



ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

...be the Light of Christ...

MASS TIMES SCHEDULE:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 6:15 a.m.

Tuesday & Thursday 12:00 p.m.

Saturday Vigil 4:00 pm

**Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 11:00 am &
6:00 pm (Life Teen Mass)**

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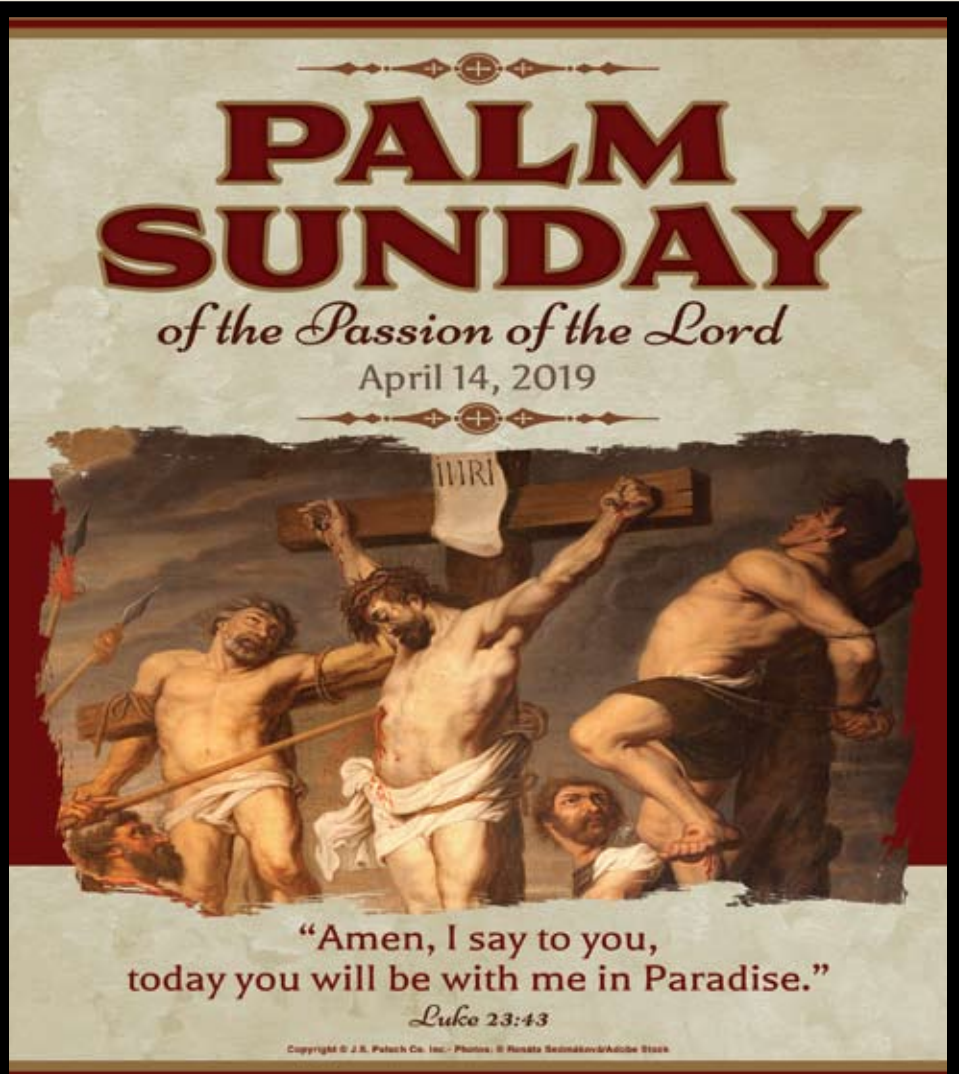
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DEAR PARISHIONERS OF ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH & ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY CHURCH,

THE EASTER TRIDUUM

The holiest three days of the liturgical year are the Easter Triduum (Latin for three days), which begins on the evening of Holy Thursday and continues through Easter Sunday evening.

How are these days measured? The ancient people measured the end and beginning of a day from when the sun sets. The first day of the Easter Triduum begins on Holy Thursday when the sun sets and continues on Good Friday until the sun sets. The second day of the Easter Triduum begins at sunset on Good Friday and continues until the sun sets on Holy Saturday. The third day of the Easter Triduum begins at sunset on Holy Saturday and continues until the sun sets on Easter Sunday. For practical purposes we say the Easter Triduum begins with the Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday and continues until Evening Prayer on Easter Sunday.

