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PAROCHIAL VICAR: Rev. Fr. Nick Ware

DEACON: Deacon Gary Gaudin

## **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)

## Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

FEBRUARY 11, 2024

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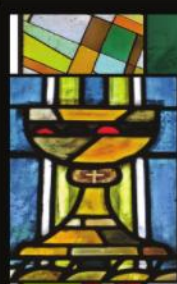
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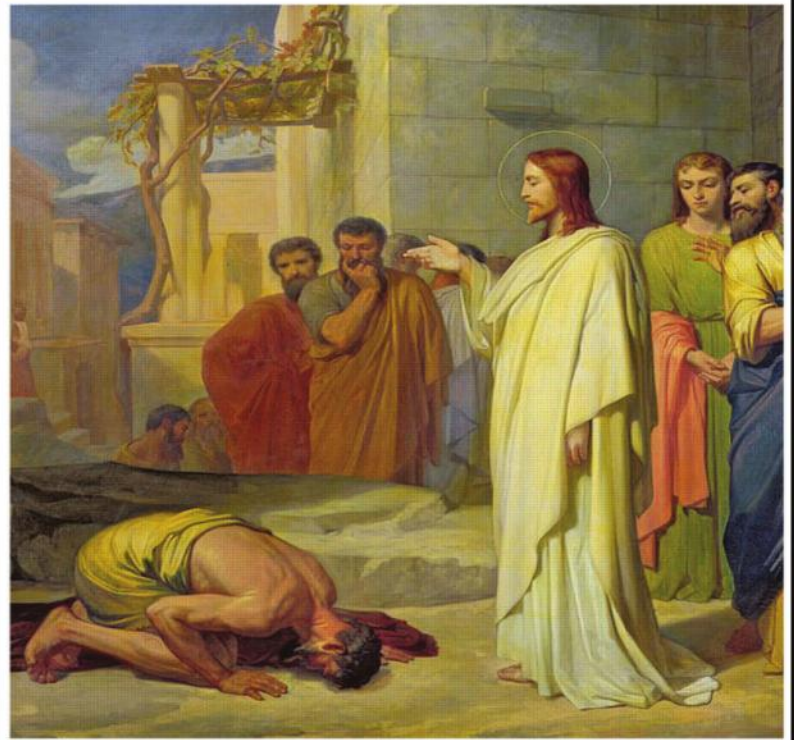
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## 6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

A leper came to him  
and kneeling down begged him and said,  
"If you wish, you can make me clean."  
LUKE 14:1



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## CURRENT FAMILIES

BEGINS ON MARCH 11, 2024

ADMINISTRATION OFFICE

8:00 AM - 3:00 PM



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## NEW FAMILIES

BEGINS ON MARCH 18, 2024

GRADES 1-12 APPLY ONLINE

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GRADES PK AND K COMPLETE

REGISTRATION PACKET IN

ADMINISTRATION OFFICE

8:00 AM - 3:00 PM

### DISCOUNTED REGISTRATION FEES WHEN YOU COMPLETE REGISTRATION PORTION IN MARCH

*St. Edmund Catholic School admits students of any sex, race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of sex, race, color, national and ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs.*

# SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

February 11, 2024

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## STEWARDSHIP TO ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

January 28, 2024

Sunday's Offertory .....\$10,607.00

Mailed-In Contributions .....1,020.00

Online Contributions .....1,137.00

Total Offertory for the week.....\$12,764.00

Collection for Church in Latin America .....\$611.00

Weekly Average 2024 ..... \$13,160.00

Number Registered Parish Families.....1589

### 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) Your profound peace.

2) Great joy.

**ADORERS NEEDED** for the following hours

**starting at: Sun 10 am; Mon 2 am; Sat 3pm**

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 way to honor your loved ones with the 14 day Sanctuary Candle. We will post the honored family / family member in our bulletin for 2 weeks.



