

November 17, 2019 | *Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time*

Welcome to

# St. Anthony Catholic Church,

Diocesan Shrine of Our Lady of Mount Carmel and Divine Mercy  
15 Indianola Rd., Des Moines, IA 50315 ~ 515-244-4709 ~ [www.stanthonydsm.org](http://www.stanthonydsm.org)



**Msgr. Frank Chiodo, Pastor/Fr. Guthrie Dolan, Parochial Vicar**  
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**Office Hours:** 8am-4:00pm Monday-Thursday, 8am-12pm on Friday and closed on Holidays

## MASS TIMES

### Mass Schedule

**Weekend:** Sat. 8:30am & 4:00pm—Vigil; Sun. 8:00, 9:30, 11:00am (Solemn Mass with Incense), 1:00pm Spanish, 5:00pm  
**Latin Ext. Form**—Church,

**Weekday:** Mon., Tues., Thurs. & Fri. 7am & 8:30am; Wed. 8:30am & 5:30pm. (Wed. 8:30AM is an all school Mass during the academic year)

**Eucharistic Adoration:** In the Adoration Chapel beginning at 9:15am Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 8pm

### Sacraments

**Reconciliation:** (Confession): Sat. 9-9:30am, 3:00-3:30pm or by appointment. Sun. 12:30pm-1:00pm in Spanish.

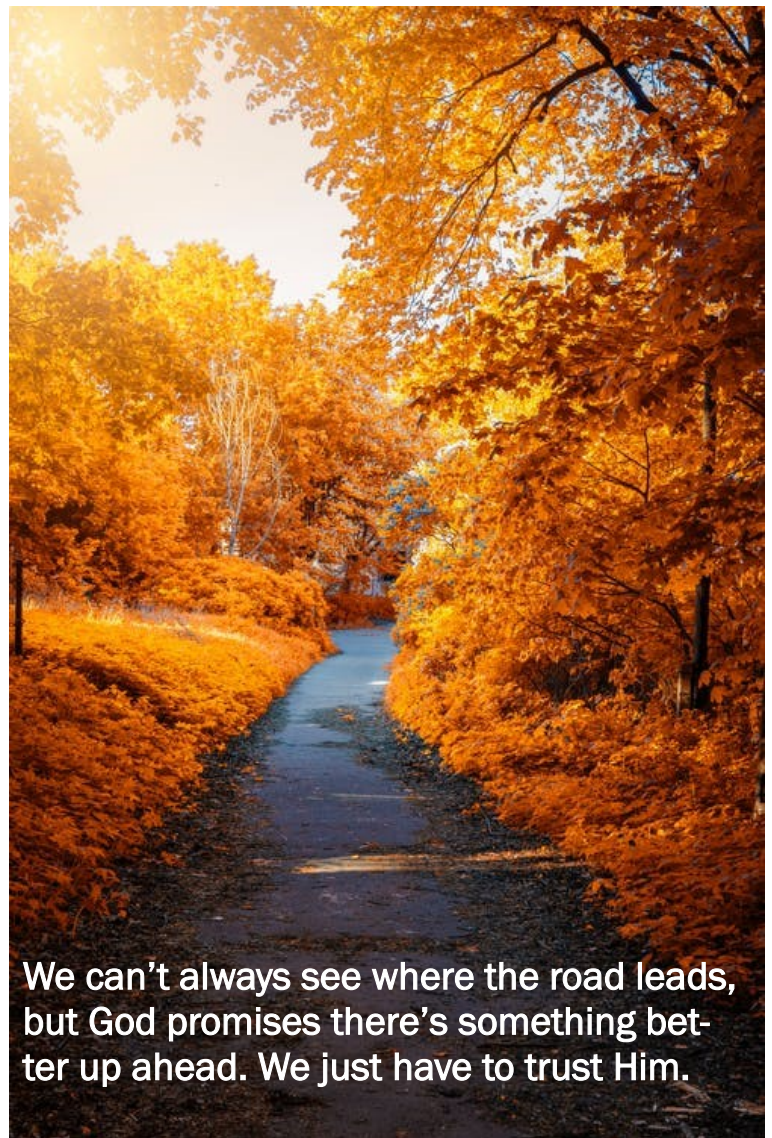
**Baptism:** Baptism is conferred by appointment on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month. At least one parent must be registered and a practicing member of the parish. Parents are requested to call the office (244-4709) to register for the pre-baptism class and date for baptism. Baptism in the Latin Rite, Ext. Form will be done on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month at 4:00pm by appointment.

