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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.

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT MARCH 3, 2024



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.

Funeral: Please contact the parish office or Fr. Maria

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
OLQP- March 1st, 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, 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, Lauranne Poupart, Debra Ramsey, Chris Stayer, Josh Stone, John Smigaj, 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 & Wed 9:00-1:30

Tues & Thurs 9:00-1:00

Debra Ramsey, Coordinator of Religious Education

Phone: (715) 588-3148

Darlene Machel, Organist

Ryan Lefeber, Janitor

MASS SCHEDULES AND INTENTIONS

Wednesday, March 6th:

8:00am Mass for +Dennis Wieck by The Family

Friday, March 8th:

8:00am Mass for +Chuck & Cele Bona by DeDe Hall

Saturday, March 9th:

4:00pm Mass for +Robin Chess by DeDe Hall

Sunday March 10th:

9:30am Mass for Our Three Cluster Parishes

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

PARISH MEETINGS SCHEDULED

Women's Club: Tues, April 2, 2024 @ 1:00pm

Men's Club: To Be Announced

Knights of Columbus: Wed, Mar 6, 2024 @ 7:00pm

Parish Council: Thurs, March 14, 2024 @ 6:30pm

Finance Council: Tues, April 23, 2024 @ 6:30pm

Liturgy Committee: To Be Announced

Prayer Shawl: Thurs, March 14, 2024 @ 1:00pm

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)

Terry Lonnborg, Pam Smylie

Jim Strasburg, Ryan Lefeber

Sharon Mehling, Owen Phelps

WEEKLY VOLUNTEERS

	Sat, March 9	Sun, March 10
Eucharist Minister	Kathy Teska	
Reader	DJ Lindsay	Barb Draeger
Server	Bob Teska	Jack Stayer
Money Counters (Mon, March)	Kathy Teska Carol Krummel	

COLLECTIONS: Weeks of Feb 24 & Feb 25

Adults Envelopes	\$ 1,527.00
Loose	250.00
Candles	67.51
Easter Flowers	563.00
Black & Indian & Rice Bowl	155.00
GRAND TOTAL	\$ 2,562.51

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUING GENEROSITY

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL 2023-2024

Our Parish Goal	\$22,083.00
Received to Date	12,530.00
Sent Direct To Diocese	
Left to Raise	\$9,553.00

MASS ATTENDANCE

Feb 24, 2024

68

Feb 25, 2024

50

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

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

March & April

MARCH ANNIVERSARIES

CONGRATULATIONS!!!

Warren & Janet Konopacki 4/27/63

John & Angie Dodge 4/28/73

CATHOLIC SERVICE APPEAL

The 2023/2024 Catholic Services Appeal is now in progress. Our goal this year is \$22,083.00. Today we have received \$12,530.00 leaving a balance of \$9,553.00. 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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WHAT ARE THE CATHOLIC OBSERVANCES DURING LENT? (Part-1)

1) Holy Mass: Making more frequent participation in the Holy Mass during the week is an excellent Lenten observance because the Eucharistic celebration is the most sublime of Christian prayers. 2) Lectio Divina: It is the practice of slow, prayerful, meditative reading of the selected passages of the Sacred Scripture. It is a major part of our Lenten prayer life which enables us to listen to God talking to us. According to Pope Benedict XV it is "the diligent reading of Sacred Scripture accompanied by prayer brings about that intimate dialogue in which the person reading hears God who is speaking, and in praying, responds to him with trusting openness of heart" (cf. Dei Verbum, n. 25). 3) Fast and abstinence: Fasting is taking only one major meal per day and abstinence is avoiding meat. Lent is traditionally a time of fast and abstinence. Evidently, the obligations surrounding this have been much relaxed in the West in the past few decades, but the relaxing of the obligation does not mean there is not value in still opting to pursue these practices. Indeed, there is nothing (outside of health and age) to prevent one from taking up the practice of devotional fasts and abstinence. (To Be Continued...)

Fr. Maria Joseph Kodiganti

OPERATION RICE BOWL

Rice Bowl has started on Ash Wednesday continuing throughout Lent. Please stop by the back of church and pick-up a Rice Bowl container to help support this Mission.

INTERNATIONAL PRIESTS COLLECTION

Next Weekend (World Concern Collection) we will have the opportunity to give back to Fr. Maria Joseph's home diocese of Guntur, India. This is the time for us to show our appreciation to Fr. Maria Joseph for sharing his vocation and priestly service with us. All 100% of the funds raised from World Concern Collection in our community will serve as our stewardship in appreciation to his diocese. Please use your World Concern Collection envelope, make payable to St. Anthony Church, in memo write Diocese of Guntur/World Concerns.

EASTER FLOWER OFFERING

Last weekend there was a second collection for church Easter flowers. Do you wish to remember a loved one through an Easter flower memorial? Please be sure to include the names of those you wish to have remembered and please print clearly.

LENT HEALING MASS – NO MORNING MASS

3/12/24: Tues, St. Isaac Jogues, Mercer 10:00am

3/13/24: Wed, St. Anthony, LDF 10:00am, (Followed
By light lunch)

3/14/24: Thurs, OLQP, Manitowish Waters, 10:0am

MASS OF CHRISM

As Diocesan Bishop, I cordially invite you to join me and the entire presbyterate in the blessing of the Oil of Catechumens, in the blessing of the Oil of the Sick, and in the consecration of Chrism at the celebration of the **MASS OF CHRISM**, on Tuesday, the 19th of March 2024, at 12:00 noon, at Cathedral of Christ the King, Superior, Wisconsin with a luncheon to follow Mass. Cost of luncheon is \$15. Please sign up in back of church deadline is March 5th.

S.A. FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON

Our S.A. Fellowship luncheon will be held on Tuesday, March 5th, at 12 noon. Please attend the luncheon which is open to all parishioners.

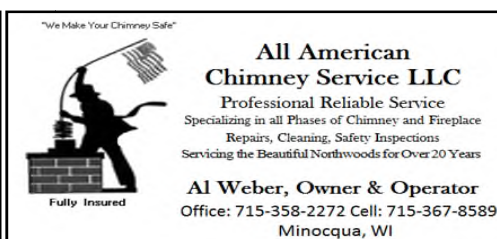
CORN BEEF & CABBAGE TICKETS

Tickets go on sale this weekend before and after Mass for our 8th Annual Corn Beef & Cabbage Dinner. Tickets \$9.00, children 8 and under FREE.



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