

# ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC CHURCH

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**MISSION STATEMENT:** St. Anthony Parish is a community of diverse cultures. Under the guidance of the Holy Spirit and responding to the call of Jesus, we strive to proclaim the Good News, build a community of love, celebrate the Liturgy, and serve each other.

## 32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME NOVEMBER 12, 2023



Please contact the parish office or Fr. Maria Joseph Kodiganti to become a member or for any of the following:

**Sacraments:** Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Communion, Marriage, Confession and Anointing of the Sick.

**Homebound:** For anyone going to the hospital, wishing to receive communion, or home visits.

**Religious Education:** Classes begin at the pre-k level and go through High School and Confirmation.

**Marriage:** Six months advance notice is required.

**RCIA:** Classes are available for those who wish to become Catholic or adult Catholics who have not yet received First Communion or Confirmation.

**Funerals:**

### Mass Schedules for the Cluster

Our Lady Queen of Peace—5610 S. Hwy 51, P.O. Box 325, Manitowish Waters 54545—Phone 715-543-8428

St. Isaac Jogues & Companions—5214 N Lakeview Ave, P.O. Box 373, Mercer 54547—Phone 715-476-2697

#### Reconciliation

St. Isaac Jogues –Tuesday 9 – 9:30 am

Our Lady Queen of Peace – Wednesday 4 – 4:30 pm

St. Anthony – Saturday 3 – 3:30 pm

#### Weekday Masses

St. Isaac Jogues – Tuesday 8:30 am

St. Anthony – Wednesday 8am

Our Lady Queen of Peace – Wednesday 4:30 pm

Our Lady Queen of Peace – Thursday 8:30 am

St. Anthony – Friday 8 am

#### Saturday Mass

St. Anthony – 4 pm

Our Lady Queen of Peace – 5:30 pm

#### Sunday Mass

Our Lady Queen of Peace – 8 am

St. Anthony – 9:30 am

St. Isaac Jogues – 11 am

#### 1st Friday Mass & Adoration

St. Anthony – 8 am Mass followed by Adoration

St. Isaac 12/1/23 – 10:30am Mass followed by adoration



**Please pray for:** John & Marcia Bardos, Barb Borroughs, Gene Baumgartner, Gloria Benedict, Jackie Benson, Jesse Bouldin, Billie Brever, Kay Brossmer, Sue Budjac, Collyn Burgess, Russell David, James Titus David, Robert Deitrich, Jan Jensen Deizell, Dorothy Dowling, Gary Elskamp, Michael Firkus, Tracey Forquer, A. Gammon, Larry Gisiakowski, Andrea Hinkle, Trevor Horne, Diane Korinek, Marty Kramer, Bernie Kramer, Terry Mantor, J. Roche, David Hitzaler, Phillip Hemling, Sherry Hitzaler, Ann Hollrith, Paul Hollrith, Pat

Horter, Sandy Kusay, Dan Leonardi, Tom Meurett, Janet Peters, Ann Peterson, Debra Ramsey, Camille Smigaj, Chris Stayer, Josh Stone, John Smigaj, L. Fischer, Geri Schwind, Easton Senovaske, Sr. Pat Sevcik, David & Julie Sharp, Michael Sharp, Eugene Vogel, Casey Wies, M. Wilson, Gary Zavada.

**Bulletin Deadline is Monday at 10 am**

### PARISH STAFF

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Office Hours: This Week: Mon, Tues, Wed 9:00-2:00

Thurs 9:00-11:00

**Debra Ramsey**, Coordinator of Religious Education

Phone: (715) 588-3148

**Darlene Machel**, Organist

**Ryan Lefeber**, Janitor

### PARISH MEETINGS SCHEDULED

**Women's Club:** April 2, 2024

**Men's Club:** To Be Announced

**Knights of Columbus:** Wed, Dec 13, 2023 @ 7:00

**Parish Council:** Tues, Dec 12, 2023 @ 6:30pm

**Finance Council:** Mon, Dec. 4, 2023 @ 6:30pm

**Liturgy Committee:** To Be Announced

**Prayer Shawl:** Thurs, Nov 9, 2023 @ 1:00pm

### MASS SCHEDULES AND INTENTIONS

Wednesday, Nov 15th:

8:00am Mass for +Hank & Mary Clare Doran by Deborah(Doran) Keogh

Friday, Nov 17th:

8:00am Mass for +Ryan Kretlow Family by Mary Kretlow

Saturday, Nov 18th:

4:00pm Mass for +Patrick Horne by The Women's Club

Sunday Nov 19th:

9:30am Mass for +Bernie Zalewski by The Family

Many dates are still available this year for Masses to be offered for a particular intention. Mass intentions are allocated on a first come basis. If you require a particular date, submit a request as early as possible. Please contact the office to make arrangements. Thank you.

