

Mass Intentions for April 2026

Easton Kidder, Peggy & Terry Duhon, Nancy Rollins, Paula & Donald Benoit, Clovis Guidry & Stanislaus Kidder Families, AC & Chris Tisdale, Sr., Linda Tisdale, Randy Tisdale, Sr. Elphege & Odile Giroir, Mazie Champagne, Horace Barras, Howard Thibodaux and Deceased members of Thibodaux and Barilleaux Families, Terrance J. Aucoin, Sr., Villier J. Aucoin, Elizabeth P. Aucoin, Joseph P. Ruiz, Sr., Jennie H. Ruiz, Rebecca Cross, Joseph Stelly, Sr., Paul Stelly, Melissa Stelly, Charles Aucoin, Ruby, Gene Jr., Wayne, Robert, Elizabeth, Morgan, Denver & Ida Fuller, Kirby, Catherine, Johnny, Perry, Jerry, Williams, Breaux & Morgan Families, Daniel & Elma Pennison, Debbie & Jamie Pennison, Margaret & Nolan Rhodes, Dickie & Kristie Colgin, Theresa Theriot, Reggie Hoffman, All deceased members of Landry Hoffman Families, Gina Chiasson, Charles Mathern, Victor Gaudet, Victor Gaudet II, Deceased Vu Family Members, Han Thiet Vu, John Curtis Morvant, All Priests living and deceased, Carlo Gagliano, Lillian & Stanley Aucoin, Sr., Lucille Blanchard, Roland Alphonso, Sr., Shelia Castleberry, Joy Puckett, All deceased members of the Nguyen Pham Family, Dora Guillot, Tap Truong, Cat Le, Ngoc Truong, Gioi Truong, Vincente Nguyen Van The, Pauline Barrilleaux, Hien Nguyen, Truyen Nguyen, Luke Nguyen, Tam Nguyen, Rue Mai, Floyd & Joyce LaBarre, Steve Cabrera, Arlington Porter, Lee Dubois, Taylor Talbot, Edward Smithson, Kurt Steels, Ernest McBride, Davis & Olive Portier, Gilday Gaudet, Joseph & Francis Venable, Clarence & Jackie Aucoin, Harold "Snook" Rentrop, Jr., Harold Rentrop III, Maurice Rentrop, Dalaina Rentrop, Sterling and Patricia Fryou, Deceased members of Allen & Lessie Tabor family, Deceased members of Clarence & Bertha Fryou family, Deceased members of the McDonald family, Julius Lovell, Sr., Matthew Brown, Luke Aucoin, Erica Billiot, Ronald Billiot, Sr., Mr. & Mrs. Sylvester J. Verret, Sr., S.J. Verret, Jr., Noble Benoit, Tracey V. Duvall, Alice V. Walters, Charles W. Walters, Patricia & Nolan Chaisson, Sr., Wallace & Ronnie Chaisson, Suzette Chaisson Johnston, Shirley Chaisson, Pam Dubois Fly., Breaux Fly, Chaisson Fly, Aucoin Fly, Morgan Fly., Izaiha Prejean, Joseph Thien, Dianne McAllister

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APRIL 26, 2026

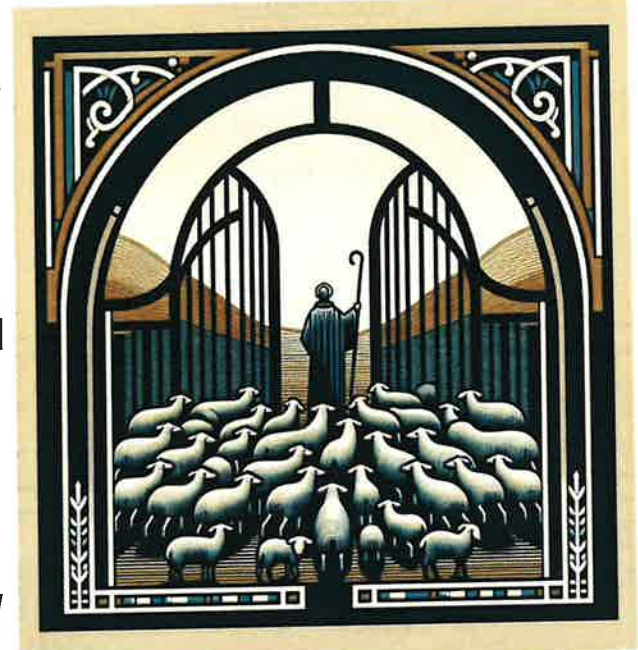
FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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Jesus is the shepherd and guardian of our souls. In today's readings, we hear of the many ways Jesus reaches out to us and saves us, tending to us as a shepherd. He is, indeed, as Peter says, the shepherd and guardian of [our] souls. If we pray and listen attentively for his voice in our heart, we will hear the call of the Good Shepherd, who is our strength and our salvation.



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MASS SCHEDULE
SATURDAY: 4pm Vigil
SUNDAY: 8am & 10am
12pm (Spanish)
TUESDAY—FRIDAY: 8:00 am
1st Friday:
7:00am Adoration
7:30am D.M. Chaplet
8am Mass

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Ave Maria!

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Online giving is available! Use the above QR code to make a one time donation or for recurring donations.
RECONCILIATION
TUESDAY—FRIDAY:
by appointment
Saturday: 3:00–3:30 pm
Sunday: 7:30–7:45 am and 9:30–9:45 am
Anytime by appointment

WEDDINGS
Couples should make an appointment with the pastor at least six months prior to the proposed wedding date.
BAPTISM
The pre-baptismal seminar is required of both the parents and godparents. Call the office to schedule a date to attend.

