

**PARISH EVENTS**

- August 11, 2020 (Tuesday) 7:00 p.m.  
**CONFIRMATION**  
St. Anthony Catholic Church
- August 9, 2020 (Sunday) After 11:00 Mass  
**BLESSING OF THE FLEET**  
Kerner Bridge
- September 13, 2020 (Sunday) 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
**POKER KENO (CCD FUNDRAISER)**  
St. Anthony Parish Hall
- September 26, 2020 (Saturday) 11:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.  
**SHRIMP KOOK OFF**  
St. Anthony Parish Hall
- October 4 and 18, 2020 After Sunday Masses  
**KRISPY KREME**
- November 6, 7, and 8, 2020  
**CHURCH FAIR**  
St. Anthony  
(Friday 6th) 6:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.  
(Saturday 7th) 12:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.  
(Sunday 8th) 12:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

**HALL RENTAL**

The St. Anthony and Joseph Halls (St. Pius X) are available to rent for special occasions. For information please contact the Rectory **689-4101**.

**STAY CONNECTED**

**BULLETIN**

For announcements please contact the Rectory **689-4101**.

**WEBSITE**

[www.stanthonylafitte.org](http://www.stanthonylafitte.org)

**EMAIL**

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**ONLINE GIVING**

Online giving now available. Visit our parish website to sign up.

**SECOND COLLECTION**

The second collection during mass will be collected following the first collection. This will allow time for reflection after communion.

**ST. ANTHONY/ST. PIUS X**

To place flowers on the altar, 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.

**ST. PIUS X**

The Church will be locked at all times except during Masses. We have installed a punch button lock box. For access code, please call the rectory.

**SECOND HARVEST FOOD BANK**

FOURTH Friday of each month @ St. Anthony Parish Hall.

**Confirmation**

**August 11, 2020 @ 7:00 p.m.**

**Celebrated by  
Archbishop Gregory Aymond**

**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



**St. Anthony Catholic Church  
St. Pius X Catholic Church Mission**



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St. Pius X Mission, 8151 Baratavia Blvd., Crown Point, LA

Pastor: **Rev. Luke Nguyen** Deacon: **Edward "Ted" Cain**

CCD Director: **Atish Matherne** CYO Director: **Earnest Guidry**

Office Staff: Vera Denet, Stephanie Kuhn, 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.

**OUR MISSION STATEMENT**

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

**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:**

- Tuesday: Mass 7:00 a.m.  
Mass & Novena 4:00 p.m.
- Monday - Friday: 7:00 a.m.
- Saturday: 5:00 p.m. (Vigil)
- Sunday: 8:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

**Rosary:**

- Monday: 7:00 p.m.

**ST. PIUS X:**

- Sunday: 9:30 a.m.

**Eucharistic Adoration:**

- St Anthony Tuesdays  
8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**RCIA:**

- St Anthony Rectory Wednesdays at 7:00 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:**

Available upon request.

**C.C.D. Classes:**

Sunday's grades 10 & 11, Monday's grades 1-9

**Ministry to the Sick and Shut In:**

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

**Scripture Outline & Reflection**

Today's Readings

**Isaiah 55:1-3; Psalms 145:8-9, 15-18;  
Romans 8:35, 37-39;  
Matthew 14:13-21**

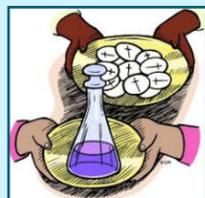
Jesus has pity on the crowd and miraculously feeds them (3). In his compassion, the Lord answers all our needs (Ps), thus renewing his covenant of love with us (1). Nothing can ever separate us from the love of Christ (2).



and he ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass. Taking the five loaves and the two fish, and looking up to heaven, he said the blessing, broke the loaves, and gave them to the disciples, who in turn gave them to the crowds.

*Matthew 14:19*

**OFFERTORY**



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

Collections July 25th & July 26th

**ST. ANTHONY ST. PIUS X**

1st Collection: \$1,660.05 \$110.25

2nd Collection: \$ 493.25 \$

Children's Collection \$

This weeks Online Giving \$180.00

**Total Weekly Offerings \$2,443.55**

**ST. ANTHONY**

Electric Bill (May)

\$1,995.97

**ST. PIUS X**

Electric Bill (May)

\$ 561.13

**MASS ATTENDANCE**

**ST. ANTHONY**

**ST. PIUS X**

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**RCIA ENROLLMENT**



If you or someone you know is interested in becoming Catholic or want to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, please consider attending the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA). The class will begin on Wednesday, August 26, 2020 at 7:00 p.m. Please call the rectory at 689-4101 to be enrolled in the classes.



**COMING SOON!**

October 4 and 18, 2020  
Krispy Kreme Doughnut Sunday's  
Order forms will be located at the entrance of Church to place your prepaid order.  
Proceeds to benefit the CCD Program.  
For more information, call the Rectory.



"The Lord meets the needs of mankind, but wants to render each one of us a concrete participant in his compassion."

