



Second Harvest Food Bank will be held on Friday, November 22nd, at St. Anthony Parish Hall,

Mass Intention Envelopes are located for your convenience at the entrance of the church. The cost is \$5 per mass.

Simply drop the envelope in the collection basket, mailbox or the office located at the parish hall.

Catholic Campaign for Human Development The Second Collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development will be held November 16-17, 2024. The Catholic Campaign for Human Development operates with the belief that those most impacted by unjust structures have the best insight in how to overcome them by breaking the cycle of poverty. Currently, the Archdiocese of New Orleans has two groups receiving funding, one which focuses on housing, and the other focuses on energy resiliency. The motto for Catholic Campaign for Human Development is "a hand up, not a hand out."

The Second Collection for the weekend of November 16th will be for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. Please, let's be reminded.

ST. ANTHONY CGD INVITES YOU TO OUR TRUNK OR TREAT OCTOBER 31, 2024 • 6 PM • ST. ANTHONY PARISH HALL PARKING LOT WANT TO HOST A TRUNK? TO HOST A TRUNK PLEASE TEXT JENEA HATTY AT 504-329-2110. WANT TO HELP BUT CAN'T HOST A TRUNK? CONSIDER DONATING CANDY FOR THE TRUNKS. PLACE CANDY DONATIONS IN THE BIN AT THE ENTRANCE OF CHURCH. MONETARY DONATIONS ARE ALSO BEING ACCEPTED.

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

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Friday: 8:00 a.m. Saturday Vigil Mass: 4:00 p.m. Sunday Masses: 9:00a.m. & 11:00 a.m. First Saturday Mass: 8:00 a.m.

Eucharistic Adoration:

Tuesdays in St. Anthony Church Chapel following Mass and the rosary @ 8:00 a.m.

RCIA: Parish Hall - Wednesdays @ 7:00 p.m.

Confessions:

30 minuets before 4 p.m. vigil mass or 9 a.m. Sunday 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. Jude six months prior to desired ceremony date.

Funeral:

Please contact Fr. Jude before final arrangements of funeral.

Anointing of the Sick:

Call the rectory in case of emergency.

C.C.D. Classes:

Grades K - 11 Tuesdays at 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at Parish Hall.

Ministry to the Sick and Shut In:

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

St. Anthony Catholic Church

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Scripture Outline & Reflection

Jeremiah 31:7-9; Psalm 126:1-6; Hebrews 5:1-6; Mark 10:46-52

An "oracle of consolation" regarding the restoration of Israel (1, Ps) finds its fulfillment in the person of Jesus, our merciful high priest (2). His healing of the blind man (3) witnesses to the inauguration of the kingdom.



The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy.

-Psalm 126

Reflection for 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B

“MASTER, I WANT TO SEE”

The readings of today’s Liturgy invite us to reflect on the nature of faith and the transformative power it holds in our lives. In the Gospel, we encounter Bartimaeus, a blind beggar sitting by the roadside. His story is not just one of physical healing; it’s a profound lesson in faith and the courage to seek Jesus amidst the noise of the crowd around us. Bartimaeus heard that Jesus of Nazareth was passing by. Despite his blindness, he recognizes an opportunity for change. He calls out, **“Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!”** This bold proclamation of faith sets him apart. The crowd tried to silence him, but Bartimaeus persisted by shouting even louder. His determination speaks volumes about the depth of his need and belief. How often do we let the distractions and doubts of the world silence our voices when we seek help from God? Bartimaeus teaches us that true faith requires courage. It demands that we overcome our fears and boldly approach Jesus, even when it feels like we’re drowning in a sea of obstacles.

When Jesus calls Bartimaeus, he throws off his cloak, jumps up, and comes to Him. This action symbolizes leaving behind the old life—the life of darkness and sin. In our own lives, what might we need to cast off in order to truly follow Christ? What cloaks of fear, doubt, or sin do we need to shed to embrace the healing and light that Jesus offers? Jesus asked Bartimaeus, **“What do you want me to do for you?”** This question is profound. It prompts us to reflect on our own desires and needs. Are we able to articulate our needs before God, to seek His mercy in a world that often feels indifferent to our suffering? Bartimaeus responded very simply: **“Master, I want to see.”** His request was not just for the restoration of his physical sight but for a deeper spiritual insight—to see the world through the eyes of faith. In response to Bartimaeus’s faith, Jesus heals him, saying, **“Go your way; your faith has saved you.”** In that moment, Bartimaeus not only receives physical sight but also becomes a model disciple. He chooses to follow Jesus on the way, transformed by his encounter with Christ.

