

# ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## MASS SCHEDULE:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday

6:15 a.m.

Tuesday & Thursday

12:00 p.m.

Saturday Vigil 4:00 pm

Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 11:00 am  
& 6:00 pm (Life Teen Mass)

## PASTOR:

Rev. Msgr. J. Robert Romero

## PAROCHIAL VICAR:

Rev. Fr. Travis Abadie

## DEACON:

Deacon Gary Gaudin  
Deacon Korey LaVergne



June 11, 2017

# THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Mend your ways, encourage one another,  
agree with one another, live in peace,  
and the God of love and peace  
will be with you.

2 Corinthians 13:11

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## DEAR PARISHIONERS OF ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH & ANNUNCIATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY CHURCH,

### Farewell Socials for Fr. Abadie

As announced earlier - Father Abadie has been appointed by Bishop Deshotel to be the pastor of St. Francis Regis Parish and of St. Catherine Parish, both in Arnaudville effective July 3, 2017,

we have schedule two Farewell Socials:

- One social is at the St. Anthony's Parish Family Picnic on Sunday, June 11, 2017 following the 11:00 a.m. mass. That is today. The Catholic Daughters are providing a table for gifts for Father Abadie.
- Another social is at Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary on Sunday, June 18, 2017 following the 9:00 a.m. mass in the church hall. There will be a table for gifts for Father Abadie.

### Bishop Deshotel Continues Priestly Assignments Effective July 3, 2017:

**Reverend Dustin P. Dought** appointed Pastor of Saint Leo the Great Parish in Lafayette for a period of six (6) years. In addition to this assignment, Father Dought is appointed Director of the Office of Worship for a period of three (3) years.

**Reverend Mr. Christopher Blake Cambre** will be ordained to the Holy Priesthood on Saturday, June 10, 2017 and will be appointed as Parochial Vicar of Saint Joseph Catholic Church in Rayne for a period of three (3) years.

**Reverend Mr. Matthew Christopher Hebert** will be ordained to the Holy Priesthood on Saturday, June 10, 2017 and will be appointed as Parochial Vicar of Saint Anthony of Padua Catholic Church in Eunice and Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Catholic Church in Duralde for a period of three (3) years.

### Father Christopher Cambre Celebrates Masses of Thanksgiving

As Father Christopher Blake Cambre was ordained yesterday by Bishop Deshotel and as Father Cambre was with us last summer in a Deaconate Internship Program, he will be with us again next weekend for Masses of Thanksgiving. (1) Father Cambre will be the main celebrate at Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary's Mass at 4:00 p.m. on Saturday, June 17, 2017. [Father Abadie will concelebrate mass with Father Cambre.] (2) Father Cambre will be the main celebrate at St.

Anthony's 11:00 a.m. mass on Sunday, June 18, 2017. [I will concelebrate mass with him.] Let us welcome Father Cambre and join him in thanking God for the gift of Priesthood in the Church.

### Gospel for THE MOST HOLY TRINITY, Cycle A - John 3:16-18

*"God so loved the world that he gave his only Son."* We are used to this profound idea, so used to it that we often glaze over the incredible reality: God the Father has a Son who became man and dwelt among us! Too often we casually make the sign of the cross *in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit*, without realizing what a radical theology we are announcing.

Only Christianity proclaims a triune God. Only Christianity professes that we have one God in three divine persons. Only Christianity declares that the very nature of God is to be relational and literally "personal." Why does this matter? Because we are made in God's image, as the opening chapters of Genesis tell us. We, therefore, are made in the image of this Trinitarian God who is love. We are built to be like this God! Just as God the Father loves God the Son and God the Holy Spirit, we too are called to love one another.

In fact, we are not fulfilling our nature and design when we do not. Just as God loved the world (that is, us!), so too we are called to love him in return.