*Pope Francis*

**Adoration** will resume Tuesday, July 28. Please consider spending one hour of your day with the Eucharist between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.



"Our heart should be like a bee: get all the sweet we can. Not feelings; feelings come and go - and we thank God for that - but the sweetness of Jesus, the love of Jesus, the hiddenness of Jesus."

*Mother Angelica*

The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.



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**A Story from the Late Fr. Anthony de Mello**

The Multiplication of the Loaves and Fish in Matthew, shows us how Jesus, who was undergoing so much inner struggle—John the Baptist had just died and Jesus himself was beginning to sense his impending death—selflessly set aside his needs and plans out of compassion for others. He had wanted to rest and pray in a deserted place, but when he saw the crowds that had followed, yearning for his cure, the Gospel tells us "his heart was moved with pity for them." There upon he sets aside his personal plans and needs and started to minister to them out of love and compassion.

This is now the setting for the miracle of the multiplication, a setting permeated by a sense of love and compassion. As Jesus responded to the needs of the multitudes, he filled the place with his deep sense of love and compassion. When the time came to attend to the other bodily needs—hunger and thirst—the crowds were ready for the miracle. Jesus' love and compassion had nurtured them to be fertile ground for a miracle.

The account tells us that after he asked for the meager five loaves and two fish, Jesus blessed, broke and gave them away. Then the setting was completed and the miracle took place.

One of the interpretations of this account is that the real miracle was that Jesus was able to touch the heart and soul of the people with him so that those who had some food became generous enough to share, and because they shared, not only did all have enough to eat, but there was even a surplus of 12 wicker baskets of food. From five loaves and two fish they ended up with 12 baskets.

If there is one thing this story—the prefiguring of the Eucharist, the Mass—tells us, it is about the power of love and compassion. Love conquers all, because the first thing it conquers is the self, transforming it from being self-centered into being other-centered. This is the fertile ground that nurtures greater love and compassion. Once selfless, we are ready to offer all in love and compassion for God and others.

*Lifestyle.inq*

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**ST. ANTHONY**

August 1st 5:00 p.m.  
August 2nd 8:00 a.m.  
11:00 a.m.

Brenda Parria  
Brad Carmadelle  
Geraldine Favaloro  
Celie Robin  
Charles Robin, Jr.  
LeAnna Melancon  
Alfred Melancon  
Ellevea Fabre  
Alvin Fabre, Sr.  
Yolanda Rogers  
Joseph Rogers  
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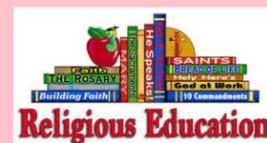
August 3rd 7:00 a.m.  
August 4th 7:00 a.m.  
August 5th 7:00 a.m.  
August 6th 7:00 a.m.  
August 7th 7:00 a.m.

All Souls  
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**ST. PIUS X**

August 2nd 9:30 a.m. Deceased Parishioners

**CCD**



CCD teachers are in need. If you feel called to become a CCD teacher, please contact the rectory for more information. This is a very rewarding experience which will deepen your own faith.

*"God doesn't call the qualified; He qualifies the called."*

**St. Anthony Altar Flowers**



**Joe and Flo Bourgeois**



**St. Anthony Sanctuary Lamps**



*In Memory of*  
**Mrs. Gladys Denet**  
and  
**Patricia Daigle Wildey**

**St. Pius X Sanctuary Lamps**



*Will burn in memory of*  
**Emery Catherine Bordelon and that**  
**Shawn Chauppette Bordelon**  
**feels the Healing Power of**  
**Jesus, Mary and St. Jude**

**PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED**

Parishioners and Eric Frickey, Ragnhild Melford, Andrew Joseph Dempster, Jr., Shelby Frank Olano, Erdie Ronquille, Russell Rojas, Sr., Brenda Parria, Theophile Bourgeois, III, Lourie Perrin Huxen, Harriet Belsome, Brad Carmadelle, Paul Lebeau, Daniel J. Boutte, Lawrence Michel, Jr., Ruth Marie Whipple, Celie Robin, Stanley Forse, Maude Hymel, Vivian Fisher, David Perrin, Esther Mayfield, Geraldine Favaloro, Lynn Sawyer, Ricky Matherne, Joseph Smith, Reed Prestenbach, Sr., Ronald J. Perrin, Paul Eschete, Gertie Rosalie Danos, Brent Olano, Elvira Kuhn, Jules Caulfield, Malvin Pizani, Patsy Creppel, Adia Harvey, Errol Perrin, Ida Mayfield Alexie, Joseph Bourgeois, Allen E. Prestenbach, Maude Hymel, Dave Perrin, Vivian Fisher, Stanley Folsie, Dale DeHart, Nancy Lee, Ester Belsome, Jerry Casso, Laurie Lobue, Myron Berthelot, Shelia Ann Neveaux, James A. LaCross, Sr., Mable Perrin, Vera Adams, Patricia Daigle Wildey and Abel Autin.

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