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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

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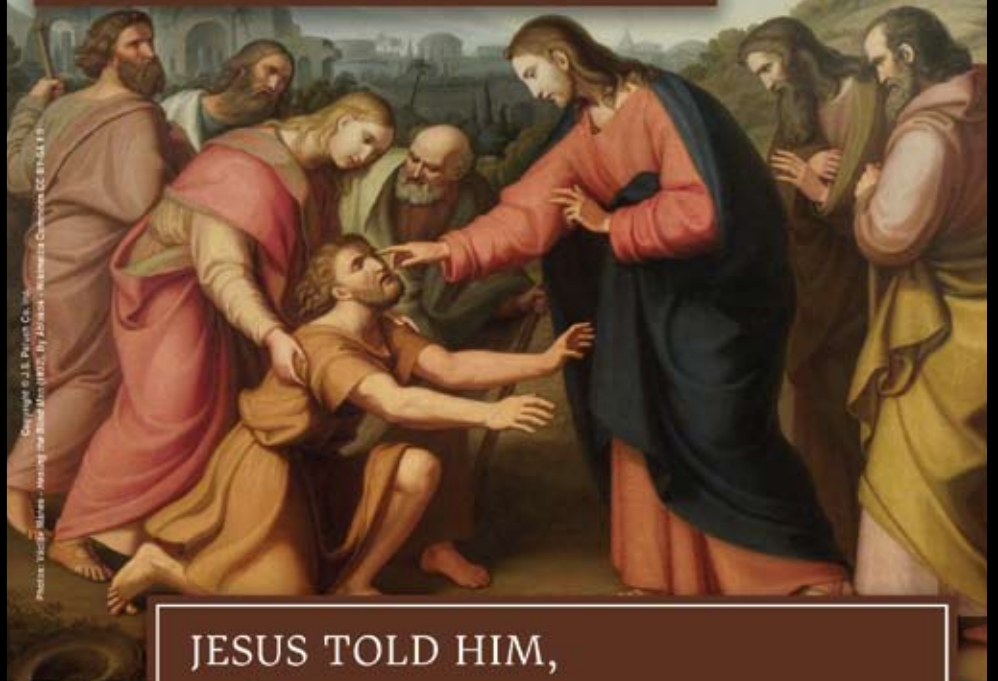
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Riley Maturin

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

THE BLIND MAN SAID,
"Master, I want to see."



JESUS TOLD HIM,
*"Go your way;
your faith has saved you."*

MARK 10:51-52

October 28, 2018

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

#iGiveCatholic Giving Day/#GivingTuesday

In last Sunday's bulletin a flyer announcing #iGiveCatholic was presented. In 2012 Giving Tuesday began as #GivingTuesday, a global day of giving fueled by the power of social media and collaboration. Celebrated on the Tuesday following Thanksgiving (in the U.S.) and the widely recognized shopping events of Black Friday and Cyber Monday, #GivingTuesday kicks off the charitable season, when many focus on their holiday and end-of-year giving. The Archdiocese of New Orleans pioneered #iGiveCatholic four years ago. Since then many Catholic Dioceses and Organizations have joined the Archdiocese of New Orleans.

The Diocese of Lafayette is also joining and is one of 28 Dioceses participating in 2018. This annual #GivingTuesday is a global day dedicated to giving back. With #iGiveCatholic Giving Day participating, #iGiveCatholic has become "the most successful Catholic crowdfunding event to date" as stated by the National Catholic Register. It is the giving day kicking off the charitable season and brings the Catholic community together to give thanks and give back to the organizations that shape our souls: Our parishes, schools, and nonprofit ministries.

I am happy to say that Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parish, St. Anthony of Padua Parish, St. Edmund Catholic School, The Eunice Food Bank C/O St. Anthony of Padua Parish are participating in #GivingTuesday by way of #iGiveCatholic. More information will follow in later bulletins.

