

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC CHURCH

TEMPERANCE, MICHIGAN

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

"The Antonian" ✝ November 15, 2026

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



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OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday:
10:00am - 3:30pm
(Lunch is taken between 12:30 & 1:30pm)
Friday: 10:00am - 1:00pm

OFFICE STAFF

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ADORATION

St. Anthony Chapel 24/7
Contact the parish office for entry code.
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel
Monday & Wednesday | 10:00am - 4:00pm
St. Joseph
Daily Exposition | See parish website

OUTREACH MINISTRIES

Prayer Blankets
Sandy Maenle: 734-847-7813
Prayer Chain
Miriam Dressel: 734-888-1192

ST. ANTHONY

Weekend Masses

Saturday | 4:00pm (Vigil)
Sunday | 9:00am, 11:00am *(NLM)*

Weekday Masses

Tuesday | 9:00am
Thursday | 7:00pm *(NLM)*
First Friday | 7:00pm *(NLM)*
First Saturday | 9:00am *(NLM)*

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Thursday | 5:00 - 6:00pm
First Saturday: 10:00 - 11:00am

OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL

8330 Lewis Ave.
Temperance, MI 48182

Mass Schedule

Saturday | 5:30pm (Vigil)
Sunday | 9:00am, 7:00pm
Monday | 9:00am
Wednesday | 9:00am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Wednesday | 10:00 - 11:00am
Saturday | 1:00 - 2:00pm

ST. JOSEPH

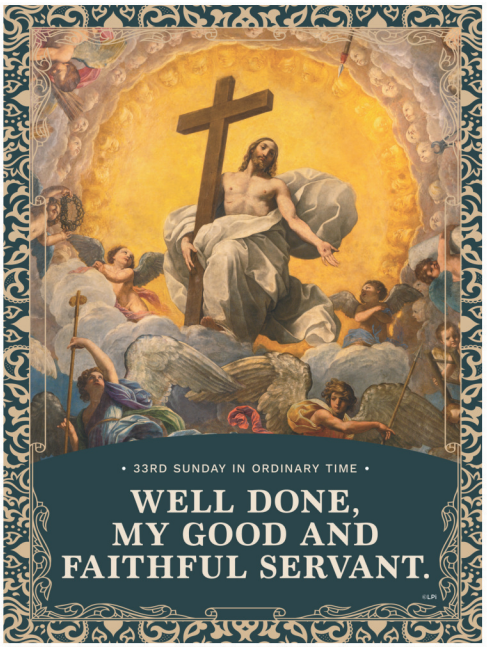
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Sunday | 7:30am, 10:30am, 4:30pm
Tuesday | 6:00pm
Friday | 9:00am

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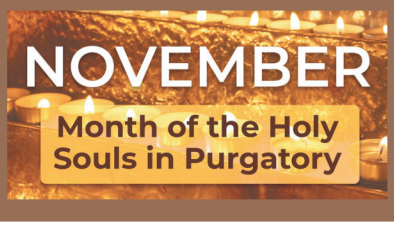
Just a reminder, the deadlines for contributing to our **Thanksgiving Food Collection** are:

Monday, November 16th for Veterans and

Monday, November 23rd for other families.

See page 2 of the bulletin for details.





Please note:
Nov. 16-20 there will be no Masses or confessions.



READINGS FOR TODAY

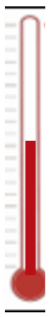
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Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31
1 Thessalonians 5: 1-6
Matthew 25: 14-30

CSA
CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL

Our CSA goal for 2026

is $42,535.00 as of Tuesday, November 10th, we have received 58 pledges totaling $24,360.00 (57%) Please help us reach our goal.



Any excess of our goal comes back to the Parish for our use. Any shortage of our goal the Parish will have to pay.

God Bless you all for your generosity!!!

OFFERTORY STORY
FOR NOVEMBER 8, 2026

# Env. Used/Assigned:	72/322
Envelope Total:	$5,690.00
Loose:	$676.00
Total:	**$6,366.00**
Weekly Budget Amt:	**$5,900.00**
Over/Under:	+$466.00
Budget YTD:	**+7,625.00**
Other:	
Candles:	$136.50
CD Rack:	$1.00
Cemetery Perpetual Care:	$160.00
Christmas Flowers:	$5.00
CSA:	$600.00
Donations:	$190.00
Holy Day: All Saints Day	$125.00
Mass Intentions:	$30.00
Mission Appeal:	$20.00
Total for Other:	**$1,267.50**

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, November 16
St. Margaret of Scotland (1093), Queen, Pt. of large families & death of children *(New)*
St. Gertrude the Great (1302), V., Benedictine Ab. & mystic *(New, Trad.)*

Tuesday, November 17
St. Elizabeth of Hungary (1231), W., Pt. of the Third Order of St. Francis *(New)*

Wednesday, November 18
Dedication of Basilicas of Sts. Peter & Paul, Aps., in Rome (1626, 1854) *(New, Trad.)*
St. Rose Philippine Duchesne (1852), V., Missionary *(New)*

Thursday, November 19
St. Pontian (236), P., M. (Trad.)

