

GUARDIAN ANGELS  
October 2nd Memorial

God willed the angels into creation to communicate His messages, to protect mankind, and to engage in spiritual battle with fallen demon angels. The age-old tradition of the Church is that every Christian, and perhaps every human being, has an angel guardian protecting him from physical and spiritual harm. Christ warned, "Take care that you do not despise one of these little ones; for, I tell you, in heaven their angels continually see the face of my Father in heaven" (Mt 18:10). An angel was at Christ's side in the Garden of Gethsemane, and an angel delivered Saint Peter from prison. The Fathers of the early Church wrote prolifically about the dense realm of the spirit inhabited by angels. The *Catechism of the Catholic Church* notes that the angels belong to Christ. "They are his angels" (CCC #331). The *Catechism* also quotes Saint Basil, "Beside each believer stands an angel as protector and shepherd leading him to life" (CCC #336).

Some of us are more fortunate and know from childhood that our guardian angels are present and accounted for, standing right over our shoulder, at God's constant command to serve and protect.  
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St. Anthony Catholic Church  
St. Pius X Catholic Church Mission



OUR MISSION STATEMENT  
As a Catholic Church Family,  
we respond to Christ's call,  
evangelize, and welcome all  
generations to the Holy  
Eucharist.

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St. Pius X Mission, 8151 Barataria Blvd., Crown Point, LA  
Pastor: Rev. Luke Nguyen Deacon: Edward "Ted" Cain  
CCD Director: Jenea Hatty CYO Director: Earnest Guidry  
Office Staff: Vera Denet, LeAnn Lightell, Ellie Melancon & Patti Sigur  
Rectory Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
Friday 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

PARISH MOTTO  
St. Pius X adopted the motto  
of St. Paul for his work as  
Pope, "to restore all things in  
Christ, so that Christ may be all  
in all."

MASS SCHEDULE

ST. ANTHONY:  
Monday - Friday: 7:00 a.m.  
Saturday: 4:00 p.m. (Vigil)  
Sunday: 9:00 a.m.  
ST. PIUS X:  
Sunday: 10:30 a.m.

Eucharistic Adoration:

RCIA: Parish Hall - Wednesdays @ 6:30 p.m.

Confessions:

Before weekend Mass or by appointment.

Baptism:

Second Sunday of the month. The Seminar is the first Wednesday of the month at 6:30 p.m. Please contact the rectory for forms prior to seminar.

Marriage:

Please contact Fr. Luke six months prior to desired ceremony date.

Funeral:

Please contact Fr. Luke before final arrangements of funeral.

Anointing of the Sick:

Call the rectory of emergency.

C.C.D. Classes:

Grades K - 11th Mass 9:00 a.m followed by class at the Senior Center for 10:15 a.m.

Ministry to the Sick and Shut In:

Parishioners unable to attend mass and receive communion, please call the rectory.

Scripture Outline & Reflection

READINGS

Habakkuk 1:2-3, 2:2-4;  
Psalms 95:1-2, 6-9;  
2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14;  
Luke 17:5-10

Faith is a gracious gift from God. It can neither be earned nor bought, only responded to with works of love and service (3). A vibrant faith can make us strong, loving, and wise (2), confident that God will guard us from all harm (1). He is the Rock of our salvation (Ps).



"If you have faith the size of a mustard seed, you would say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you."

Luke 17:6





OFFERTORY

We gratefully acknowledge all that God has given to us. In gratitude, we have returned to Him.

Collections September 24th &25th

	ST. ANTHONY	ST. PIUS X
1st Collection:	\$1,381.56	\$304.00
2nd Collection:	\$ 525.54	\$ 95.41

Children’s Collection \$9.00  
This weeks Online Giving \$3,502.00  
**Total Weekly Offerings \$5,812.51**

MASS ATTENDANCE

St Anthony 140	St. Pius X 45
<b>ST. ANTHONY</b> Electric Bill (August) \$2,241.61	<b>ST. PIUS X</b> Electric Bill (August) \$201.89

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When you send forth Your Spirit, they are created, and You renew the face of the earth.

*Psalms 104:30*

*Reflection:* God created the world through the action of His Spirit. God can recreate it in His image through His Spirit.

We pray that the Spirit of God will help us to transform this created world into the Kingdom of God, a place where all of the goods of this world lead us to holiness and not into temptation.

*Prayer: Breathe forth Your Spirit upon us and the world, God, and renew us all in Your image.*

*Daily Meditations with the Holy Spirit*

Our Lady of Prompt Succor Hasten to Help Us!

Our Father in Heaven, through the intercession of Our Lady of Prompt Succor, spare us during this hurricane season from all harm. Protect us and our homes from all disasters of nature. Our Lady of Prompt Succor, hasten to help us. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen



2022 Public  
Fatima Rosary  
OCTOBER 15th  
@ NOON



UNDER THE FATIMA OAK TREE  
IN FRONT OF  
ST. ANTHONY CHURCH

Bring your lawn chair and join us!

MASS INTENTIONS

ST. ANTHONY

October 1st 4:00 pm Gerry Favaloro  
Betty Perrin  
Mike Rivet  
Most Abandoned Souls in Purgatory

October 2nd 9:00 am Joan Coulon  
Wanda & Garrell  
Ethel Autin

ST. PIUS X

October 2nd 10:30 am Daniel Berthelot  
Marcum Olano  
Merlyn Olano  
Lorna Morales  
Marc Olano  
Brent Olano  
Eugene “Genie” Pizani



Prayers for the Sick

Lottie Cheramie Bennett  
and Clay Martin



To have the Sanctuary Lamps burn or have Special Mass Intentions held in honor of a loved one, please notify the rectory **two weeks prior to date.** Envelopes for this purpose can be found at the entrance of the church.



To place flowers on the altar in honor of a loved one, please call the rectory at 689-4101.

PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

Parishioners and Father John Ryan, Dot Perrin, Benjamin Martin, Barbara Perrin, Chris Dufrene, Jr., Edmond (Mike) Savoie, Herman Helmer, June Fazende, Eugene Coulon, Azora Griffen, Morris Arcement, Freddie Prestenbach, Justi Danos, Huey “TeNeg” Perrin, Floyd Porche, Marian Matherne, Mary Lee Rojas, Patricia Cantrelle,, Alvin Adam, Jr., Edward Joseph Hymel, Jr., Angel Dempster, Ronald J. Thomassie, Loraine LaCross, Barbara Adam, Willard O. Masters III, Robert John Laurent, Betty Perrin, Ethel Autin, Mary Maise Bonura, Linda Silver, Joan Coulon and Eugene Pizani.



St. Anthony Sanctuary Lamps

Wanda & Garrell Adam, Jr.  
Ethel Autin

St. Pius X Sanctuary Lamps

Daniel Berthelot  
Merlyn Olano



St. Anthony and St. Pius X Altar Flowers

In Memory of  
Deceased Members  
of our Parish



Parish Events

October 5, 2022 (Wednesday)  
**RCIA**  
St. Anthony Parish Hall 6:30 p.m.

October 15, 2022 (Saturday)  
**Fatima Rosary**  
St. Anthony Church 5:00 p.m.

October 15, 2022 (Saturday)  
**Pot Luck Dinner**  
St. Anthony Parish Hall 5:00 p.m.

October 28, 2022 (Friday)  
**Second Harvest Food Bank**  
St. Anthony Parish Hall 9:00 a.m.