**Marriage:** At least one of the parties must be registered and a practicing member of the parish. Please contact the office at least 8 months prior to the proposed date of the wedding.

**Funeral:** Please contact a funeral home and they will notify the parish office.

**Newcomers/Addresses:** Registration online or in business office. Please notify the office with address changes.

**Parish Library;** Please visit the parish library next to the church located in the elevator foyer. The library is open everyday and books are available for check out.



We can't always see where the road leads,  
but God promises there's something better up ahead. We just have to trust Him.

**St. Anthony of Padua Brief Prayer:** Behold the Cross of the Lord! Begone you enemy powers. The Lion of the Tribe of Juda, the Root of David has conquered, Alleluia!

## Liturgical Schedule

### Monday, November 18th

7:00am Charles J. Punelli  
8:30am Sam Leto

### Tuesday, November 19th

7:00am Donna Nickel  
8:30am James & Lucy L'Estrange  
9:15am Adoration-chapel  
8:00pm Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

### Wednesday, November 20th

8:30am James Pigneri  
9:15am Adoration-chapel  
5:30pm Rose Punelli  
8:00pm Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

### Thursday, November 21st

7:00am Frank & Maria Stella Marasco  
8:30am Vickie Jordan  
9:15am Adoration-chapel  
6:00pm Eucharistic Holy Hour-CH  
7:00pm Spanish Mass  
8:00pm Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

### Friday, November 22nd

7:00am Rizzuti Family  
8:30am Mary Rose Quinn

### Saturday, November 23rd

8:30am Gasper, Rosalyn & Anthony Anania

### Vigil-

4:00pm Giuseppi (Joe) Leo

### Sunday, November 24th

8:00am Theresa Campbell  
9:30am Marie Kirby  
11:00am (Solemn Mass)+  
Sam A Soda & daughter Maria  
1:00pm Spanish Community  
5:00pm (Latin Ext. Form)  
St. Anthony Parishioners

+Solemn Mass: incense, vested choir & assistance of a deacon(s).

### BULLETIN DEADLINE

Submit bulletin information no later than noon, Friday (10 days before the date of the Sunday bulletin)  
Email: showard@stanthonydsm.org  
Information will be subject to edit and available space. Thanks

## Liturgical Roles Sat. Nov. 23rd & Sun. Nov. 24th

Ministry	4:00 pm	8:00 am	9:30 am	11:00 am
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Luke Nevitt Jakob Nevitt Frank Nevitt Amaiya Thompson	Carolina McDonald Claudia McDonald Nathan Michael Claudia Sullivan	Max Carman PJ Jones David Lopez Annica O'Brien	Bella Busick Dominic Busick Gino Busick Keegan Fitzgerald Zeb Fitzgerald Johannah Williams
<b>EMOHC</b>	Emma Madonia	DJ Hassel	Michelle Bastian	Jerry Schmaltz Mary Ellen Schulte
<b>Lector</b>	Dylan Gemelli	Michael Sullivan	Margaret Beener	Michele Belden

## FAITH FORMATION

Hello Parents! Next week is the end of the Church's liturgical year with the feast of Christ the King. What could you do as a family to prepare for the upcoming advent season and new year? Last time we talked my advice was: SLOW DOWN! How's that been going for you as parents? Are you helping your children slow down and come more fully into God's presence? Today's theme is: TAKE A TIME OUT!

We often have to put our children into time out. They might be running constantly, acting or behaving in a certain way that needs some time out to help the child regain control of themselves. At times you and I need a time out. We might label it a mental health day, taking stock of ourselves, self care, or simply taking a break. Time outs allow both young and old to regroup and refocus on what is really important. Our master, Jesus Christ, valued time outs. Luke 5:15, 16 says: "15But the news about Jesus spread all the more widely, and crowds of people came to hear him and be healed from their diseases. 16But he would go away to lonely places, where he prayed." How can we imitate the Great Teacher in his example of taking time outs?

