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MASS TIMES SCHEDULE:

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

Tuesday & Thursday 12:05 p.m.

Saturday Vigil 4:00 pm

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

First Sunday of Lent

FEBRUARY 26, 2023

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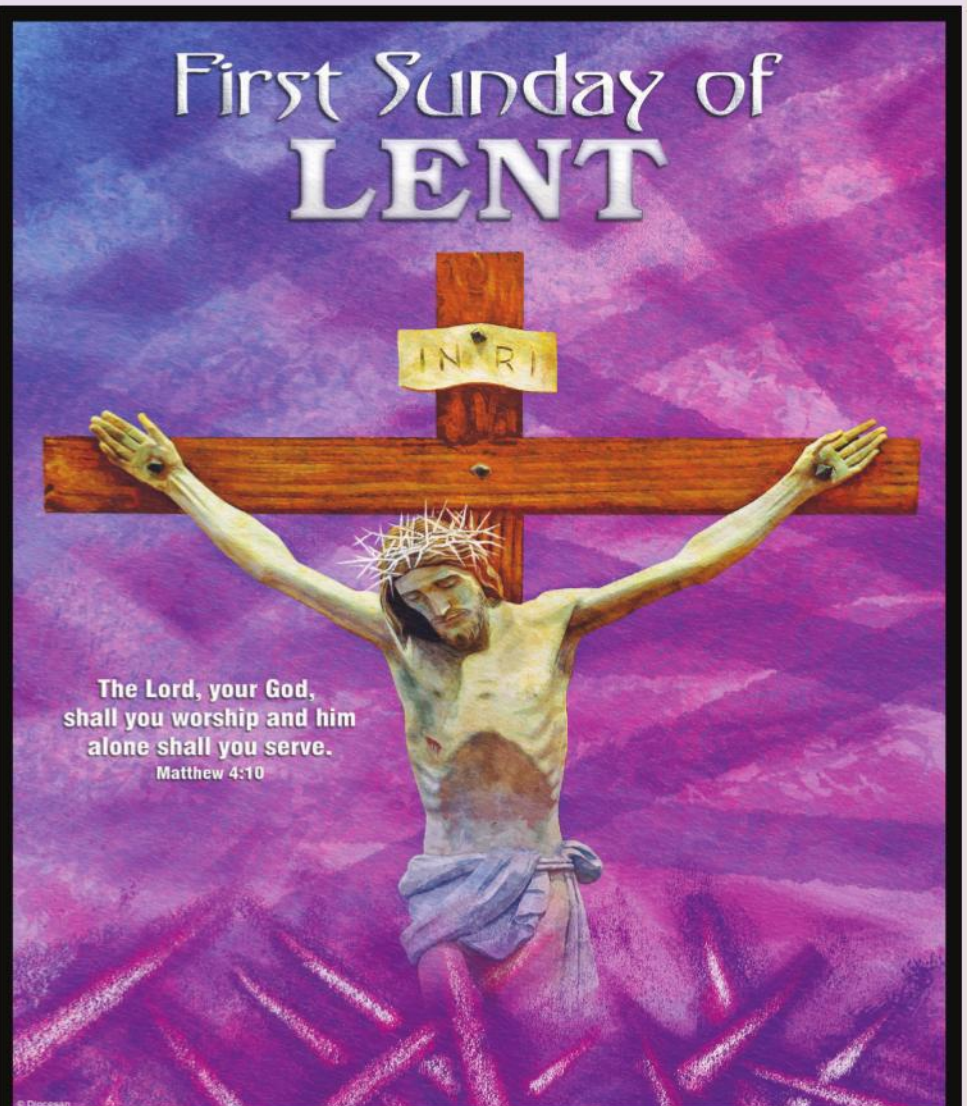
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ST. ANTHONY CHURCH LENTEN MISSION

March 8, 15 & 22, 2023

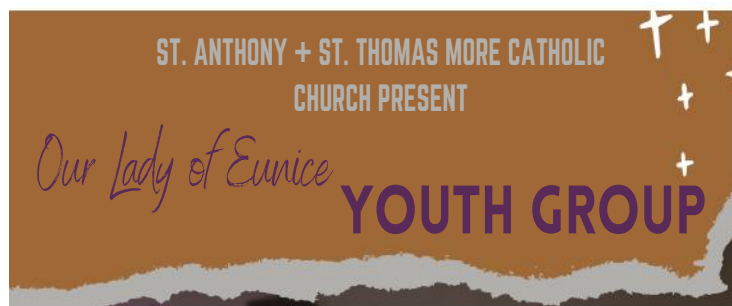
Talks at St. Anthony Church

(then meet with Youth in Hall @ 7:00 p.m.)

