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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)

## PENTECOST SUNDAY

MAY 28, 2023

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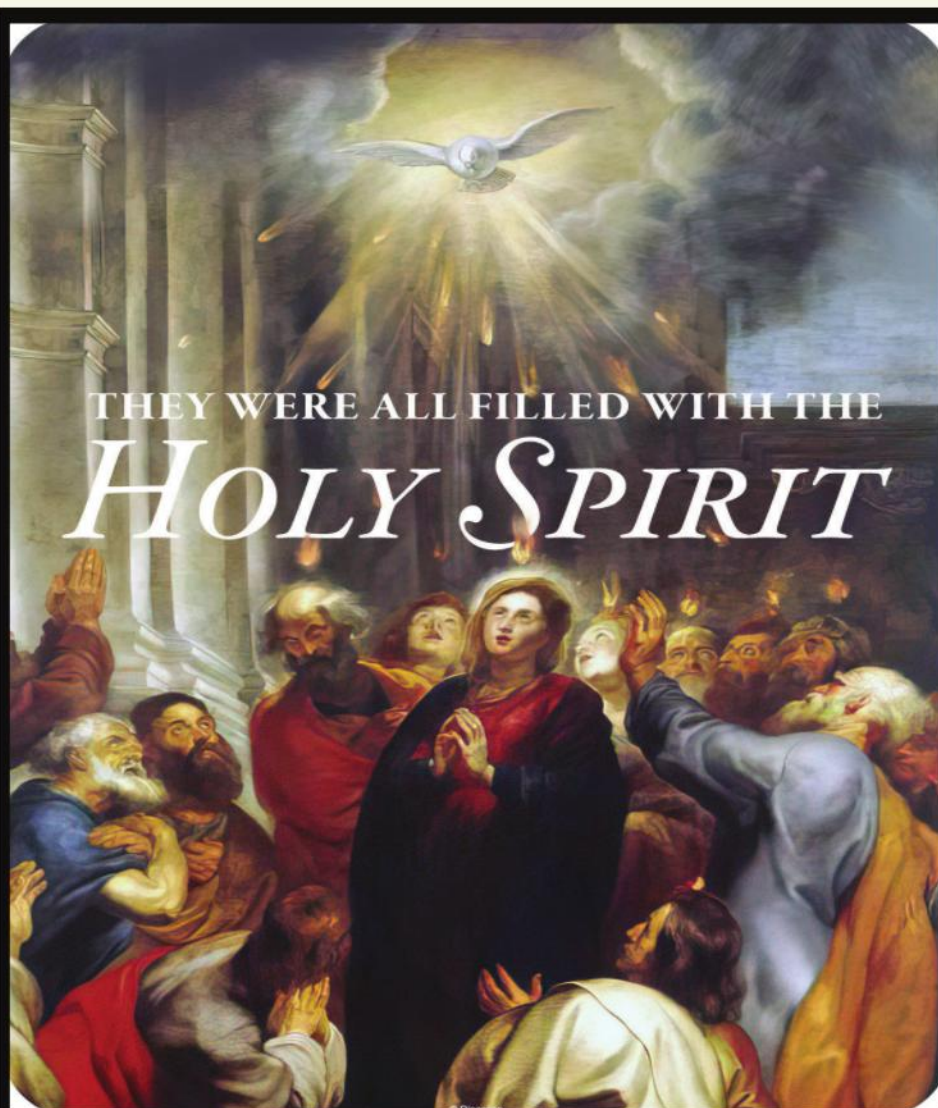
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## BISHOP'S SERVICES APPEAL

Dear Fellow Parishioners,

I wish to commend and thank you all on behalf of Fr. Hampton and myself for your generous contributions to date for the Bishop Services Appeal. We have passed fifty percent of our goal, but the task is not over yet.



An interesting fact which you may or may not be aware of is that fifty percent of any amount over our goal comes back to our parish - no strings attached. Let me once again encourage all of us to prayerfully consider meeting that goal.

Our community has always stepped up to meet challenges. I pray that we can once again accomplish this goal hopefully sooner than later.

