HOLY SPIRIT CHAPEL
ST. ANN CATHOLIC CHURCH
DIOCESE OF LAFAYETTE, LA
14 OCTOBER 2018

Parish Office Staff

Pastor: Fr. Billy Massie
Secretary/
Safe Environment: Anna Walker
Bookkeeper: Curt Miller
Housekeeper: Denise Fontenot

Trustees

Terral Aymond
Greg Manuel

MASS SCHEDULE

St Ann Church

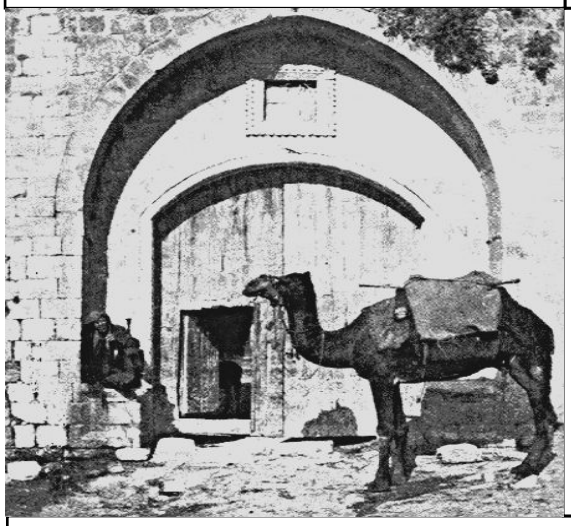
Saturday Anticipated: 4:00pm
Sunday: 7:00am, 10:00am & 5:00pm

Holy Spirit Chapel

Sunday 8:30am

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 6:30am
Wednesday 9:30 Nursing Home 12:10pm St Ann Church
First Friday: 6:30am First Saturday: 8:00 am

Reconciliation/Confession:
Weekend: Sat 3 ~ 3:45, Sun 4:15 ~ 4:45
Weekdays: Beginning 30 minutes before each Mass
Other times by appointment.



It is easier for a camel to pass through (the) eye of (a) needle than for one who is rich to enter the kingdom of God."
Mark 10:25

A similar gate in Nazareth illustrates the eye of the needle gate quite well. You can see that a camel could not pass through the gate unless it first had all its baggage removed and then stooped to get through the gate.

Church Parish Ministries

Alter Servers: St Ann- Candace Manuel / Regina Fontenot; **Holy Spirit** - Sara Thomas
Come Lord Jesus—Bible Study: Jahn Montelaro @ 945-4813 for Tuesday evening group held at the Rel Ed Bldg.
Decorating Committee: St. Ann—Dianne Deculus @ 224-7383; **Holy Spirit** —Cynthia Marcantel @459-1979
Homebound Visitation: Wanda Verrette, Linda Fontenot, Katy Marcantel & Caletta Soileau Call the office to be added to the list.
Knights of Columbus: Grand Knight Terral Aymond @ 831-1917. Meets second Monday of the month
Ladies' Altar Society: Cynthia Deculus @ 831-2415
Little Flowers Girls' Group: Rainee Deshotel @ 831-6171
Nursing Home : Barbara James
Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration: A spiritual power house of the church parish with around 60 adorers spending time with Jesus; General coordinator: Gracie Guillory 468-5551
Prayer Line: To add a name to the list call Bettie @ 468-3201, Caletta @ 580-0333, or Linda @ 468-5311
Scripture Study—Susan LaHaye @ 468-3686
St Ann Church Choir: Christine Fontenot Join us for rehearsal every other Thursday evening and become part of the Choir.
St. Francis Center & Food Bank: helps those in our community who are in need. Lead Volunteer is Cora Chretien. 468-3559
Ushers: Donald Vidrine @ 459-5951
Widows Support Group: 1st Tuesday of Month Pam Gautreaux 337-351-1897

Office Hours: Mon-Thurs **8:00** AM-**4:00** PM Closed for Lunch **12—1** PM Friday: CLOSED
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Twenty-eight Sunday in Ordinary time

CYCLE B

Quote from the early church fathers
Seek the life that endures
by Augustine of Hippo, 354-430 A.D.

"The Lord said to a certain young man, 'If you would enter life, keep the commandments' (Matthew 19:17; Mark 10:17; Luke 18:18). He did not say 'If you would have life' but ***'If you would enter life,'*** defining that life as eternal life. Let us first consider then the love of this life. For this life is loved, whatever its quality; and however troubled it is, however wretched, people are afraid to end it. Hence we should see, we should consider, how much eternal life is to be loved, when this miserable life that must at some time be ended is so loved.

Consider, brothers, how much that life is to be loved when it is a life you never end. You love this life, where you work so much, run, are busy, pant. In this busy life the obligations can scarcely be counted: sowing, plowing, working new land, sailing, grinding, cooking, weaving. And after all this hard work your life comes to an end. Look at what you suffer in this wretched life that you so love. And do you think that you will always live and never die? Temples, rocks, marbles, all reinforced by iron and lead, still fall. And a person thinks that he will never die? Learn therefore, brothers, to seek eternal life, when you will not endure these things but will reign with God forever." (excerpt from SERMON 84.1.9)

WHY DO WE DO THAT? CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED
Question: Who is Ignatius of Antioch and what example does he offer us in Christian living as we celebrate his feast day on October 17th?
Answer: As Bishop of Antioch (the modern day city of Antakya, Turkey), Ignatius witnessed to the faith during the reign of Emperor Trajan, who ruled from 98-117. Persecution of Christians broke out in Antioch, and Ignatius was captured and taken to Rome for martyrdom in the arena. On his journey to Rome over land and sea, Ignatius writes seven letters to various churches. These letters give powerful glimpses into the theology and practice of the early church, along with insights into the role of a bishop as pastoral leader. Ignatius is the first to use the term "Catholic Church" to refer to the various Christian communities of the Roman Empire. The best known of his letters is the one he wrote to the Romans. Ignatius addresses influential Christians who might be tempted to intercede on his behalf, thus sparing him from martyrdom. He advises them against it, being resolute in his desire to be the "wheat of God." Eucharistic links are most evident in his words. As Christ willingly offered Himself as witness to God's total love, Ignatius, too, desired to be "food for the wild beasts," so that he could become "the pure bread of Christ." Eucharistic living was so crucial to Ignatius that he was willing to die in order to model himself on the Lord who willingly offered all.

