

January 3rd—The Epiphany of the Lord

WELCOME

ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH

DIOCESAN SHRINE of OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL & DIVINE MERCY

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Mass

Sat. 8:30am & 4:00pm—Vigil

Sun. 8:00am English (church), 8:00am Spanish (parish hall),
9:30am English, 11:00am (Solemn Mass with Incense),
1:00pm Spanish (church), 5:00pm Latin (EF)

Online Mass is available:

11:00am English & 1:00pm Spanish
Go to: STANTHONYDSM.ORG

Weekday Mass

Mon. — Fri. 8:30am English
Tues. — Fri. 7:00pm Spanish

Eucharistic Adoration: Located in the Adoration Chapel

9:15am Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 8:00pm.

Welcome to St. Anthony Church!! If you are new to our faith community and are interested in becoming a member of St. Anthony Catholic Church, please go online to StAnthonyDSM.org to fill out a "New Member" form.

SACRAMENTS

Reconciliation: (Confession) Saturdays 9am, or by appointment and Sundays 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.

PARISH OFFICE

Hours: 8am—4pm Monday—Thursday & 8am—12pm Fridays.
Phone: 515.244.4709
Address: 15 Indianola Rd., Des Moines, IA 50315



Remembering 2020 and Praying for 2021
Picture of Monsignor praying over the city of Des Moines
Feast of Corpus Christi.



Monsignor Frank Chiodo, Pastor

Join Monsignor's YouTube channel for Heart Journey videos and Sunday homilies.



**Fr. Guthrie Dolan,
Parochial Vicar**



**Fr Jose Reynaldo,
Chaplain of
Hispanic Community**

DEACONS

Rev. Mr. Tom Hunkele

Rev. Mr. Frank Lopez

Rev. Mr. Tony Romeo

Rev. Mr. Thomas Starbuck

Rev. Mr. Quan Tong

MASS & LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

MONSIGNOR CHIDO, PASTOR

Mass can be viewed online at StAnthonyDSM.org.
See the Mass schedule on the front cover of this bulletin.

Monday, January 4

8:30am—+Vi Jones

Tuesday, January 5

8:30am—+Anthony Corea

9:15am—Adoration in the Chapel

7:00pm—+Rosalina Cuevas

8:00pm—Benediction of the Blessed Sacraments

Wednesday, January 6

8:30am—+David Mello

9:15am—Adoration in the Chapel

7:00pm—+Antonio Cuevas

8:00pm—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursday, January 7

8:30am—+Gregory Mello

7:00pm—+Jovita Rubio

Friday, January 8

8:30am—+James Davis "Shake"

7:00pm—+Ines Calvario

Saturday, January 9

8:30am—+Lance Mello

4:00pm—+The Chiodo Girls "Marlena, Iaria, Pam,
Jessen & Jolene

Sunday, January 10

8:00am English—+Floyd Bates & Family (Church)

8:00am Spanish—+Rafael Cuevas (Parish Hall)

9:30am—+St Anthony Parishioners

*11:00am—+Grace Mauro

1:00pm—+For Forgotten Souls

5:00pm—+Sister Mary Gertrudis

+ Mass Intention

* Incense

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF Jan. 3-Jan 10

Sunday: Is 60:1-6/Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-11, 12-13 [cf. 11]/Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6/Mt 2:1-12

Monday: 1 Jn 3:22—4:6/Ps 2:7bc-8, 10-12a [8ab]/Mt 4:12-17, 23-25

Tuesday: 1 Jn 4:7-10/Ps 72:1-2, 3-4, 7-8 [cf. 11]/Mk 6:34-44

Wednesday: 1 Jn 4:11-18/Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13 [cf. 11]/Mk 6:45-52

Thursday: 1 Jn 4:19—5:4/Ps 72:1-2, 14 and 15bc, 17 [cf. 11]/Lk 4:14-22a

Friday: 1 Jn 5:5-13/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20 [12a]/Lk 5:12-16

Saturday: 1 Jn 5:14-21/Ps 149:1-2, 3-4, 5 and 6a and 9b [cf. 4a]/Jn 3:22-30

Next Sunday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7/Ps 29:1-2, 3-4, 3, 9-10 [11b]/Acts 10:34-38/Mk 1:7-11 or Is 55:1-11/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6



Dear Friends,

I am proud and pleased to announce the ordination to the diaconate of our parish seminarian, Max Carsen. Max is the son of Tim and Margaret Carsen.