ST ANDREW KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
COUNCIL #8371 Est. 1983
Meet 1st Tuesday of each month in the parish hall @ 7pm.
Grand Knight: Gus Cavalier

MASS INTENTIONS

April 25th
 Sterling and Patricia Fryou
 Darin Tabor, Ken Tabor,
 M/M Murphy Tabor
 Roland Verret, Charles Matherne,
 Gina Chaisson, A.J. Devillier
 All living & deceased members of the Verret,
 Justilian, LeBlanc & Breaux families
 Wanzie Richard


April 26th
 Joseph Foret
 Dwain Pangle
 Gerald Clements
 Fred Buquet

April 30th
 Gerald Clements

This weekend's second collection this weekend will be for the Catholic Home Missions Appeal.

Fr. Joe has begun his pilgrimage. There will be **NO** Daily Mass while he is away.

Please keep Fr. Joe in your prayers for safe travels.



Next weekend's second collection will be for our Capital Improvement fund.


Question of the week: How can I live my life more abundantly? What specific things can I do this week to increase the love and mercy in my life?

COMING SOON!!

Information and registration for St. Andrew's Vacation Bible School!!



Why is the equation $2 + 2 = 5$ like your left foot?
 *The answer is hidden in the bulletin



~PERPETUAL PRAYERS~

Garry May, II, Andrea Doiron, Gunner Tisdale, Ronald & Shirley Verdin, Elizabeth Aucoin, Barbara Gaudet, Sidney Dupre, Terri Barrilleaux, Monty Gaudet, Mary Ann Troscclair, Rosalie Aucoin, Mack Lombas, Gina Landry, Francis Jett, Anthony Bernard, Christy Simoneaux, Ronnie Toupes, Laura Magee Larive, Pooch Clements, Lawrence Pennison Sr., Gerard Frey, Adam Arnold, George Legleu, Jr., Robin Bailey Jeansomme, Richard Lewis, Geniese LaHoste, Davida Griffin, Genevieve Hebert, Jared Gonzales, Pansy Dore Landry, Patsy Dore, Doris Blanchard


Liturgical Ministers

UPCOMING THIS WEEK!!

The Diocesan Office of Worship will be offering liturgical training workshops for those to become Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHC). These workshops are open to those interested in beginning this ministry. Participants are asked to register (<https://hdiocese.org/extraordinary-ministers-of-holy-communion>) in advance so that materials may be prepared for the following date: **Thursday, April 30, 2026 | 6:00-8:00 PM** Most Holy Rosary - Church (Houma). You may also call the Office of Worship at (985) 850-3141 to speak to Mrs. Wendy for more info.

St. Andrew's goal is \$11,000.00 and at present we have raised 74.37%.

Thank you for your support of the Bishop's Appeal. We appreciate your commitment to our mission! For any questions about the Bishop's Appeal or to make a gift in a different way, please contact Logan Crosby at 985-850-3136 or lcrosby@hdiocese.org.



Money Counters
Group A Monday, April 27th
Carolyn Giandelone
Pam Patureau
Rosetta McLaren

Prayer Requests

Frank Ritter, Heddy Landry, Agnes Gaudet, Al Ruiz, Iliana Edwards, Dolores Theriot, Warren & Challie Dehart, Sherryl Doiron, Doris Fryou, Marion A. Bernard, Hillary Theriot, Becky Aucoin, Remi Thibodaux, Pat Brown, Faye Arceneaux, Dawn Spinella, Harold & Peggy LeBlanc, Emerson Sinclair, Nicole Hand, Glenn Guillory, Elizabeth Colgin, Denise Chaisson, Rachel Wells, David Morrow, Alisa Blanchard, Jenn Roth, Carrie Griffin, Megan Raymond, Larisa Ivy, Melissa Alleman, Sandra Prejean, Stephen Hope

Fr. Joe offered Mass and prayed for all at Padre Pio's shrine.

*Padre Pio was known to spend 12 to 15 hours a day hearing confessions. He was famous for "reading hearts," often informing penitents of sins they had forgotten to mention.



St. Andrew Parish is grateful for the generosity of our parishioners/visitors for your prayers & offertory support. To sustain our parish, we need to have the support weekly of \$4,500.

WEEKLY COLLECTION	\$2,876.70
ALL OTHER COLLECTIONS	\$754.00
TOTAL	\$3,630.70
DEFICIT OF	\$869.30

Fr. Joe safely made it to Rome in the early hours of Monday, April 20th!!



The first stop was St. Paul's Basilica.

*A remarkable feature is the series of 266 mosaic medallions depicting every pope, from St. Peter to Pope Francis, which line the upper walls of the nave. The original ancient basilica stood for nearly 1,500 years before being almost completely destroyed by fire in 1823. It was rebuilt to look nearly identical to the original and was consecrated again in 1854

He prayed for all of us at St. Peter's Basilica.

*St. Peter is often considered as one of the first leaders of the Catholic church. Scholars suggest he was crucified in Rome, at the very site on which the Basilica was built. To commemorate St. Peter, Emperor Constantine I decided to build a church in the Vatican and pay tribute to his sacrifice. The tomb of the Apostle rests below the church, with an altar built precisely over it.

April 25 & 26			
Fourth Sunday of Easter	4 pm	8am	10am
Commentator/Lector	Monica H/ Marilou	Ginger	Claudette
Eucharistic Minister	Suzanne	***	Kathy A
Usher	Dat	Louie	Kerry/ Kaden

May 2 & 3			
Fifth Sunday of Easter	4 pm	8 am	10 am
Commentator/Lector	Lois	Monica B	Claudette/ Youth
Eucharistic Minister	Kathy G	***	Amber
Usher	Hunter	Volunteer	Gus/Youth