Let's look at his example. First, he created some space between him and the outside world. In today's always connected and crowded world where are some places you and I can create some quiet space? How about a basement, a quiet backyard, or a park? How about a room in your home designated as a quiet place to be with God? One of my catechists has an altar in her room where she can spend quiet time with God away from but still connected to her family. You may be able to take a time out at St Anthony's. We have an amazing and cozy adoration chapel where you can spend time with our Lord in the quiet spaces. Confirmation students recently went to adoration as part of their prayer retreat and took five minutes speaking and listening to Jesus in the dark and the silence, and opened up their minds and hearts to Him.

After we create the space needed to have our time out, what do we do with the time? Our focus should be the same as a time out we would give our children, to gain control of ourselves spiritually and to focus on ways we can change. Prayer is the main way we accomplish that. There are many forms of prayer. You might want to check out the playlist of videos we used on prayer in our recent confirmation prayer retreat for ideas, from learning what prayer is, to the rosary, the liturgy of the hours, lectio divina, prayer in different forms of music from classic to modern, discernment in prayer, and praying with the scriptures. Ask me for the link and I'll text or email you or go here:

<https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLUjZhZM9eFRqhpRvcZS89U99hS5OEg-a>

Open your mind. Open your heart. Ask the Holy Spirit to guide you. Linger in prayer. Relax in the presence of God.

Your fellow worker in Christ, Chris

"Dear Jesus, in everything I say and in everything I do, in everything today, may it glorify YOU!"



# ST. ANTHONY'S NEWS & EVENTS

The 2020 Mass Intention Book will be open starting Mon. Dec. 2nd. The request form is available on the St. Anthony website under parish forms or in the business office. You can bring the form to the office, mail it or drop it in the collection basket marked Attn: Stephanie. Thank you.

The St. Vincent dePaul Society at St. Anthony is asking for your help. Each year our group distributes approximately 50 food baskets to families in need at Thanksgiving and Christmas time. St. Vincent kindly asks for any contribution that you may be able to give to help. Please label your contribution for the turkey fund. Your contribution can be put in the poor box or dropped off in the business office. Thank you and God Bless from the members of St. Vincent dePaul.



## ALONE ON THANKSGIVING?

Join Msgr. Chiodo for the Thanksgiving noon meal in the lower church. It is open to the first 25 people who make a reservation. The deadline is Thurs. Nov. 21st. To reserve your spot, call the business office at 244-4709.



## CHRISTMAS GALA TICKETS ON SALE!

The Holy Trinity Respect Life Group's 7th annual Christmas gala: THE WONDERS OF HIS LOVE is set for Saturday, December 14th, 5:30PM, \$280 per table; or \$35 per person. Includes a lovely sit-down dinner. Sunday matinee: December 15th, 2PM, \$15 per person or \$50 per family. Includes dessert bar only. The show stars Gina Gedler backed by the 20 voice Fire and Mercy choir and an 18 piece orchestra. Online tickets on sale [www.HolyTrinityRespectLife.com](http://www.HolyTrinityRespectLife.com). Questions? Call Tom or Karen Quiner: 515-276-9266.

## FIRST FRIDAY FATIMA MASS

**WHAT:** First Friday Fatima Mass

**WHEN:** Friday December 6th

**TIME:** 7:00PM

**WHERE:** St. Anthony Church

Followed by procession of the statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Join us for a visit with the Blessed Mother and Her Divine Son.

## St. Anthony Catholic Church

Des Moines, IA

### CALENDAR

UPCOMING EVENTS



- Nov 30 Sat** **Movie Night: "It's a Wonderful Life"** - Rectory Conference Room. Popcorn and drinks! Starts after the 4pm Mass.
- Nov 30 Sat** **Kids Movie Night: "Rudolph the Red Nose Reindeer"** - Youth Room. Starts same time as Movie Night for the adults, after the 4 pm Mass.
- Dec 2 & 3** **Advent Retreat with Mary:** Mon. & Tues. evening 6-8pm. Lower Church. Light food & drinks. **To Register: email** [KLehman@stanthonydsm.org](mailto:KLehman@stanthonydsm.org)
- Dec 3 Tues** **Our Lady of Guadalupe Novena: Dec 3rd - 11th**— Meet in the church to pray 6pm and enjoy a get together following in the school cafeteria. (Dec 8th/noon & no get together).
- Dec 7 Sat** **Movie Night: "A Christmas Carol"** - Rectory Conference Room. Popcorn and drinks! Starts after the 4pm Mass.
- Dec 7 Sat** **Kids Movie Night: "Polar Express"** - Youth Room. Starts same time as the Movie Night for the adults, after the 4 pm Mass.
- Dec 7 & 8** Altar and Rosary Bake Sale Dec 7th and 8th after Mass. See the website for more information.
- Dec 12 Thur** **Our Lady of Guadalupe Mass:** Rosary 5pm, Children's Kindergarten Spanish Immersion program and Mass begins at 6pm.
- Dec 14 Sat** **Posada:** Dec 14th - 22nd, 6pm Cafeteria: 14th, 16th, 19th. Parish Hall: 15th, 17th, 18th, 20th, 21st, 22st.

