Nov 21 - Last Sunday of 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



In Honor of our Veterans

Dave Miller, Cindy Mackey, Amelia and Benjamin
Slykhuis with Monsignor Chiodo



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

MASS & LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

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

Monday, November 22

8:30am—+George & Mary Lamotta

9:15am—Adoration in the Chapel

8:00pm—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday, November 23

8:30am—+Frank & Maria Stella Marasco

9:15am—Adoration in the Chapel

7:00pm—+Natividad Hernandez

8:00pm—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday, November 24

8:30am—+Karen Peters

9:15am—Adoration in the Church

7:00pm—+ Ma Luisa Palos Ramirez

8:00pm—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursday, November 25

8:30am—Mary Soda

9:15am—Adoration in the Chapel

7:00pm—+Laura Neyra

8:00pm—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Friday, November 26

8:30am—+Eric Naylor

9:15am—Adoration in the Chapel

7:00pm—+Natividad Montalvo

8:00pm—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday, November 27

8:30am—+Donato & Victoria Cianciaruso

4:00pm—+Giovanni De Francisco

Sunday, November 28

8:00am English—+St Anthony Parishioners

8:00am Spanish—+Asencion Perez (Parish Hall)

9:30am—+Sheila Goode

*11:00am—+Tom Dorrell

1:00pm—+Familia Aleman

5:00pm—+Michele "Mike" Amodeo

+ Mass Intention

* Incense



SCHEDULE

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

MONSIGNOR CHIODO, PASTOR



Dear Parishioners,

Once again we approach the day of Thanksgiving. It is a secular feast day that is tied in closely to the Mass. The Mass is our Thanksgiving feast, where we unite the sentiments of gratitude in our hearts to the heart of Jesus on the

Cross. Every Mass is a thanksgiving feast for us. Nevertheless, let us join in our society's celebration to express our common gratitude for the gifts we have as a nation. Let us continue to pray for our country, its leadership and all. May Christ the King rule our hearts, our home, and our nation.

The following week is the start of Advent. There will be devotional Advent books available on the weekend of November 28. There are both English and Spanish books and can be found at the front of the church in a basket. Let us prepare our hearts for this wonderful season of the church where we look for the coming of our Lord and Savior.

Happy Thanksgiving.



PLEASE PRAY FOR



Juanita Valdez

Mary Ellen Schulte

Lori Tibbetts

Lucia Costanzo

Luis Alvarez Reyes

Jon Bognanno

John DePhillips
Rose Mary Soda
Rita Perez
Ann Marie Vacco
Sue Augustin

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

NEWS

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.

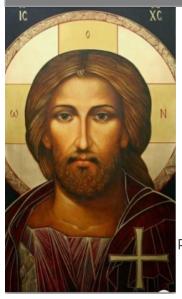
We are very thankful to the benevolent donor.

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

Goal:

(Raise \$25,000 for \$25,000 to be matched) Raised so far: \$13,550 / Match: \$13,550

Total: \$27,100Over half way there! 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 7:13-14/Ps 93:1, 1-2, 5 [1a]/Rv 1:5-8/Jn 18:33b-37

Monday: Dn 1:1-6, 8-20/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56 [52b]/ Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday: Dn 2:31-45/Dn 3:57, 58, 59, 60, 61 [59b]/Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday: Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28/Dn 3:62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67 [59b]/Lk 21:12-19

Thursday: Dn 6:12-28/Dn 3:68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74 [59b]/Lk 21:20-28

Friday: Dn 7:2-14/Dn 3:75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81/Lk 21:29-33

Saturday: Dn 7:15-27/Dn 3:82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87/Lk 21:34-36

Next Sunday: Jer 33:14-16/1 Thes 3:12—4:2/Ps 25:4-

5, 8-9, 10, 14 [1b]/Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

FAITH FORMATION

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I think that sometimes it feels as though the world is at it's worst and that it will never get better and then we learn about past generations and events that happened to them which drew them closer to the living God and even helped them to remember that God is always at work in our lives. I want to share this story with you and ask that when you are finished reading it that you meditate on how the Lord is working in your life during this crisis in our world.