Through the centuries, Christians have set these days aside – free of social engagements, entertainment and work, if possible. It is a time of prayer, special fasting, and expectation.

The Triduum is “all one piece,” that is, one single celebration of the dying and rising of Christ (referred to as the Paschal Mystery). The Holy Thursday evening Eucharist recalls the Last Supper and draws Christians into Jesus' suffering, dying and rising. The heart of the Good Friday Liturgy is the Passion according to John and the veneration of the cross. In the night of Holy Saturday and through the morning of Easter Sunday, Christians bless the new fire and baptismal water, celebrate Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist – and experience the “passing over” of Christ from death to life. Confession resume on Easter Sunday at sunset (the end of the third day); although for practical purposes we say confession resumes on Easter Monday. Please see the special announcement of all Holy Week activities in the bulletin.

Adoration at all adoration chapels is suspended during the Easter Triduum. Also confessions, while not suspended in the 3rd Edition of the Roman Missal during the Easter Triduum, are not scheduled during the Easter Triduum at both Annunciation and St. Anthony. Please attend to confession during Lent and Easter Times *[We have a Tri-parish Penance Service on Monday]*. Adoration in the Adoration Chapel is suspended at 6:00 p.m. on Holy Thursday and resumes on Easter Monday at 7:00 a.m. Ordinarily confessions resume on Easter Sunday at sunset (the end of the third day); although for practical purposes we say confession resumes on Easter

Monday. Please see the special announcement of all Holy Week activities in the bulletin.

WHY DO WE DO THAT? CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED

Question: What are the servant songs of Isaiah? How do they relate to Jesus' life and ministry?

Answer: The four servant songs (Isaiah 42:1-4, 49:1-6, 50:4-9, and 52:13-53:12) are strategically placed in Second Isaiah to offer hope and consolation to a suffering Israel during its Babylonian Exile.

Israel had been defeated by the Babylonians, who destroyed their temple, killed the last of the kings in David's lineage, exiled them from their land, and transported them to Babylon. This is the context in which Second Isaiah composes his powerfully poetic book of hope and consolation. A significant part of that message is the portrait of God's servant, who is called to be a source of hope and encouragement for the people.

Each of the four poems emphasizes God's choice and election of the servant. The last poem stresses the suffering and rejection of God's servant, along with his eventual death. Isaiah is certain that God will use the servant's innocent suffering as a way to redeem and remove the guilt and sin of others. Thus, the servant becomes a source of salvation for himself and for others.

Who is this servant? Many suggest that Isaiah was referring to Israel herself, as she underwent exilic suffering which would ultimately prove to be redemptive. Jesus' followers, including those for whom Mark wrote his Gospel, understood Jesus' ministry in terms of Isaiah's suffering servant whose innocent suffering and death became the means of salvation for all.

GOSPEL FOR PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD, YEAR C – LUKE 22:14-23:56 OR 23:1-49

Palm Sunday is a strange day in our liturgical calendar. We begin by waving palms, but somewhere in the middle, we call for Jesus to be crucified. We celebrate today an equally paradoxical God, one who comes to save through suffering.

“I tell you, if they keep silent, the stones will cry out!” Jesus, who so often in the Gospels tries to hide his true identity, speaks thunderously to the Pharisees who would still the rejoicing crowd. At the Last Supper, Jesus confirms the Messianic promise to his disciples, saying, “I confer a kingdom on you, just as my Father has conferred one on me.” Yet, before the night is over, Jesus has been betrayed.

We hear the tragedy unfold in Luke's Passion narrative. Jesus is abused by the council of elders, denied by Peter,

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PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

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STEWARDSHIP TO ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

****NOTE: We will report the collections for
April 7 in the April 21 bulletin.**



Thank you for your generosity.

