

March 7th—Third Sunday of Lent

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) Sat 9am, or by Appointment.
Spanish: Tues & Thur 6:00pm—6:55pm, Sun 12:30pm—12:55pm

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



Thank you Knights of Columbus for keeping the Fish Fry available on Fridays.
Curbside Pickup 5pm—7pm



Monsignor Frank Chido, 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

STANTHONYDSM.ORG

MASS & LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Mass can be viewed online at StAnthonyDSM.org.

See the Mass schedule on the front cover of this bulletin.

Monday, March 8

8:30am—+John Crivaro Sr.

Tuesday, March 9

8:30am—+Deceased members of Vito Fam, Rita Galvan

9:15am—Adoration in the Chapel

7:00pm—+Manuel Luis Buenaventura

8:00pm—Benediction of the Blessed Sacraments

Wednesday, March 10

8:30am—+Sister Mary Gerthrudis, Karen Roth

9:15am—Adoration in the Chapel

7:00pm—+Rosalina Cuevas

8:00pm—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursday, March 11

8:30am—+Katherine Gaglione

9:15am—Adoration in the Chapel

7:00pm—+Antonio Cuevas

Friday, March 12

8:30am—+Sister Aquin Driscoll, Linda Catron

7:00pm—+Jovita Rubio

Saturday, March 13

8:30am—+Laverne Roth

4:00pm—+Gary Dalbey

Sunday, March 14

8:00am English—+Mary Wills (Church)

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

9:30am—+James Roth

*11:00am—+ St. Anthony Parishioners

1:00pm—+Ines Calvario

5:00pm—+John Quinn

+ Mass Intention

* Incense

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mar 7-Mar 14

Sunday: Ex 20:1-17 or 20:1-3, 7-8, 12-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [Jn 6:68c]/1 Cor 1:22-25/ Jn 2:13-25 or Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 [8]/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42

Monday: 2 Kgs 5:1-15ab/Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4 [cf 42:3]/Lk 4:24-30

Tuesday: Dn 3:25, 34-43/Ps 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9 [6a]/Mt 18:21-35

Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9/Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20/Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: Jer 7:23-28/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 [8]/Lk 11:14-23

Friday: Hos 14:2-10/Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17 [cf. 11 and 9a]/Mk 12:28-34

Saturday: Hos 6:1-6/Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab [cf. Hos 6:6]/Lk 18:9-14

Next Sunday: 2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23/Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 [6ab]/ Eph 2:4-10/Jn 3:14-21 or 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4m 5, 6 [1]/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or

9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

MONSIGNOR CHIODO, PASTOR



Friends,

Another important Lenten observance is Fasting. Usually we think of “giving something UP” for Lent such as certain foods, candy, certain entertainment etc... recently the Pope

spoke of fasting in terms of giving up gossip and talking negatively about others. This is a powerful way to walk in Christ’s footsteps. He came not to criticize us, or belittle us but to offer us the help to be the best version of ourselves, and to lift us up. Try this form of fasting this Lent.

Remember Communal Penance is on the 27th of March. There will be seven priests here for confessions. There is also reconciliation available every Saturday at 9am. Do your best to find time to go to confession before Easter.

Thank you to St. Anthony’s St. Vincent de Paul for organizing almsgiving to groups in our community that help those in need. Be sure to see the bulletin each week to know which group is receiving gifts during Lent. Let us remember to do all for the Glory of God. We want to walk in the steps of Christ.

In Christ,

Mgr. 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

GOAL SMASHED! Thank You to All!!!

Raised \$16,085 for needy school families

John and Nancy Sarcone	Monsignor Frank Chiodo
Alan and Brenda Abbott	Ned and Nancy Chiodo
Colleen Breheny	Patricia Fazio, In Memory of
Ned F. Chiodo	Frank Fazio, Class of '75
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Mark White	Frank Vito
John Cacciatore	Elizabeth Palmer
Timothy and Margaret Carson	Tom and Theresa Woodley
Ann and Margaret Carson	<i>(As of 3/2/21)</i>

St. Vincent de Paul—Lenten Giving PRAY—FAST—ALMSGIVING

St. Vincent de Paul Lenten Offering for the third Sunday of Lent, March 14th. Join us in giving to: St. Vincent de Paul. St. Vincent de Paul provides a unique style of personal assistance with food, clothing, rent, utilities, educational and job training, and other services to people facing economic, emotional, or spiritual crisis. ~ Jesus said, "Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me." Matthew 25:40. May God bless you and your loved ones.

St. Vincent de Paul, 1426 6th Ave Des Moines

Leave your donation in the "Poor Box" or put in an envelope to: "St. Vincent de Paul" and place in the collection basket.

The Eucharist—Part One

Hello Parents!

This month students consider the source and summit of their faith: The Eucharist, Jesus coming to us body, soul, and divinity, personally, to each one of us, to be a part of us, and unify our Catholic family.

Your teen might be thinking to themselves, "I'm not sure if I believe that Jesus is truly present in the host I receive at Mass on Sunday." They wouldn't be the first person to have doubts. Great faith and great doubt often go hand in hand. There was a priest who lived in Lancia-no, Italy, around the year 700, who was plagued with doubts about the true presence ... until one day. After that day he never again doubted that Jesus was truly present in the Eucharist.