* March 8 @ 6:00 p.m.
Fr. Michael Delcambre
Pastor of Sacred Heart of
Jesus, Broussard, LA

* March 15 @ 6:00 p.m.
Fr. John Joseph, CJC
Diocesan Priest -
Community of Jesus
Crucified, Lafayette, LA

* March 22 @ 6:00 p.m.
Mr. Kyle Melancon
Director of Youth and Young Adult Ministry
Diocese of Lafayette



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6 PM - 8 PM

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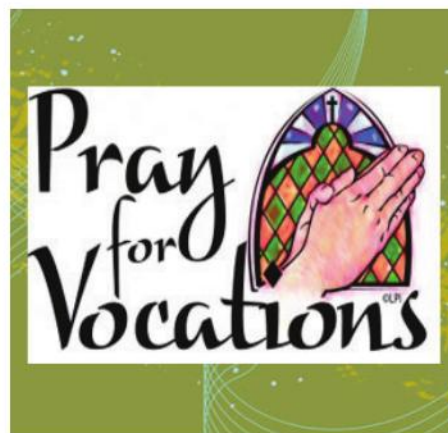
We are so excited with the attendance so far at the Our Lady of Eunice Youth Group! We need parents and volunteers to prepare food each week. If this is something you would like to do please commit to a week on the meal train website:

<https://mealtrain.com/2nq02m>



Extraordinary Ministers Of Holy Communion Workshop

On Tuesday, **March 14, 2023 at 6:00 PM** in Church, Deacon Gary will be hosting a **MANDATORY** Workshop for all Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. This includes **ALL** ministers: for example: those who serve on weekends, school Masses, homebound ministers, and any new persons who might want to become an E.M.O.H.C. Even if you have been serving for a long time, you are **REQUIRED** to attend this workshop. There will be new guidelines as well as information on the do's and don'ts concerning this ministry. If you are not able to attend, you are to speak with Deacon Gary at the rectory.



The **Winston & Cindy Frey** family has accepted the Vocations Prayer Cross and is praying for vocations **February 18 - March 3, 2023**. If your family would like to host the Vocations Prayer Cross in your home for 2 weeks, please call the office: 337-457-5285

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

February 26, 2023

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STEWARDSHIP TO ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

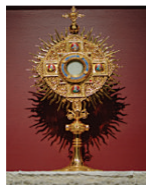
****NOTE:** We will report the collections for
February 12 & 19 in the March 5 bulletin.



Thank you for your generosity.

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

PERPETUAL ADORATION



Adorers thank Jesus for the following favors:

- 1) Continuously guiding my son home safely.
- 2) Fruitfull and safe pilgrimage.

ADORERS NEEDED for the following hours
starting at: Mon 1 am, 2 am; Fri 1 am, 2 am; Sat 12
midnight, 11 pm. Prayer Partner needed Wed 2 am

To commit one hour, call Brenda Castro 337-457-7965.

Come spend an hour with Jesus...

NEW SANCTUARY CANDLE

St. Anthony of Padua Church has a new Sanctuary Candle holder. The candle inside the holder will burn for 14 days. This is a new way to honor your loved ones with the 14 day Sanctuary Candle. We will post the honored family or family member in our bulletin for two weeks.



The cost for the candle is \$20.

February 20 - March 5, 2023
C.D.A & L.A.S

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, February 27

6:15 a.m.: Cecil LeBlue (*Anniv. of Death*); Lowana Devillier (*Liv. - Birthday*); Sandifer Burson fly. (*Liv.*); Lu Young (*Birthday*)

Tuesday, February 28

12:05 p.m.: Frankie LaFleur; JoAnn DeRouen; Debbie DeRouen; Clara Schneider (*Birthday*); Philip Montelaro (*Birthday*)

Wednesday, March 1

6:15 a.m.: Jeffery Michael Cleland (*Liv. - Birthday*); John Michael Fruge (*Birthday*); John Seegar; Jacques & Oline Guillory; Eloise LeJeune; Jacob Vige; Richlynn Fruge (*Liv. - Birthday*)

Thursday, March 2

12:05 p.m.: JoAnn DeRouen; Debbie DeRouen; James C. LaFleur

Friday, March 3

6:15 a.m.: Fr. Austin Leger; M/M Auggie Leonards; Denise Hanks; Harold Landreneau; Dea & Loreta Godeaux; J. Dudley Guillory (*Anniv. of Death*); Loraine Lemoine (*Liv.*)