Max was ordained the 26th in Rome at the Basilica of St. Paul. Max is schedule to ordained a priest this summer. Heartfelt parish congratulations to Max. We are

very proud of him.

Here is his address to send him a congratulations card:

Rev. Mr. Max Carsen
Pontifical North American College.
Ufficio Mercè, Governatorato
00120 Vatican City, State
Europe

Fr. Dolan and I will be gone until January 15th on retreat along with FR. Higgins and Fr. Fontanini. Our senior priests will be here for masses etc.. Your prayers would be welcome. Thanks.

A priest from Cross International will be here the weekend of the ninth. More than ever, poor families in developing countries are relying on Catholic missions for assistance with food, water, shelter, medical care and spiritual nourishment. That's why the work of Cross Catholic Outreach is so important. It supplies those urgent needs.

The Outreach Priest visiting us next week will share stories about the amazing work Catholic missions are accomplishing around the world. It's an inspiring message every Catholic should hear.

Right now, our world desperately needs the radical compassion Christ lived out. When we help poor families, we show the watching world that our Lord's love remains as powerful and transformative as ever before.

To learn more about this organization and its fine work, please visit CrossCatholic.org/outreach or text BLESSINGS to 474747.

I hope you enjoy the start of the new year with a renewed resolve to pray more for our families, church and our nation.

In Christ,

Monsignor Frank E. Chiodo

PLEASE PRAY FOR



Theresa Marie Hagarty Sophia Winter
Rose Mary Soda Mini Elnaggar
Paul H Gillispie Jr. Bobby Eginore

Please send your prayer request to:
Info@stanthonysm.org or call the parish office at 515.244.4709



ALUMNI TUITION ASSISTANCE CAMPAIGN

Giving to assist families in need.

Raised so far: \$4,500

Please consider giving to help us raise \$15,000

Thank you! Gifts From:

Alan and Brenda Abbott
 Colleen Breheny
 Jannette Ellington
 John Sarcone
 John Cacciatore
 Ronald Chiesa
 Dennis and Maxine Flaherty
 James and Virginia Johnston
 Sonna Struyf
 Sonna Struyf
 Nelson Telles Garcia
 Joy Barsetti
 Olivia Heart
 Anne Mahoney
 Mindy Middlekauff
 M and B Palmgren
(List as of December 24, 2020)

WAYS TO GIVE

We hope you will help us raise the needed \$15,000! There are two ways you can participate in giving to the **Alumni Tuition Assistance Campaign** to help families who are struggling.

1. Mail a Check: You can mail a check to the parish office: Make your check payable to St. Anthony School In the memo, please write:

Alumni Tuition Assistance

Mail to: St. Anthony Church
 15 Indianola Rd Des
 Moines, IA 50315

2. Online Giving: You can give online Easy and secure method of giving:

1. Visit our website at www.stanthonydsm.org.
2. Click the green dollar sign in the upper right hand corner.
3. Click "Sign up for a New Account" under the User ID and Password boxes.
4. Input the requested information and click "Submit". An email will be delivered to your inbox asking to validate your email address. (Continue to follow the prompts)

Greetings Everyone,

Wow...can you believe we've made it through 2020! I was hopeful the madness would end but it seems that it may just be beginning. Our faith is and will be challenged. As we enter into 2021, we definitely need to pray and read the Word of God more. It seems too that Christians are in need of great courage in order to stand and speak the truth in the midst of all the profound cultural lies being perpetrated. We are clearly living in the days the Scripture warned us about where good will be called evil and evil called good.

I want to encourage you as we progress into 2021 that silence in the face of error is not an option—we must correct error when opportunity arises. Lies cannot stand unchallenged. Silence is a form of agreement, and God forbid that we agree with evil. We must speak God's truth clearly and with kindness. ***To do so is to will the good of the other.*** The Lord corrected error at the moment it was spoken.

