



ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA
CATHOLIC CHURCH
TEMPERANCE, MICHIGAN

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

"The Antonian" January 18, 2026

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



ST. ANTHONY'S DIRECTORY

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Office Hours: Beginning Monday, November 10:

Monday - Thursday: 10:00am - 3:00pm; Friday: 10:00am - 1:00pm

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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



Thursday, January 22, 2026

Continue to pray that all life
may be respected, cherished,
and protected.

A Prelude to St. Patrick's Day

St. Anthony Knights of Coumbus are
pleased to announce details for their up-
coming Prelude to St. Patick's Day:

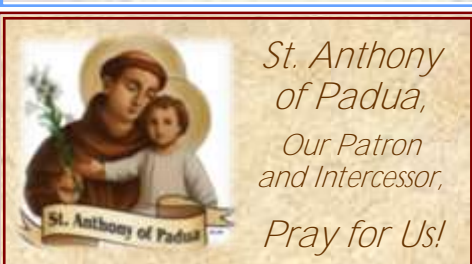
- Saturday, February 14, 2026
- St. Anthony Kenna Hall
- Doors open at 6pm

Featuring:

"Men from the Bogg" Band from 7-10pm

**We will need help setting up
Friday, February 13 @ 7:00pm

More information to come!



Come Join Us!

St. Joseph Catholic School
Open House
Sunday, Jan. 25, 11:30am
Kindergarten Leap Day:
Wed., Jan. 28, 9-11:30am
STJOSEPHERIE.COM

Faith Knowledge Service

† **MASS SCHEDULE** †**Monday, January 19, 2026**

Sts. Marius, Martha, Audifax & Abachum (270),
parents & two sons, Ms. (*Trad.*)
St. Canute (1086), King of Denmark, M. (*Trad.*)
St. Wulstan (1095), B. (*Hist.*)

Tuesday, January 20, 2026

9:00am †Frankco Gismombi
by Greg & Karen Baer
***Fr. Richard Munkelt**
by Jonathan & Elisa Schnur

St. Fabian (250), P., M. (*New, Trad.*)
St. Sebastian (288), M., Pt. of soldiers, archers, &
athletes (*New, Trad.*)

Wednesday, January 21, 2026

St. Agnes (304), V., M., Pt. of the Children of Mary
(*New, Trad.*)

Thursday, January 22, 2026

7:00pm *For the Protection of the Unborn
(*NLM*)

U.S. Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

St. Vincent of Saragossa (304), Dcn., M., Pt. of
sailors & winegrowers (*Trad.*)
St. Anastasius (628), R., M. (*Trad.*)

Friday, January 23, 2026

St. Vincent of Saragossa (304), Dcn., M., Pt. of
sailors & winegrowers (*New*)
St. Marianne Cope (Marianne of Molokai)
(1918), V., R. (*New*)
St. Emerentiana (304), V., M., foster-sister of
St. Agnes (*Trad.*)
Espousals of the Blessed Virgin Mary (1B.C.)
(*Hist.*)

Saturday, January 24, 2026

St. Francis de Sales (1622), B., F., D., Pt. of writers &
the Catholic Press (*New*)
St. Timothy (97), B., M., Pt. against stomach disorders
(*Trad.*)

Sunday Vigil

4:00pm †Charles Brancheau
by Carol & Jolene Krohn

Sunday, January 25, 2026

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time (*New*)

9:00am †Gloria Knaggs by Jeanne & Ron

11:00am *The People of St. Anthony
(*NLM*)

Conversion of St. Paul (36), Ap. (*New, Trad.*)



Our **Mass with Jubilarians** will
take place in February.

Please contact the Parish Office if
you will be celebrating a milestone
Wedding Anniversary (25, 30, 35, 40,
45, 50+) in 2026.

Readings for Today**Sunday, January 18, 2026:**

Isaiah 49:3,5-6

1Corinthians 1:1-3

John 1:29-34

Check out Our Web site!

stanthonytemperance.org

There are many features to browse
through, as well as links to the
Archdiocese of Detroit and *Monroe*
Vicariate websites and to our *St.*
Anthony Facebook page.

Also included are weekly bulletins,
monthly liturgical assignments,
current events, and a *Latest News*
feature that gives the most current
information, including the current
weekday Mass schedule.

Check it out!

Parish Office Hours**Secretary's Office:**

Monday-Thursday: 10:00am - 3:00pm

Friday: 10:00am - 1:00pm

Business Office:

Tuesday: 10:00am - 2:00pm

Just a Note....

Every once in a while a call comes to
the Parish Office asking for clarity for
something that was published in the
bulletin. We do our best to make sure all
information is accurate, but mistakes do
happen, distractions are a part of office
life, etc.

I want to thank those who take the
time to contact us. It's always good to
know that the bulletin is being read, and
the callers are always so kind with their
inquiries. God Bless you all for taking an
interest in the goings on of our Parish.

Online Giving

If you'd like to contribute
on line, you can either scan
the QR code →

or go to our website and
click on the **"DONATE"** button in the
lower left corner....then click on **"Give
Now"**.

