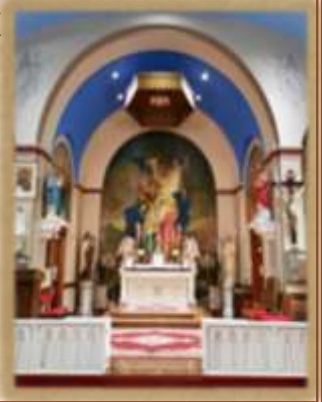




ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC CHURCH
TEMPERANCE, MICHIGAN
The Most Holy Trinity

“The Antonian” † May 31, 2026

*St. Anthony of Padua,
Our Patron and Intercessor,
Pray for Us!*



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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (RE): All Religious Ed. Classes for the Lumen Christi Family of Parishes will be held at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Parish

For more information: 734-848-6125 ext. 6 faith_formation@stjosepherie.com

Weekend Mass Schedule - Lumen Christi Parishes:

Saturday (Sunday Vigil): 4:00pm St. Anthony; 4:00pm - St. Joseph; 5:30pm: OL Mt. Carmel
Sunday: 7:30am St. Joseph; 9:00am St. Anthony; 9:00am OL Mt. Carmel;
10:30am St. Joseph; 11:00am St. Anthony; 4:30pm St. Joseph; 7:00pm - OLMC

Weekday Mass Schedule - Lumen Christi Parishes:

Monday: 9:00am - OL Mt. Carmel
Tuesday: 9:00am - St. Anthony; 6:00pm - St. Joseph
Wednesday: 9:00am - OL Mt. Carmel
Thursday: 7:00pm - St. Anthony (NLM)
Friday: 9:00am - St. Joseph
First Friday: 7:00pm - St. Anthony (NLM);
First Saturday: 9:00am - St. Anthony (NLM)

Sacrament of Penance - Lumen Christi Parishes:

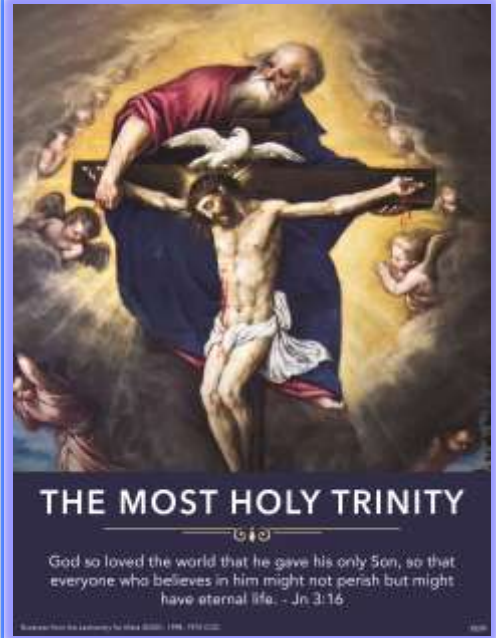
Tuesday: 5:00 - 6:00pm - St. Joseph
Wednesday: 10:00am - 11:00am - OLMC
Thursday: 5:00 - 6:00pm - St. Anthony
Saturday: 1:00-2:00pm - OLMC
First Friday: 10:00-11:00 am - St. Joseph; **First Saturday:** 10:00 - 11:00am - St. Anthony

Prayer Blankets

Prayer Chain

Seven Sisters Apostolate

Sandy Maenle: 734-847-7813 Miriam Dressel: 734-888-1192 Cheryl Scott: 319-296-5864

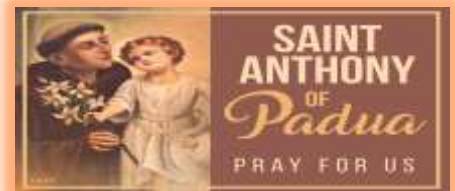


THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. - Jn 3:16

Save the Date

Feast of St. Anthony
St. Anthony Catholic Church
Saturday, June 13
Procession following
4 pm Holy Mass
and Parish Potluck
Please bring a dish to pass.



