## 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.

# THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD MAY 12, 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 St Isaac Jogues – June 7, 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, Kit Deubler, 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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Mimi Miklautsch, Secretary/Bookkeeper Email: stanthony@frontier.com

Phone: (715) 588-3148; Please leave a message Office Hours: This Week: Mon, Wed, 9:00–1:30

Tues, Thurs, Fri, 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: Thurs, June 6, 2024 @ 1:00pm Men's Club: Wed, June 5, 2024 @ 6:30pm

Knights of Columbus: Wed, June 12, 2024 @7:00pm Parish Council: Thurs, June 13<sup>th</sup>, 2024 @ 6:30pm Finance Council: Tues, July 23, 2024 @ 6:30pm

Liturgy Committee: To Be Announced

Prayer Shawl: Thurs, June 13, 2024 @ 1:00pm

#### **COLLECTIONS: Weeks of May 4 & May 5**

Adults Envelopes	\$ 1,392.00
Loose	384.00
Candles	89.00
Home Missions	80.00
GRAND TOTAL	\$1,945.00

#### THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUING GENEROSITY

#### **CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL 2023-2024**

Our Parish Goal	\$22,083.00
Received to Date	14,955.00
Sent Direct To Diocese	
Left to Raise	\$ 7,128.00

#### MASS ATTENDANCE

May 4 May 5 71

#### LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

Please use the sign-up sheets in the back of church to mark all times you are available in May and June. Thank you for volunteering.

#### MASS SCHEDULES AND INTENTIONS

Wednesday, May 15th:

8:00am Mass for +Cletus Schey by Bob & Kathy Teska

Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup>:

8:00am Mass for +Stella & Harry Lubawski by James & Kathleen

Lubawski

Saturday, May 18th:

4:00pm Mass for +Frank Glonchak by St. Anthony Choir

Sunday May 19th:

9:30am Mass for +Angeline Nelson 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 **PARISH COUNCIL** Paul Kosin (Chair) Nancy Labecki (Chair) Kathleen Wieck Terry Lonnborg, Pam Smylie Sue Forbes, Barb Draeger Jim Strasburg, Ryan Lefeber Mark Mehling Sharon Mehling, Owen Phelps

#### **WEEKLY VOLUNTEERS**

	Sat, May, 18	Sun, May, 19
Eucharist Minister	Kim Strasburg	Ed&Jackie Hamlin
3	Bob & Kathy Teska	Sharon Mehling
Reader	Jeff Nehring	
Server	Chris Nehring	
Money Counters	Jan Jubert	
(Mon, May 13)	Carol Krummel	

#### **MAY ANNIVERSARIES CONGRATULATIONS!!!**

Ken & Barb Draeger 5/5/73 Tim & Janet Firkus 5/11/02 Mark & Sharon Mehling 5/19/73 Jeff & Sue Forbes 5/19/90

#### **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 \$14,955.00 leaving a balance of \$7,128.00. The appeal is an opportunity for us, as a faith family, to join together to do the work of the Lord.





#### PASCHAL CANDLE HISTORY (Part – 4)

Today's liturgical rubrics say the Paschal Candle's use at Funerals is optional but normative at Baptisms. Even when one is baptized in an emergency, as at a hospital, the Anointing, Prayer of Exorcism, Clothing with White Garment, Lighting a Baptismal Candle from the Paschal Candle, are strongly encouraged in what some call 'Supplying the Ceremonies.' For these rituals are not simply 'pretty things to do' or 'extras;' they help us experience, celebrate and better understand the meaning of the Sacraments. Why do we not extinguish it [as we did for centuries!] on the Ascension of the Lord but wait until Pentecost? Unlike the Christmas crèche, which recalls our Lord's earthly life, the Paschal Candle represents the Risen Lord's life. And after His Ascension, he remained just as present to us, though not bodily, in the Sacraments, His Word, and in every other way He said we would find Him! At the end of all Masses of Pentecost weekend, we will extinguish the Paschal Candle as a sign that Easter time 2024 will be ended. After that, it will no longer shine forth from its place of honor, next to the Ambo; its new home will be near the Baptismal Font. After Pentecost, it is only lit for Baptisms and Funerals and, by Parish custom; it is moved to and lit near the Book of Remembrance and All Souls Memorials for the Month of November: the Month of All Souls. God Bless!

Fr. Maria Joseph Kodiganti

#### WOMEN'S CLUB SPRING LUNCHEON

Everyone is invited to the Women's Club Annual Spring Luncheon on Thursday, May 16<sup>th</sup>, 2024 @ 12:00 Noon. Tickets will be on sale this weekend after mass thru May 12th and at the door the day of the luncheon. We are in need of volunteers for salads, set-up, and help on the day of the luncheon. Donations for raffle prizes would also be greatly appreciated. Sign-up sheets will be in the church entrance. Tickets: \$10.00 each. If you have questions please contact Pam Smylie president, 715-356-5407.

#### **ANNUAL DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION**

The celebration for couples celebrating anniversaries ending in 0 or 5 will take place at the Cathedral of Christ the King, Superior on Saturday, July 13<sup>th</sup>, 2024 at 11:00am. Please register online or with your parish office by June 12, 2024.

#### IN LOVING MEMORY OF

It is with saddened heart to announce the passing of a lifelong member of our church. Francis Chartier joined the Lord on May 1, 2024. Funeral services were on May 4<sup>th</sup> @ St. Anthony's. Internment will take place in Smarano, Italy. Our prayers are always with you, Anna Maria & Michael.

#### NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC REVIVAL

5/21/24, Tuesday, Cathedral of Our Lady of the Rosary, Duluth

5:30-7:30pm: Eucharistic Adoration and Prayer led by Bishop Powers.

7:30 pm: Reception at Holy Rosary School Gym. 5/22/24, Wednesday, Cathedral of Our Lady of the Rosary, Duluth

10:00am: Mass with Bishop Felton presiding, immediately followed by Eucharistic Procession from the Cathedral to Leif Erickson Park.

#### **HOSPITALITY SUNDAY @ ST. ISAAC JOGUES**

Bill and Amy Litke will host May's Hospitality Sunday in gratitude and appreciation to Father and the Parish Cluster for the support Amy received during her journey to Catholicism. This will take place next Sunday May 19<sup>th</sup> after their 11:00am Mass. All are welcome to attend.

#### **SAVE THE DATE**

May 14, 2024; Tom's Community Table @ 5:00pm May 16, 2024; Women's Club Luncheon @ 12:00 May 19, 2024: Hospitality Sunday @ St. Isaac, 12:00 Sept 12, 2024; Cluster Retreat @ Marywood 9:00am Sept 19, 2024; Volunteer Dinner @ 5:30pm







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