*Please remember St. Anthony Church
& St. Edmund School in your will.*

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, April 15

6:15 a.m.: Gail Landreneau (*Birthday*)

Tuesday, April 16

12:00 p.m.: Frankie LaFleur; Lizzy Mae Moreau; Donald & Helen Tanner

Wednesday, April 17

6:15 a.m.: Ronnie & Carmen Daigle family (*Liv. & Dec.*)

Holy Thursday, April 18

Mass of the Lord's Supper

****6:30 p.m.:** Deceased Pastors of St. Anthony Church; Glenn Durbin; James Sherrill Duos; Frankie LaFleur; Evelyn Sandell; Ed Dietz family (*Liv. & Dec.*); Ricarda Villalba; Charles Manuel; Scott Daville

Good Friday, April 19

Good Friday Service -- 3:00 p.m.

Holy Saturday, April 20

****8:00 p.m.:** M/M C.A. Penn; Merita Guillory; Frankie LaFleur; Harry Dale Begnaud; Hubert V. & Lily S. Fontet; Dutch Spekschate; Beth Sylvester;

Newton Thibodeaux; Dr. Benny Fruge; .Carl Comeaux; Jessie Comeaux family (*Liv. & Dec.*); Paula A. Manuel; Dewey & Vera Gaspard; Loubert & Doris Andrepont; Leona Andrepont Fruge; Joe & Elenor Gaspard; Burkman Johnson; Edward & Oline Martel; Mrs. Sostan Miller; Lessie Hebert; M/M B.H. McMullen; Dorothy Jane & John B. Huckaby Sr.; Berchman & Hilda Chaumont

Easter Sunday, April 21

Resurrection of the Lord

7:00 a.m.: St. Anthony Parishioners; Steve Manuel family (*Liv. & Dec.*); Chad Soileau family (*Liv. & Dec.*); Deshotels family (*Liv. & Dec.*); Joffery Brunet family (*Liv. & Dec.*); Ashton Noel; Carl & Peggy (*Liv.*) Comeaux; Merlin Marcantel; M/M August Courville, Sr.; Robert H. 'Bobby' Miller & Norma Jean McManus Miller; Vernice Babineaux; M/M Amos Normand; Bart Courville; Royce Normand; M/M Jerry Abshire; John Kirkland; M/M Gilmore Bordelon; Chase Rya Mauel; Lurline Fuselier; Alan Cook; M/M Lamar Normand; George, Pat & Penny Schneider

9:00 a.m.: Frankie LaFleur; M/M Auggie Leonards; Jack, Lois & Robert Miller; J.D. & Marshall Arabie; Judge Nilas & Lillie Young; Blake Feucht; Ronald S. McManus; Jean Schatzle McManus; James Sherrill Duos; Ross Andrus; Tony Fuselier; Norris & Dolice (*Birthday*) Young; Faye Feucht; Annie & Philip Montelaro; Foston & Marie Fruge; James Merlin Fruge; Amelia & Artelus Fruge; Ed Dietz family (*Liv. & Dec.*); Gracie Zaunbrecher; Robert Etey Brown family; Paul Rozas; Lillie & Louis McGee; M/M A.F. McGee, Sr.; M/M Amos Durio; Toby Durio; Vila & Emery Henry; Gary & Patrick Henry; Melanie Ann Arnaud; Raymond 'Poochie' Fontenot; M/M L.W. Sumrall; M/M C.L. Fontenot; M/M Guy Hebert; Jack Thevis; Lucille & Gabriel Johnson; Courville families; Red & Mary Foret; Herbert Stelly; Marcus (*Liv.*) & Reneé Duplechain; Orize & Nezzie Barzare; Charles Manuel; Scott Daville

11:00 a.m.: Glenn Durbin; M/M Irving Ledet; Royne Fontenot; Hubert & Gloria Fontenot; Dana Fontenot; Donald & Helen Tanner

HOW IS THE DATE OF EASTER DETERMINED?