A PRAYER FOR PRIESTS

"The priesthood is the love of the heart of Jesus."

- St. Jean Vianney

Jesus Christ, Great High Priest, You are able to sympathize with our human weakness. Strengthen your priests for the work of ministry. You healed, proclaimed, and taught. Renew your priests in their concern for the poor, zeal for the Gospel, and personal witness to virtue. You instituted the sacraments as signs of heavenly grace. Make holy your priests for this sacred service. You bore our sufferings and sins upon yourself. May your priests remain close to the broken-hearted. Jesus Christ, Great High Priest, bring your priests ever closer to your Sacred Heart. Amen.

WHY DO WE DO THAT? CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED

Question: If someone is interested in becoming a priest, how does he go about it?

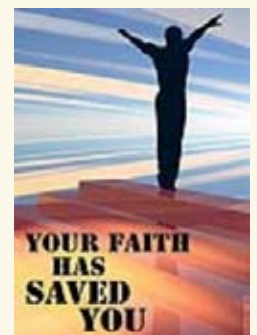
Answer: Discerning a vocation can happen in any number of ways. It might come as a surprise to the person called or to family or friends. Sometimes it is a gradual process, and other times it is as quick and bright as lightning. Regardless of how it starts, a vocation to the priesthood or religious life requires a process of discerning, testing, and preparing. The best place to begin would be with lots of prayer, receiving the sacraments, and attending daily Mass whenever possible. Then talk to your pastor or a priest you know and trust. Our diocese has a vocation director, Father Patrick Broussard [337-261-5690; psbroussard@gmail.com], who can provide you with guidance and information. The Serra Club in Lafayette is also a great resource for information and contacts to help you discern if indeed God is calling you.

Remember that many young Catholic men have considered the priesthood. Some are ordained and others realize this is not their calling. However, we are all called to be of service to others as we practice our faith. These are extraordinary times in which we live, and they require an extraordinary witness to faith and to God's presence in the world. Our work, our ministry as Catholics, is to be the body of Christ with and for others. The Church needs priests. If God calls you to ordained service in the church, God will provide the grace, direction, and support you need. Just listen and respond with all your heart, mind, and soul.

Gospel for the Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B – Mark 10:46-52

"Son of David, have pity on me!" Has the cry of Bartimaeus ever escaped your lips? Today's Gospel tells the story of a blind man with a difficult lot in life. He made a living by begging coins off passing travelers. When word reaches him that Jesus will be passing by, this is when he begins his shouts for mercy. Jesus hears Bartimaeus' cry and beckons him forward.

"What do you want me to do for you?" Last week, Jesus asked a similar question to James and John. Their response was a grasp for fame. Bartimaeus' response is much humbler. "Lord, I want to see." How strange this interaction must have seemed to the onlookers. The man is blind! Of course he wants to see! But Jesus is always teaching us. By asking us what we want, Jesus reveals the dispositions of our hearts. God already knows them, but do we? By asking James and John to name their ambition, their selfishness is exposed to them and to the other disciples. By asking Bartimaeus to



THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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STEWARDSHIP TO ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

October 21, 2018

Sunday's Offertory.....	\$6,306.50
Mailed-In Offertory	365.00
Online Giving	155.00
Total Offertory for the week.....	<u>\$6,826.50</u>
Bishop's Services Appeal.....	\$742.00
Weekly Average 2018	\$9,267.96
Children's Contribution	\$6.00
* Loving Granny	Braden
* Praying for Nanny Jane Ellen Ulery.....	Shawna, Reese, Ariana & MacKenzie

Number Registered Parish Families.....	1506
Number of Envelopes Used.....	
Number of Children's Envelopes Used.....	

Thank you for your generosity.

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MSGR.'S ARTICLE CONTINUED...

name his longing, his faith is exposed to the entire crowd. Jesus invites participation in our own redemption. He doesn't save us without us!