*Dates are now available for 2024.*

**February 5 - 18, 2024**

**Harry Summerlin family**

## MASSES FOR THE WEEK

### Monday, February 12

**6:15 a.m.:** Jack Burson (*Liv. - Birthday*); Marie R. Fruge (*Birthday*); Jacob Vige (*Anniv. of Death*)

### Tuesday, February 13 -- Mardi Gras

**\*\*8:00 a.m.:** R.A. & Gerry Keller; Beatrice O. Leonards (*Anniv. of Death*); Frankie LaFleur; Shelton Manuel; Souls in Purgatory; Patricia Atchison; Kendall Fontenot

### Ash Wednesday, February 14

**6:00 a.m.:** Jacob Vige; Frankie LaFleur; Taylor LeDoux; Eloise LeJeune

**12:05 p.m.:** R.A. & Gerry Keller; Sandra Sue Rozas; Jack & Lois Miller; George & Pat Schneider; Penny Schneider; Dr. Ben Miller; Julius Bischoff Sr. (*Anniv. of Death*); Patricia Atchison; Dr. Rodney & Colleen Landreneau; Lourella Fontenot; Skye & Jude Johnson (*Liv.*); Anne Nicole Johnson (*Liv.*); Cole Bergeron (*Liv.*); Nicole & James 'Jr.' Bergeron (*Liv.*); Kendall Fontenot fly.

**6:00 p.m.:** Special Intention for family healing

### Thursday, February 15

**12:05 p.m.:** Rev. Alfred Bacciochi; David Stephens; Mario & Brenda Castro (*Liv.*); Brad Fontenot

### Friday, February 16

**6:15 a.m.:** Michelle Andrus (*Liv. - BD*); Nicole Reed (*Liv. - Birthday*)

### Saturday, February 17

**4:00 p.m.:** Lourella S. Fontenot (*Anniv. of Death*); Khaki Phythian (*Liv. - Birthday*); Norris Young; Patsy Ruth Fontenot fly.; Kern Fruge (*Anniv. of Death*); Louis & Amelia Fontenot fly.; Jay Deshotel fly.; Special Intention; L.D. Savoy; Lillie Ann Fontenot; Newton Thibodeaux; Beth Sylvester; Burke Sylvester (*Liv.*); Terry Sylvester (*Liv.*); Rev. Fr. Verbis LaFleur; Rev. Fr. Will Sylvester; Josie Leger (*Liv. - Birthday*); Holly Cooper; Ricky & Norma Dowell fly; Dianne Helmer fly.; David Stevens; Dr. Rodney & Colleen Landreneau; Courville / Segar fly.; Allison Claire Fruge

### Sunday, February 18

**7:00 a.m.:** Parishioners of St. Anthony; Eloise LeJeune; M/M Eloi Rider; M/M Isaac Lavergne; Kade Guidry; Janelle & Huey Guillory; Dexter Guillory

**9:00 a.m.:** Ross Michael Andrus; Fr. Nick Ware (*Liv.*); Frankie LaFleur; Kendall Fontenot; Joey Paul Godeaux; Dr. Rodney & Colleen Landreneau

**11:00 a.m.:** John Michael Fruge; John Seeger; Henry Chase Brown

**6:00 p.m.:** Heidi Foreman





# ST. EDMUND CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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## ST. EDMUND CATHOLIC SCHOOL CELEBRATES CATHOLIC SCHOOL'S WEEK

### MONDAY: Celebrating Your Community

A central aspect of Catholic education is learning the importance of service to others. When students take part in service activities – both local and beyond – they demonstrate the values and faith they gain through their Catholic education and learn how to make the world a better place. When they observe how others serve the community, they gain an appreciation for how they can continue to serve others their entire lives. Students made artwork to use to decorate their classroom doors.

### TUESDAY: Celebrating Your Students

Schools celebrate students during National Catholic Schools Week by planning enjoyable and meaningful activities for them and recognizing their accomplishments. They encourage students to reflect on the benefits of Catholic education and how the grounding in faith, knowledge, and service it provides will help them throughout their lives. We celebrated our community and teachers, students, and supporters of the year. Community leaders were invited to celebrate mass with us and a reception after to show our appreciation for their selfless dedication to our community. The students were excited to meet these members from our school, church, and city.

### WEDNESDAY: Celebrating the Nation

On National Appreciation Day for Catholic schools, students, families, educators, and other Catholic school supporters communicate the value of Catholic education to government leaders. They share information with leaders on the significant contributions Catholic schools make to the nation and their role in preparing students to be good citizens. They pray for the nation and recognize all those who serve. Students prayed a rosary for our nation, wore red, white, and blue, and Middle and High School had a presentation titled "Keeping Our Students Safe" by LA State Trooper Thomas Gossen.

