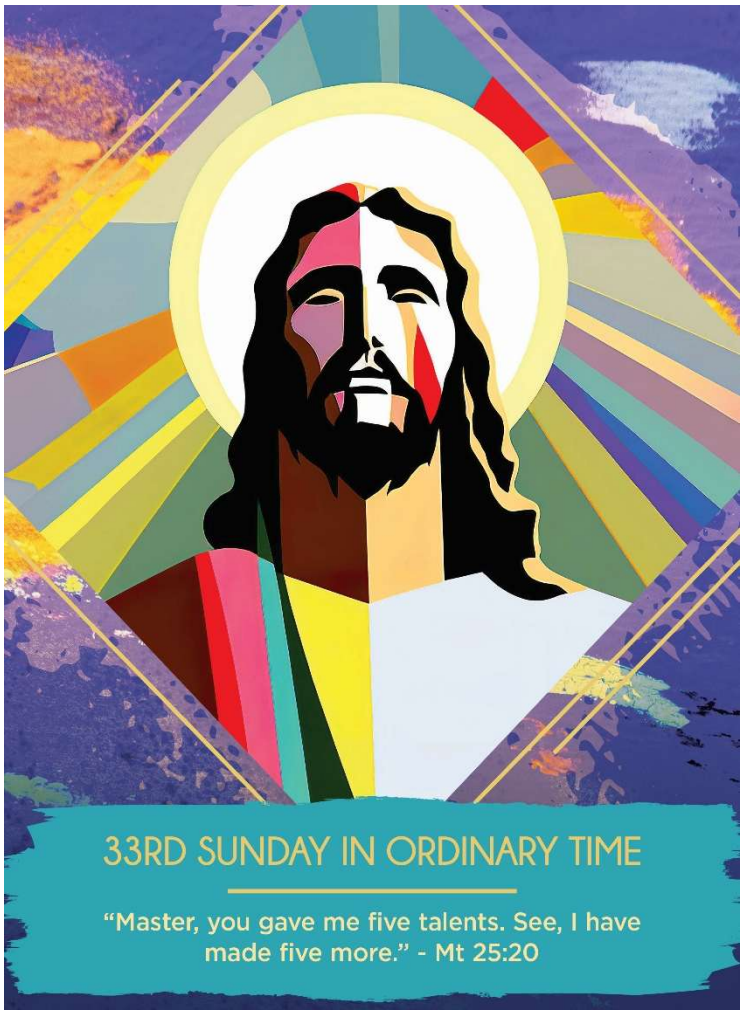
ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH
ST. ANTHONY MISSION CHAPEL

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Office Hours
Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday:
9:00 a.m.–12 noon 1pm-2pm
Tuesday: **CLOSED**

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil:	4:00 p.m.
Sunday: *St. Anthony*	8:00 a.m.
St. Joseph	10:00 a.m.
Tuesday - Thursday - Friday	7:00 a.m.
Wednesday	6:00 p.m.

Confession

Saturday	3:00–3:45 p.m.
Sunday St. Anthony	7:30a.m.
Sunday St. Joseph	9:30a.m.
Weekdays following weekday masses or by appointment	

Parish Staff

Pastor: Rev. Rofinus Jas, S.V.D.
Rectory: (337) 445-9331
Email: rojassvd@yahoo.com

Secretary/Bookkeeper: Ms. Ahjayla Washington

Musicians: Mr. Harris Flugence
Ms. Carla Bernard

Trustees: Mr. Michael Rabon
Mrs. Theresa Cormier

Safe Environment Coordinator: Mrs. Judy Keefe

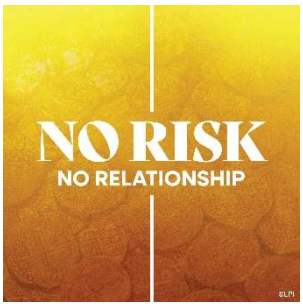
Sacrament of Baptism
Contact the Church office to schedule Baptisms

Sacrament of Marriage
Couples should contact the Priest 6 months prior to the wedding date. NO wedding date should be planned, till after the Marriage Preparation has been completed.

Funerals
Please call the office to inform of the death of a church member and to schedule an appointment to plan the Funeral. Only after meeting with the Secretary, should one contact the funeral home with the final arrangement

Meetings
Ushers Association: Third Monday of every month at 6:30 p.m.—Bishop Perry Learning Center
Adult Choir Practice: Every Thursday at 6:00 p.m.
Come Lord Jesus Group: Every Tuesday at 6:30 p.m.
Knights & Ladies Auxiliary of Peter Claver: 2nd Sun of the month

Mission Statement
"As a community inspired by the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ and our ancestral heritage, we the parishioners of St. Joseph and St. Anthony profess to proclaim God's goodness. And through our faith and commitment to the Holy Word we join together in spirit, truth, love and service working together for the good of our church parish."



Matthew 25:14-30

A friend once took his young adult son to the casino for his birthday. He handed him $100 and said, "Let's have a great time." The son, a graduate student with limited money, quietly pocketed the money and refused to play. "I don't want to lose it," he said. But he missed the point: the money was not really his to pocket; it was his father's invitation to share an experience together.