We do not have to embrace this image in which we were made, of course. God gave us freedom so that our love can be real, but this means our choices really matter. We can decide not to reflect God's interpersonal love in the world. We can opt not to return the love that God pours out to each of us. But this can only lead to disappointment in the end. After all, God sent his Son so that *"everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life."* Ultimately, this means spending eternity in the Trinitarian embrace of love. So why not start now?

### Questions of the Week

**John 3:16-18** - According to Jesus, what must believers do in order to attain "eternal life"?

**Exodus 34:4b-6, 8-9** - What does Moses' request of the Lord — "Pardon our wickedness and sins, and receive us as your own" — say about his leadership?

**2 Corinthians 13:11-13** - What does Paul instruct the Corinthians to do in order to receive the blessings of our triune God?

*Rev. Msgr. J. Robert Romero*

# THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

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## STEWARDSHIP TO ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

June 4, 2017

Sunday's Offertory .....	\$7,926.00
Mailed-In Offertory .....	727.00
<b>Total Offertory for the week .....</b>	<b>\$8,653.00</b>
Parish Maintenance & Insurance Fund.....	\$1,436.00

Weekly Average 2017 ..... \$9,775.28

Children's Contribution .....\$6.00

\* Help Granny..... Bradon

\* Helping Granny & Paw..... Shawna, Reese, Ariana & MacKenzie

Number Registered Parish Families.....1494

Number of Envelopes Used.....134

Number of Children's Envelopes Used ..... 2

**Thank you for your generosity.**

*Please remember St. Anthony Church & St. Edmund School in your will.*

## MASSES FOR THE WEEK

### Monday, June 12

6:15 a.m.: Chad Abadie

### Tuesday, June 13

12:00 p.m.: J.C. Labbie; Wanda Fontenot (*Birthday - Liv.*); Miller / Aucoin families; Debbie L. LeJeune (*Anniv. of Death.*); Carole Fuselier

### Wednesday, June 14

6:15 a.m.: Frankie LaFleur (*Wedding Anniv.*); Sonny Brunet; Lillie C. Young; M/M Selden Fontenot; Julius Bischoff

### Thursday, June 15

12:00 p.m.: Liz Moreau

### Friday, June 16

6:15 a.m.: Chad Abadie

## MASSES FOR THE WEEK CONTINUED...

### Saturday, June 17

4:00 p.m.: Beth Sylvester; Newton Thibodeaux; M/M C.A. Penn; Darryl Feucht; Dr. Sylvan Manuel; Ashton Noel; Jeffery Brunet; Stewart Paul Rozas; Jeré Longman; Herbert Stelly; Maurice Fontenot; Littell Manuel; M/M Willie Belfour; Liz Moreau; Merita Guillory; Leon Stelly; Kirk Stelly; John 'Nooky' Savoy; Kern & Ernest Fruge; Charlie Bass; Tony Bourgeois; George Sonnier; Charles Manuel; Felix Mire; Victor Touchet

### Sunday, June 18 -- Father's Day

#### The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

7:00 a.m.: St. Anthony Parishioners; Jake Schatzle, son (*Liv.*) & son-in-law (*Liv.*); Carla F. Miller; Merlin Marcantel; August Courville Sr.; James Merlin Fruge; Artelus Fruge; Leroy Vige; Willie Vige; Arnold Jacobs; Vernell Soileau; George Schneider; Fenrick Manuel (*Liv.*); Kermen D. Beauchamp Sr.; Stanley Roy; Pat Roy and family (*Liv.*); Andy Roy and family (*Liv.*)

9:00 a.m.: Carole Sue & Debbie Hargroder; Burley Marcantel; Ross Michael Andrus; Frankie LaFleur; Norris Young; August Leonards; J.D. & Marshall Arabie; J. W. Zaunbrecher; L.W. Sumrall; C.L. Fontenot; Raymond 'Poochie' Fontenot; Robert J. Fontenot; Louis McGee Sr.; A.F. McGee Sr.; Amos Durio Sr.; Emery Henry; Patrick Henry; Thomas Balfa; Johnny & Ruth Manuel; Amos Normand; Lamar Normand; Royce Normand; August Courville Sr.; Bart Courville; John Kirkland; Jerry Abshire; Anthony Desselle; Corey Desselle; Webster Desselle; Elaine Abshire; Anna & Thomas Manuel; Philip Montelaro; Foston Fruge; Octave Courville; Johnie Hall; Julius Bischoff & family (*Liv. & Dec.*); James Sherrill Duos; Merlin Moreau; Helen & Felix Horaist Sr.