### THURSDAY: Celebrating Vocations

By focusing on faith, knowledge, and service, Catholic schools prepare children to use their God-given talents to the fullest later in life. National Catholic Schools Week offers an opportunity for students to explore the many life paths that enable them to use their talents well in the service of God and others. By focusing on faith, knowledge, and service, Catholic schools prepare children to use their God-given talents to the fullest later in life. National Catholic Schools Week offers an opportunity for students to explore the many life paths that enable them to use their talents well in the service of God and others. "Hats off to our Amazing Clergy." Elementary students wore crazy hats, and we ended the day with a CSW Pep Rally and Faculty vs. Seniors Volleyball Game.

### FRIDAY: Celebrating Faculty, Staff and Volunteers

Teachers are the backbone of Catholic schools. On this day, schools honor teachers, as well as administrators and staff who support teachers in their important work, and thank the parents, grandparents, alumni, parishioners, and school board members who provide volunteer service.



### TEACHERS OF THE YEAR

ELEMENTARY: Tricia Bertrand

MIDDLE / HIGH: Sam Johnson



### STUDENTS OF THE YEAR

ELEMENTARY: Ava Ardoin

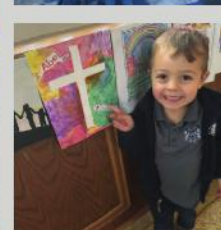
MIDDLE SCHOOL: Briley Brown

HIGH SCHOOL: Copeland Miller



### SUPPORTERS OF THE YEAR:

Brad and Tonya Miller



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

### ASH WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2024

6:00 a.m.	Dcn. Gary Gaudin, Charles Feucht, Doug Marcantel	Jennifer Miller	<i>Altar Servers Needed</i>
12:05 p.m.	Dcn. Gary Gaudin, Cindy Frey, Candy Atteberry, Brad Miller, Lynn Pavich	Krystal Arnaud	<i>Altar Servers Needed</i>
6:00 p.m.	Eric Duos, Tricia Richard, Wayne Richard, <i>Minister Needed</i>	Tad Richard	<i>Altar Servers Needed</i>

### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2024

4:00 p.m.	Dcn. Gary Gaudin, Vergie Ardoin, Cliff Miller Denise LeBouef, Fred Fruge	Jude Huckaby	Cooper DeVillier, Beth Miller Millie Miller, Kaden Thompson
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### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2024

7:00 a.m.	Christain Walker, Debra Miller, Matt Miller	Tara LeBlanc	Kaleb Clark, Colin Duplechin Landon Langley, Joslyn Spekschate
9:00 a.m.	James 'Jr.' Bergeron, Jason & Kelly Bertrand Cindy Frey, Kal Landry	Eric Vizena	Jackson Landry, Joseph Oliver Liam Oliver, Michael Oliver
11:00 a.m.	Willis & Mona Bertrand, Sarah Moser Fruge Dr. Scott & Deborah Eckholdt	Sherry Smith	Madisyn Aucoin, Ainsley Fruge Reese Fruge, Elly Ortego
6:00 p.m.	Scotty Richard, Angel McGee, Jeff McGee	O'Sanna Vidrine	William Brown, John Patrick Fruge Davis Manuel, Molly Manuel

## MEETINGS & EVENTS

### Monday, February 12

**Rectory office Closed**

Daily Mass -- 6:15 a.m.

**No Faith Formation**

### Tuesday, February 13 - Mardi Gras

**Rectory office Closed**

Daily Mass -- **8:00 a.m.--No Noon Mass**

**No Women's ACTS Team Formation**

### Ash Wednesday, February 14

Masses -- 6:00 a.m, 12:05 p.m. & 6:00 p.m.

**St. Edmund School Mass -- 9:00 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, February 15

Daily Mass -- 12:05 p.m.

**ACTS Men Pentecost Meeting -- 6:00 p.m. at the  
Parish Hall.**

### Friday, February 16

Daily Mass -- 6:15 a.m.