Take some time in silent prayer today. Place yourself in this story of Bartimaeus. Imagine yourself there on the dusty, crowded roadside. Jesus is calling you! When you stand before him, his focus is on you and you alone. "What do you want me to do for you?" he asks. Search your heart. How would you respond? What part of your heart is Jesus asking you to expose? He has come to heal and to restore. May we, too, be sent! "Go ... your faith has saved you."

Questions of the Week

First Reading – Jeremiah 31:7-9 - Around 600 B.C., the prophet Jeremiah foreshadowed the Lord's deliverance of Israel's exile in Babylon. What do you think Jeremiah is teaching us about God's mercy and providence?

Second Reading – Hebrews – 5:1-6 - Hebrews speaks of Jesus as the eternal high priest who intercedes to God on our behalf. What would be your intercessory prayer to Jesus today?

Gospel Reading – Mark 10:46-52 - Jesus attributes his healing of the blind man, Bartimaeus, to the depth of the man's faith. Who are the people in your life with strong faith?

Rev. Msgr. J. Robert Romero

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2018 -- ALL SAINTS DAY

6:00 a.m.	Msgr. Romero	Deacon Gary Gaudin, Jr. Bergeron, Barry Soileau	Jude Huckaby	Adelie Beaugh, Alise Beaugh <i>Altar Server Needed</i>
12:00 p.m.	Msgr. Romero	Deacon Gary Gaudin, Vergie Ardoin, Glenda Young	Craig Soileau	<i>Altar Servers Needed</i>
6:00 p.m.	Fr. Hebert	Michael Lombas, Angie Aguillard, Samantha Bertrand	Tara LeBlanc	Landon Daigle, Camille Fontenot <i>Altar Servers Needed</i>

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2018

4:00 p.m.	Msgr. Romero	Dcn. Gary Gaudin, Candy Atteberry, Kayla Fontenot, Tommy Dietz, Dr. Chip Hebert	Kay Dietz	Masison Comeau, Aiden Veillon Andy Hebert, Clay Hebert
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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2018

7:00 a.m.	Fr. Hebert	Norma Diaville Mike Driggs, Angelle Driggs	John Fruge	Wesley Driggs, William Driggs John-Michael Fruge, Jack Parks
9:00 a.m.	Msgr. Romero	Dcn. Gary Gaudin, Denise LeBouef, Sarah Moser Fruge	Aimee Summerlin	Lexie Aguillard, Kennadi Thibodeaux Henry & Doug Summerlin, Jr.
11:00 a.m.	Msgr. Romero	Donnie Darbonne, Dr. Scott & Deborah Eckholdt Charles Feucht, Lynn Pavich	Kyle Deshotel	Evan Aucoin, Andrew Daigle, Caroline Heinen MC: Needed Thurifer: Jack Miller
6:00 p.m.	Msgr. Romero	Brayden Gaspard, Kim Miller, Angie Aguillard	Life Teen Member	Anna Chapman, Isaac Russell Kelly & Landon Fruge

MINISTERS OF PRAYER



Please pray for: Claude DeVillier, Hollie Matte, Gail Landreneau, Sheila DeRouen, Ann Duran, Juanita LeBouef, Elaine McGee, Craig Durbin, Hunter Vidrine, Henry Trahan, August Courville Jr.,

Jesse Harrington, Joan Burson, Earline Prather, Tammie Boone, Patricia Gaspard, Lana Montelaro Cormier, Bradley Bertrand, Sloane Fontenot, Ben Burson, Waynon Thibodeaux, Frank McGee, Lindsey LeBlanc, Owen Thibodeaux, C.J. Matte, Berlane Boone, Elta Boone, Sherry Reed, Joseph Van Ortego, Madeline Montelaro, Linda Gaudin, Karl Comeaux, John LeJeune, Dr. Kevin LeJeune, Kert Leger, Colleen Landreneau, Tyler Bellow, Tyler Broussard.

Pray for our troops & peace in the world!