Catholic Services Appeal 2026

Please see bulletin insert for details.



PLEASE NOTE:

There will be no Holy Mass or confessions on Thursday, June 4th.

† MASS SCHEDULE †

Monday, June 1, 2026

St. Justin (165), M., Pt. of lecturers (New)
St. Angela Merici (1540), V., F. of the Ursulines (Trad.)

Tuesday, June 2, 2026

9:00am †**Gloria Knaggs**
by Chris C. - Hospice
†**Cullen Lumbrezer**
by Elizabeth Strang
***Living & Deceased Members of the George & Carrie Komorowski Family**
by Family Reunion

St. Marcellinus, Pr., & St. Peter, Exorcist (304), Ms. (New, Trad.)
St. Erasmus (Elmo) (303), B., M., Pt. against stomach ailments (Trad.)
St. Blandina (177), M. (Hist.)

Wednesday, June 3, 2026

St. Charles Lwanga & Comps. (1887), Proto-martyrs of Equatorial Africa (New; Trad./some places)
St. Clotilde (545), W., Queen of France (Hist.)

Thursday, June 4, 2026

No Holy Mass
†**Harold & Genevieve Gorney**
by Kaye Shephard
†**Albert & Sophie Lefere**
by Edward Lefere
†**Edward Malik Jr.**
by Dorothy Strzelewicz

Corpus Christi (Trad.; Thurs. after Trinity Sunday)
St. Francis Caracciolo (1608), Pr., F. of Minor Clerks Regular (Trad.)



First Friday, June 5, 2026

7:00pm ***Holy Mother's Intentions For (NLM) Lucas, Maxwell, Marta & Vincent Toma** by Marta Toma

St. Boniface (754), B., M., Ap. of Germany (New, Trad.)

First Saturday, June 6, 2026

9:00am ***Fr. Slaton's Intentions (NLM)**
St. Norbert (1134), B., F. of Canons Regular of Premonstre (New, Trad.)

Sunday Vigil

4:00pm †**James Fuelling**
(3rd Anniversary of Death)
by Carol Fuelling

Sunday, June 7, 2026

The Most Holy Body And Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) (New)
2nd Sunday after Pentecost (Trad.)
9:00am ***Debbie Rahill** by Barb Korotko
11:00am ***The People of St. Anthony (NLM)**

St. Robert of Newminster (1159), Ab. (Hist.)

Readings for Today

The Most Holy Trinity

May 31, 2026:
Exodus 34:4b-6, 8-9
2 Corinthians 13: 11-13
John 3; 16-18



PLEASE NOTE: Bulletin Correction

The Confirmation held on April 29, 2026, presided over by Archbishop Edward Weisenburger was held at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church, not at St. Anthony's Church.

Parish Office Hours

Secretary's Office:

Monday-Thursday: 10:00am - 3:30pm
Closed for lunch: 12:30pm-1:30pm
Friday: 10:00am - 1:00pm

Business Office:

By Appointment only

Live+Jesus!

The 99th Annual Novena to the Sacred Heart

THE MONASTERY OF THE VISITATION, 1745 Parkside Blvd. Toledo; **will begin June 4, 2026** with daily Mass at 7 AM and 7:30 PM, preceded by devotions at 7:15 PM June 4th, and each of the 9 days, through the Feast of the Sacred Heart on June 12th, and preached by Fr. Joseph Mominee.

A REMINDER:

Even though there will be no Masses or confessions at St. Anthony on June 4, all Mass requests scheduled through the Parish Office and listed in the "Mass Schedule" column on page 2 of the bulletin are indeed offered. "No" Mass, followed by an intention indicates that while Mass will not be offered at St. Anthony, Fr. Slaton is still offering Mass each day, using this list of our Mass requests for the intention.