God Bless you and your families.

Prayerfully thanking you advance,

Charles S. Feucht, St. Anthony Parish BSA Chairman

## ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS



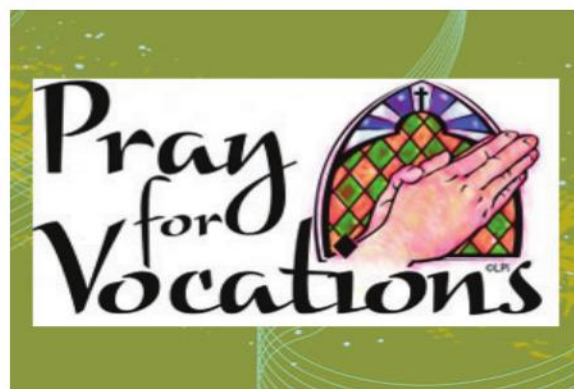
Do you or someone you know have a problem with alcohol addiction? Alcoholics Anonymous can help!

Meetings are held each Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. at the R.O.C.K. (the youth house behind the St. Thomas More education building) For more information, call Freddie @ 337-200-1538.

## DAILY ROSARY PRAYED IN MAY



Our Catholic Daughters invite everyone to a daily Rosary, prayed at the statue of Mary during the month of May at 5:30 p.m. Bring your lawn chair or a blanket to sit on. Come join us in prayer!



The **Ben & Rachel Smith** family has accepted the Vocations Prayer Cross and is praying for vocations

**May 28 - June 9, 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



# PENTECOST SUNDAY

May 28, 2023

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## STEWARDSHIP TO ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

April 30, 2023

Sunday's Offertory.....	\$8,981.00
Mailed-In Offertory .....	836.25
Online Contributions .....	1,628.10
Total Offertory.....	<u>\$11,445.35</u>
Catholic Home Missions Appeal .....	\$832.00

May 7, 2023

Sunday's Offertory.....	\$7,296.00
Mailed-In Offertory .....	3,690.00
Online Contributions .....	540.00
Total Offertory.....	<u>\$11,526.00</u>
Parish Maintenance & Insurance Fund.....	\$1,905.00
Weekly Average 2023 .....	\$12,737.00

**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) For the gift of confession.
- 2) For a successful 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Mass.

**ADORERS NEEDED for the following hours**  
**starting at: Sun. 1 pm; Mon 2 am; Fri 2**  
**am, 3 am, 8 pm; Sat 12 midnight, 3 pm, 10 pm, 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.



**There are only 5 open dates remaining in 2023.**  
**Call to schedule your 14 day candle intention.**

**May 29 - June 11, 2023**  
**Bob & Greta Manuel family**

## MASSES FOR THE WEEK

### Monday, May 29

**6:15 a.m.:** John Michael Fruge; Dr. Ben Miller; Jeanne Feucht  
(*Liv. - Birthday*)

### Tuesday, May 30

**12:05 p.m.:** Frankie LaFleur; Patsy Andrus; Souls in Purgatory;  
Donald & JoAnn Fruge family; Herman & Verlie LaFleur  
family; Rose & Daniel Fruge family; Lelia Stanford

### Wednesday, May 31

**6:15 a.m.:** John Michael Fruge; Eloise LeJeune

### Thursday, June 1

**12:05 p.m.:** Baylor Elizabeth Johnson (*Liv. - Birthday*); Collins  
Catherine Johnson (*Liv. - Birthday*); Claude Michael Smith (*Liv. -*  
*Birthday*); Theodore & Aimee Fontenot; Joshua Godeaux; Patsy  
Andrus; Cindy Miller (*Anniv. of Death*); A.C. & Jeanne Miller

### Friday, June 2

**6:15 a.m.:** Fr. Austin Leger; M.M Auggie Leonards; Denis  
L. Hanks; Harold Landreneau; Dean & Loreta Godeaux;  
Judson Ardoin