For More Details, go to:  
**Get the free St. Anthony App!**



Text "App" to 88202 or....

Step 1: Go to app store & download "MyParish"  
Step 2: Open new app & search St. Anthony

## Saturday night movies during Advent

The movies will be held in the conference & youth room in the lower level of the rectory. There will be two options; one for adults and one for children.

Date	Adult Movie	Kid Movie-Youth Room
November 30, 2019	It's A Wonderful Life	Rudolph the Red Nose Reindeer
December 7, 2019	A Christmas Carol	Frosty the Snowman Polar Express
December 14, 2019	Star of Bethlehem	Charlie Brown Christmas
December 21, 2019	White Christmas	How the Grinch Stole Christmas (the original animated version) Miracle on 34 <sup>th</sup> Street

**St. Anthony Financials**  
**Weekend of Nov. 9th & 10th**  
 Tithes/Plate \$13,453.00  
 Tithes/Plate FYTD \$234,504.00

**You can give beyond your life through a bequest to St. Anthony Catholic Church in your will.**

 **Online Giving**  
[www.stanthonydsm.org](http://www.stanthonydsm.org)  
 Click on "Donate to St. Anthony's"



Have you ever wondered:  
**"How does CTO work?"**

**To Donate:**

An example: **\$10,000** gift to CTO  
 \$6,500 Iowa tax credit (65% of gift)  
 \$3,500 federal tax deduction (35% of gift)  
Ask your tax advisor about the tax benefits of donating to the Catholic Tuition Organization

[www.CTOIowa.org](http://www.CTOIowa.org)

**PLEDGE TODAY TO RESERVE YOUR TAX CREDITS!**

[www.CTOIowa.org](http://www.CTOIowa.org)

**To Receive Tuition Assistance:**

- Apply for 2020/21 School year beginning February 1 including your 2019 tax return and
- Find out by May 31 the amount of your tuition assistance!
- Kindergarten - 12th grade Assistance Available

[www.CTOIowa.org](http://www.CTOIowa.org)

The bottom line? It's for the kids... **and their futures!**



*Please Pray for:*

Sophia Winters, Annie Leo, Mary Tonini, Henry Quijano

• **KofC Food Bank Weekend**-Please help those in need, **Dec. 14th & 15th**, by bringing non-perish-able food items to benefit the Bidwell Food Bank and cash donations to support the Des Moines Area Religious Council Food Bank. The Knights of Columbus will be at all of the doors before and after each Mass collecting for this worthy cause.

• A Big **THANK YOU** to everyone who helped clean the church last time. The next date to clean is **Dec. 14th @ 9am**. Please meet in the church. This is a great way to earn service hours.

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Readings for the week of November 17, 2019

Sunday: Mal 3:19-20a/Ps 98:5-6, 7-8, 9 [cf. 9]/2 Thes 3:7-12/Lk 21:5-19

Monday: 1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63/Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 155, 158 [cf. 88]/Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday: 2 Mc 6:18-31/Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [6b]/Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday: 2 Mc 7:1, 20-31/Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b and 15 [15b]/Lk 19:11-28

Thursday: 1 Mc 2:15-29/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15 [23b]/Lk 19:41-44

Friday: 1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59/1 Chrn 29:10bcd, 11abc, 11d-12a, 12bcd [13b]/Lk 19:45-48

Saturday: 1 Mc 6:1-13/Ps 9:2-3, 4 and 6, 16 and 19 [cf. 16a]/Lk 20:27-40

Next Sunday: 2 Sm 5:1-3/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5 [cf. 1]/Col 1:12-20/Lk 23:35-43

