

**POPE FRANCIS ON CONFESSION**

“Someone can say, ‘I confess my sins only to God.’ Yes, you can say to God, ‘forgive me,’ and say your sins. But our sins are also against our brothers, against the Church. This is why it is necessary to ask forgiveness of the Church and of our brothers, in the person of the Priest ... Forgiveness is not something we can give ourselves.”

“[Someone may say:]. Father, I am embarrassed! Even embarrassment is good. It’s healthy to have a bit of shame... it does us good, because it makes us more humble. Don’t be afraid of confession ... When someone is in line for confession he feels all these things - even shame - but then, when he finishes confessing, he leaves (feeling) free, great, beautiful, forgiven, clean, happy. The sacrament of reconciliation is a sacrament of healing.”

**“Be courageous, and go to confession.”**

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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.



**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.”

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Rectory Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Friday 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

**MASS SCHEDULE**

**ST. ANTHONY:**

Monday - Friday: 8:00 a.m.

Liturgy of the Hours: 8:30 a.m.

Rosary: 9:00 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 @ 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:**

Call the rectory of emergency.

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

Grades K - 9th Monday at 6:00 to 7:15 p.m. at Parish Hall. Grades 10th & 11th Sunday at 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. at Parish Hall.

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

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

**WHERE WILL YOU GO?**  
**Scripture Outline & Reflection**

**READINGS**

2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 9-14;  
Psalms 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15;  
2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5;  
Luke 20:27-38

In response to an attempt to ridicule his teaching about life after death, Jesus again proclaims a resurrection of the dead (3), that life is indeed stronger than death itself (1). This is our eternal consolation and hope (2). Then will our joy be truly complete (Ps).



“They can no longer die, for they are like angels; and they are the children of God because they are the ones who will rise.”

*Luke 20:36*

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**OFFERTORY**

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

Collections October 29th and 30th

	ST. ANTHONY	ST. PIUS X
1st Collection:	\$1,130.00	\$292.00
2nd Collection:	\$ 822.00	\$112.00

Children's Collection \$15.00  
 This weeks Online Giving \$82.00  
**Total Weekly Offerings \$2,443.00**

**MASS ATTENDANCE**

ST. ANTHONY	ST. PIUS X
92	34

**ST. ANTHONY ST. PIUS X**

ST. ANTHONY	ST. PIUS X
Electric Bill (September) \$2,510.34	Electric Bill (September) \$333.97

**WHERE DO YOU GO WHEN YOU DIE?**

It's up to you. God offers you the choice. God invites you to come to Him. It is your call.

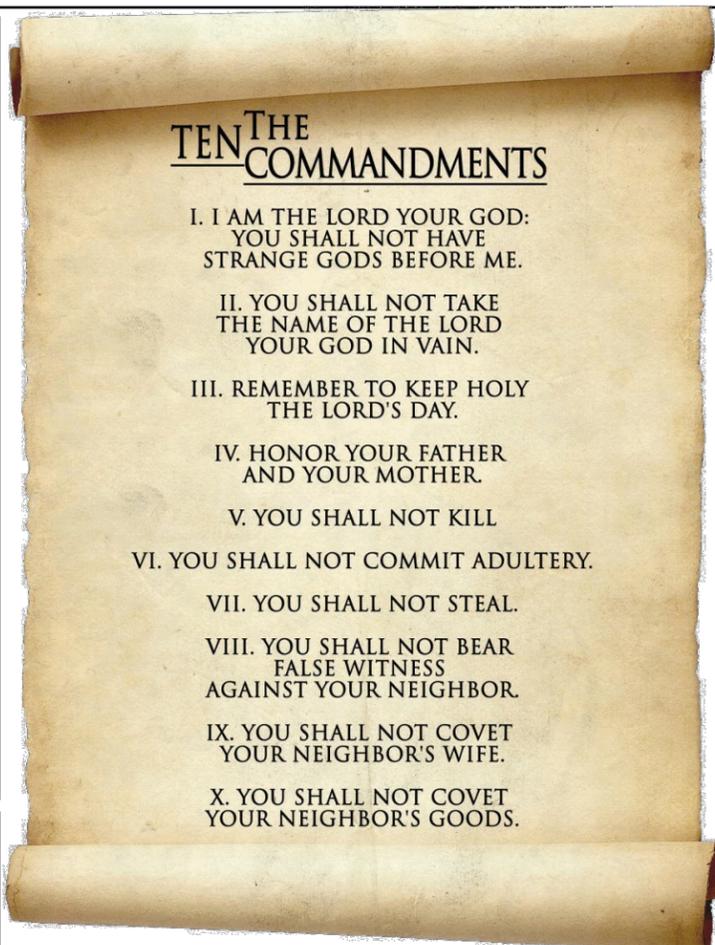
If you feel God drawing you to faith in Christ (John 6:44), come to the Savior. If God is lifting the veil and removing your spiritual blindness (2 Corinthians 4:4), look to the Savior. If you are experiencing a spark of life in what has always been dead (Ephesians 2:1), come to life through the Savior.