### Saturday, June 3

**4:00 p.m.:** Patsy Ruth Fontenot family; Dr Sylvan Manuel; Payton  
Angelle (*Liv.*); Elward P. Reed family; Newton Thibodeaux;

Beth Sylvester; Burke Sylvester (*Liv.*); Terry Sylvester (*Liv.*);  
Rev. Fr. Verbis LaFleur; Rev. Fr. Will Sylvester; Dutch  
Spekschate; Segar & Courville fly; Joseph J. Deshotel;  
Rowland & Louella Fontenot; Bobby Soileau family; Jacob  
Vige; Patsy Andrus; Ella Mae Sonnier; Lenese Mire; Kenneth  
Mire; Holly Cooper; Rosalind Chachere; Charles & Belinda  
Francois (*Liv. - 45<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniv.*); Monica Stephens (*Liv.*); Lisa  
Leger (*Liv.*); Linda Quirk (*Liv.*)

### Sunday, June 4

**7:00 a.m.:** Parishioners of St. Anthony; Todd Gaspard; Eloise  
LeJeune; M/M Isaac Laverigne; M/M Elloi Rider;

**9:00 a.m.:** Fr. Austin Leger; Frankie LaFleur; JoAnn DeRouen;  
Debbie DeRouen; Rivers & Mercedes Vidrine; Martha  
Prudhomme; Kenny Landry; Israel family; Larry Stout;  
Callahan Vizena; Jr. Bergeron fly.; Hayward Manuel family

**11:00 a.m.:** M/M Norris Young; Henry Chaise Brown;  
Donald Tanner fly.; Shelton Manuel fly.; Zachery Potter;  
Robert Miller (*Birthday*); David Grant Fontenot; John Michael  
Fruge; John Seegar

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

## PARISH ADVISORY COUNCIL ELECTION RESULTS

Congratulations to our 2 new members of the Parish Advisory Council:

*Michael Driggs and Richlynn Fruge*

Rotating off the Council are:

*Wayne Richard and Candy Atteberry*

Many thanks to all of our wonderful nominees who offered to serve our parish.

## Widows Ministry Meeting



Widows Ministry is ready to begin. Our first meeting will be held at St. Thomas More's Social Hall on Saturday, June 3, 2023, following the 8:00 am 1st Saturday mass.

If you are a widow, please consider joining us. If you are unable to attend the meeting and are interested in joining, please call the office at St. Thomas More.

*Please spread the word to other widows.*



## BIBLE FUNDRAISER

Benefiting the Religious Education programs of  
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## DAILY GIVE AWAY

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## EXTRAORDINARY LAY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION, LECTORS & ALTAR SERVERS

### SATURDAY, JUNE 3, 2023

4:00 p.m.	Dcn. Gary Gaudin, Vergie Ardoine, Cliff Miller Candy Atteberry, Barbara Thibodeaux	Nikki Sonnier	Cooper DeVillier, John Patrick Fruge Caitlyn LeDoux, Aubree Thibodeaux
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### SUNDAY, JUNE 4, 2023

7:00 a.m.	Wayne Richard, Doug Marcantel, Stephaie Manuel	Michele Stelly	Hayden Lafleur, Lucy Mire Luke Mire, Olivia Smith
9:00 a.m.	James 'Jr.' Bergeron, Rachel Andrus, Cindy Frey, Jason & Kelly Bertrand	Kyle Deshotel	Colin Duplechin, Benjamin Guillory, Kaden Thompson, Koy Trahan
11:00 a.m.	Sarah M. Fruge, Todd & Debbie Ortego Lynn Pavich, Candace Walker	Jennifer Miller	Anna Fruge, Reese Fruge Peyton LaCombe, MacKenzie Manuel
6:00 p.m.	Rickey Aguillard Ree Baudin, Kim Miller	Chris Baudin	Evan Aucoin, William Brown Brennan Manuel, Kate Miller

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 DISCOVERMASS

## MEETINGS & EVENTS

**C.D.A. Daily Rosary for the month of May @ 5:30 p.m.**

### Monday, May 29 -- Memorial Day

Daily Mass -- 6:15 a.m.