God sees our gifts a bit like this. In Jesus' parable, a servant buries his master's talent and explains: **"Master, I knew you were a demanding person...so out of fear I went off and buried your talent in the ground" (Matthew 25:24-25).** The master condemns him not for failure but for refusing to risk. The servant's fear distorts his image of the master and leads to a small, loveless response. No love, no risk. No risk, no relationship.

How easily we fall into this trap! We treat God's gifts as fragile possessions rather than invitations. We play it safe, avoid risk, and tell ourselves we are wise and God is cruel. But Jesus praises those who trust the Master's goodness enough to act boldly. They are not reckless but confident enough in their Master to risk their gifts for Him.

So, what is my interior story about God right now? Is it marked by generosity, adventure, and trust? Or by fear, caution, and suspicion? That hidden narrative shapes everything. Because love, by its nature, always takes risks with, and for, the beloved.

~Father John Muir~

Mass Intentions

Sat. 5:00pm: Hilda Johnson, Bessie Jones, Alexson Mathieu, Audrey Mathieu, the deceased members of the Mathieu & Mouton families, Harold Anderson Jr, Wilbert & Thelma Jeanlouis, Christopher J. Anderson, Harold Anderson Sr & Ethel Mae Decuir, Alton & Hilda Chambers, Louella Verette, Ronald Filer, Julius Gregoire, Laura Lynn Broussard, deceased members of the Gregoire & Granger families, Mazel N Flugence, Gladys Little, Henry Little, Villery Ball, Lillie Norbert, Florence Norbert, and Cheronda F Arceneaux.

Sun. 8:00am: Wonest Decuir Sr, Harper Zacharie, and the deceased members of the Decuir & Bourda families.

Sun.10:00am: Lionel Ryes, M/M Curley & Mary Ann Flugence, deceased members of the Flugence & St. Julien families, Rosemary Flugence-Rabon, M/M Henderson & Lucille Rabon, Tony Curtis Rabon, James Ledet Sr, Troy Tauriac, M/M Anna & Alfred Tauriac Sr, Joseph Leo Sias III, Christopher Anderson, deceased members of the Decuir & Anderson families, Robert Rabon, Timothy Rabon, Peter Chargois, Wilfred Thompson, Alexa James, and Wilson & Elsie Thompson.

Prayers for the Sick:



Merciful Jesus, onto Your Compassionate Heart we recommend:

Gustavia Thibeaux, John Albert Ledet, Audrey Armelin, Shavawana Flugence, Katherine Gregoire, Victor Jackson, Jessica Doucet, Karen Armour, Donald Mitchell, Malcolm Knox, Monica Barras, Rose Sam, Jimmie Valsin Sr and Grethen Valsin.

Worship & Observances

Prayer - Blessing for a Friendsgiving

Thank you, Lord, for the gift of these beautiful souls gathered! You have blessed us in our friendship with each other! May each of us deeply know Your generosity this evening, through rich food and drink, through company and conversation, through Your goodness and grace.
Amen.

Readings for the Week of November 15, 2026

Sunday
Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5/
1 Thes 5:1-6/Mt 25:14-30 or 25:14-15, 19-21

Monday
Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday
Rv 3:1-6, 14-22/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5/Lk 19:1-10

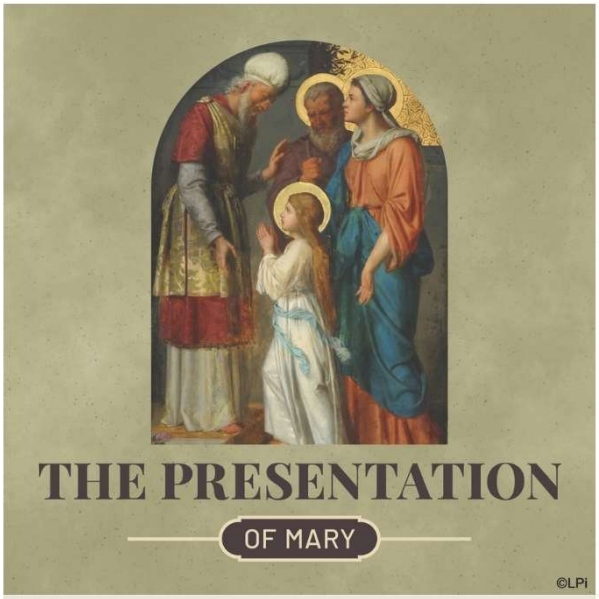
Wednesday
Rv 4:1-11/Ps 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 19:11-28

Thursday
Rv 5:1-10/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/Lk 19:41-44

Friday
Rv 10:8-11/Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131/Lk 19:45-48

Saturday
Rv 11:4-12/Ps 144:1, 2, 9-10/Lk 20:27-40

Next Sunday
Ez 34:11-12, 15-17/Ps 23:1-2a, 2b-3, 5, 6/1 Cor 15:20-26, 28/Mt 25:31-46



