

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA PARISH

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PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS

Nominated Members

Chair - **Tim Manross,**
Jim Balog, Timothy Valentine,
Christina Bacnik, Jennifer Takacs

FINANCE COUNCIL MEMBERS

Chair—**Rick Gurley, Trevor Theobald, Tom Langer,**
Brian Holmes, Linda Hlebak

BAPTISMS

Please call the rectory to set up an appointment.

WEDDINGS

Six months notice is required.
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MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY VIGIL 4 p.m.

SUNDAY 8 a.m. and 10 a.m.

DAILY MASS: Wednesday at 8 a.m.

EUCCHARISTIC DEVOTION:

Wednesdays from 3-7 p.m.

CONFESSIONS every Saturday at 3 p.m.

MEETINGS/GROUPS

Parish Council	354-4525
Altar/Rosary	221-7140
1st Tuesday September - May	
Parish Life Commission	354-4525
Finance Committee	354-4525
Music Ministry/Choir/Cantors	251-6820
Building/Maintenance	354-4525
Spiritual Blessing Card Ministry	354-3769
Food Bank	357-6714
Aluminum Recycling	
All items can be placed by the garage or call	354-4525
Spiritual/Liturgical Commission/Lectors/Eucharistic	
Ministers/Acolytes/Ushers	354-4525
Bereavement / Grief Share	354-4525
Prayer Line Requests	352-7703
Jail Ministry / Dee Trepal	382-1889

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION (PSR) September-May

Steve Biro, Parish Catechetical Leader
Director of Junior High and High School Ministry
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Grades K-7 on Sundays 11:00a.m.-12:00 noon
Confirmation grade 8+ scheduled Sundays 6:00-7:30 p.m.



My Sisters and Brothers of St. Anthony Parish,

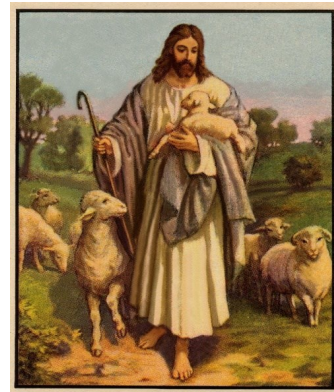
How good it is to **Welcome Back Father Pete** this weekend. Even before I found out that I would have anything to do with St. Anthony Parish, I always felt very badly that there was not an opportunity for our community to express our thanks and prayers to Fr. Pete for his very dedicated service and leadership these many years. I also felt sad for Pete to not have an opportunity to express his love for this community and bid farewell. Pete and I have been friends since the ninth grade, and I have nothing but the deepest respect, admiration and friendship for him. I know I don't have to tell you what a great priest and servant of God Fr. Pete is. Please enjoy this time and share your own thoughts and sentiments. Fr. Peter Mihalic will always have a very special place in the heart of St. Anthony Parish.

In our Gospel this weekend, Jesus ask Peter, "Who do you say that I am?" Surprisingly, Peter got the right answer, but at this point did not fully comprehend what that meant for his life. He did eventually, and ultimately gave his life for Christ. The real question for each of us goes even deeper I believe. It is "How do you live who I am?" It is not enough to just know it or say it. It requires thinking like God does, and not as human beings do. That is a difficult challenge. It may take a lifetime, but that is what God is calling us to do.

Our leaders got together this week to begin laying plans for our part in the diocesan **Heart of the Shepherd Campaign** this Fall. More information will be coming about how our parish can do our part to help renovate the Center for Pastoral Leadership and help support priests who have heavy tuition loans on their shoulders, as well as those retiring. This will be a way our parish can also benefit, as a large part of what we pledge over three years comes directly back to St. Anthony's. For now, just pray that God will continue to give you a grateful heart and a generous spirit.

As many of our programs start up, please keep them in your prayers. They are the ways we enable members of our parish family to "**live who Jesus is**", and to "**think the way God thinks**". Ultimately, this is the goal for all of us. Have a great week. May you feel deeply God's love for you, and His way for peace, especially as we remember and continue to reflect on the events that shook our country twenty years ago. Jesus is the way. Let's follow His way, live His truth, and celebrate and share His life. Be at peace.

*In God's love,
Fr. Fred*



Today's Readings

First Reading: I gave my back to those who beat me, my cheeks to those who plucked my beard; my face I did not shield from buffets and spitting. (Is 50:8)

Psalm: I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living. (Ps 116)

Second Reading: What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if someone says he has faith but does not have works? Can that faith save him? (Jas 2:14)

Gospel: And he asked them, "But who do you say that I am?" Peter said to him in reply, "You are the Christ." (Mk 8:29)

Minister Schedule**Lectors**

Sat. 9/18 4 p.m. Steve Appeldorn
 Sun. 9/19 8 a.m. Joe Vayo
 Sun. 9/19 10 a.m. Candy Gutowski

Eucharistic Ministers

Sat. 9/18 4 p.m. Phil Young
 Sun. 9/19 8 a.m. Joe Hawkins
 Sun. 9/19 10 a.m. Christina Bacnik
 Sherry Maruschak Back row/choir

PSR 2021-22

Our PSR program will begin on Catechetical Sunday, **September 19th** with the commissioning of our catechists during the 10am Mass. Parents and students are required to be in attendance for the PSR meeting at **11 a.m.** PSR registration forms are available in the PSR office, church foyer, website, and Facebook page.

*Join us the afternoon of **Sunday September 12th** for our first tailgate Browns watching party! We will have set up a large inflatable screen to project the game. We will have burgers, dogs, games for kids, etc...The fun starts at **3:30pm** in the parking lot!!*

ALTER & ROSARY GUILD: The month of October is traditionally "Rosary Month" in the Catholic Church, when the faithful are encouraged to pray the Rosary. October 7th is the feast of Our Lady of the Rosary Pope St, Pius V (1504-1572) instituted the feast in 1571. To honor our Blessed Mother we invite everyone here at St. Anthony's to pray a decade of the Rosary with us before every Mass the entire month of October. Please come to the church at least 15 minutes before each Mass to join us.

ALTER & ROSARY GUILD: Our October Meeting will be the first Tuesday of the Month on October 5th at 2 PM in the classroom next to the Food Pantry. Everyone is WELCOME to attend to pray with us!



Electronic giving is available on our website: www.stafh.org. Thanks to all who use the online giving option.

Mass Intentions

Sat. 9/11 4 p.m. Parishioners
 Sun. 9/12 8 a.m. Margaret & George Jevack
 Sun. 9/12 10 a.m. Anne Fedak
 Wed. 9/15 8 a.m. Theresa Frazza

Collection for September 5, 2021

Regular Collection:	\$929
Building Fund:	\$955
Youth Activities:	\$427
Back Assessment :	\$220
Food Pantry:	\$100

Thank you for your Generosity !

Calendar

Sun. 9/12 Tailgate Party 3:30 p.m.
 Mon. 9/13 GriefShare
 Wed. 9/15 Daily Mass 8 a.m.
 Eucharistic Adoration 3-7 p.m.
 Wed. 9/15 Bible Study 7 p.m.
 Sun. 9/19 Catechetical Sunday
 PSR meeting at 11 a.m.