### KNOW YOUR COUNCILS

**Trustees:** Steve Jelinski and Kim Strasburg

#### FINANCE COUNCIL

Paul Kosin (Chair)

Kathleen Wieck

Sue Forbes, Barb Draeger

Mark Mehling

#### PARISH COUNCIL

Nancy Labecki (Chair)

Owen Phelps, Pam Smylie

Jim Strasburg, Ryan Lefeber

Sharon Mehling

### COLLECTIONS: Weeks of Nov 4 & Nov 5

Adults Envelopes	\$ 1,609.00
Loose	394.25
Candles	77.00
All Saints	301.00
All Souls	336.00
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 2,717.25</b>

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUING GENEROSITY**

### CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL 2023-2024

Our Parish Goal	\$22,083.00
Received to Date	7,230.00
Sent Direct To Diocese	
Left to Raise	<b>\$14,853.00</b>

### MASS ATTENDANCE

Nov 1, 2023

44

Nov 4, 2023

68

Nov 2, 2023

21

Nov 5, 2023

75

### WEEKLY VOLUNTEERS

	<b>Sat, November 18</b>	<b>Sun, November 19</b>
Eucharist Minister	Carolyn Magan	
Reader	Dale Lindsey	Barb Draeger
Server	Ryan Lefeber	Jim Strasburg
Money Counters (Mon. Nov 13)	Nancy Labecki, Kathy Teska, & Jan Jubert	

### NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

#### CONGRATULATIONS!!!

**Ross & Cheryl Pettit** 11/12/94

**Chuck & Darlene Machel** 11/15/75

**Chuck & Kay Dutton** 11/16/63

**Ray & Shirley Vileikis** 11/27/48

### CSA

The 2023/2024 Catholic Services Appeal is now in progress. Our goal this year is \$22,083.00. Today we have received \$7,230.00 leaving a balance of \$14,853.00. The appeal is an opportunity for us, as a faith family, to join together to do the work of the Lord. We ask for your continued generosity as we kick off our 2023/2024 campaign. Let's meet our goal again this year.

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## WHY DO CATHOLICS OBSERVE “ALL SOULS DAY” AND PRAY FOR THEIR DEAD RELATIVES?

The Church's official teaching is that there is a place or state of purification called Purgatory, where souls undergoing purification can be helped by the prayers of the faithful (Council of Trent). According to Revelation: 21:27: “nothing unclean shall enter heaven.” Since it would be contrary to the mercy of God to punish such souls with venial sins in hell, they are seen as entering a place or state of purification, called Purgatory, which combines God's justice with His mercy. Holy Scripture (Proverbs 24: 16) also teaches that even “the just sin seven times a day.” The early Fathers of the Church encouraged this practice (Tertullian (A.D. 160-240) & St. Augustine (354-430 AD) and the synods of Nicaea, Florence and Trent encouraged the offering of prayers for the dead. The liturgies of the Mass in various rites dating from the early centuries of the Church include “Prayers for the Dead.” The fire of Purgatory is an intense, transforming encounter with Jesus Christ and his fire of love. God can foresee the prayers we offer for our departed dear ones even years following their death and apply it to the holy souls as they undergo purification. The Catechism of the Catholic Church (No. 1032) recommends prayer for the dead in conjunction with the offering of the Eucharistic Sacrifice. It also encourages “almsgiving, indulgences, and works of penance undertaken on behalf of the dead.” God Bless!

**FR. MARIA JOSEPH KODIGANTI**

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### LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

Please use the sign-up sheets in the back of church to mark all times you are available in Nov. & Dec.

### ‘WOVEN WITH SACRED THREADS’

OLQU Secular Franciscans invite you to attend their 3rd Annual Advent Retreat. The event will be on December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023 @ Holy Family Parish Hall from 9:00-Noon. Lunch & Fellowship follow the program being presented by Joseph & Sharon Abel, Ph.D.

### GIVING TREE

This year's giving tree will be done differently. We will be accepting cash & check donations that will be given to the LDF Economic Support group to use for needs within the community for children ages 1-12. Checks should be made out to St. Anthony Women's Club and can be mailed to the office or put in the offertory baskets, cash in an envelope labeled St. Anthony's Women's Club. Please have all monies to the Women's Club by the weekend of Dec 9/10.

### THANK-YOU

Thank you to OLQU Secular Franciscans & Knights of Columbus for making last Sunday's Bingo successful.

### SAVE-THE-DATE

The National Eucharistic Congress Diocesan Pilgrimage led by Bishop James Powers will take place July 17-21, 2024, in Indianapolis. There will be 4 buses departing from various locations – Superior, Rice Lake, Hudson & Merrill. There is limited space on this trip so it will be a first come-first serve opportunity. Those not able to attend via the bus trip can still purchase tickets through the Eucharistic Revival website; transportation will be on your own. Bishop Powers is looking forward to this wonderful trip. For more info; please look online or contact the parish office: FORMS ARE DUE DECEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup>.

### VOLUNTEERS

We are in need of volunteers to help with preparation & maintenance for the Sacristy before and after mass, and other small tasks. There is a list of duties & a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board on the back wall of the sacristy. We are looking for one person to cover for a full month at a time. If we could get 12 people to volunteer that would only mean one month out of a year. Please take time to consider this service.



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