Saturday, March 4

4:00 p.m.: Segar & Courville fly. (*Liv. / Dec.*); Patsy Ruth

Fontenot fly. (*Liv./ Dec.*); Dr. Sylvan Manuel; Lance Miller; Lillie Ann Fontenot; Payton Angelle (*Liv.*); Elward P. Reed fly. (*Liv./ Dec.*); Nicole Fontenot Perry; Newton Thibodeaux; Beth Sylvester; Burke Sylvester (*Liv.*); Terry Sylvester (*Liv.*); Rev. Fr. Verbis LaFleur; Rev. Fr. Will Sylvester; Dutch Spekschate; L. D. Savoy; Holly Cooper; Paul Rozas; Joseph J. Deshotel; Jewel Pavur; Rowland & Lourella Fontenot; Bobby Soileau fly, (*Liv./ Dec.*); Ella Mae Sonnier (*Birthday*); Ed Kennon

Sunday, March 5

7:00 a.m.: Parishioners of St. Anthony; Kade Guidry; Todd Gaspard

9:00 a.m.: Fr. Austin Leger; Frankie LaFleur; Martha Prudhomme; Debbie DeRouen; JoAnn DeRouen; Johnny Hatler; James Porche

11:00 a.m.: M/M Norris Young; John Michael Fruge; John Seegar; Donald Tanner fly. (*Liv./ Dec.*); Shelton Manuel fly. (*Liv./ Dec.*); Patsy Andrus

6:00 p.m.: George & Ella Mae Sonnier

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE FOR LENT, HOLY WEEK & SEASON OF EASTER 2023

Parishes of St. Anthony of Padua and St. Mathilda • Eunice , Louisiana

February 22 • ASH WEDNESDAY • Mass & Distribution of Ashes

St. Anthony: 6:00 a.m. • 12:05 p.m. • 6:00 p.m. • St. Mathilda: 5:15 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASS: St. Anthony: Mon., Wed., Fri. at 6:15 a.m / Tue., Thu. at 12:05 p.m.
St. Mathilda: Tue., Wed., Thu. at 5:15 p.m.

THE WAY OF THE CROSS: All Fridays - St. Anthony: at 5:30 • St. Mathilda: at 5:15

PARISH MISSION: Wednesday, March 8th, Fr. Michael Delcambre @ 6:00 p.m.

at St. Anthony Wednesday, March 15th, Fr. John Joseph, CJC @ 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday, March 22nd, Mr. Kyle Melancon @ 6:00 p.m

THEME: “The impact of Youth Ministry and it’s connection to Parish and Family Life”

April 2nd Palm Sunday Regular Mass Schedule at both Parishes

PENANCE SERVICE: Wednesday, April 5th at 6:00 p.m. at St. Anthony

April 6th HOLY THURSDAY a.m. Chrism Mass at the Cathedral - 10:30 a.m.

FROM SUNSET ON APRIL 6TH UNTIL SUNSET ON APRIL 8TH
The Paschal Triduum of the Death, Burial and Resurrection of the Lord

NOTE: Liturgies on April 6th, 7th, 8th begin at the same time at both Churches.

April 6th	HOLY THURSDAY p.m.	Mass of the Lord’s Supper - 6:30 p.m.
April 7th	GOOD FRIDAY	Liturgy of the Lord’s Passion - 3:00 p.m. [Begin “Divine Mercy Novena”]
April 8th	HOLY SATURDAY	Mass of the Easter Vigil - 8:00 p.m. [Not for kids!]
April 9th	EASTER SUNDAY	St. Anthony: Mass at 7:00, 9:00 & 11:00 a.m. [No 6:00 p.m.]
April 9th	EASTER SUNDAY	St. Mathilda: Mass at 9:30 a.m.
April 15th	Vigil Mass for <i>Divine Mercy Sunday</i>	St. Anthony at 4:00 p.m. • St. Mathilda at 5:30 p.m. <i>St. Anthony: 5:00 p.m. Begin all night Vigil & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>
April 16th	DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY -	<i>St. Anthony: End all night Vigil before 7:00 a.m. Mass</i> Regular Mass Schedule at both Churches
May 18th	ASCENSION THURSDAY	<i>Celebrated on the 7th Sunday of Easter, May 21st</i>
May 27th	VIGIL OF PENTECOST	Charismatic Praise Mass <u>at the Cathedral</u> - 7:00 p.m.
May 28th	PENTECOST SUNDAY	Conclusion of the Easter Season