As we reflect on this powerful story, let us ask ourselves: How might we cultivate a faith like Bartimaeus? Are we willing to cry out to Jesus, even in our darkest moments? Can we embrace the healing He offers, allowing it to transform our lives? Today, let us bring our own struggles and needs before the Lord. Let us not be afraid to voice our prayers, knowing that He hears us and responds with love and mercy. May we, like Bartimaeus, have the courage to throw off our cloaks of sin and darkness and follow Christ—the Light of the world, becoming instruments of His light and love in the world.

Reflection by:
Rev. Fr. Jude Ochuko Emunemu

Blessing of The Graves Mass Schedule:

Friday, November 1, 2024 is the Solemnity of All Saints. We are reminded that it is observed as a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass schedule is as follows:

Thursday, October 31, **Vigil Mass: 5:00pm**
Friday, November 1, **8:00am Morning Mass and 6:00pm Evening Mass.**

Meanwhile, the blessing of graves will begin at St. Pius X Mausoleum in Crown Point by 10:30am with the **Service of the Word**. Thereafter, the blessing of the graves here in Jean Lafitte and on the Barataria side will commence by 11:30am. Kindly, take note.

Blessing of the Graves

All Saints Day Mass - St. Pius X Church

Friday, November 1, 2024 by 10:30

Crown Point

1. St. Pius X Cemetery
2. Fleming Cemetery
3. Perrin’s Cemetery (Goose Bayou Bridge)
4. Coulon’s Cemetery
5. Adams Cemetery (Next to VFW Hall)
6. Fisher Cemetery

Barataria Side

7. Barataria Perrin’s Cemetery
8. Adam’s Cemetery (Next to Helmer)
9. Ruttle’s Cemetery
10. Bourgeois Family Cemetery
11. Coulon’s Cemetery (Little Village)
12. Bailey’s Cemetery (Near Lenora’s)

PARISH EVENTS

NOVEMBER 22ND (FRIDAY)
SECOND HARVEST FOOD BANK
ST. ANTHONY PARISH HALL 8:00A.M.



STEWARDSHIP

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

Collections for October 19th and 20th

1st Collection	2nd Collection
\$ 1,522.75	\$ 671.25
Children’s Collection \$ 10.00	
Online Giving \$ 802.00	
Online Giving Rebuilding Fund \$ 33.00	
World Mission Sunday \$ 127.00	
Total Weekly Offering \$ 3,039.00	

MASS ATTENDANCE

4:00pm	9:00am	11:00am
49	67	59
ST. ANTHONY	ST. PIUS X	
Electric Bill (August)	Electric Bill (August)	
\$ 2,815.29	\$ 138.32	

MASS INTENTIONS

4:00 p.m. John C. Heurtin, Jr.
Chris Dufrene, Jr.
Tammy Robeaux, Jr.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE LIVING

9:00 a.m. Pauline Christen
All Parishioners

11:00 a.m. Faye Ray Guidry

ALL SAINTS DAY

8:00 a.m. Chris Dufrene, Jr.
Tammy Robeaux, Jr.
Daniel “DJ” Boutte

6:00 p.m. Effie Lepine
Steven Paul Steib
Boudreaux & Steib Families



*Sanctuary Lamps are in memory of
Jarrett and Earl Polkey*

Prayer Intensions for the sick

Millie Daunhauer, Debra Feldman, Trey Touchard, Kendel Manor, Claude Mayfield Sr., Lanvin LeBlanc, Adrian Arabie, Ashley Bolotte, Amelia, & Rose Kindman

PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

Parishioners and Father John Ryan, Caleb Favaloro, Simon Hingle, Belvina Kuhn Bundy, Roy Rogers, Arthur Matherne, Clavin Wade, Jr., Marie Sevin, Shirley Prestenbach, Eddie Sapia, Jr., Bobby Hale, Jr., Madeline Rojas, Theresa Wiseman, Raymond Griffin, Sr., Shelby Deselle, Joseph Rogers, Jr., Allyn Rogers, Evan Whipple, Nick Dinet, Jerry Lynch, Keith “Ike” Madison, Judith Ann Verdin, Dwight Rudolph, Faye Rae Guidry, Dale Boudreaux McWhorter, Edward Cantrelle, Sr. Lloyd Kraemer, Sr. Rosebud Kraemer, Gareth Ross Leblanc, Sr., and Earline Perrin.

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