MEETINGS & EVENTS

Monday, October 29

Daily Mass -- 6:15 a.m. / **Rosary -- 5:30 p.m.**
Elementary Faith Formation (CCD) classes -- 4:00 p.m.
Jr. High Faith Formation (CCD) classes -- 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, October 30

That Man Is You! -- 5:30 a.m. at Parish Hall.
Daily Mass -- 12:00 p.m. / **Rosary -- 5:30 p.m.**
Women's ACTS Formation -- 6:00 p.m. at Parish Hall.

Wednesday, October 31

Daily Mass -- 6:15 a.m. / **Rosary -- 5:30 p.m.**

Thursday, November 1 - All Saints Day

Mass Schedule: 6:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m. & 6:00 p.m.,
St. Edmund All School Mass -- 9:00 a.m.
SEH Football vs Merryville -- 7:00 p.m. (Home)

Friday, November 2 - All Souls Day

Daily Mass -- 6:15 a.m. / Nursing Home Mass -- 9:30 a.m.
Baptism Class -- Call the Rectory (457-5285) to register.
EHS Football vs Iota -- 7:00 p.m. (Home)

Saturday, November 3

First Saturday Mass -- 8:00 a.m. at St. Mathilda Church.
Women's A.C.T.S. Team Mini-Retreat -- at Annunciation
Women's A.C.T.S. Pulpit Talk Weekend
Confessions -- 3:00 p.m. / Anticipated Mass -- 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, November 4

Masses: 7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
Cemetery Blessings -- see schedule on next page.
Life Teen Mass -- 6:00 p.m. / Life Night -- 7:00 p.m.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, October 29

6:15 a.m.: Carrie Joubert

Tuesday, October 30

12:00 p.m.: Dr. Benny Fruge; Conner Jacobs (*Liv.- Birthday*)

Wednesday, October 31

6:15 a.m.: Benny Dupre; Hilda M. Roche

Thursday, November 1 - All Saints Day

6:00 a.m.: Frankie LaFleur; Mary Babineaux; Paul & Marie Christ fly. (*Liv. / Dec.*); Glenn Durbin; Gracie Marie Zaunbrecher

12:00 p.m.: Helen & Donald V. Tanner, Sr.; M/M Auggie Leonards; Jeanne & Cindy Miller; Merita Guillory; M/M Norris Young; M/M Irving Ledet; Amelia & Artelus Fruge; Ferrel Fruge; James Merlin Fruge; Thelma Vige; Orelia & Willie Vige; Marie & Arnold Jacobs; Wilson Vige; Nelson Vige; Wesley Vige; Bruce Vige; Merlin Marcantel; M/M August Courville Sr.; Bart Courville; Luke Fontenot; Robert Fontenot; Carole Fuselier; Kern & Marene Fruge family; Ivy Fruge; Bischoff & Miller family; James Sherrill Duos; Wilda Hollier; M/M Elfert Guillory family; Harry Fontenot; Robley McCauley; Leslie Johnson

6:00 p.m.: Lester & Rena Manuel family (*Liv. / Dec.*); Dr. F. J. DeRouen; Carrie Joubert

Friday, November 2 -- All Souls Day

6:15 a.m.: Frankie LaFleur; Joffrey Brunet family; Delphia Lafleur; M/M L.W. Sumrall; M/M C.L. Fontenot; Raymond 'Poochie' Fontenot; Sally Fontenot; Vila & Emery Henry; Melanie Arnaud; Patrick Henry; Gary Henry; Lillie & Louis McGee, Sr.; M/M A.F. McGee, Sr.; M/M Amos Durio; Toby Durio; M/M Amos Normand; M/M August Courville, Sr.; Bart Courville, Royce Normand; M/M Jerry Abshire; John Kirkland; M/M Gilmore Bordelon; Lamar Normand; Merlin Marcantel; Corey Desselle; Anthony Desselle; Webster Desselle; Cecile G. Darbonne; Wilber Gaspard; Phillip G. Gaspard; Marie Courville Gaspard; Barbara Pousson Ashford; Carla, Julia & Jayia Watford

