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Pastor: Rev. Peter Hieu Quang Nguyen

Mass Schedule:

Monday - Saturday	6:45 AM (Bilingual)
Eucharistic Adoration	7:30-8:00 AM After Daily Mass
Saturday Vigil:	6:00 PM (Vietnamese)
Sunday:	7:45 AM (Bilingual)
	9:00 AM Adoration
	10:00 AM (Vietnamese)
	1:45 PM (CCD-Bilingual)

During Lent: Fridays *(S.O.C)* 7:00 PM (Vietnamese)

Confessions:

Daily before Mass
Saturday: By Appointment**.**

Baptism & Wedding:

Please contact the Parish Office during business hours: 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM

GOSPEL REFLECTION

This week's Gospel speaks of how Jesus' disciples are to conduct themselves as they await the Kingdom of Heaven. In the preceding passages and in last week's Gospel, Jesus taught that there is no way to predict the coming of the Kingdom of Heaven. His disciples must, therefore, remain vigilant and ready to receive the Son of Man at any time.

Jesus' parable talks about Christian discipleship using economic metaphors. Before he leaves on a journey, the master entrusts to his servants a different number of talents, giving to each according to their abilities. A *talent* is a coin of great value. Upon the master's return, he finds that the first and second servants have doubled their money, and both are rewarded. The third servant, however, has only preserved what was given to him because he was afraid to lose the money. He has risked nothing; he did not even deposit the money in a bank to earn interest. This servant is punished by the master, and his talent is given to the one who brought the greatest return.

Read in light of last week's parable of the wise and foolish bridesmaids, this parable teaches that God's judgment will be based on the service we render to God and to one another in accordance with the gifts that God has given to us. Our gifts, or talents, are given to us for the service of others. If we fail to use these gifts, God's judgment on us will be severe. On the other hand, if we make use of these gifts in service to the Kingdom of Heaven, we will be rewarded and entrusted with even more responsibilities.

This Gospel reminds us that Christian spirituality is not passive or inactive. Our life of prayer helps us to discern the gifts that have been given to us by God. This prayer and discernment ought to lead us to use our gifts in the service of God and our neighbor. God's grace allows us to share in the work of serving the Kingdom of Heaven.

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Letting Go'

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THE THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

NOVEMBER 14 – NOVEMBER 15, 2026

Remain in me as I remain in you, says the Lord. Whoever remains in me bears much fruit.

MASS NOVEMBER 14

TIME	INTENTION
Sat. 6:00 pm	Deceased Parishioners'

MASS NOVEMBER 21

TIME	INTENTION
Sat. 6:00 pm	Deceased Parishioners'

† *Pray for the Sick and Shut-In* †

Alando Palmer
Darren Singleton
Nishen Palmer
Sr. Hoa Ngoc Nguyen
Victoria Stewart
Sr. Hoa Thanh Nguyen
Beverly Harleaux
Linda Thuy Truong
Clay Polk
Susan Brown
Coogan Ryan
Sharon Smith
Claire Gremillion
Mrs. Xuyen
Jennifer Lawkins
Ollie Singleton
Tashekia Carter Richard

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

TIME	INTENTION
Mon. 6:45 am	All Souls
Tues. 6:45 am	All Souls
Wed. 6:45 am	All Souls
Thur. 6:45am	All Souls
Fri. 6:45am	All Souls
Sat. 6:45am	All Souls

WEEKLY OFFERING

Nov. 07 – Nov. 08, 2026

Budget for 2026-2027 - $861,000.00

Identified Givers	$	6,156.00
Unidentified Givers	$	1,274.00
Maintenance	$	890.00
Online Giving	$	650.00
Candle	$	452.00
Seminarian Edu. Fund	$	235.00
For the Poor in VN	$	312.00
Theresa Parking Lot	$	500.00

ST. ANTHONY ONLINE GIVING

Give online by first creating an account on https://osvhub.com/stanthonybr/funds – After creating your account, you can Text by using (225) 307-4296, type the amount, space and Code (Ex. $25 GO20); or use a Credit Card or ACH to give online. Our website is – www.stanthonybr.com . Try us by giving online. Thank You!

THIS WEEK

MONDAY, November 16…Monday of the Thirty - Third Week in Ordinary Time***. The Optional Memorial of St. Gertrude, Virgin.***

TUESDAY, November 17…Tuesday of the Thirty - Third Week in Ordinary Time. ***The Memorial of St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious.***

WEDNESDAY, November 18…Wednesday of the Thirty - Third Week in Ordinary Time***. The Optional Memorial of Dedication of St. Peter and St. Paul,.***

THURSDAY, November 19…Thursday of the Thirty - Third Week in Ordinary Time.

FRIDAY, November 20… Friday of the Thirty - Third Week in Ordinary Time.

SATURDAY, November 21 Saturday of the Thirty - Third Week in Ordinary Time. ***The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary.***

SUNDAY, November 22… The Thirty-Four Sunday in Ordinary Time. Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe.



Vocation View: "Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away." Cherish the precious words of the Lord. He may be calling you to a life of contemplation as a cloistered monk or nun, whose lives are devoted to prayer and reflection. Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at 225-336-8778 or via email: ablount@diobr.org

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA AND LE VAN PHUNG MISSION STATEMENT:



Motto: "Together We Worship" "Our Mission Statement: We pledge our lives to Christ and Covenant with each other to Demonstrate His Spirit through Worship, Prayer, Evangelization, and Ministry to the needs of our community.

Pope Leo XIV's Prayer Intention for November: For the proper use of wealth
Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that not succumbing to the temptation of selfishness, it may always be put at the service the common good and solidarity of those who have less..

Fall Savings Event: Central Funeral Home/ Greenoaks Cemetery offers 20% off on repaid funeral plans or new cemetery property with 0% interest on select cemetery property now through November 22, 2026.

Bridging the Gap "A Parent Workshop with Dominus Project" The Dominus Project and the Diocese of Baton Rouge Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry invite ministers to a Parent Engagement Workshop! Join us for a collaborative conversation, discussing ways that we can engage the parents of our youth. Tuesday, November 17 from 11:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M at BLDG5, the Relic Room (under the Perkins Overpass) 2805 Kalurah Street, Baton Rouge, LA. Lunch included. RSVP by November 10 at http://www.diobr.org

Campaign for Human Development: This weekend, there will be a collection for Campaign for Human Development. Please give generously!