# 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.

# 33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME NOVEMBER 19, 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

Prayer Request

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 Hitztaler, Phillip Hemling, Sherry Hitztaler, 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.

#### **PARISH STAFF**

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**Mimi Miklautsch,** Secretary/Bookkeeper Email: stanthony@frontier.com

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Office Hours: This Week: Mon 9:00-2:00

Tues, Wed & Thurs 9:00-1:00

**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, Dec 14, 2023 @ 1:00pm

#### **COLLECTIONS: Weeks of Nov 11 & Nov 12**

Adults Envelopes	\$ 1,121.00
Loose	282.00
Candles	113.76
GRAND TOTAL	\$ 1,516.76

#### 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	\$14,853.00

#### MASS ATTENDANCE

Nov 11, 2023 Nov 12, 2023 57

# MASS SCHEDULES AND INTENTIONS

# NIMSGERN FUNERAL & CREMATION SERVICES

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Wednesday, Nov 22nd:

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

Friday, Nov 24th:

8:00am Mass for +Sharon Renfree by Ray Renfree

Saturday, Nov 25th:

4:00pm Mass for Deacon John Bardos by The Women's Club

Sunday Nov 26th:

9:30am Mass for Our Three Cluster Parishes

Many dates are still available next 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

PARISH COUNCIL
Nancy Labecki (Chair)
Owen Phelps, Pam Smylie
Jim Strasburg, Ryan Lefeber

Mark Mehling Sharon Mehling

#### **WEEKLY VOLUNTEERS**

	Sat, November 25	Sun, November 26
Eucharist Minister	Kathy Teska	
Reader	Dale Lindsey	Barb Draeger
Server	Jack Stayer	Jim Strasburg
Money Counters	Nancy Labecki	
(Mon. Nov 20)	Joanne Szalewski	
	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.



# WHY DO WE OBSERVE THANKSGIVING DAY?

We observe the Thanksgiving Day as a day of national thanksgiving 1) for the blessings and protection God has given us; 2) for the democratic government and the prosperity we enjoy; 3) for our freedom of speech and religion; 4) for the generosity and good will of our people. President Abraham Lincoln, in the midst of the Civil War, established Thanksgiving Day as a formal holiday to express our thanks to God. Luke 17: 11-19 describes how one of the ten lepers Jesus healed, a Samaritan, returned to Jesus to express his gratitude while the nine Jewish lepers did not care to thank the healer. 2 Kings 5: 1-9, Naaman the leper, the chief of the army of the Syrian king, returned to the prophet Elisha to express his thanks for healing. Let us be thankful and let us learn to express our thanks daily. 1) To God for His innumerable blessings, providential care and protection and for the unconditional pardon given to us for our daily sins and failures. 2) To our parents - living and dead - for the gift of life and Christian training and the good examples they have given us. 3) To our relatives and friends for their loving support and timely help and encouragement. 4) To our pastors, teachers, doctors, soldiers, police and government officers for the sincere, vital services they render us. God Bless!

FR. MARIA JOSEPH KODIGANTI

# LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

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

# **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.

# **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.

# THANKSGIVING DAY

11/22/2023, Wed, Thanksgiving Day Vigil St Anthony, LDF @ 4:00pm, No Morning Mass 11/23/2023, Thurs, Thanksgiving Day, OLQP, 8:30am 11/23/2023, Thurs, Thanksgiving Day, St Isaac Jogues 10:00am.

# CALLING ALL SANTA'S HELPERS!!!!

We are in need of some **ELF HELP** after the 9:30 Mass on December 3<sup>rd</sup>!!! This will be the start of our Church's Christmas Decoration Season and we need a Christmas Tree Brigade along with "Lighting Experts" to help get the initial decorations up -Please help us! - We guarantee you will be put on Santa's "Nice List" – Don't be put on the Naughty list.

# **'WOVEN WITHSACRED THREADS'**

Our Lady Queen of the Universe Secular Franciscans invite you to attend their third annual advent retreat December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023 at Holy Family Parish Hall. The event will take place from 9:00 to Noon. Lunch and fellowship follow the program. In an art filled morning using the experiences of weaving, music, visual arts and prayer presented by Joseph and Sharon Abel PhD's.





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