Advent Miracles-A letter from Fr. Delp Inside a Prison

"I see this year's Advent with an intensity and presentiment like never before. When I pace back and forth in my cell, three steps forward and three steps back, hands in irons, ahead of me an unknown destiny, I understand very differently than before those ancient promises of the coming Lord who will redeem us and set us free. And along with these thoughts comes the memory of the angel of that a good person gave me for Advent two years ago. It held a banner: "Rejoice, for the Lord is near."

The terror of this time would not be bearable—any more than the terror brought on by our world situation, if we comprehend it—except for this other knowledge that continually encourages us and sets us straight. It is the knowledge of the promises that are being spoken right in the middle of the terror and that are valid. And it is also knowledge of the quiet angels of annunciation, who speak their message of blessing into the destress and scatter their seeds, of the blessing that will begin to grow in the middle of the night. These are not yet the loud angels of public jubilation and fulfillment, these angels of Advent. Silently and unnoticed, they come into private rooms and appear before our hearts as they did long ago. Silently they bring the questions of God and proclaim to us the miracles of God, with whom nothing is impossible."

(Fr. Delp (+1945) was a German Jesuit priest condemned to death by the Nazis.)

Remember that there is nothing that happens in your life that God is not able to change. It is His will that we must seek as we trust Him with our lives. Whatever that may be!

In Christ, Kim Lehman

SPIRITUAL WARFARE

Topic: Weapons: Family Intercessory Prayer Excerpts from "A Family Guide to Spiritual Warfare" by Kathleen Beckman

Intercessory prayer is a weapon against sin and evil. The Catechism defines intercession as follows: "intercession is prayer of petition which leads us to pray as Jesus did. He is the one intercessor with the Father on behalf of all men, especially sinners. He is 'able for all time to save those who draw near to God through him, since he always lives to make intercession for them.' The Holy Spirit 'himself intercedes for us... and intercedes for the saints according to the will of God" (CCC 2634). A hallmark of an intercessor is that "he who prays looks 'not only to his own interests but also to the interests of others,' even to the point of praying for those who do him harm" (CCC 2635). The scope of intercessory prayer knows no bounds. Intercession could be understood as the prayer that especially moves God's Heart. "But Moses implored the Lord his God saying, 'O Lord, why does your wrath burn hot against your people...". Turn from your fierce wrath, and repent of this evil which he thought to do to his people" (Exod. 31:11, 12,14). This passage shows three dimensions of intercession: action, prayer, and offering. Moses took action, standing between a sinful people and their angry God. He prayed that God would relent, and he offered himself as a living sacrifice to do whatever God commanded. This is the essence of intercessory prayer. This is how we pray for loved ones.

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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.

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.



LATIN MASS

A St. Anthony Tradition

2022 Calendar Available

Latin Mass has been limited to being said only at St. Anthony in the State of Iowa. St. Anthony has been celebrating the Latin Mass for over 40 years and is blessed to be able to continue. Now there is a beautiful calendar to celebrate this long standing tradition.

Great Christmas Gift!

The unique 11" x 11", card stock cover calendar contains high quality images of *Traditionis Pulchritudo*, The Beauty of Tradition, as well as the Feast Days for both the Ordinary and Extraordinary Form.

To order or purchase a calendar, go to: unavocedsm.org \$20 each



New Year's Eve Gala Friday, December 31

5:30 Social /6:30 Dinner / Parish Hall \$20 per person

Disc jockey, dancing and silent auction! Beer and wine will be available with a cash donation.

Dinner Includes:

Smoked Boneless thick cut Pork Loin Chop or Grilled Boneless Chicken Breast, green beans, potato, roll & dessert.

Bring your favorite appetizer to share at the Social.

RSVP by Dec. 28 and must pay in advance.

Go to: StAnthonyDSM.org or see flyer/form in the church.