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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 18, 2024

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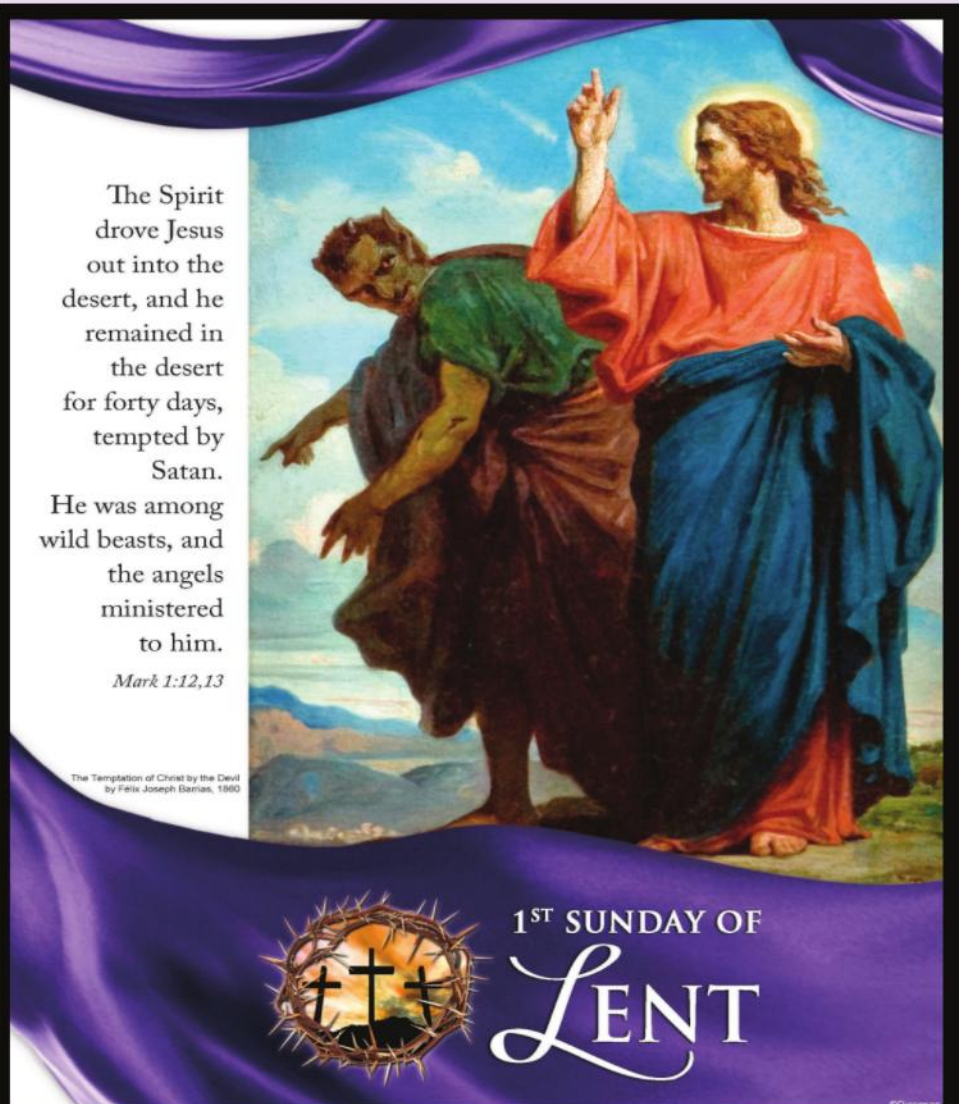
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CURRENT FAMILIES

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.

FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

February 18, 2024
Vol. 59, No. 7

STEWARDSHIP TO ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

February 4, 2024

Sunday's Offertory	\$7,889.00
Mailed-In Contributions	647.00
Online Contributions	660.00
Total Offertory for the week.....	\$9,196.00
Parish Maintenance & Insurance Fund.....	\$2,154.00
Weekly Average 2024	\$12,367.00
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) Friend's healing.
- 2) Allowing me to spend time with you.

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 19 - March 3, 2024
Jessie & Joyce Comeaux family***

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, February 19

6:15 a.m.: Derrick Gautreaux (*Liv. - Birthday*); Catherine Wedlock (*Liv. - Birthday*); Judson Ardoin; Deanna Burson; Kendall Fontenot fly.