Parish News

Stewardship

Thank you for your continued support!

		Maintenance
St Ann	**$5,991.00**	**$1,515.00**
Holy Spirit	**$ 843.00**	**$298.00**
Total Both	**$6,834.00**	

ALL SAINTS DAY
(November 1st)
ST ANN OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED
All Saints Day Masses (Holy Day of Obligation):

Wednesday October 31st 5:30 pm Vigil Mass
Thursday November 1st 12:10 am Mass

There will be **NO *12:10*** pm Mass on Wednesday, October 31st at St. Ann's.

There will be **NO *6:30*** am Mass on Thursday, November 1st at St. Ann's.

ALL SOULS DAY – MASS
(November 2nd)
Friday November 2 12:10 pm **St. Ann's Church**

There will be **NO** 6:30 am Mass on Friday, November 2nd .

BLESSING OF CEMETERIES – weather permitting

Friday November 2nd
9:00 am Old St. Ann
1:00 pm New Saint Ann (after 12:10 Mass at St. Ann's).

Saturday November 3rd
8:45 am Reed Cemetery
10:00 am Pain Clare
11:30 am Pine Point

QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

Question for Children: How difficult would it be for you to give something you treasure to someone else who needed it more than you do?

Question for Youth: What is your most important possession? How hard would it be for you to give it up?

Question for Adults: How hard is it for you to part with things you treasure? Do your possessions ever stand in the way of having deeper communion with God?

Weekday Mass Lectors 15 ~ 18 October

Mon 6:30 am	Tues 6:30 am	Wed 12:10	Thurs 6:30 am	1st Fri 6:30 am	1st Sat 8:00 am
Cynthia Marcantel	*Loretta Guillory*	*Susan LaHaye*	*Frieda Tate*		

Weekday Mass Intentions 15 ~ 18 October

Mon	Parishioners
Tue	Souls in Purgatory
Wed (9:30am)	Nursing Home Residents
Wed 12:10	Roderick (Dicky) Young fam: liv & dec//
Thur	Parishioners

Ministers Schedules are available on the parish website, our Facebook page, and printed copies are available in the Sacristy.

Weekend Mass Ministers 20 & 21 October

	4:00 pm	7:00 am	8:30 am	10:00 am	5:00 pm
LECTOR	*Diane Pierrotti*	*Donald Vidrine*	*Cindy LaHaye*	*Ginny Ardoin*	*Linda Fontenot*
Extra-Ordinary Ministers	*Diane Pierrotti* *Faye Parrott*	*Donald Vidrine*	*Katy*	*Diane Deculus* *Suzanne Vidrine*	*Linda Fontenot*
Altar Servers			*Olivia Mayeaux* *Ella Mayeaux*	*Lauren* *Eli*	*Dawson* *Mason*

Weekend Mass Intentions 20 & 21 October

4:00	Cassie Goudeau// Helen Bogard// L J Deculus// Julia & Carol O'Connor// Rosa Mae Hughet// Frederick & Rosa Guillory// Bertha & Francis Soileau// Gracie Zaunbrecher fam// Donald Soileau// Kern Ardoin fam: liv & dec//
7:00	ALL PARISHIONERS
8:30	Bonnie & Jeanard Fontenot// Gracie Zaunbrecher// Clinton & Lovenia Marcantel//
10:00	John Burkeman & Beatrice Young// Darlene Granger// Berkman Courville// Justin Courville// J C Boutte// Brooke Renee Saucier// Ada & Philip Fontenot// Julia & Carol O'Connor// Butch Willis// Nell & Allen Cormier//
5:00	ALL THE SOULS IN PURGATORY

Pope Francis' intention for October
Evangelization: The Mission of Religious
That consecrated religious men and women may bestir themselves, and be present among the poor, the marginalized, and those who have

THANKS
Thanks for the warm welcome to Fr Wantland this past weekend. He enjoyed his stay with us and I pray it was a most productive stop on his journeys.

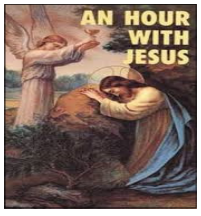
For a list of **Catholic Churches & Mass Times** when traveling, please visit:
www.parishesonline.com

St. Ann Ushers
Come & Join Us
For more information contact
Don Vidrine
459-5951

Hospital Ministers
Tuesday: Nelita Cormier
Friday: Dean Vidrine

Adorers Needed In the Adoration Chapel to spend One Hour with Jesus

Sun 4A **Mon** 12A, 1A, **Wed** 1A, 2A
Thur 1A **Fri** 2A & 3A **Sat** 3A
call Pat Ardoin @ 468-3495 or 360-1016



Sat 8A &10A
call Diana Pierrotti @ 831-0364

Sun 2P **Sat** 1P, 4P **Wed** 3P
call Sandy Granger @ 831-0907

Fri 8P; **Sat** 6P & 11P
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