Way of the Cross -- 5:30 p.m. St. Anthony Church.

**Confirmation Retreat -- February 16-18 at A.B.C.**

### Saturday, February 17

Confessions -- 3:00 p.m. / Anticipated Mass -- 4:00 p.m.

### FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT February 18

Lent

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

Teen Mass -- 6:00 p.m.

Quest -- 7:00 p.m. at Parish Hall.

## C.D.A. BAKE SALE



Our Catholic Daughters will be having their annual Bake Sale ***THIS weekend: February 10 & Sunday, February 11*** after the weekend Masses. Please stop by their table of delicious baked goods and pick up a special dessert for your family. ***Thank you for your generous help!!***

## NEW SERVERS' SCHEDULE



The new weekend Liturgical Servers' Schedule for March - April will soon be prepared. If you are planning to be away during this time -- or -- if you need to change your schedule - please call the office [457-5285] during office hours. Call by **February 19<sup>th</sup>** to get your changes into the new schedule.



# Our Lady of Eunice Youth Group



**Steven Bertrand  
Youth Minister**

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


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



**WEDNESDAYS  
6-8 p.m.  
@ Jeanmard Hall**

## KC's BOILED SHRIMP PLATES

St. Anthony's Knights of Columbus Council 1745 is sponsoring a Boiled Shrimp plate on **Friday, March 15, 2024**. The price for each plate is \$15.00. You can pick up your Boiled Shrimp plate 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 **March 9 & 10** after all masses or contact any Knight.

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If you have made any contributions to the church through the envelope system or by bringing the contributions to the office -- your 2023 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.

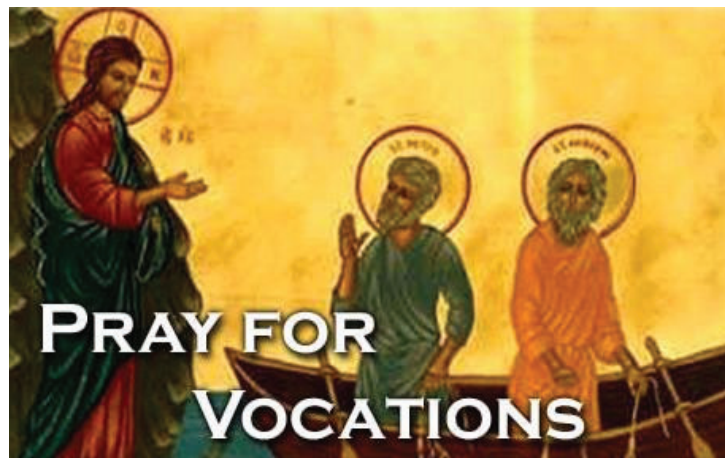


# MINISTERS OF PRAYER



**Please pray for:** Ben Burson, Joan Burson, Benny Foret, Ian C. Deshotel, Chase LeJeune, Lapin & Pat Bertrand, Heidi DeRouen, Mel & Carrol Godeaux, Craig Cart, Krista Stelly, Charles Soileau, Anita Masar, Benny Foret, Robert Richard, Rose Johnson, Andy Courville, Frank & Elaine McGee, Kathleen Bolfa, Hilda Carrier, Ronald Ashford, Joshua Mark LeJeune, Emily LaCombe, Robert 'Robbie' Miller, Jr., Craig Durbin, Steve & Ruth Lavergne, Sandra Richard Lavergne, Kris Kukuczka, Anward Mayeaux, Juanita LeBouef, Sonny Fontenot, Kurt Guillory, John Pere, Ronald J. Ashford, Shirlene Rougeau, Andrew & Loretta Fuselier, Candace Atchison, Kevin LeJeune, Jennifer Labbe, Glen & Sharlene Laughlin, Geri Ruppert, Linda Gaudin, Lance & Trish Elkins, Amanda Goff, Jeff & Ashley Bentivegna, Dianne Olivier.

*Pray for our troops &  
peace in the world!*



The **Trey & Lauren Wimberley** family has accepted the Vocations Prayer Cross and is praying for vocations

**February 3 - 16, 2024**

If your family would like to host the Vocations Prayer Cross in your home for 2 weeks, please call the office: 337-457-5285

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