The answer is:

The first Sunday after the first full moon of the Spring season is Easter. Practically speaking -- March 21st is the beginning of the Spring season... find the first full moon after March 21st... the Sunday after that full moon is ***Easter Sunday!***

PRIEST, EXTRAORDINARY LAY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION, LECTORS & ALTAR

HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 18, 2019

6:30 p.m.	Msgr. Romero	Deacon Gary Gaudin, Samantha Bertrand, Tommy Dietz Kayla Fontenot, Sarah Moser Fruge	Kay Dietz	Harry Summerlin III, Blake Summerlin Oscar Summerlin
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GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 19, 2019

3:00 p.m.	Msgr. Romero	Deacon Gary Gaudin, Jeff McGee, Angel McGee	Kyle Deshotel	Adelie Beaugh, Alise Beaugh
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HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 20, 2019 -- EASTER VIGIL

8:00 p.m.	Msgr. Romero	Deacon Gary Gaudin, Rachel Andrus, Kayla Fontenot Michael Lombas, Barbara Thibodeaux	Jude Huckaby Nikki Sonnier John Fruge Kathryn LaFleur	John-Michael Fruge, Kelly Fruge, Landon Fruge, Doug Summerlin Jr. Thurifer: Minister Needed MC: Minister Needed
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EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 21, 2019

7:00 a.m.	Fr. Hebert	Charles Feucht, Cliff Miller, William Parrie	Joan Burson	Isaac Russell, Koy Trahan, Luke Trahan
9:00 a.m.	Msgr. Romero	Mitch Fontenot, Dr. Chip Hebert, Michael Ward	Jacque Pucheu	Alex Fontenot, Camille Fontenot Andy Hebert, Clay Hebert
11:00 a.m.	Msgr. Romero	James 'Jr.' Bergeron, Debbie Ortego, Todd Ortego Tricia Richard, Glenda Young	Tad Richard	Emma Clause, Brennon Thompson, Kaden Thompson Thurifer: Needed MC: Needed

MINISTERS OF PRAYER



Please pray for: Jane Ellen McGee

Ulery, Gerald LeJeune, Jackie Young, Frank McGee, Peggy Brasseaux, Tyler Bertrand, Norma Diaville, Kami Fontenot, Chance Hundley, Jennifer LaFleur Manuel, Simone Vige, Bradley Bertrand, Joseph Van Ortego, Linda Gaudin, Clifford & Faye Campbell, Loretta Miller, Ashley Bordelon, Raven Dupre, Claude DeVillier, Ann Duran, Craig Durbin, Lucien Montelaro, Philip Montelaro, Colleen Landreneau, Joan Burson, Earline Prather, Catherine Landry, Elijah Landry, Hazlyn Brown, Dale Zaunbrecher, Cade Kaiser, Elsie Stelly, John LeJeune, Debra Shilow, Kamie Thorton, Belinda Ashford, Jackie Courville Deshotel, Emily Miller Johnson, Eugene Thibodeaux, Larry Dale Thibodeaux, Christina Thibodeaux, Pearl Thibodeaux, Trish Elkins, Anna Lee Thibodeaux, Tyler Bertrand.

Pray for our troops & peace in the world!

MEETINGS & EVENTS

Monday, April 15

Daily Mass -- 6:15 a.m.

St. Edmund All School Mass -- 9:00 a.m.

Tri-Parish Lenten Penance Service -- 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, April 16

That Man Is You -- 5:30 a.m. in Parish Hall.

Daily Mass -- 12:00 p.m.

Wednesday, April 17

Daily Mass -- 6:15 a.m.

St. Edmund Live Way of the Cross -- 9:00 a.m.

Holy Thursday, April 18

Rectory Office Closed

Chrism Mass -- 10:30 a.m. St. John Cathedral - Lafayette

Mass of the Lord's Supper -- 6:30 p.m.

Good Friday, April 19

Rectory Office Closed

Good Friday Service -- 3:00 p.m.

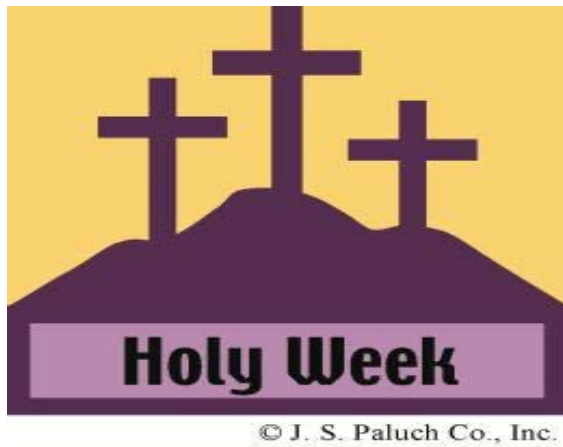
Holy Saturday, April 20

Easter Vigil Mass & RCIA Rite of Initiation -- 8:00 p.m.