Observances for the Week of November 15, 2026

Sunday
33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday
St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude, Virgin

Tuesday
St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious

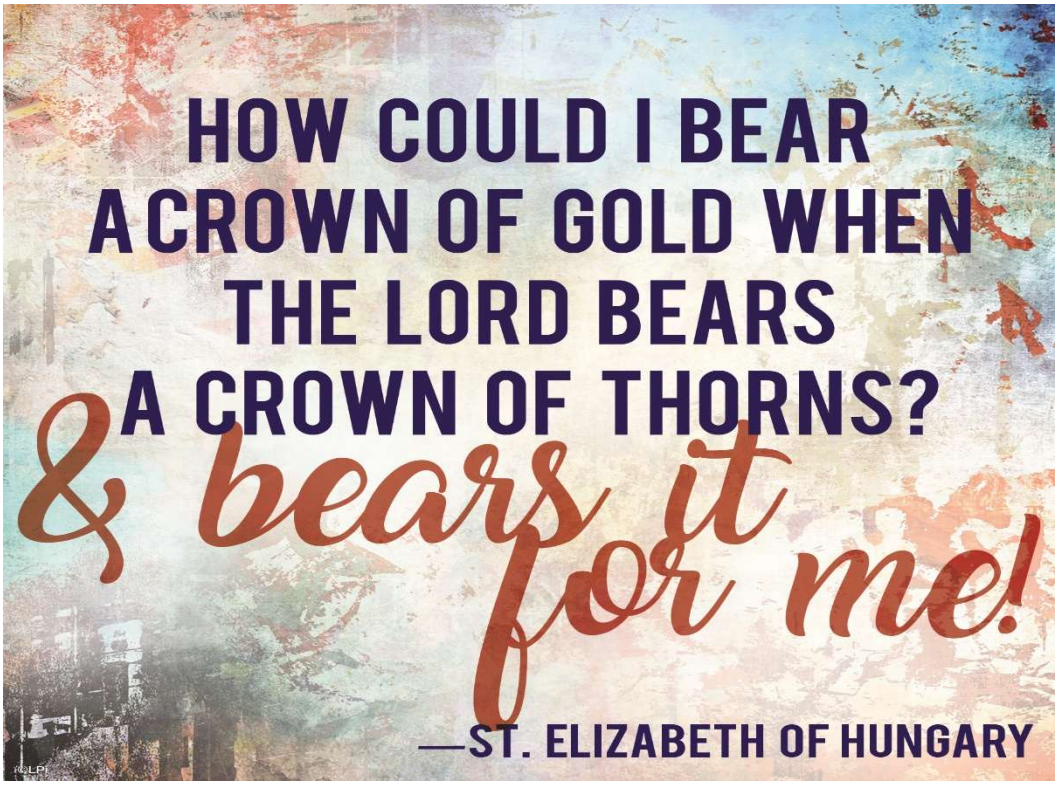
Wednesday
The Dedication of the Basilicas of Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles;
St. Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin

Saturday
The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Next Sunday
Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

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Inspirations for your week



Our Giving

November 7th & 8th, 2026

St. Joseph: (129 Envelopes)	**$2506.00**
St. Anthony: (17 Envelopes)	**220.00**
	$2,726.00

2nd Collections:

Catholic Comm. Campaign:	**1.00**
Building Maintenance:	**185.00**
Building Insurance:	**30.00**
Archdiocese for Military Service:	**422.00**
On-Line Giving:	**80.00**
TOTAL:	**$3,444.00**

THE 33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME NOVEMBER 15, 2026

Mass	*Lectors*	*Extraordinary Ministers of Communion*	*Altar Servers*	*Ushers*
SATURDAY November 21, 2026 5:00pm	Judy Keefe	Cynthia Jackson		
SUNDAY November 22, 2026 8:00Am	Theresea Cormier	Jeanette Mitchell		Lucinda George Jessica Broussard
SUNDAY November 22, 2026 10:00am	Jennifer Harris	Michael Rabon		

Please Note: Lectors, Ushers, Altar Servers and Extraordinary Ministers of Communion: By calling for a replacement when you are scheduled but cannot serve, you honor your commitment and help to ensure that there is no interruption for mass. Thanks!!

God's Housekeepers:

St. Joseph: Thanks to all of the ladies that cleaned the church on October 17th, 2026. Please let us know if and when you might be available to help clean our church.

St. Anthony — November, 2026: (Group B): Marie Decuir and Bridget Zacharie

Your hard work and time dedicated is appreciated!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Please return any Baptismal Registration forms to the church office as soon as possible.
- Next week's 2nd Collection is for: Building Insurance Fund.
- St. Joseph's Annual Mardi Gras Ball is scheduled for Saturday January 23, 2027.
- Next CCD class will be held Saturday November 21st, @ 9 am.

Parish School of Religion:

Director of Religious Education:
Mrs. Mona Darby (337) 654-0749

9AM—12 Noon in the Bishop Perry Learning Center

2026	**2027**
November 21st	January 16th
December 19th	February 20th
	March 6th
	March 20th
	April 10th