blessed Sacrament They recited the radio Rosary, they didn't have a meeting last month.
- St. Clement— They had 10 members that attended their radio Rosary. and 10 members that attended their monthly meeting.



In Loving Memory Of

Patricia Smith Amelia Kandalaft

Lee Le Blanc

Georgia Le Blanc

**Audrey Ledet** 

Vicky Ledet

**Rudy Ledet** 

Jerry Hymel

Conchetta & Peter Seleci

Vincent Seleci

Gasper Seleci

Theresa & Douglas Haskins

"In Memory of Our Deceased HNS Members -

Our Lady of the Rosary Church"

Ignace Tanner

Vergel Duplessis

Ben Raphael

Aaron Gilyard

Archbishop Philip Hannan

Rev. John Bendix S. D. Past Spiritual Director

Rev. Reginald Masterson - Past Spiritual Director

Rev. Victor Brown—Past Spiritual Director

Msgr. Lawrence Earl Gauthreaux— Past Spiritual

Director

Luke Cuccia

**Evelyn Cuccia** 

Kevin Cuccia

Anthony V. Cuccia

Joy Ledet

Jean Darnall

Richard Hoffman

**Donald Mossy** 

Frank Connelly

Carroll Le Blanc

Carol Le Blanc

Joyce Kurtich

John Calico

Joseph Warr

**Rhodes Family** 

**DiFranco Family** 

Hope Vignes

Lois Zitzmann Henry Dupaquier Roy Phelps, Sr.

Lucille Zitzmann

Clifton Meaux Joyce Gautreaux

**Tom Norton** 

**Bonnie Schlotterer** 

William Mc Clain

Jules Albert

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP HOLY NAME SOCIETY Kenner, La.

IN MEMORIUM

MSGR. ROBERT GUSTE
FRANCIS WARREN
CHARLES BALLARD
JAY K. DAVIS
JUDGE EDWARD STOULIG
HENRY RENZ, JR.
EDDIE ORTIZ
GEORGE "RED" BENEFIEL
MERLIN R. ROMIG
RICHARD J. ACHEE
LEO SANCHEZ

St. Benilde Holy Name Society Metairie, La.

Rev. Matthew Johnston, Pastor Founded March 8, 1970

49 Years of service to the Radio Rosary
And to the honor of His Sacred Name

Blessed John of Vercelli, Pray for us

## ST. MATTHEW THE APOSTLE HOLY NAME SOCIETY

River Ridge, La.

**ESTABLISED 1959** 

Father Joseph Tran, Pastor

IN SUPPORT OF THE RADIO ROSARY
AND IN HONOR OF HIS SACRED NAME

Blessed John of Vercelli, Pray for us



# St. Christopher's Holy Name Society Chartered 1950

At the Name of Jesus, every knee must bend in heaven, on earth and below the earth.

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# OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY HOLY NAME SOCIETY New Orleans, LA

**ESTABLISHED 1907** 

Rev. Philip G. Landry, Pastor

IN HONOR OF HIS SACRED NAME AND IN SUPPORT OF THE RADIO ROSARY ALSO IN MEMORY OF OUR DECEASED MEMBERS

Blessed John of Vercelli, Pray for Us

## CHRIST THE KING HOLY NAME SOCIETY

In support of the Holy Name Society Radio Rosary

Anthony Smith – President
Gary Schlotterer – 1st Vice President
Joe Boullosa – 2nd Vice President
Malcolm Ledet – Tres.
Dianna Lehmann – Secy.
Frank Fradella - Marshall

BLESSED JOHN OF VERCELLI PRAY FOR US!

# ST. JOAN OF ARC HOLY NAME SOCIETY

Let us open our eyes and our ears to His presence through the Holy Rosary

Holy is the Name of Jesus now and forever more.