

COMMUNITY OF ST. ANTHONY 3~29~2020



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Jesus, I love you.
 Thank you,
Jesus,
 for loving me.

MASS INTENTIONS

DATE	TIME	INTENTIONS
April 4	6 pm	Easman, Marie, Jessie, Leroy, & Freddie Chiasson, Michael Boudreaux (B), Klibert & Louise Chiasson, Abel & Evella Eschette, Moise & Velma Ford, Diane Larousse
April 5	9 am	Malina Cressionie, Abbey & Eve Cressionie, Enzy & Sidney Fonseca, Mona & Linton Fonseca, Loyce Rae & Clinton Sweeney, Zilda & Venice Breaux, Cathy & Herbert Breaux, Thomas Palmer, Eurise Delatte, Melissa Elder
April 8	5:15 pm	Norman Foret (DA), Charley & Marie Pierce

Please Pray for the Healing of the Sick: Linda Keller, Willis Verdin, Norma Cardwell, Brek Schultz, Walter Hebert, Rhonda Duet, Jenny Champagne, Moise "Mussy" Detillier, Destry Dufrene, James Badeaux, Todd Hohensee, Joe & Lorraine Kleinpeter, Tom Stirrat, Michelle Heidenreich, Welton Curole, Patricia "Pat" Adams, John Cantrelle, Avleigh Rodrigue, Hazel Orgeron, John E. Foret, Mya Matherne, Hayden Schrader, Deborah Gautreaux, Ernest "Koozan" Gautreaux, Jr., Christina Boudreaux, Remley Dufrene, Donna Adams, Jace Callais, Weldon LeBoeuf, Wade Plaisance, Gardner Kole, Melody Sevin, Derek Guidroz, Darren John Detillier, Shirley Plaisance, Levy Plaisance, Danielle Lebouef, Destiny Pierre, Wayne Delatte, Gina Eschete, Lucas Molaison, Debbie Pecorino, Terry Dufrene, Emelia Breaux, Debra Brunner, Nathaniel Becho, Trey McMillian, Heidi Jones, Savannah Smith, Ari Verdin, Beau Kyzar, Lucile Boudreaux, Averie Ryals, Colette Ryals, Eula Blank, Carroll Leboeuf, Emma-Grace Delatte, Leanna & Floyd Schouest, Adolph Aucoin, Karen Acord, & Sheila McAdams. **Please call the Parish Office at 537-6002 to add or remove names from the Sick List. *new prayer request**

FIVE SIMPLE WAYS TO CELEBRATE HOLY WEEK AT HOME

Create a simple prayer space in your home, and gather there to pray during the week.
Palm Sunday: At your regular Mass time, read the first Palm Sunday Gospel (Mt 21:1-11) and meditate on or discuss what Jesus might be thinking as he enters Jerusalem for the last time.
Holy Thursday: Bake bread for sharing at dinner; make a ritual of stripping the dinner table of all cloths and decorations after dinner.
Good Friday: Pray the Stations of the Cross at 3 p.m.
Holy Saturday: In the morning, read Psalm 64 and break your Good Friday fast solemnly with a simple meal.
Easter Sunday: Dress up the dinner table again. Include candles and crosses, so that the candy baskets aren't the only festive items present. Sing Alleluia and read the Easter Gospel (Matthew 28:1-10) with solemnity and joy.

THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

To stay abreast of information regarding St. Hilary, St. Anthony, and the Diocese of Houma-Thibodaux, please regularly check for updates on the Community of St. Anthony group page on Facebook and the website www.sthilaryht.org.

Since all public Masses have been cancelled, it is encouraged to spend time reflecting on scripture and offering a prayer of spiritual communion.

An Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

In this time of need, I invite all the faithful to seek together the maternal intercession of *Our Lady of Guadalupe*, and I share this prayer with you:

*Holy Virgin of Guadalupe,
 Queen of the Angels and Mother of the Americas.
 We fly to you today as your beloved children.
 We ask you to intercede for us with your Son,
 as you did at the wedding in Cana.
 Pray for us, loving Mother,
 and gain for our nation and world,
 and for all our families and loved ones,
 the protection of your holy angels,
 that we may be spared the worst of this illness.
 For those already afflicted,
 we ask you to obtain the grace of healing and deliverance.
 Hear the cries of those who are vulnerable and fearful,
 wipe away their tears and help them to trust.
 In this time of trial and testing,
 teach all of us in the Church to love one another and to be patient and kind.
 Help us to bring the peace of Jesus to our land and to our hearts.
 We come to you with confidence,
 knowing that you truly are our compassionate mother,
 health of the sick and cause of our joy.
 Shelter us under the mantle of your protection,
 keep us in the embrace of your arms,
 help us always to know the love of your Son, Jesus. Amen.*