Saturday, November 3

4:00 p.m.: Dutch Spekschate; Merita Guillory; Don Hebert; Dr. Sylvan Manuel; Burley Marcantel; Louis & Amelia Fontenot family; Beth Sylvester; Newton Thibodeaux; Dr. Benny Fruge; Glenn Durbin; Dr. F.J. DeRouen; Hayden Lactica; Brownie Duplech; John 'Nookie' Savoy; Ed Dietz; Paul Rozas, Johnny Lyons

Sunday, November 4

7:00 a.m.: St. Anthony Parishioners; Vernell Soileau; Helen Vidrine; M/M Jared Manuel family (*Liv.*); Chase Ryan Manuel; Ted Wasmuth; Lurline Fuselier

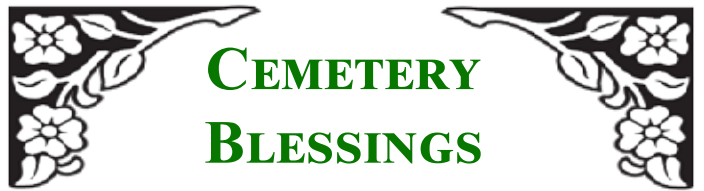
9:00 a.m.: Frankie LaFleur; Mary Babineaux; M/M Norris Young; Tina Savoy Cormier (*Liv.*); J.D. & Marshall Arabie

11:00 a.m.: Hubert & Gloria Fonenot, Dana Fontenot

6:00 p.m.: Joan Schatzle McManus

CEMETERY BLESSING SCHEDULE

Sunday, November 4, 2018



St. Anthony Church:
St. Paul -- 1:00 p.m.
Mt. Calvary -- 2:00 p.m.
Miller -- 3:00 p.m.

St. Mathilda Church:
St. Mathilda -- 11:00 a.m.

St. Thomas More Savoy -- 11:30 a.m.
Fuselier -- 11:30 a.m.
Carron -- 12:00 p.m.
Courville -- 12:30 p.m.

(Times are approximate)

Annunciation Church:
Veillion -- 10:30 a.m.
Caesar -- 10:50 a.m.
Couteau -- 11:15 a.m.
Landreneau / Rougeau -- 1:30 p.m.
Ashford -- 2:00 p.m.

St. Thomas More Cemetery:
Friday, Nov. 2
Mass & Blessing of St. Thomas More Cemetery
7:00 A.M. in Cemetery.

2019 MASS BOOK OPENED



The 2019 Mass book is now open for scheduling Masses. Come to the Rectory during our regular office hours to schedule Masses for your loved ones -- living or deceased. Each Mass Intention is \$5.00.

PERPETUAL ADORATION

Adorers thank Jesus for the following favors:

- 1) Good report on biopsy.
- 2) Awesome mini ACTS retreat..

Adorers needed for the following hours starting at: Sun. 11 am; Wed 8 am; Sat. Midnight to 1 am; 2 pm, midnight.

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

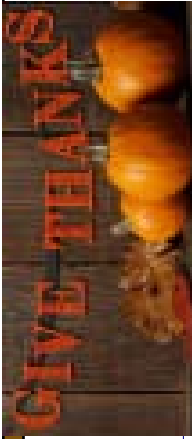
To commit one hour - call Brenda Castro 457-7965.





