

Nov 14 - Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

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). (Holy Day Mass
times may differ. See Liturgical schedule p.2)

Online Mass is available for the:
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 Monday—Friday 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. & Thurs. 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



~Giving Thanks & Praying for Our Veterans ~
God, please let all veterans of our nation’s armed forces feel
truly and appropriately honored by the attention and
appreciation of their fellow citizens.



Monsignor Frank Chiodo, Pastor
Join Monsignor’s YouTube channel for
Heart Journey videos and Sunday
homilies.



Fr. Guthrie Dolan,
Parochial Vicar

DEACONS

Rev. Mr. Frank Lopez
Rev. Mr. Tony Romeo
Rev. Mr. Thomas Starbuck
Rev. Mr. Quan Tong

STANTHONYDSM.ORG

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

Monday, November 15

8:30am—+Mary Buban
9:15am—Adoration in the Chapel
8:00pm—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday, November 16

8:30am—+Katherine Gaglione, Patrick Doud
9:15am—Adoration in the Chapel
7:00pm—+Gloria Del Carmen Rivas
8:00pm—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday, November 17

8:30am—+Craig Jacobsen
9:15am—Adoration in the Church
7:00pm—+ Teresa de Jesus Rivas
8:00pm—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursday, November 18

8:30am—+Mary Buban
9:15am—Adoration in the Chapel
7:00pm—+Jose Domingo Perez
8:00pm—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Friday, November 19

8:30am—+Donna Nickel, James & Lucy L'Estrange Family
9:15am—Adoration in the Chapel
7:00pm—+Ana Teresa Rivas
8:00pm—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday, November 20

8:30am—+Sam Leto
4:00pm—+St Anthony Parishioners

Sunday, November 21

8:00am English—+Michele "Mike" Amodeo
8:00am Spanish—+Carlos Roberto Perez (Parish Hall)
9:30am—+Vickie Jordan
*11:00am—+Jeanine Gazzo
1:00pm—+Gloria Del Carmen Rivas
5:00pm—+Sorrowful Immaculate Heart of Mary

+ Mass Intention

* Incense



SCHEDULE

November 15 — No School, Professional Development
November 24, 25, 26—No School, Thanksgiving
December 22 through January 3—No School, Christmas break
January 4—First day back, school resumes

Full schedule is online: School.StAnthonyDSM.org



Friends,

During this last week we will observe special prayers for our veterans. Let's not forget to pray often for our men and women who are sacrificing their lives for the welfare of this great nation. For all the veterans living or dead—we give God thanks.

"God, please let all veterans of our nation's armed forces feel truly and appropriately honored by the attention and appreciation of their fellow citizens. Let no one feel forgotten or neglected. Let every man and woman, young or old, feel the deep and enduring gratitude of our nation and its inhabitants."

Thanksgiving is around the corner so let us pray in advance for the many things for which we give special thanks. Perhaps starting a mental list is in order.

Advent also is around the corner, so let's begin to prepare our hearts for a renewal of Christ's present in our hearts and in our homes.

**PLEASE
PRAY FOR**



- | | |
|--------------------|-----------------|
| Juanita Valdez | John DePhillips |
| Mary Ellen Schulte | Rose Mary Soda |
| Lori Tibbetts | Rita Perez |
| Lucia Costanzo | Ann Marie Vacco |
| Luis Alvarez Reyes | Sue Augustin |
| Jon Bognanno | |

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

Matching Donations! Double Your Dollars for the School

*Your \$25 turn into \$50 for a limited time.
Matched donations up to \$25,000*

Every dollar given will be doubled. Your \$1 dollar becomes \$2, and if you give \$25, it becomes \$50.
We are very thankful to the benevolent donor.

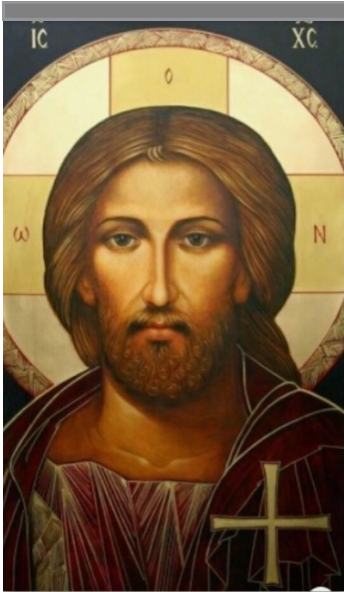
**The deadline to double your dollars is
December 31, 2021.**

Goal:

*(Raise \$25,000 for \$25,000 to be matched)
Raised so far: \$6,750 / Match: \$6,750*

Total: \$13,500

Thank you!!