This Week's Calendar

Monday, June 1, 2026

Tuesday, June 2, 2026

9:00am - Holy Mass

Wednesday, June 3, 2026

6:30-7:30pm - PH Devotions

Thursday, June 4, 2026

Blessing of Items
No Confessions
No Holy Mass (NLM)

First Friday, June 5, 2026

7:00pm - Holy Mass (NLM)

First Saturday, June 6, 2026

9:00am - Holy Mass (NLM)
10:00-11:00am - Confessions
4:00pm - Sunday Vigil Mass

Sunday, June 7, 2026

9:00am - Holy Mass
11:00am - Holy Mass (NLM)

PRAYER FOR THE RETURN OF NON-PRACTICING CATHOLICS

Good Shepherd, You never cease to seek out the lost, to call home the stray, to comfort the frightened, and to bind up the wounded.

I ask you to bring the people I hold in my heart back to the practice of the Faith, and to remove all obstacles that prevent them from receiving your abundant mercy, which flows sacramentally through the heart of Your holy Church.

Through the intercession of Mary, the Mother of God, their Guardian Angels, their Patron Saints, and the ever-prayerful St. Monica, may You pardon their sins and unshackle them from whatever hinders their freedom to come Home.

For You, O Good Shepherd, have loved us to the end and offered Yourself to the Father for the salvation of all. Amen.

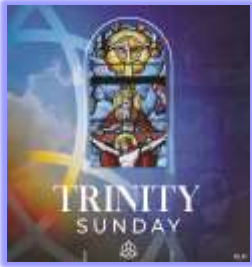


St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church

(PRACTICING) CATHOLIC -

RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman



Mini reflection: Our failure to understand is not a poverty. It is a gift. It propels us constantly back to the wellspring of our glorious Faith — to Scripture, to Tradition, to the in-dwelling of the Holy Spirit which sustains each and every one of us who dare to believe.

The Gift of Not Understanding

I once listened to Bishop Daniel Flores — a renowned scholar and prelate — give a 70-minute talk on the Trinitarian nature of God. In those 70 minutes, Bishop Flores said a lot of eloquent things. But what that really landed with me was not any group of words, but a single gesture.

Defining *hypostasis*, the term we use for the “the reciprocal dynamic relations that constitute distinct identities within the Godhead” (yes, I am using his words because I could never, in a million years, trust my own) Bishop Flores said “the Father and the Son are true God, but the Father is not the Son, and the Son is not the Father. How not? Different hypostasis.”

And here his eyes grew wide; he turned his head and opened his hands, drawing back as if from a spooked horse. The implication was clear: *Any further than this, I dare not go.*

I’ve never felt so seen.

Sometimes, I make the mistake of thinking that I am unique in my inability to understand the great mysteries. Sometimes, I despair that I am not a “better Catholic” — one who will rush headfirst into the crosshairs of a hard question, confident in the words that come immediately to my lips.

But when I saw Bishop Flores flinch at the thought of defining how, exactly, the Son is *not* the Father, and vice versa, I remembered that only fools rush in where angels fear to tread.

This Sunday, friends, take heart: our failure to understand is not a poverty. It is a gift. It propels us constantly back to the wellspring of our glorious Faith — to Scripture, to Tradition, to the in-dwelling of the Holy Spirit which sustains each and every one of us who dare to believe.

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Calendar/Facility Use Request Forms

Please remember: Any group/event that uses Parish facilities, must renew/fill out a room request form. Copies can be obtained from the Parish Office, or from the table in the Narthex. Please be sure that your request is on file and current. These forms are needed for several reasons: it helps to prevent double-booking and will ensure that your weekly/monthly meetings are in the Parish Calendar as well as published in the bulletin.

Thank you to all who have contacted the Parish Office with updated requests.

The Rosary is prayed before all Masses at St. Anthony, beginning 30 minutes before Mass.

Please join us, especially during the Month of May, as we honor our Blessed Mother.



