

4th SUNDAY OF EASTER

World Day of Prayer for Vocations; Mother's Day

WELCOME

ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH

DIOCESAN SHRINE of OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL & DIVINE MERCY

15, Indianola Rd, Des Moines, IA

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).

Online Mass is available for the:

11:00am English & 1:00pm Spanish

Go to: STANTHONYDSM.ORG

Weekday Mass

Mon. — Fri. 8:30am English

Tues. & Thru. 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



HAPPY MOTHERS DAY!



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. Quan Tong

Rev. Mr. Juan Bustamante

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Mass can be viewed online at StAnthonyDSM.org.

Mothers Day Novena's

Monday, May 9

- 8:30am—+Mothers Day Novena #2
- 9:15am—Adoration in the Chapel
- 8:00pm—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday, May 10

- 8:30am—+Mothers Day Novena #3
- 9:15am—Adoration in the Chapel
- 7:00pm—+Rosa Hernandez
- 8:00pm—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday, May 11

- 8:30am—+Mothers Day Novena #4
- 9:15am—Adoration in the Chapel
- 8:00pm—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursday, May 12

- 8:30am—+Mothers Day Novena #5
- 9:15am—Adoration in the Chapel
- 7:00pm—+Alicia Hernandez
- 8:00pm—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Friday, May 13

- 8:30am—+Mothers Day Novena #6
- 9:15am—Adoration in the Chapel
- 8:00pm—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday, May 14

- 8:30am—+Mothers Day Novena #7
- 4:00pm—+St Anthony Parishioners

Sunday, May 15

- 8:00am—+Antonio, Margaret and Mary Aiello
- 8:00am—+Mario Florez —(Parish Hall)
- 9:30am—+Yolanda Dean
- *11:00am—+Teresa Nebot + Xavier Prats
- 1:00pm—+Ema Cardenas
- 5:00pm—+Mothers Day Novena #8

+ Mass Intention * Incense

Latin Mass Schedule

Sunday 5:00pm Missa Cantata (Sung High Mass).
Holy Days of Obligation/Feast Days as published in this section of the bulletin.

**PLEASE
PRAY FOR**



- Monsignor Chiodo
- Mary Darlene Costanzo
- Frank Cataldo
- Rose Marie Soda
- Bill Best

- Evelyn Witcher
- Susan Costa
- Lori Tibbitts
- Larry Hawk
- Pete Tursi
- Bonnie Rugen

Please send your prayer request to:

Info@stanthonysdm.org or call the parish office at 515.244.4709



Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Today is the fourth Sunday of the Easter season. It is called "Good Shepherd Sunday" as the Gospel reading is taken from our Lord

Jesus's discourse in John 10 about how he is the one good shepherd, who lays down his life for his sheep. Because of this, it's often a day focused on prayer for our priests and bishops. There are very few people who have any sense of what a priest's life is like. Some days are filled with activity and business, others are completely empty. Demands can shift in an instant, especially when someone is sick or dying. We can go months without a funeral, and then have eight in two weeks (such as when I was out of town).

But more than that is the spiritual struggle we undergo on a regular basis. Going from the death of a loved one, to a joyful occasion such as a first communion or baptism - what people experience as a special moment in their lives are our lives daily. And then there's the constant vacillation between being constantly surrounded by people seeking us and the being alone in a rectory. And sometimes by our state in life we feel alone in a crowded room whether with families talking family life or singles talking single life - we are both and neither. Ultimately, it's the love of our parishioners and the fraternity of our brother priests that keeps us going.

So, pray for your priests. Especially Msgr. Chiodo, Fr. Reising, whoever the new associate is, and myself as we transition this summer.

Fr. Guthrie Dolan, Parochial Vicar

St. Anthony SPRING RAFFLE!

WIN \$10,000

Tickets \$100 each

(Only 300 Tickets Printed)

Drawing Date: Friday, May 20, 2022

Parish Hall | 5:30 - 7:30pm

Do not need to be present to win. Purchase tickets at the parish office or after Mass in the elevator foyer.



Just 60 Tickets Left!

Donate \$100 and you may win \$10,000.

ONLINE PURCHASE

You can now go online to get your Spring Raffle Ticket. Hurry before they are all gone!
There are only 300 tickets printed.

Go to: StAnthonyDSM.org

Once you've donated for your ticket, you will receive in the mail your tax receipt, flyer, ticket stub and 10 Red Raffle tickets.

Questions: Kim Lehman 515.202.2517

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Acts 13:14, 43-52/Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5 [3c]/Rv 7:9, 14b-17/Jn 10:27-30

Monday: Acts 11:1-18/Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4/Jn 10:1-10

Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26/Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday: Acts 12:24—13:5a/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8/Jn 12:44-50

Thursday: Acts 13:13-25/Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25 and 27/Jn 13:16-20

Friday: Acts 13:26-33/Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab/Jn 14:1-6

Saturday: Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/Ps 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8/Jn 15:9-17

Next Sunday: Acts 14:21-27/Ps 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13/Rv 21:1-5a/Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35



Did you know... "Fasting helps us control ourselves?"