What happened on that day? I'm glad you asked. On that day, the priest was celebrating Mass in the small church, even though he was filled with doubts about the real presence of Jesus in the Eucharist. As he said the Words of Consecration ("Take this, all of you, and eat of it, for this is my body which will be given up for you.") the bread changed into living flesh and the wine changed into blood, before his eyes. Today, you can go to Lanciano and see the flesh and blood that has remained there for more than thirteen hundred years. The flesh and blood have been studied by scientists on a number of occasions, and the following conclusions have been drawn: The flesh is real human flesh and the blood is real human blood, the flesh is muscular tissue from the heart, and there is no evidence of preservatives or any other chemical agents present. This is one of thousands of Eucharistic miracles that have been documented throughout the life of the Church.

At the Last Supper Jesus "took the bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to them, saying, 'This is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me.'" (Luke 22:19) We take Jesus at his word. At Mass on Sunday the priest extends his hands over simple bread and wine and asks the Holy Spirit to transform them into the body and blood of Jesus Christ. If the Holy Spirit can do that to bread and wine, imagine what he can do if your teen opens themselves up to the experience of Confirmation. Please watch this month's videos together for session seven at <https://www.dynamiccatholic.com/confirmation/decision-point-session-7-0.html>. The opening video is one of the most powerful you will ever watch.
Your fellow servant in Christ,

Chris Corrice, Religious Ed Director

St. Anthony Parish Foundation
New 850 Club Members
THANK YOU!

Welcome our new 850 Club Members!
 We are just short 3 people to meet our goal!

Donate just \$8.50 or more a month through automatic withdrawal.

Go to StAnthonyDSM.org to join today!



CURBSIDE PICK UP!
North side of the Parish Hall
February 26, March 5, 12, 19, 26
5:00pm — 7:00pm

Fish, fries or baked potato, green beans and a roll.
 Cash, check or credit card / \$10



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Fridays 6pm English / 6pm Spanish Lower Church
 Beginning February 19

WEDNESDAY HOLY HOUR

~ Adoration ~

9am—10am in the church



We will pray for the Lord to draw people back to church to receive the Holy Eucharist.

Join us for this important intention each Wednesday during Lent.

St. Anthony
Parish Foundation
850 Club

THANK YOU TO OUR MEMBERS!

(Please help us reach 20 NEW 850 Club Members this month) Go online at StAnthonyDSM.org to sign up automatic withdrawal—only \$8.50 a month. Cancel any time. (We need only three more members! Join today)

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| Annie Adamovicz | Tara Mattiussi (New) |
| Susan Augustin (New) | James McFall |
| Robert Barsetti | Mindy Middlekauff |
| Margaret Beener | Edward Nowell |
| Paul and Michele Belden | Jim and Terrie O'Donnell |
| Diane Bellizzi | Tomas & Dawn Ogden (New) |
| Kristen Carroll | Nicole Oswald |
| Ronald Chiesa (New) | Mark Paris |
| Ned & Nancy Chiodo (New) | John Rivera |
| Joe & Mary Defazio (New) | Victoria Rocha |
| Cindy Eribal (New) | Madaline Rockey |
| Danelle Flaherty | Randy Roeth |
| Mike & Maxine Flaherty (New) | Stephanie Sarcone |
| Ellen Getko (New) | John & Nancy Sarcone (New) |
| Amber Gonzalez | Audry Scigliano |
| John & Carolyn Griglion (New) | Ruth Sereg-VanOort |
| Nathan and Stephanie Habben | Karen Shanks |
| DJ Hassel (New) | Michael & Tammy Sullivan (New) |
| Marjorie Huber | Robert & Coleen Swisher (New) |
| Jeffery Hulne (New) | Andrzej Szczepanek |
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| Bill and Julie Konkol | Thomas and Colleen Vlach |
| Judith Lecocq (New) | Andrea Wilcox |
| Beverly Lightner | Maria Zenti |
| Ashley Lopez (New) | |
| Alice Lucia | |
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(Consider adding the St. Anthony Parish Foundation to your will and let your gift continue to grow.)

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\$1,500 TUITION GRANT FOR NEW FAMILIES!



Hey Parents! Are you interested in a St. Anthony School education for your child, but concerned about tuition? Thanks to the *Welcome Tuition Grant* program, your child could qualify for a \$1,500 grant to help offset the cost of tuition your first two years.

Here's How the Program Works:

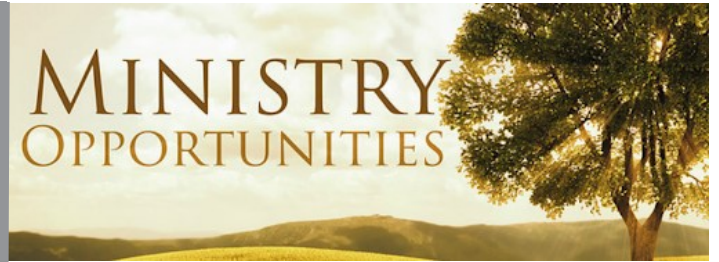
Families with children enrolled in non-Catholic schools may be eligible for a tuition grant if they enroll at St. Anthony for the 2021-2022 school year. Tuition grants are available for each child (grades 1 – 7) for the first two years of enrollment.

- **Year one** = \$1,000 discount on full tuition for each eligible student.
- **Year two** = \$500 discount on full tuition for each eligible student.

Additional restrictions may apply. For more information and to claim your Welcome Tuition Grant.

Contact Jennifer Raes or Darcy Swesey or visit dmdiocese.org/WTG

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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Altar Server & MC Coordinator: TBD
Altar Server Ministry: (Spanish) TBD
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Knights of Columbus Grand Knight: Mike Marasco 515-210-4614 ItalianMike2@yahoo.com
Mary's Roses: (Spanish) Marta Robles 515-868-3280
Men's Prayer Group: Tom Hansen 515-770-7648
Ministry of Intercession: (Spanish) Marta Robles 515-868-3280
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