**Parish Staff**

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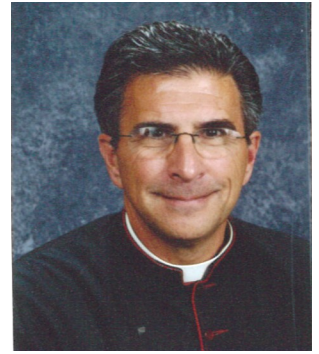
**MINISTRIES**

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# From Msgr. Frank Chiodo

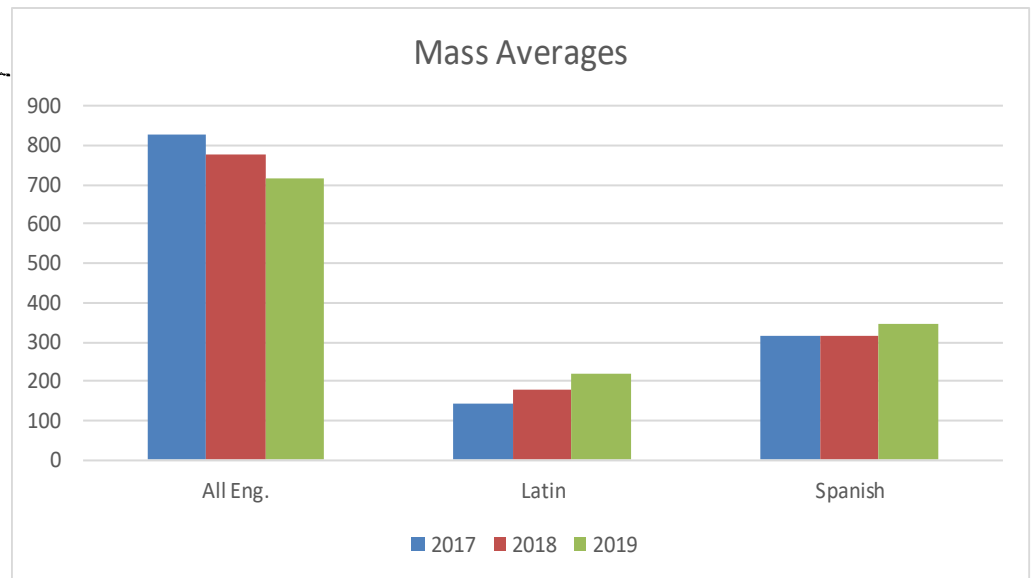



Friends,

See below a graph describing the percentage of Mass attendance, contrasting the years 2017-2019. You will notice that the English masses have declined, while the Spanish and Latin Masses have grown significantly. We are not alone in this struggle. However, overall attendance is down 0.8. National average decrease is 6%. I encourage all of us to examine our consciences in terms of the practice of weekly Mass on Sat. eve. or Sunday. Let's commit ourselves to challenging our family members in this regard.

Have a blessed week.

*Msgr. Frank Chiodo*

To learn more about the St. Anthony Victor Romanelli Council 12482 visit [saintanthonykofc12482.com](http://saintanthonykofc12482.com)

### Notes from the Parish Office

**School Office Hours** are from 7:45am-3:45pm Monday-Friday through the School year and closed on Holidays.

**Group Functions:** To schedule a group function, please call the Business Office at 244-4709.

**Hospital Visits:** If you or a family member is in the hospital and would like to be visited, please call the parish office at 244-4709.

## St. Anthony Weekly Calendar Nov. 18th to Nov. 24th,

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
<p>9:00am Pray Like Mary Bible Study</p>	<p>9:15am Adoration 6:00pm 99 Class-RCR 6:30pm Board of Ed-Cafe 8:00pm Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament</p>	<p>9:15am Adoration 10:00am 99 Class-RCR 6:00pm 99 Class-Lib. 6:30pm RCIA-LC 7:00pm Confirmation-YR 8:00pm Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament</p>	<p>9:15am Adoration 6:00pm Spanish Holy Hour-CH 7:00pm Confirmation-YR 7:00pm Spanish Mass-CH 7:00pm Men's Prayer Group 8:00pm Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament</p>	<p>6:30pm Young Adult Group-YR</p>	<p>6:30pm Hispanic Prayer Group-LC</p>	