Where do you go when you die? Heaven or hell. Through Jesus Christ, hell is avoidable. Receive Jesus Christ as your Savior, and heaven will be your eternal destination. Make any other decision, and eternal separation from God in hell will be the result (John 16:6; Acts 4:12).

If you now understand the two possibilities of where you go when you die and you want to trust Jesus Christ as your personal Savior, it is time to call on God for salvation. As an act of faith, communicate the following to God:

"God, I know that I am a sinner, and I know that because of my sin I deserve to be eternally separated from you. Even though I do not deserve it, thank you for loving me and providing the sacrifice for my sins through the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. I believe that Jesus died for my sins and I trust in Him alone to save me. From this point forward, help me to live my life for you instead of for sin. Help me to live the rest of my life in gratitude for the wonderful salvation you have provided. Thank you, Jesus, for saving me.

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**TEN THE COMMANDMENTS**

- I. I AM THE LORD YOUR GOD: YOU SHALL NOT HAVE STRANGE GODS BEFORE ME.
- II. YOU SHALL NOT TAKE THE NAME OF THE LORD YOUR GOD IN VAIN.
- III. REMEMBER TO KEEP HOLY THE LORD'S DAY.
- IV. HONOR YOUR FATHER AND YOUR MOTHER.
- V. YOU SHALL NOT KILL
- VI. YOU SHALL NOT COMMIT ADULTERY.
- VII. YOU SHALL NOT STEAL.
- VIII. YOU SHALL NOT BEAR FALSE WITNESS AGAINST YOUR NEIGHBOR.
- IX. YOU SHALL NOT COVET YOUR NEIGHBOR'S WIFE.
- X. YOU SHALL NOT COVET YOUR NEIGHBOR'S GOODS.

**The Effects of Receiving Holy Communion**

1. It unites us most intimately with Christ;
2. It increases sanctifying grace in us;
3. It weakens our evil inclinations;
4. It strengthens us in the practice of all virtues;
5. It cleanses us from venial sins;
6. It preserves us from mortal sins;
7. It is a pledge of eternal life.

*A prayer said from the heart immediately after receiving Holy Communion is very powerful, because you and Jesus are one flesh at that time.*

*May the body and blood of Christ keep me safe for eternal life. Amen.*

**When should a Catholic not receive Communion?**

To be in a "state of grace" means to be free from mortal sin. As the Catechism states, "**Anyone aware of having sinned mortally** must not receive communion without having received absolution in the sacrament of penance" (CCC 1415)

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**ST. ANTHONY**

November 5th 4:00 pm John & Marilyn Viger (VJ)  
 Mike Rivet  
 Lottie Cheramie Bennett  
 Celie Robin  
 Most Abandoned Souls in Purgatory

November 6th 9:00 a.m. Fr. John Ryan  
 Eugene "Genie" Pizani  
 Wanda & Garrell Adam, Jr.  
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 Gerald "Sam" Guidry, Sr.  
 Kathleen Wiseman  
 Erica K. Schieffler

**ST. PIUS X**

November 6th 10:30 am Daniel Berthelot  
 Marcum & Merlyn Olano  
 Lorna Morales  
 Celie Robins



**Thanksgiving Day Mass**

**November 24th - 9 a.m.**  
**St. Anthony**



There is a Hell, my friends. Don't let anybody tell you there isn't. What they say today is that God is so compassionate He will not put anybody in Hell - and that is true; God does not put you in Hell. You put yourself there, because your hearts become so hardened, so stubborn and inclined to seek your own comfort. We can't blame God. We must look to ourselves.

*Mother Angelica*

**PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED**

Parishioners and Father John Ryan, Dot Perrin, 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, Eugene Pizani, Lottie Cheramie Bennett, Susan Lepine Guidry and Gerald "Sam" Guidry, Sr.



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**St. Anthony and St. Pius X Altar Flowers**

In Memory of

Nelson Perrin, Sr., Elias & Rena Basse  
 and Susan Verdin

**Parish Events**

November 9, 2022 (Wednesday)  
**RCIA**  
 St. Anthony Parish Hall 6:30 p.m.

November 18, 2022 (Friday)  
**Second Harvest Food Bank**  
 St. Anthony Parish Hall 9:00 a.m.

November 24, 2022 (Saturday)  
**Thanksgiving Day Mass**  
 St. Anthony Parish Hall 9:00 a.m.