11:00 a.m.: John Nolan Guillory & JoEllen Guillory Fall; Richard 'Dick' Miller; Hubert Fontenot; Judge Nilas & Lillie Young; Blake Feucht; David & Wilma Atteberry; Dr. Benny Fruge; Herman Stroder; Mary Montelaro (*Liv.*); Peggy Fontenot (*Liv.*)

6:00 p.m.: Anthony 'Tony' Andrepont; Lionel Miller



## PRIEST, EXTRAORDINARY LAY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION, LECTORS & ALTAR SERVERS

### SATURDAY, JUNE 17, 2017

4:00 p.m.	<b>Msgr. Romero</b>	Dcn. Gary Gaudin, Vergie Ardoin, Dr. Chip Hebert, Kal Landry, Michael Lombas	Nikki Sonnier	Andy Hebert, Clay Hebert, Joshua Landry, Justin Landry
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### SUNDAY, JUNE 18, 2017

7:00 a.m.	<b>Fr. Abadie</b>	Norma Diaville, Brad Miller, Barry Soileau	Michelle LeJeune	Brad Miller, Clay Miller, Kate Miller, Mary-Helen Miller
9:00 a.m.	<b>Msgr. Romero</b>	Dcn. Gary Gaudin, Doug Marcantel, Samantha Bertrand	Rachel Smith	Victoria Marcantel, Gavin Oliver, Jack Parks, Luke Trahan
11:00 a.m.	<b>Msgr. Romero &amp; Fr. Cambre</b>	Dcn. Gary Gaudin, Kayla Fontenot, Lynn Pavich, Barbara Thibodeaux, Glenda Young	John Fruge	John-Michael Fruge, Avery & Samuel Heinen <b>MC: Needed</b> <b>Thurifer: Needed</b>
6:00 p.m.	<b>Msgr. Romero</b>	Angie Aguillard, Janice Aguillard, Brayden Gaspard	Randall McElwee	Evan Aucoin, Phillip Fontenot, Abby Miller, Mia Robinson

## MINISTERS OF PRAYER



**Please pray for:** Dana Dubois Guthrie, Rene Duplechain, Alida Berzas, Belinda Francois, Anita Maser, Mark Hunter Vidrine, Ed Dietz, Gracie Zaunbrecher, Mary LeJeune, Joseph Van Ortego, Madeline Montelaro, Lenard Craig, Craig Durbin, Linda Gaudin, Leroy Vige, Amanda Prather, Dr. F.J. DeRouen Jr, Jo Ann DeRouen, Mary Brignac, Jason Duran, Louetta Labbie, Charles Francois, John Duplechin, Rodger Gillard, Shane & James Francois, Angie Guillory, Mallory Ortego, Mary Montelaro, Joan Burson, Sheila DeRouen, Gail Landreneau, Delores Labbie, Daphne LeJeune, Ali Manuel, Elsie Stelly, Debbie Smith, Agnes 'Chickie' McGee, Sam & Rena Mae Reed, Colleen Landreneau, John Lejeune, Darlene Faul.

*Pray for our troops & peace in the world!*

**For a list of Catholic Churches & Mass Times when traveling, please visit:**  
[www.parishesonline.com](http://www.parishesonline.com)

## MEETINGS & EVENTS

### Monday, June 12

Daily Mass -- 6:15 a.m.  
**Happy Days -- 9:00 - 11:30 a.m. in Parish Hall.**  
Pastoral Council -- 6:00 p.m. at the Rectory.