Rectory Office closed

### Tuesday, May 30

Daily Mass -- 12:05 p.m.

Happy Days Counselor Meeting--10:00 a.m. in Parish Hall

### Wednesday, May 31

Daily Mass -- 6:15 a.m.

**Our Lady of Eunice Youth Group [9<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> Grade]  
6:00 - 8:00 p.m. in Parish Hall.**

### Thursday, June 1

Daily Mass -- 12:05 p.m.

### Friday, June 2

Daily Mass -- 6:15 a.m.

### Saturday, June 3

First Saturday Mass--8:00 a.m. at St. Thomas More Church

Confessions -- 3:00 p.m.

Anticipated Sunday Mass -- 4:00 p.m.

### Sunday, June 4

Mass: 7:00 am, 9:00 am & 11:00 am

Teen Mass -- 6:00 p.m.



## COME, LORD JESUS MASS



*Come Lord Jesus! Anniversary Mass* will be held Tuesday, May 30, 4:00 p.m., @ St. Augustine's Church, Basile with a reception following afterwards. Please bring a covered dish. Everyone is invited.

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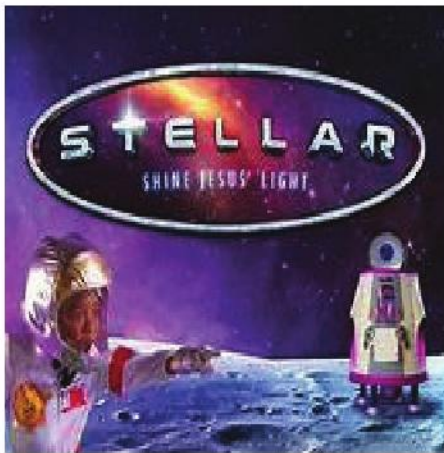
**Teens AND Adults** are NEEDED to help with our Happy Days Program (June 5 - 9) to serve as counselors (group leaders).

If you are in grades 6-12 and would like to volunteer, please attend the Junior counselor Workshop. **Happy Days Jr. Counselor Meeting** will be held **Tuesday, May 30 at 10:00 a.m.** in the Parish Hall.



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

**Contact Marianne Lombas  
337-466-6868 for more info!**



## Happy Days Registration Form:

**Dates:** Monday, June 5<sup>th</sup> to Friday, June 9<sup>th</sup>

**Time:** 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at the Parish Hall

**Grades:** Any child entering Kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

**Fee:** \$15.00 per child

***DROP this form at the Faith Formation Office -- or -- Rectory Office***

***OR -- MAIL TO: St. Anthony Happy Days;***

***310 W Vine Ave.; Eunice, LA 70535***

**Child's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Grade entering 2023-2024:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parents:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Work Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Emergency Name & Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

***Please bring a bag of cookies - or - a 3 liter bottle of Hawaiian punch.  
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### TEEN SPONSORSHIP

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MARIANNE LOMBAS

337-466-6868

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**Please pray for:** Amanda Goff, Michael Brunet, Jeff & Ashley Bentivegna, Peggy Comeaux, Betty Broussard, LaTanya Broussard, Norma Diaville, Dcn. Robbie Leger, Linda Gaudin, Genny Dischler, Colleen Landreneau, Ben Burson, Joan

Burson, Joanne Fruge, Jacqueline Thevis Shirley, Robert 'Robby' Miller, Craig Durbin, Ian C. Deshotel, Chase LeJeune, Laura Ogas, Larry Brown, Matthew Vidrine, Linda Pitre, Benny Feucht, Carrol Godeaux, Craig Cart, Krista Stelly, Charles Soileau, Brittney Manuel, Jill Vincent, Steve Lavergne, Melissa 'Missy' Lavergne, Fannie Montelaro Augustine, Jayln Mitchell, Rosemary Smith, Brian Janot, Kendall Janot, Glen & Sharlene Laughlin, Beryl Ortego, Melinda Boenig, Sarah Brown, Billy Best.

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