Hello, Happy Mother's Day!

Before starting with our topic today I want to send a congratulations to all the Mothers! Wishing you a great day and may the Virgin Mary be your model and guide to educate your children.

As you will remember a couple of weeks ago we talked about the work we must do to maintain and increase life in abundance, we talked about prayer and today we'll talk about the other tool so as not to fall into temptation: **fasting**.

Sin, as the letter of James 1, 12-15 says, is a process that begins with temptation and that is where we must resist. Jesus himself was tempted by the devil (Luke 4, 1-13) and we will be too. The temptations we can suffer are **pleasure** (satisfy appetites), **have** (accumulate) and **power** (dominate others), this takes away man's freedom. **To resist** those temptations, we must strengthen our lives with **ascetic practice** in the same way that Jesus did. The passage of the temptations of Jesus shows us the value of fasting. Unfortunately, this practice is becoming less frequent in our Christian communities and should be part of our spiritual life.

To motivate you to start with this practice I will mention some of its benefits:

1. It helps us overcome crises
2. Calm our concerns
3. Favors the Encounter with God
4. It helps us discover our sin
5. It gives us power over our weaknesses
6. It gives us power against the cunning of the evil one.
7. Strengthens the spiritual authority to have control over oneself.
8. Prepares us for the mission

Fasting is a fundamental practice that we must reintegrate into our spiritual life. The **Virgin Mary** in practically all her apparitions authorized by the church *insists on the need to fast*.

You can start by denying you what you like to eat or drink, you will see with the continuous practice and through the time you will do it with bread and water as suggested by Mother Church.

See you next time.....

Hilda Ramos

Adult Faith Formation

CATECHISM MEDITATIONS

Topic: Mother of Christ
Mother of the Church

963 Since the Virgin Mary's role in the mystery of Christ and the Spirit has been treated, it is fitting now to consider her place in the mystery of the Church. "The Virgin Mary . . . is acknowledged and honored as being truly the Mother of God and of the Redeemer. . . . She is 'clearly the mother of the members of Christ' . . . since she has by her charity joined in bringing about the birth of believers in the Church, who are members of its head." "Mary, Mother of Christ, Mother of the Church."

964 Mary's role in the Church is inseparable from her union with Christ and flows directly from it. "This union of the mother with the Son in the work of salvation is made manifest from the time of Christ's virginal conception up to his death";⁵⁰⁴ it is made manifest above all at the hour of his Passion:

Thus, the Blessed Virgin advanced in her pilgrimage of faith, and faithfully persevered in her union with her Son unto the cross. There she stood, in keeping with the divine plan, enduring with her only begotten Son the intensity of his suffering, joining herself with his sacrifice in her mother's heart, and lovingly consenting to the immolation of this victim, born of her: to be given, by the same Christ Jesus dying on the cross, as a mother to his disciple, with these words: "Woman, behold your son."⁵⁰⁵

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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

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ADA

ST. ANTHONY CHURCH

Goal: \$138,792

ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL

Received: \$99,306

Left to go: \$39,486

Thank you to all who have given!!

The Annual Diocesan Appeal (ADA) gives us the opportunity to act together as a Diocesan family and supports the ministries and services in this diocese from which you and this parish benefit. Every gift, regardless of the size, is vital to the success of the Appeal.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR
THURS., MAY 19
6PM - 7PM

JIMMY THE WEASEL

Concert at the Grotto May 19, 2022

Jimmy the Weasel, one of the metro's most entertaining bands, will be doing a benefit concert at the Grotto, with all proceeds going to support the St. Anthony music program. A family friendly event! Cost to get in...donation. Be sure to bring your lawn chair.



"The Jungle Cruise"

Friday, May 13 / 7pm / Parish Hall \$5

Movie included with popcorn and drinks. Pizza and concessions for purchase will also be available.

Join us for a fun movie night with snacks!

St. Anthony Catholic School



110 YEAR CELEBRATION



Saturday, August 20, 2022

Blank Golf Course
808 County Line Road
6:00 - 9:00 PM

Outstanding Alumni Presentation

Heavy Appetizers | Cash Bar
\$20 per person | \$25 at the door
RSVP by July 15, 2022

Mass at 11:00 AM Sunday, August 21

REGISTER AND PAY WITH CREDIT CARD ONLINE
<https://school.stanthonydsm.org/community/alumni/>

You can also pay by VENMO—@SAS1912, cash, or check at the School Office.

Alumni Committee | St. Anthony School | 16 Columbus Ave | Des Moines, IA 50315
Questions? Contact Loretta Rizzuti - 515-783-8293, lizzuti54@gmail.com



Easter Candles Available

\$35 Each

Pick up an Easter candle in the parish office while supplies last.

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