Friday, November 20
St. Felix of Valois (1212), R. (Trad.)

Saturday, November 21

Sunday Vigil

4:00pm †Edward Stephen Holup by Jeanne Holup
Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary (c. 12 B.C.) *(New, Trad.)*

Sunday, November 22
Christ, King of the Universe *(New)*
24th and Last Sunday after Pentecost *(Trad.)*
9:00am *The People of St. Anthony
***11:00am* †Ruth Smith** by Murphy Family *(NLM)*
St. Cecilia (230), V., M., Pt. of musicians (New, Trad.)

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Monday, November 16
No Mass

Tuesday, November 17
No Mass

Wednesday, November 18
No Mass
6:30-7:30pm PH Devotions

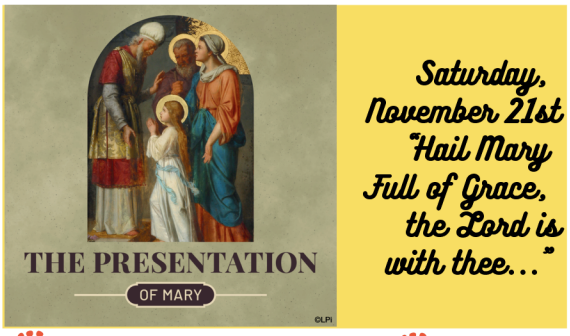
Thursday, November 19
No Confessions
No Mass

Friday, November 20
9:00am - 2:00pm - HFS - KH/PH/SCH

Saturday, November 21
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Sunday Vigil
4:00pm - Holy Mass
12:00-6:00pm - Rental - KH
6:30pm - Euchre Tournament - PH

Sunday, November 22
Christ, King of the Universe (New)
24th & Last Sunday after Pentecost *(Trad.)*
9:00am - Holy Mass
11:00am - Holy Mass *(NLM)*











Donations are needed for ***Thanksgiving Food Baskets***. We will be helping several families for Thanksgiving this year from the Veterans' Center, as well as families submitted by parishioners.

Items needed are ***Money or Gift Cards, *Canned Fruits & Vegetables, *Stuffing, *Rolls, *Butter, *Potatoes, *Dessert ingredients**, and any other items for a holiday meal. There will be containers in the narthex for donations. Please call Linda Sloan at 419-304-6196 if you have any questions.

The **Deadline for donations to Veterans is Mon., Nov. 16** and the **Deadline for the other families in need is Mon., Nov. 23.**



BLESSING OF ITEMS
1st Thursday of each month

Fr. Slaton blesses items the 1st Thursday of each month. Our next scheduled day will be Thursday, Dec. 3rd, 2026. Please bring any items to be blessed before Thursday; be sure to include your name and number on the items. Theresa will contact you when your item is ready to be picked up during office hours.



Please keep in your prayers all our service men and women, especially:

Wes Brown, Army Reserve
Kodie Burtscher, USAF
Jed Clark, USMC
Kay Clark Thompson, USAF
Eric Hite, Jr. USAF
SSGT Alexa Long, USAF
A.J. Ondrus, USN
Alexander Strang USAF
Victoria Urben - USN



LET US PRAY FOR

Norb Abel
David Amer
Paul Bazydlo
Parker Bee
Jackie Biler
Gary Brink
Charley Bussey
Caleb
Gerald Carto
Linda Chaney
Elizabeth Corey
Carl Cornprobst
Elizabeth Cousino
Lowell Cousino
Marcus Demorest
Caleb Dershem
Miriam Dressel
Elaine Esper
Joe Evener
Barbara Francis
Sheila Greisinger
Raad Hamama
Angelica Hamama
Gloria Hartman
Nicole Hartman
Diane Heidelberg
Phyllis Heyse
Sonya Hill
Phyllis Hinkelman
John
M. Johnson
Carolyn Jones
Devin Kacher
Pete Kessler
Joanne Kolinski
RoseMarie Komorowski
Jonah Kornberg
Barbara Korotko
Joseph Korotko
Earl Kramer
David Larner
Bill & Dawn Larsen
Patrick Lyndsay
Sandy Maenle
Peg Mallin
Bridget Marie
Kevin Martin
Lois Martin
Elizabeth McChesney
Bob Mcnear
Diane Michley
Jodi Miller
Mike Miller
Nickolas Miller
Kelly Reese Morgan
Adelaide Munk
Steve Murzynski
Nusbaum Family
Ken Nusbaum
Fran O'Connor
Tyler Oehlers
Austin Oehlers
Armando Ortiz
Homero Ortiz
Karen & Tom Penney
Dianne Petrilla
Veronica Rakebrand
Fr. Patrick Rohen
John & Marge Scott
Aaron Shreffler
Michelle Shuman
Patty Smith
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Jackie Tomaszewski
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Christopher Warner
Diane Webber
Kristine Wells
John & Helen Williams
Mary Beth Wise
Jim Woronec
Dawn Wyse
Charlie Yacuone
Amy Yates
Rita Zeller

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.