PLEASE NOTE: SCHEDULE ADDITION

***Finance Committee Meeting
Padua Hall
June 6th
following the
4:00pm Holy Mass***

Spring Cleaning

It looks like Spring is finally upon us! How beautiful to see the flowering, budding trees, flowers blooming, etc.

With the warmer weather comes the need to “spruce up” the Parish grounds a bit: raking up leaves, cleaning up flower beds, weeding, etc.

Please contact the Parish Office if you are able to help with this.... even a little time will make a big difference!

God Bless you!



Catholic Services Appeal 2026

Dear Friends in Christ,

Each year, all parishes in the Archdiocese of Detroit embark upon the CSA (Catholic Services Appel) Drive. The CSA is a required collection taken up for the general operational expenses of the Archdiocese of Detroit. It helps to subsidize Catholic institutions that may not necessarily be connected to or funded by a particular parish. Among these special services are Campus Ministry, Telecommunications, Hospital and Prison Chaplaincies, Central Service Offices, which provide direct assistance to individual parishes, the Marriage Tribunal, and the like. Since the CSA provides for 62% of the operating budget of the Archdiocese, we are assessed or taxed a specific amount we are asked to meet. Our assessment is based upon many factors, including parish registration, Sunday collections, and financial status of the area within our parish boundaries. The detail of how our assessment is calculated, as well as how the money is used may be found on the insert included with today's bulletin.

The amount assessed to St. Anthony Parish this year is **\$42,535**. In order to reach our goal, the recommended pledge amount will be **\$300** from each family.

For your convenience, pledge forms can be found at the bottom of this page. Please complete the form and designate the amount of your pledge and the payment plan you prefer and return to the Parish Office. Pledges may also be made by calling the Parish Office 734-854-1143; sending your pledge via email (stanthony@bex.net) or by stopping by the Parish Office during regular business hours.

Your pledge can be made in several ways: paid in full and returned with your pledge form; a down payment returned with your pledge form, with the balance divided into quarterly payments, or divided evenly among 9 monthly payments. Credit card and automatic withdrawal payments and electronic funds transfers (EFT) will also be accepted. If you wish to contribute this way, please go to: give.aodcsa.org. Please select "St. Anthony, Temperance" on the online form where indicated. Donors may also call (888) 331-8695 to make an online or EFT request.

Please note: If you sign up to make payments on your pledge, the payment schedule will not begin until July 2026.

Please remember that we are required to make an accounting of all CSA cards for our Parish, so even if you are unable to pledge, we ask that you indicate that to the Parish Office as well.

I am grateful for your continued stewardship and prayers.

God Love you!

Father Robert J. Slaton
St. Anthony Parish

CSA - 2026

Name _____

Address _____ Phone # _____

Amount of total Pledge \$ _____ Amount paid today \$ _____

Balance due \$ _____. Please bill me quarterly _____ or monthly (9 monthly payments) _____

____ I will pay by credit card (or) by automatic withdrawal payments per the information above.

Please make checks Payable to: St. Anthony - CSA



ARCHBISHOP OF DETROIT

February 2026

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

Every year, the Church invites us to return to the heart of our mission as disciples—to reflect on the gifts God has entrusted to us and to consider how we are called to use those gifts for the good of His people. As I prayed about the message I wished to share with you for this year's Catholic Services Appeal, one verse continued to emerge: "For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be" (Matthew 6:21).

These words from our Lord are both tender and challenging. They remind us that our mission flows from the deepest place of our devotion. What we love, we serve. What we treasure, we offer. And when our hearts are rooted in Christ, His mission becomes our mission: to proclaim the Gospel, accompany the suffering, form disciples, and bring the light of His love to every corner of southeast Michigan.

Each of us has received the blessings of time to pray, talents to offer, and material resources to steward. These gifts are never meant to be stored away but should be shared generously, so that through them others may encounter the mercy, hope, and healing that Christ freely gives. Through faithful stewardship, we participate directly in the work of evangelization and build up the Church in ways that extend far beyond what any one of us could accomplish alone.