The great news is that the Lord has invited everyone who believes in Him to work in His vineyard—Teach the truth, pray for those who are lost and admonish the sinner. Invite people to repentance and encourage everyone to go to confession. God calls us to do this.

Many Christian's have been silenced into believing an argument of "do not judge." It sounds good, but it is not accurate. To speak the truth about what ***God says*** is not making us the judge of another's actions ***but rather the messenger.*** We know that God is the only judge. Instead, know that ***you are given discernment*** of what is good and evil by the Spirit of the Lord so that you may share the truth and call sinners to repentance. We are all sinners and we are all called to repentance. If people do not know what sin is, how will they repent?

God forbid we abandon our calling to call sinners to repentance. Don't shrink back. Lean into your calling to proclaim the Kingdom of God. That is real love. It's not rejection, but acceptance because God is full of mercy. Without forgiveness of sin, people are going to suffer in it—a bondage that leads to spiritual death. They are not free without Christ. The world is great need of the Love of Christ and of salvation.

So the next time you are in a room where you can speak about the Lord and speak the truth. Do it. The Lord will help you. Pray that the Lord will use you. Always remember it is loving cooperate in the salvation of souls. That is your mission—If you are willing to accept it. :)

Happy New Year!

Your Sister in Christ —Kim Lehman



TROOPS OF SAINT GEORGE

VIRTUS. HONOR. FRATERNITAS.

Hey Dads and Sons,

You're invited to join the St. Anthony Troops of St George, Troop 490. We have our upcoming meeting on the second Wednesday in January ...the 13th at 7pm, location TBD. We will be talking about the upcoming campout and more. Contact Captain Chamberlin.

We are also gearing up for the January 23rd campout at Chichaqua Bottoms Greenbelt. Come join us in the outdoors for faith, manly skills, and good eats! More details to come.

Contact Captain Chamberlin
515.218.1391
stanthonytsg490@gmail.com
troopsofsaintgeorge.org



Join and Become a 3rd Degree Knight!

Any male over 18 years of age can become a Knight, watch a 20 minute video with your brother Knights and automatically become a 3rd degree knight!! You will receive Rosary beads with K of C on them as well a Knights card.

Dinners and Meetings

A dinner and meeting are on the 1st Monday of each month. Knights get things done: Collect for the Food Bank—Fundraisers for the students at SAS—Buy Bibles—Annual Golf Outings for St Anthony, where this year we raised over \$18,000 !! And dues are only \$30 a year.

Being a Knight doesn't take a lot of your time, but it's a great time to be a Knight as we serve the Lord!!

Contact: Mike Marasco 515.210.4614
italianmike2@yahoo.com



Magnificat Readers

It is time to get a new or renew your subscription to the Magnificat. The new cost will be \$35 this year. You can put your money in an envelope to the attention of Jocelyn and drop it in the collection basket. Or mail it in to our office (15 Indianola Rd. Des Moines, Iowa 50315) All money should be turned in by January. 22nd.

SPIRITUAL DIRECTION

Dear Friends:

Have you ever thought about employing a Spiritual Director? Well, I would like to offer my services in that capacity. I have the credentials to minister in this area; so call me if the spirit moves you.

Mary Darlene Costanzo, B.Div.
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A CALL TO PRAYER

Join us everyday to pray the Holy Rosary with a plea for the Lord to forgive and heal our nation. You can also sign up to lead the Rosary one a month. You can participate in person or go online to:
StAnthonyDSM.org

A Call To Pray the Holy Rosary:
Located at St. Anthony Church
Monday—Saturday 5:30pm
Sunday 3pm

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

All are invited to join any of our ministries. We serve the Lord by serving others.

Below are the leaders of each ministry.
Learn more about each ministry at StAnthonyDSM.org

Adult Choir Director: Patricia Civitate 515-250-8804
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Mary's Roses: (Spanish) Marta Robles 515-868-3280
Men's Prayer Group: Tom Hansen 515-770-7648
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