OUR SACRAMENTAL POLICY

Six-month Parish registration and participation are required for Baptism, Confirmation and Marriage.

Baptism

Arrangements must be made in advance and parents must attend a baptism class. The Church requires that at least one of the parents be a practicing Catholic, and the Godparents must be active, practicing, fully initiated Catholics at least 16 years of age. If two Godparents: must be 1 male & 1 female; if one Godparent: may be male or female.

Marriage

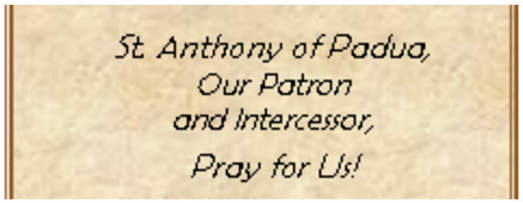
Arrangements must be made at least nine months in advance. Please call the Parish Office. Officiate at the ceremony must be St. Anthony Parish Pastor or a family member.

Funerals

Officiate must be St. Anthony Parish Pastor or a family member.

Please note: The services of the Parish Organist are used for all sacramental liturgies.





LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS FOR NOVEMBER 21 & 22

Mass	Lector	Altar Servers	Ushers
4PM	R. Dressel	R. Cousino	D. Thoma, J. Thoma, & J. Komorowski
9AM	P. Cousino	JP. Bylicki; J. & J. Jemaa	G. Ingersoll, B. Kapela, L. Komorowski, & J. Briskey
11AM (*NLM*)	--	TBD	K. Jorrey, J. Ondrus

GOSPEL MEDITATION - DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE
NOVEMBER 15, 2026 | THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME | MATTHEW 25: 14-30

A friend once took his young adult son to the casino for his birthday. He handed him $100 and said, "Let's have a great time." The son, a graduate student with limited money, quietly pocketed the money and refused to play. "I don't want to lose it," he said. But he missed the point: the money was not really his to pocket; it was his father's invitation to share an experience together.

God sees our gifts a bit like this. In Jesus' parable, a servant buries his master's talent and explains: "Master, I knew you were a demanding person…so out of fear I went off and buried your talent in the ground" (Matthew 25:24-25). The master condemns him not for failure but for refusing to risk. The servant's fear distorts his image of the master and leads to a small, loveless response. No love, no risk. No risk, no relationship.

How easily we fall into this trap! We treat God's gifts as fragile possessions rather than invitations. We play it safe, avoid risk, and tell ourselves we are wise and God is cruel. But Jesus praises those who trust the Master's goodness enough to act boldly. They are not reckless but confident enough in their Master to risk their gifts for Him.

So, what is my interior story about God right now? Is it marked by generosity, adventure, and trust? Or by fear, caution, and suspicion? That hidden narrative shapes everything. Because love, by its nature, always takes risks with, and for, the beloved. ~Fr. John Muir @ LPi



What: A Euchre Tournament, hosted by St Anthony's Knights of Columbus and the Rummage Sale Girls

Where: Padua Hall

When: Saturday, Nov. 21st, 6:30 pm

Who: Anyone who likes to play Euchre

Cost: FREE

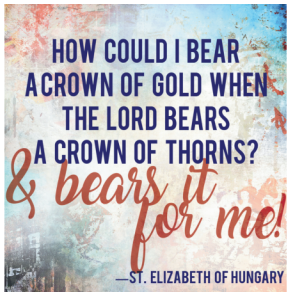
Age: 16 and over

BYOB. Snacks provided.

You don"t need a partner to enter.

RSVP to Joleen by calling or texting at 419-340-1832







St. Elizabeth of Hungary

St. Elizabeth of Hungary (1207–1231) was a princess known for her deep faith and love for the poor and suffering. Though married to Louis of Thuringia and the mother of three children, she chose a life of prayer, sacrifice, and service. After her husband's death, she joined the Secular Franciscan Order and founded a hospital to care for the poor. She died at 24 and was canonized just four years later.



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Technology Teacher

- Part-time position. Schedule and number of instructional hours to be determined by the school.
- Works with students in grades K–8.
- A passion for teaching and learning through technology.
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