This year, as we continue to deepen our commitment to renewal in our parishes, schools, formation programs, and ministries of charity, the Catholic Services Appeal remains an essential expression of our shared mission. Your generosity sustains the services that form our future priests, strengthen families, engage youth and young adults, accompany the poor, and bring Christ's love to those most in need.

I ask you to prayerfully reflect on how God is calling you to participate in this mission today. Your support ensures that the Gospel continues to be preached with conviction, our communities remain places of encounter and renewal, and the love of Jesus Christ reaches every person who longs to know Him.

I am deeply grateful for your faith, generosity, and commitment to the mission the Lord has entrusted to us. May God bless you abundantly for sharing the gifts He has given you.

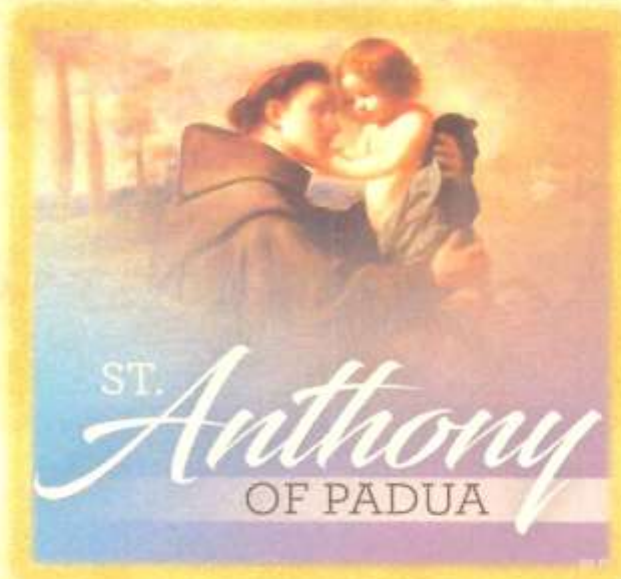
Sincerely yours in Christ Jesus,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Edward J. Weisenburger".

Most Reverend Edward J. Weisenburger
Archbishop of Detroit

The Feast of St. Anthony of Padua

Saturday, June 13



St. Anthony Catholic Church

4605 St. Anthony Rd., Temperance, MI 48182

4:00pm Holy Mass (English)

***followed by Procession of the St. Anthony statue to Kenna Hall
for a Family-Wide potluck!***

Main course and beverages will be provided.

Please bring a dish to pass.