Grace in Giving 3 Simple Programs

Dollar a Day
99 Club
Leap of Faith

Thank you to the new
Grace in Giving members!

To join one of the giving
programs, fill out the form in the
pew and put in the collection
basket or mail to the
parish office.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Dn 12:1-3/Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 [1]/Heb 10:11-14, 18/Mk 13:24-32

Monday: 1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63/Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 150, 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 Dedication: Acts 28:11-16, 30-31/ Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43/Mt 14:22-33

Friday: 1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59/1 Chron 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: Dn 7:13-14/Ps 93:1, 1-2, 5 [1a]/Rv 1:5-8/ Jn 18:33b-37

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Faith can in many ways be as simple as knowing who God really is—the one who wants us to make it to heaven and desires a relationship with us. We can be struggling in life and it may feel like our prayers are not heard. So then, do not depend on those “feelings.” We must use our intellect and God given will to proclaim to our own hearts with the knowledge, in faith, that God does hear us and that our efforts will have fruit. Here is a letter that I hope will encourage you. Blessings,
Kim Lehman

Strength to Stand before the Son of Man

I insist: hold fast, always with the same tenacity, hold fast to an immense confidence. Often our Lord hides from the apostle the fruit of his work, of his fatigue, in order to keep him humble and to test his faith, by a wholly divine wisdom. Learn how to say, “I do not expect my reward here below.” Even if you do not see the result of your prayers, of your supplications, of your efforts, believe, believe!

Nothing is irreparable for Jesus and for Mary. A widow, desperate because her husband had committed suicide by throwing himself into a river, came to Ars and met the Curé, Saint John Vianney, upon leaving the church. He bent toward her and told her, “He is saved.” As she made a gesture of incredulity, the saint repeated emphatically, “I tell you that he is saved. He is in purgatory, and you must pray for him. Between the parapet of the bridge and the water he had time to make an act of repentance. It is the blessed Virgin who obtained this grace for him. Remember the shrine who obtained this grace for him. Remember the shrine to Mary in your room? Sometimes your husband, although irreligious, united himself to your prayer. That merited repentance and the supreme pardon for him.” Before leaving, she confided to M. Guillaument, superior of the College of Saint Dizier, a witness to the scene, “I was in the dreadful state of despair imagining the tragic end of my husband. He was an unbeliever and I lived only for the thought of leading him back to God...Yet he heard what the Curé of Ars told me repeatedly: ‘He is saved!’ I shall see him again in heaven after all!”

See the delicacy of Jesus and the Blessed Virgin! A person did some good which he had forgotten, but they had not forgotten, and at the right moment they made use of it, if I may put it that way. Jesus makes use of everything to save us. How astonished we will be in heaven when we see that! Some make him a judge who strikes men down and seeks revenge, whereas in fact he seeks to save us by all possible means. ~ Father Jean Du Coeur De Jésus D’Elbé

(1982, was a French priest and spiritual author and a member of the Congregation of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary)

SPIRITUAL WARFARE

Topic: The Last Battle—The Family

The first step in being spiritual warriors for the family is grasping the weight of its purpose in the world. We must know the precious thing we defend in combat. I'm not going to fight hard if I'm really not invested in the thing I'm protecting.

If we stray from our vocation to the family, we often unknowingly end up in the grip of the enemy of our soul. The evil spirits do not play fair and are happy to kick us when we are down or distracted. We can easily fall into escapism, which is imbued with diabolical snares. Our spiritual armor must remain well-oiled with the balm of faith-filled prayer.

In 1981, Sr. Lucia wrote in a letter to Cardinal Carlo Caffarra: "The final battle between the Lord and the kingdom of Satan will be about marriage and the family. Don't be afraid...because whoever works for the sanctity of marriage and the family will always be fought against and opposed in every way, because this is the decisive issue...Nevertheless, Our Lady has already crushed his head."