EXTRAORDINARY LAY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION, LECTORS & ALTAR SERVERS

SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 2023

4:00 p.m.	Candy Atteberry, Mitch Fontenot Kal Landry, Tricia Richard	Tad Richard	Cooper DeVillier, Millie Fontenot Jackson Landry, John Austin Landry
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SUNDAY, MARCH 5, 2023

7:00 a.m.	Brad Miller Cliff Miller, Wayne Richard	Jacque Pucheu	Colin Duplechin, Zoie Habetz Caitlyn LeDoux, Aubree Thibodeaux
9:00 a.m.	Jason & Kelly Bertrand, Willis & Mona Bertrand, Michael Ward	Sherry Smith	MacKezie Manuel, Reese Manuel Shawna Manuel, Vincent Thibodeaux
11:00 a.m.	Dcn. Gary Gaudin, James 'Jr.' Bergeron, Sarah Moser Fruge Brett Garcille, Lynn Pavich	Richlynn Fruge	Peyton LaCombe, Jace Miller Elly Ortego, Kaden Thompson
6:00 p.m.	Michelle LeJeune Scotty Richard, April DeRouen	Jude Huckaby	Zoe Ardoine, Ava Warner Laura Grace Warner, Rose Young

MEETINGS & EVENTS

Monday, February 27

Daily Mass -- 6:15 a.m.
Elementary Faith Formation -- 4:00 p.m.
Jr. High Faith Formation -- 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, February 28

St. Edmund School Mass -- 9:00 a.m.
Daily Mass -- 12:05 p.m.

Wednesday, March 1

Daily Mass -- 6:15 a.m.
**Our Lady of Eunice Youth Group [9th - 12th Grade] --
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. at Parish Hall.**
RCIA @ St. Thomas More Hall -- 6:00 p.m.

Thursday, March 2

Ladies Altar Society -- 9:00 a.m. Parish Hall.
St. Edmund School Mass -- 9:00 a.m.
Daily Mass -- 12:05 p.m.
Women's ACTS Mission Formation--6:00 p.m. @
Leonville.

Friday, March 3

Daily Mass -- 6:15 a.m.
KC's Fish Fry -- 4:30 - 6:30 p.m. at KC Hall.
Way of the Cross -- 5:30 p.m. in Church.
Baptismal Class -- call the Rectory to register.

Saturday, March 4

First Saturday Mass -- 8:00 a.m. at St. Thomas More.
Confessions -- 3:00 p.m. / Anticipated Mass -- 4:00 p.m.

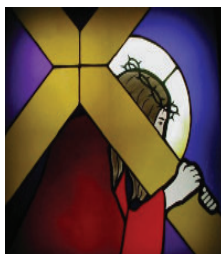
Sunday, March 5

Masses -- 7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
Teen Mass -- 6:00 p.m.
QUEST Night -- 7:00 p.m. Parish Hall.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FRIED FISH DINNER

St. Anthony's Knights of Columbus Council 1745 is sponsoring a Fish Fry on **Friday, March 3, 2023**. The price for each dinner is \$12.00. You can pick up your Fried Fish Dinner on Friday from **4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.** at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Eunice. You may purchase a ticket the weekend of **February 25 / 26** after all masses or contact any Knight.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS



The Stations of the Cross are celebrated at St. Anthony Church on **Fridays during Lent at 5:30 p.m. in Church.**

2022 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS AVAILABLE

If you have made any contributions to the church through the envelope system or by bringing the contributions to the office -- your 2022 contribution statement will be available at the Rectory office. Call the office (457-5285) and leave your name and address -- and the contribution statement will be mailed to your home.



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CURRENT FAMILIES

BEGINS ON MARCH 6, 2023

ADMINISTRATION OFFICE

8:00 AM - 3:00 PM

NEW FAMILIES

BEGINS ON MARCH 13, 2023

GRADES 1-12 APPLY ONLINE AT

www.stedmund.com.

GRADES PK and K COMPLETE REGISTRATION

PACKET IN ADMINISTRATION OFFICE

8 :00 AM - 3:00 PM

***DISCOUNT REGISTRATION FEES apply if registration is completed by March 31, 2023.**

***ONLINE APPLICATIONS must be completed for all NEW STUDENTS in grades 1-12.**



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peace in the world!*



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