Easter Sunday, April 21

Masses: 7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

No Life Teen Mass



ST. ANTHONY CHURCH HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Tri-Parish Lenten Penance Service

Monday, April 15 at 6:00 p.m.
at St. Anthony Church

Confessions...

Confessions will **NOT** be scheduled after
Wednesday (April 17)

Confession schedule resumes Monday (April 22)

Holy Week Mass Schedule

Monday & Wednesday -- **Mass @ 6:15 a.m.**

Tuesday -- **Mass @ 12:00 p.m.**

Holy Thursday -- April 18

Mass of the Lord's Supper @ 6:30 p.m.

*(Adoration is suspended for the Easter Triduum --
Chapel will close at 6:00 p.m. on Holy Thursday and will
reopen at 7:00 a.m. on Easter Monday.)*

Good Friday -- April 19

Service @ 3:00 p.m.

(Day of Fast & Abstinence)

Holy Saturday -- April 20

Easter Vigil Mass @ 8:00 p.m.

(No 4:00 p.m. Mass & No Confessions)

Easter Sunday -- April 21

7:00, 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.

**** No 6:00 p.m. Life Teen Mass ****

MSGR.'S ARTICLE CONTINUED...

whipped by Roman soldiers, and condemned to death by Pilate. But what else do we see? Jesus heals someone who came to arrest him, forgives his torturers, promises a repentant man paradise, and - by his loving endurance - converts a centurion at the foot of the cross. Jesus is both Redeemer of the World and Suffering Servant. In taking on the mantle of Messiah, Jesus does not only receive our praise and our accolades, but he bears our burdens and sins and does so with the deepest love. He may go about our salvation in a paradoxical way, but he is dearer to our own suffering hearts for it. This week, we remember that no sorrow of our own is beyond the reach of the compassion of God.

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK –

First Reading – Isaiah 50:4-7 - The prophet Isaiah spoke of gifts he received from the Lord as well as how he suffered for the faith. In what ways have you suffered for your faith convictions?

Second Reading – Philippians 2:6-11 - In today's reading, we hear one of the earliest Christological hymns preserved by St. Paul in his letter to the Philippians. What do you find most striking in the hymn?

Gospel Reading - Luke 22:14-23:56 OR 23:1-49 - In the Lord's passion according to St. Luke, three times Pilate declares he finds Jesus "not guilty" of the crimes brought against him. Even Herod (Antipas) found Jesus innocent. Why do you think recording the innocence of Jesus was so important to St. Luke?

CATHOLIC QUOTES –

"Free will, though it makes evil possible, is also the only thing that makes possible any love or goodness or joy worth having." - C.S. Lewis

EASTER DECORATIONS

Donations for Easter decorations have been made in honor / memory of (*living or deceased*): Glenn Durbin, Faye Feucht, Denise L. Hanks, Judge Nilas & Lillie Young, Blake Feucht, Leroy & Thelma Vige, James Merlin Fruge, Hazel Miller, Lillie & Louis McGee Sr., Melanie Ann Arnaud, Albert & Genevieve Fontenot fly, Morris & Bertille Diaville fly, Rodney Diaville fly, Kim D. Ridout fly, Jack Allen Parks, M/M Norris Young, M/M Willie Belfour, Lucille & Gabrielle Johnson, Martha Prudhomme, Jackie LaFleur, Herbert Stelly, Carmelite & Alvarest Dugas, Clayton & Bernice Stelly, Carla, Julia & Jayia Watford, Charles Manuel, Scott Daville. The **Paschal Candle** was donated by Mrs. Belle Manuel in memory of Dr. Sylvan Manuel and Jan Clothilde Manuel.

ST. EDMUND SPRING FAIR 2019

FOOD, RIDES, FUN!



MAY 3-5, 2019

FRIDAY: 5PM-9PM

SATURDAY: 10AM-9PM

SUNDAY: 10AM-6PM

WRISTBAND SALES

Monday, April 29, 5:30-7:00pm

@ St. Edmund Cafeteria

Thursday, May 2, 7:30-8:30am

@ Jeanmard Hall

**BOILED CRAWFISH, ETOUFEE, BURGERS, FRIED FISH,
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BINGO ALL WEEKEND

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