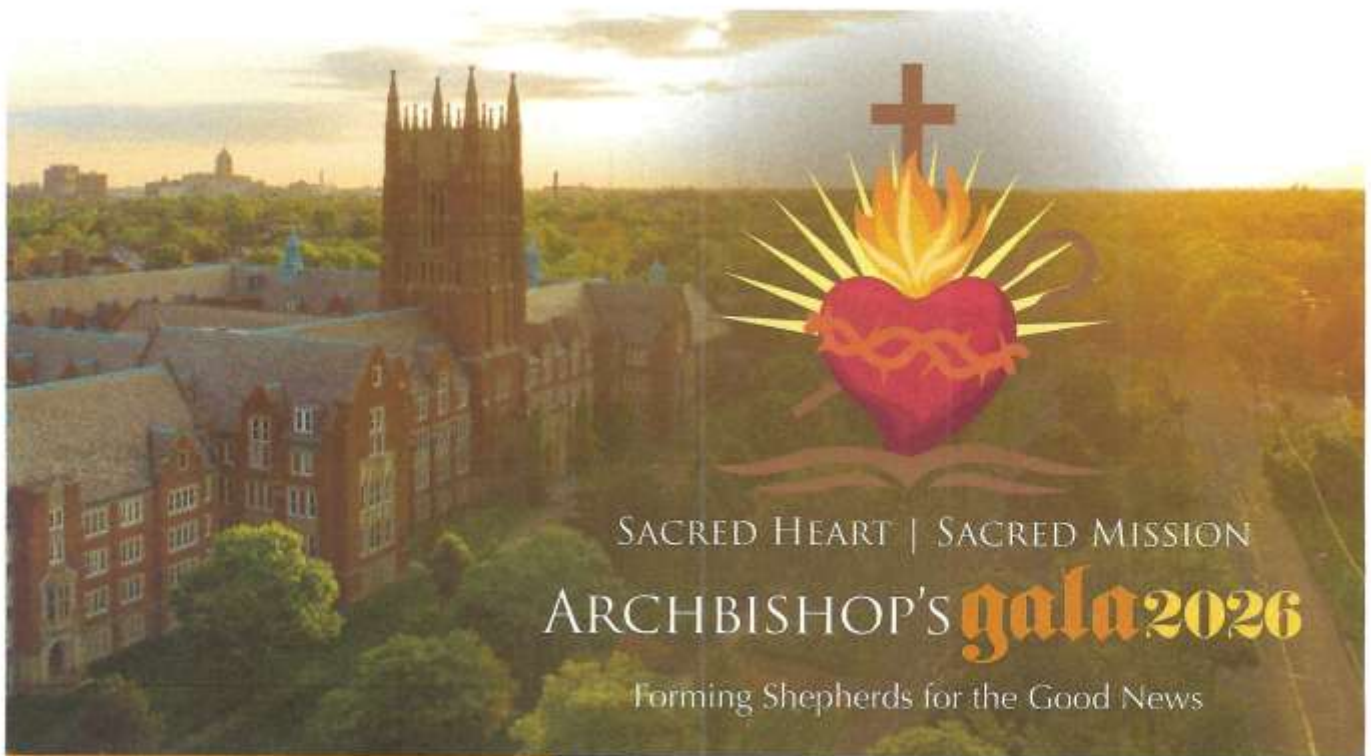
Please rsvp to the parish office by Wednesday, June 10

Call: 734-854-1143 or email at stanthony@bex.net.

Lumen Christi Family of Parishes:

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel ♦ St. Joseph Parish ♦ St. Anthony Parish

Please join us in celebrating our beloved patron!



SACRED HEART | SACRED MISSION
ARCHBISHOP'S **gala** 2026

Forming Shepherds for the Good News

ENTER TO WIN
\$25,000!

Ticket Price \$10 each

Drawing on June 4, 2026

Saint John's Resort
Plymouth, Michigan

(Need not be present to win)

All net proceeds from the raffle
will help to educate and form
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SACRED HEART
MAJOR SEMINARY

Dear Friend of Sacred Heart Major Seminary,

Please join me in participating in the 2026 Archbishop's Gala Raffle in support of Sacred Heart Major Seminary. By purchasing tickets, you are partnering with Sacred Heart to prepare tomorrow's priests.

This annual fundraiser provides financial support directly to the seminary. I recognize your support of Sacred Heart's seminarians is an act of faith that helps to ensure the future of the Church, and I am grateful.

I hope you will join us in this fundraiser as we continue to form Shepherds for the Good News. Tickets can be purchased through the Development office at Sacred Heart Major Seminary. Please contact Kelly Leciejewski at leciejewski.kelly@shms.edu or call 313-887-1772 for tickets.



Trusting in the Sacred Heart of Jesus,

Very Reverend Stephen Burr
Rector/President

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St. Anthony Catholic Church Temperance, MI July 26th–July 31st

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Monday-Friday 9am-2:30pm
Grades 1-6

Evening Program

Sunday-Thursday 6:30-8:30pm
Grades 7-12

Join us for a fun and faith-filled week! Learn about the Ten Commandments and the Luminous Mysteries of the rosary while growing in your relationship with the Lord. See you there!


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