St. Anthony of Padua Church

November 2018



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
4 <i>Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Pray for Bishop Emeritus Michael Jarrell <i>Cemetery Blessings</i> <i>Daylight Savings-- set clocks back 1 hour</i> 6:00 PM Life Teen Mass 7:00 PM Life Night	5 Pray for Msgr. Romero 4:00 PM CCD Elem. classes 6:00 PM ACTS Core Team 6:00 PM C.D.A. 6:00 PM CCD JrHS classes	6 Pray for Fr. Matthew Hebert 5:30 AM That Man Is You! 6:00 PM Women's ACTS Formation	7 Pray for Deacon Gary Gaudin 9:00 AM SE All School Mass 7:00 PM R.C.I.A. @ STM	8 Pray for Deacon Jim Cormier 9:30 AM Ladies Altar Society	9 Pray for Seminarian Riley Maturin 9:30 AM Nursing Home Mass @ Eunice Manor & Oak Lane	10 Pray for Fr. Dustin Dought & Fr. Travis Abadie
11 <i>Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Pray for Fr. Darren Eldridge & Den. Chuck Ortego 11:00 AM C.D.A. 105th Anniversary Mass & Banquet 6:00 PM Life Teen Mass 7:00 PM Life Night	12 Pray for Fr. John Brown SJ & Fr. Matthew Barzare 4:00 PM CCD Elem. Mass 6:00 PM CCD JrHS classes	13 Pray for Fr. Clinton Sensat & Den. David Guillory 5:30 AM That Man Is You! 6:00 PM Women's ACTS Formation	14 Pray for Fr. Austin Leger & Fr. Henry Broussard 6:00 PM Men's ACTS Formation 7:00 PM R.C.I.A. @ STM	15 Pray for Deacon T.J. Richard Financial Peace University - Live Stream 7:00 PM Knights of Columbus	16 Pray for Deacon Robbie Leger 9:00 AM SE All School Mass 9:30 AM Nursing Home Mass @ Eunice Manor & Oak Lane	17 Pray for Fr. Nathan Comeaux & Fr. Corey Lavergne <i>Second Collection: Bishops Services Appeal Ladies Altar Society</i> BAKE SALE Weekend
18 <i>Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Pray for Fr. Stephen Ugwu & Fr. Alphouse Thaine 11:00 AM Men's ACTS Commissioning Mass 6:00 PM Life Teen Mass 7:00 PM Life Night	19 Pray for Fr. Chris Cambre NO Elementary / Jr. High CCD Classes this week	20 Pray for Fr. Kendal Faulk & Fr. Jerry Mesley 5:30 AM That Man Is You!	21 Pray for Fr. William Massie No R.C.I.A. this week	22 Thanksgiving Pray for Fr. Gil Dutel & Fr. Tom Voorhies 8:00 AM Mass (No noon Mass)	23 Pray for Fr. William Schambough <i>Angie's Birthday</i> 9:30 AM Nursing Home Mass @ Eunice Manor & Oak Lane Rectory Office Closed	24 Pray for Fr. Randall Moreau
25 <i>Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe</i> Pray for Fr. Sonny Brown & Fr. Tommy Montelaro No Life Night this Sunday 6:00 PM Life Teen Mass	26 Pray for Fr. Blaine Clement 9:00 AM SEH School Mass 4:00 PM CCD Elem. classes 6:00 PM CCD JrHS classes	27 Pray for Sr. Agnes Thevis & Sr. Nell Murray Den. Gary's Birthday 5:30 AM That Man Is You! 6:00 PM Women's ACTS Formation	28 Pray for Fr. Jim Brady & Fr. Jonathan Janise 9:00 AM St. Ed Elen. Mass 6:00 PM Men's ACTS Formation 7:00 PM R.C.I.A. @ STM	29 Pray for Fr. Joseph Sai Tran & Fr. David Hebert	30 Pray for Fr. Paul Lafleur & Fr. Keenan Brown 9:30 AM Nursing Home Mass @ Eunice Manor & Oak Lane	3 Pray for Bishop Douglas Deshotel <i>Second Collection: Parish Maintenance & Insurance Fund</i> Women's ACTS Team Mini-Retreat @ Annunciation Women ACTS Pulpit Talks 8:00 AM First Saturday Mass @ St. Mathilda

