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God has made us a chosen race and a royal priesthood. In him we find our deepest identity. The second reading from the First Letter of Peter provides a beautiful and yet challenging description of who we are as Christians. We are, by virtue of baptism, a chosen race, a royal priesthood, and a people set part to give praise to God. Taken together, these statements remind us what a grace and privilege it is to be chosen, but they also reassure us of how God sees us and how we ought to see ourselves and others. Everything we do must reflect this holy and royal status.

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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 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.



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 The pre-baptismal seminar is required of both the parents and godparents. Call the office to schedule a date to attend.

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Continuing Fr. Joe's Pilgrimage



He was able to travel to Mount Titlis in Switzerland.
 * Mount Titlis, located near Engelberg in Central Switzerland, is a 3,238-meter peak renowned for the world's first revolving cable car, the Titlis Rotair. It offers year-round snow, the Titlis Cliff Walk (Europe's highest suspension bridge), a glacier cave, and the Ice Flyer chairlift.

He visited the tomb of St. John Vianney.

* St. John Vianney died on August 4, 1859, and was found incorrupt (not decayed) when exhumed for beatification. The face is covered with a wax mask, as is common for such relics. While his body is in the Basilica, his heart is kept in a separate reliquary at the "Chapel of the Heart" (Chapelle du Coeur) nearby. The tomb is in the new Basilica, which was built around the original smaller church where he served as Curé.



Fr. Joe celebrated Mass at the Grotto of Massabielle in Lourdes, France.

* The Blessed Mother appeared 18 times to 14-year-old Bernadette Soubirous between February 11 and July 16, 1858, in the Grotto of Massabielle in Lourdes, France. The apparition identified herself as "the Immaculate Conception" and instructed Bernadette to dig for a, now miraculous, spring.

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

May 9 & 10			
<i>Sixth Sunday of Easter</i>	4 pm	8am	10am
Commentator/Lector	Suzanne	Marilou	Monica H
Eucharistic Minister	Dat	***	Kathy A
Usher	Eugene	Dana	Curtis

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Garry May, II, Andrea Doiron, Gunner Tisdale, Ronald & Shirley Verdin, Elizabeth Aucoin, Barbara Gaudet, Sidney Dupre, Terri Barrilleaux, Monty Gaudet, Mary Ann Troclair, 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



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MASS INTENTIONS

May 2nd
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 Darin Tabor, John Landry,
 M/M Anthony Verret, Linda Verret
 Roland Verret, Charles Matherne,
 Gina Chaisson, A.J. Devillier
 All living & deceased members of the Verret,
 Justilian, LeBlanc & Breaux families
 Wanzie Richard

May 3rd
 Joseph Foret
 Dwain Pangle
 Gerald Clements
 Fred Buquet

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

Fr. Joe is on 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 Maintenance fund.

Question of the week: What can I do this week to know Jesus better, to serve those who are overlooked, and to prepare my spiritual home?

COMING SOON!!
 St. Andrew's Vacation Bible School will be held June 15th - June 19th !!

How do termites travel?
 * The answer is hidden in the bulletin

The Church is updating the bulletin board in the back of Church and is asking for photographs of Parishioners with Fr. Joe. If you have pictures to contribute, please contact the office. This display will serve as a surprise for Fr. Joe when he returns.



St. Andrew's goal is \$11,000.00 and at present we have raised 77.10%.

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.

<i>Money Counters</i>
Group B Monday, May 4th
Monica Buquet
Lucille Kidder
Jane Aucoin

COOK eat taste drink IT'S A POTLUCK

We have begun planning a pot luck dinner to celebrate Fr. Joe's time at St. Andrew. Following 4:00pm Mass on Saturday, June 20th, everyone is invited to the Parish Hall. Please bring a dish according to your last name. There will be a sign up sheet in the back of Church to use for Parishioners to see what is being brought so that we do not end up with a lot of duplicates.

A-E: Plates, plastic silverware, napkins
F-J: Main Dishes
K-R: Side Dishes
S-Z: Desserts or Drinks

Please contact the office if there are any questions or if you would like to help in another way.

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	\$2,271.00
ALL OTHER COLLECTIONS	\$346.50
TOTAL	\$2,617.50
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