Tuesday, February 20

12:05 p.m.: Lelia Stanford; Frankie LaFleur; Caye Wedlock (*Liv. - Birthday*); Souls in Purgatory; Audrey Bertrand (*Liv.*); Sarah Clare; Kendall Fontenot; Robert Bergeron, Sr. (*Birthday*); Glyn & Loeta Beaugh Bergeron; Molley Boone Cartwright (*Anniv. of Death*)

Wednesday, February 21

6:15 a.m.: Eloise LeJeune; Jack Burson, Sr.; Dwayne Young (*Birthday*)

Thursday, February 22

12:05 p.m.: James Thomas Gautreaux (*Liv. - Birthday*); Rev. Donald J. Hebert (*Pastor*); Mercedes Vidrine; David Stephens; Brad Fontenot

Friday, February 23

6:15 a.m.: Lourella S. Fontenot (*Birthday*); Stan Feucht (*Liv. - Birthday*)

Saturday, February 24

4:00 p.m.: Lloyd & Rosalind Chachere; Sandra Sue Rozas; Jacob Vige; Dr. Sylvan Manuel (*Birthday*); Patsy Ruth Fontenot fly.; Roland & Lourella Fontenot; Pauline Fruge Johnson (*Birthday*); Jay Deshotel fly.; Landon Fruge (*Liv. - Birthday*); Newton Thibodeaux; Beth Sylvester; Burke Sylvester (*Liv.*); Terry Sylvester (*Liv.*); Rev. Fr. Verbis LaFleur; Rev. Fr. Will Sylvester; Dutch Spekschete; Holly Cooper; David Stephens; Randy Fontenot (*Anniv. of Death*); L.D. Savoy

Sunday, February 25

7:00 a.m.: Parishioners of St. Anthony; Eloise LeJeune; M/M Eloi Rider; M/M Isaac Lavergne; Kade Guidry; Willie Burson (*Liv. - Birthday*); Janelle & Huey Guillory; Dexter Guillory

9:00 a.m.: Fr. Nick Ware (*Liv.*); Frankie LaFleur; Kendall Fontenot; Joey Paul Godeaux; Getty Eval; Rivers & Mercedes Vidrine; Dora & Joseph Picard

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

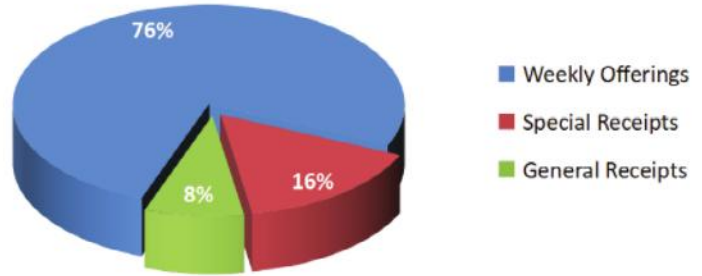
6:00 p.m.: Heidi Foreman

St. Anthony of Padua Church
Schedule of Receipts & Disbursements
Fiscal Year July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023

Receipts:

Weekly Offerings	\$ 641,659
Special Receipts	132,729
General Receipts	68,651
Total	\$ 843,039

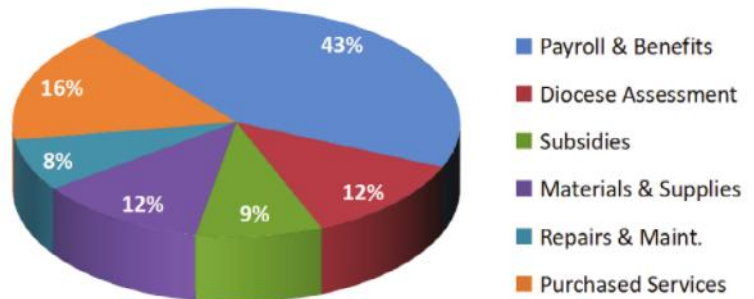
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Disbursements:

Payroll & Benefits	\$ 367,098
Diocese Assessment	106,546
Subsidies	78,355
Materials & Supplies	105,367
Repairs & Maint.	64,379
Purchased Services	140,820
Total	\$ 862,565

DISBURSEMENTS



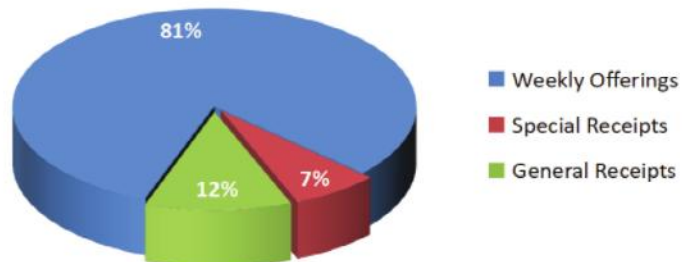
Excess Receipts (Disbursements) \$ (19,526)

St. Anthony of Padua Church
Schedule of Receipts & Disbursements
Six Months July 1, 2023 through December 31, 2023

Receipts:

Weekly Offerings	\$ 342,669
Special Receipts	29,379
General Receipts	49,264
Total	\$ 421,312

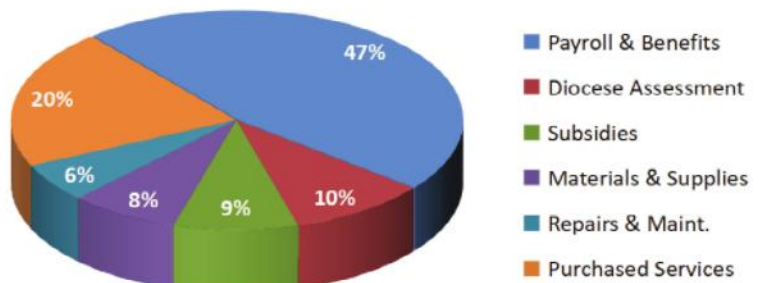
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Disbursements:

