SAINT JOSEPH'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH COLLECTION

(Mss 111)

Inventory

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Summary

Size: ca. 2 linear feet

Geographic Locations: New Orleans, Louisiana

Inclusive dates: 1864 - 1935, 1951

Summary: Records of Saint Joseph's Roman Catholic Church, 1802 Tulane Avenue, New Orleans, Louisiana. Consists mainly of announcement books, check books, circular letters issued by Archbishopric, a schedule of Masses and celebrants, sick call registers, a parish census book, and assorted records of three parish organizations, including minute books and financial reports.

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**Historical Note**

St. Joseph's Parish was established in February, 1844. The present structure of Saint Joseph's Church was dedicated in 1892, twenty-one years after the beginning of construction. Although known to many as the "Italian Church," it in fact served a predominantly Irish parish for a great number of years.

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Announcement books (weekly entries; with notation on parish activities), 11 volumes.

111-1 1868 - 1874.
111-2 1879 - May 21, 1882.
111-3 May 28, 1882 - May 23, 1886.
111-4 May 28, 1893 - March 17, 1895.
111-5 December 13, 1896 - July 2, 1899.
111-6 July 9, 1899 - June 29, 1902.
111-7 July 6, 1902 - April 2, 1905.
111-8 April 16, 1905 - February 2, 1908.
111-9 February 9, 1908 - November 21, 1909.
111-10 November 28, 1909 - April 13, 1913.
111-11 April 20, 1913 - November 7, 1915.

Check books, 4 volumes.
111-15  Canal Bank and Trust Co. account, July 5, 1905 - October 10, 1905.

111-16  Canal - Louisiana Bank & Trust Co. account, October 10, 1905 - August 2, 1906.

111-13  Hibernia National Bank account, April 10, 1897 - September 2, 1902.

111-14  Hibernia National Bank account, May 8, 1899 - November 22, 1902.

111-12  Circular Letters (issued by Archbishopric), 1900 - 1915.

Holy Name Society.

111-27  Journal (blank; entries include minutes, and membership lists), 1923 - 1925.


Minute books.

111-29  January 6, 1907 - January 21, 1909.

111-30  January 21, 1909 - July 18, 1912.

111-31  June 18, 1914 - December, 1920 (entries include annual reports, 1919, 1921; and correspondence, 1926).


111-33  Scrapbook (Holy Name Society National Convention), 1924.

111-34  Journal, 1864 - 1882.


League of Sacred Heart (organized June 1, 1894), 3 vols.

111-18  Financial reports, 1923 - 1927.

111-19, 20  Record books, n.d.

111-21  Miscellany (including correspondence, photograph, and ticket stubs), n.d., 1907, 1951.
111-22 Parish Census Book, 1907.


111-25 Records of uncertain provenance.
   Account book (divided into three parts:
   Dues and honor roll, 1926 - 1935;
   Expense and annual report, 1926 - 1935;
   Expense report, 1926).

111-26 Schedule of Masses and celebrants, 1907 - August 23, 1914.
   Sick Call Registers (lists calls made, addresses, priest making call, illness,
   ministrations), 2 vols.

111-23 June 6, 1902 - July 28, 1911.

111-24 July 28, 1911 - July 5, 1920.

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Catholic Church—Louisiana—New Orleans
Holy Name Society
Ladies of Charity
League of Sacred Heart
Saint Joseph's Roman Catholic Church