PARISH STAFF

Mark Paris, Business Manager
MParis@stanthonydsm.org, 515.244.4709

Jocelyn Pena, Administrative Assistant
JPena@stanthonydsm.org, 515.244.4709

Marilu Mendez, Hispanic Outreach
mmendez@stanthonydsm.org, 515.244.4709

Kim Lehman, Communications/Development
KLehman@stanthonydsm.org, 515.202.2517

SCHOOL STAFF

Jennifer Raes
School Principal JRaes@stanthonydsm.org, 515.243.1874

Darcy Swesey
Administrative Assistant DSwesey@stanthonydsm.org,
515.243.1874

TRUSTEES

Dave Miller, 515-244-5859

Ann McFall, 515-491-3375

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
Altar & Rosary Society: Helene Wilson 515-491-0438
sbwil1@outlook.com

Altar Server & MC Coordinator: Deacon Frank Lopez
515-371-2575

Altar Server Ministry: Marco Balmaceda

Dowling Representative: Frank J. Chiodo

Divine Mercy Chaplet Prayer: Judy Lecocq
434-825-2005, rljtlec@aol.com

Eucharistic Adoration: Jo Corigliano 515-419-1800

Finance Council Chair: Tim Carson

Hispanic Ministry: Marilu Mendez 515-244-4709

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
Tehanson4@msn.com

Ministry of Intercession: (Spanish) Marta Robles
515-868-3280

Online Rosary: Michelle Bastian 515.669.7438
mlbastian@msn.com and Candace Johnson at
515-402-7003 Cmjohnson18@hotmail.com

Pastoral Council Chairman: Jacob Heflin
816-273-4792 jacobpheflin@gmail.com

Prayer Group: (Spanish) Cecilia Saenz 515-991-3055

Respect Life Ministry: Tom Hanson
515-770-7648 Tehanson4@msn.com

Spiritual Growth: (Spanish) Cecilia Saenz
515-991-3055

St. Andrew Ministry (Spanish): Patricia Casillas
ministeriosanadres18@gmail.com

Foundation: Stephanie Sarcone 515-287-7161

Grotto Chairperson: David Miller 515-238-7987

St. Vincent de Paul Society: Helene Wilson
sbwil1@outlook.com, 515-491-0438 / Patty Corrice
515-556-7783

Board of Education President: Sheila Thurston
thurstonsheila@gmail.com

School Alumni Committee:

Loretta Rizzuti 515-783-8293 lrizzuti54@gmail.com

ST. ANTHONY
ALTAR & ROSARY
SOCIETY

**November
27 & 28**

**Lower Church
Saturday 9am - 6pm
Sunday 8am - 1pm**

St. Anthony Altar & Rosary Society will hold their yearly Craft, Candy & Bake Sale after the Masses the weekend of November 27 - 28. Find your secret recipes & start baking. For everyone's safety package everything at home. You can bring your goodies to the church basement any time after 9am on Saturday the 27th.

Popular items in years past have been the quantes, love knots, breads, pies, fudge & caramels. We will be selling for a free will offering unless otherwise stated. Many crafts will be available as gifts or decorations.

Of course, there will be several raffle baskets to win.



To All Veterans...

THANK YOU!!!



Saint Anthony
Father Victor Romanelli
Council 12482
Des Moines, Iowa



**MEMBERSHIP DRIVE / Knights of Columbus
This weekend! November 13 & 14**

If you're interested in helping to strengthen your faith life, looking for a way to be of service to your parish or community, looking for an opportunity to meet a group of Catholic men, then you should consider joining Council 12482 Fr. Romanelli Council of St. Anthony Parish.

We will be hosting a new member drive following all Masses at St. Anthony November 13-14. Those interested in joining should scan the QR Code below with your phone and it will direct you to the Knights of Columbus website where you can initiate the registration process.

Now through December 31st, enter Promo Code **MCGIVNEY2020** for 12 months of free online membership
Or call Samuil Pane, [515-205-8030](tel:515-205-8030) to get registered.



ST ANTHONY ST VINCENT DE PAUL 2021

**Thanksgiving and
Christmas Holiday Food
Baskets**

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul of St Anthony Church is asking for your help.

Each year our group distributes 50 baskets of food to families in need for Thanksgiving and Christmas. St. Vincent appreciates any contributions that you are able to give to assist in this program. Please place your contributions in an envelope and label "TURKEY FUND" and then place the envelope in the basket for Sunday Offering or take your contribution to the business office.

St. Vincent de Paul is very thankful for your donations and God Bless.



**TROOPS OF
SAINT GEORGE**
VIRTUS. HONOR. FRATERNITAS.

**Game Night for Boys 6-18 & Dads
Friday, November 19, 2021**

5pm - 9pm / Rosary @ 8:30pm

Meeting / Party Room at Smokey Row Coffee
1910 Cottage Grove, Des Moines, IA 50314
Hosted By: Troop 490

RSVP: troopsofstgeorge490@gmail.com