Payroll & Benefits	\$ 205,632
Diocese Assessment	43,657
Subsidies	39,000
Materials & Supplies	34,504
Repairs & Maint.	25,639
Purchased Services	91,173
Total	\$ 439,605

DISBURSEMENTS



Excess Receipts (Disbursements) \$ (18,293)

EXTRAORDINARY LAY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION, LECTORS & ALTAR SERVERS

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2024

4:00 p.m.	Dcn. Gary Gaudin, Eric Duos, Mitch Fontenot Dr. Chip Hebert, Cliff Miller	Michele Stelly	Ella Grace Brown, Millie Fontenot Evelyn Parker, Koy Trahan
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SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2024

7:00 a.m.	Dcn. Gary Gaudin Michelle LeJeune, Michael Lombas	John Fruge	Zoe Ardoine, Hayden Lafleur Ross Leger, Natalie Richard
9:00 a.m.	Dcn. Gary Gaudin, Barbara Thibodeaux, Dustin & Adrienne Huckaby, Candace Walker	Richlynn Fruge	Emma Clause, Niles Feucht Sara Grace Feucht, Vincent Thibodeaux
11:00 a.m.	Dcn. Gary Gaudin, Brett Garcille, Brett & Mallie Smith, Glenda Young	Jacque Pucheu	Kyle Bordelon, Zoie Habetz Carter Heinen, Olivia Smith
6:00 p.m.	Dcn. Gary Gaudin Rickey Aguiard, Donnie Darbonne	Rachel Smith	Collin Darbonne, Emma Darbonne Brennan Manuel, Parker Smith

MEETINGS & EVENTS

Monday, February 19

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

Tuesday, February 20

That Man Is You! -- 6:00 a.m. in Parish Hall.
St. Edmund School Mass -- 9:00 a.m.
Daily Mass -- 12:05 p.m.
Women's ACTS Team Formation -- 5:45 p.m. at
Parish Hall.

Wednesday, February 21

Daily Mass -- 6:15 a.m.
Our Lady of Eunice Youth Group [9th - 12th Grade]
6:00 - 8:00 p.m. in Parish Hall.

Thursday, February 22

Daily Mass -- 12:05 p.m.

Friday, February 23

Daily Mass -- 6:15 a.m.
Way of the Cross -- 5:30 p.m. St. Anthony Church.

Saturday, February 24

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

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

February 25

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.

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 19th** to get your changes into the new schedule.



Online voting is now OPEN on our website. It is quick, easy, and just \$1 per vote. Blue Jays, near and far, go to our website to vote for your favorite dancers!

WWW.STEDMUND.COM

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**

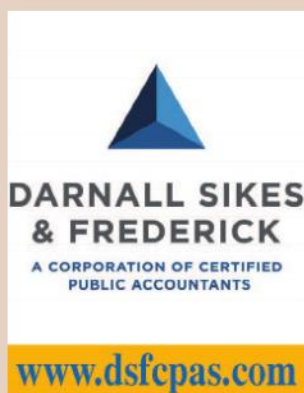
KC's BOILED SHRIMP PLATES

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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Boiled Shrimp
pickup at the K.C. Hall
300 N 2nd street - Eunice, LA
March 15, 2024
Pick-up 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.
Donations: \$15.00/order
(1 LB of shrimp, boiled corn & potatoes)

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2023 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 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.

ST. MATHILDA CHURCH BLACK HISTORY PROGRAM

Everyone is cordially invited to

St. Mathilda's Black History Program

February 25

3:30 p.m.

**Bishop Ceasar's
Hall**

**800 E Laurel Ave.
Eunice, LA**

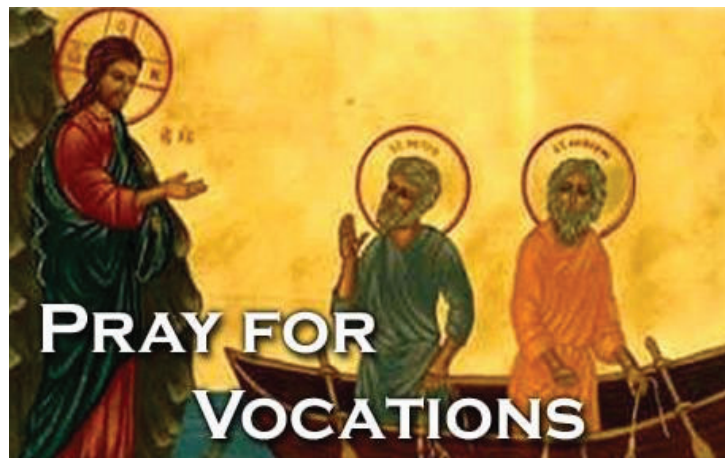


MINISTERS OF PRAYER



Please pray for: Ben Burson, Joan Burson, 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, 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, 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, Ronald James Ashford, Ronald Fontenot.

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



The **Brad & Tonya Miller** family
has accepted the Vocations Prayer Cross
and is praying for vocations
February 17 - March 1, 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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