### Tuesday, June 13

Crossing the Goal -- 5:30 a.m. in the Parish Hall.  
**Happy Days -- 9:00 - 11:30 a.m. in Parish Hall.**  
Daily Mass -- 12:00 p.m.  
Women's ACTS Mission Formation -- 6:00 p.m. OLQAS

### Wednesday, June 14

Daily Mass -- 6:15 a.m.  
**Happy Days -- 9:00 - 11:30 a.m. in Parish Hall.**  
Women's ACTS Formation -- 6:00 p.m. at KC Hall.

### Thursday, June 15

**Happy Days -- 9:00 - 11:30 a.m. in Parish Hall.**  
Daily Mass -- 12:00 p.m.  
Knights of Columbus -- 7:00 p.m. at KC Hall.

### Friday, June 16

Daily Mass -- 6:15 a.m.  
**Happy Days -- 9:00 - 11:30 a.m. in Parish Hall.**  
Nursing Home Masses -- 9:30 a.m.

### Saturday, June 17

Confessions -- 3:00 p.m. / Anticipated Mass -- 4:00 p.m.

### Sunday, June 18

Masses: 7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.  
Life Teen Mass -- 6:00 p.m.



## Happy Days Registration Form:

**Dates:** Monday, June 12<sup>th</sup> to Friday, June, 16<sup>th</sup>  
**Time:** 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at the Parish Hall  
**Grades:** Any child entering Kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

**Fee:** \$15.00 per child

*Drop this form at the Faith Formation Office -- or -- Rectory Office  
or mail to: St. Anthony Happy Days; P. O. Box 31; Eunice, LA 70535*

**Child's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Grade entering 2017-2018:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parents:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Work Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Emergency Name & Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Please bring a bag of cookies - or - a 3 liter bottle of Hawaiian punch.  
DUE TO ALLERGIES -- please, NO cookies with peanut butter or nuts.*

*You are invited...*



### St. Anthony Parish Family Picnic

**Rescheduled for THIS Sunday:**

**June 11, 2017**

**11:00 a.m. Mass in Church**

**Followed by Picnic on Church grounds**

*Bring your snacks and lawn chairs.*

*Parish will provide drinks, chips,  
hamburgers and hot dogs.*

*Life Teen students will be  
offering face painting for the children.*

## BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT

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## PERPETUAL ADORATION

Adorers thank Jesus for the following favors:

- 1) Opening my eyes to my sinful self.
- 2) For small problems.

**Adorers needed for the following hours**  
**starting at: Sun noon, Tues 6 pm, Wed 3**  
**am, 8 am, Thurs. 3 am, Sat. 11 am, 12 am, 1**  
**am, 12 pm, 2 pm**

**Prayer Partners Needed: Sun 12 am, 3 pm; Mon 8 am, 10**  
**am; Wed 8 am; Thurs 4 pm; Fri 7 am; Sat 3 pm, 4 pm**





# QUO VADIS DAYS

LEARN ABOUT THE PRIESTHOOD & HOW TO DISCERN YOUR VOCATION

**JUNE 27-29, 2017**

**WHO:** YOUNG MEN, AGES 15-25

**WHERE:** COMMUNITY OF JESUS CRUCIFIED  
103 RAILROAD AVE, ST MARTINVILLE, LA

**COST:** NO CHARGE

**TO REGISTER:** [WWW.LAFAYETTEVOCATIONS.ORG](http://WWW.LAFAYETTEVOCATIONS.ORG)  
OR (337) 261-5690

**WHAT TO EXPECT:**

QUO VADIS DAYS (WHERE ARE YOU GOING?) IS A TIME OF RECREATION, FELLOWSHIP, PRAYER AND DISCUSSION TO HELP YOU EXPLORE OUR LORD'S CALL IN YOUR LIFE. THERE WILL BE PRIESTS, SEMINARIANS AND OTHER YOUNG MEN LIKE YOURSELF GATHERED TOGETHER FOR THESE DAYS.