**This Week's****Calendar**

Monday, January 19, 2026

Offices Closed

Tuesday, January 20, 2026

9:00am - Holy Mass

Wednesday, January 21, 2026

6:30-7:30pm - PH Devotions

Thursday, January 22, 2026

5-6pm - Confessions

7:00pm - Holy Mass (*NLM*)

Friday, January 23, 2026

9am - 1:30pm - HFS - KH, PH, School

Saturday, January 24, 2026

4:00pm - Sunday Vigil Mass

Sunday, January 25, 2026

9:00am - Holy Mass

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

**Pray without
Ceasing!**

Contribution Reports for 2025 for
tax purposes will be available at the end
of January **upon request.**

Please contact the Parish Secretary's
Office to request a statement.

The Offertory Story

for January 11, 2025

# Env. assigned: 322;	# Env. used: 57
Envelope total	\$ 4,443.00
Loose:	\$ 332.00
On-line giving	\$ 635.00
Total	\$ 5,410.00
Weekly Budget amt.....	\$ 5,900.00
+Over/-Under Budget	\$ - 490.00
Year To Date +-	\$ - 6,425.57

Other:

Candles	105.00
Christmas	1,540.00
Church in Europe	5.00
Donations	105.00
Holy Day	185.00
Initial Offering	40.00
Masses	20.00
Rummage Sale	800.00
Total for Other:	2,800.00

Please bring any items to be blessed **before** Thursday; be sure to include your name and number on the items.

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

Aaron Shreffler
Patty Smith
Cheryl Stanford
Cheryll Stout
Delores Thorn
Jackie Tomaszewski
Katie Tomaszewski
Mark Tomaszewski
Flossie Townsend
Alicia Trejo
Lily Tussey
Muriel Waidelich
Christopher Warner
Diane Webber
Kristine Wells
Mary Beth Wise
Rick Wolneiwiicz
Jim Woronec
Dawn Wyse
Charlie Yacuone
Amy Yates
Rita Zeller

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	<i>Priest</i>	<i>Lector</i>	<i>Altar Servers</i>	<i>Ushers</i>
Saturday, January 10 4:00pm	Fr. Slaton	J. Holup	J. & J. Jemaa	J. Komorowski; D. Thoma; J. Thoma
Sunday, January 11 9:00am	Fr. Slaton	P. Cousino	J. & J. Ritenour	G. Ingersoll, B. Kapela L. Komorowski, M. Miller

St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church

EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP

- RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

Play That One Again

How many times have you sung the church song, “Here I Am, Lord”? If you grew up Catholic and are around my age (still 50!), the answer is more than you can count. The song that quotes various verses of Scripture is sung using guitar, piano, or organ, by cantors and choirs, in traditional and modern churches. It is truly a Catholic greatest hit of the modern Church. The question is how many times when singing the refrain have you really taken to heart what you were singing.

“Here I am, Lord; is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.” Like the biblical figure Samuel, we are responding to the call of God by asking for clarification that we are indeed the one being called. We then follow up the question with a profound statement: “I will go if You lead me.” It is profound because we are pledging to our God that we are willing to go wherever He wants. We are accepting the challenge put forth in the U.S. Bishops’ pastoral letter, “Stewardship: A Disciple’s Response,” to become mature disciples who respond to the call of Jesus Christ regardless of the cost. We have sung this pledge repeatedly for many years.

We never have any idea what God will call us to do and where to go. Sometimes the request can ask us for quite a lot. Hopefully, we respond like a mature disciple. If not, maybe we should reflect more the next time this song is played. The melody will not allow for the words, “I will see if I am busy and then decide to go if you lead me.” Then again, I don’t want to sing that to God, the source of all life anyway. Do you?

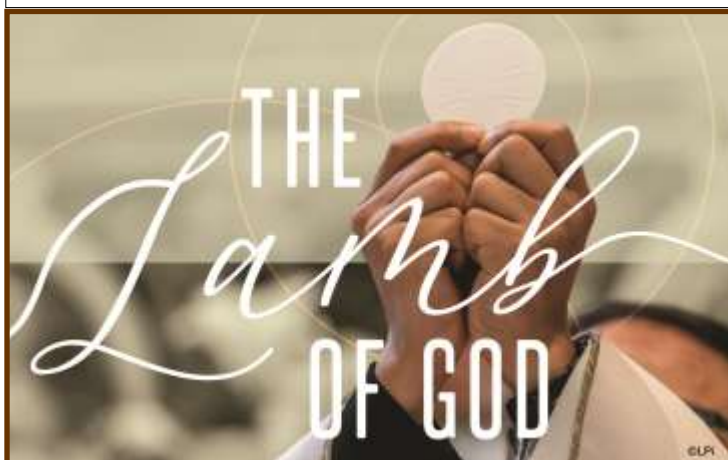
Can you imagine what kind of response I would get if I asked my three children, “Who would like to volunteer to clean up the kitchen after dinner today?” Six eyeballs staring at me like I had two heads! If I couch my request in terms of volunteerism, I have suggested that they don’t have any real ownership in this matter. Perhaps they do sometimes think that their mother and I are simply hired hands to take care of them, but rest assured, I have not received a paycheck for services rendered lately.

When you and I give a donation of blood, we volunteer our time and blood to the Red Cross. The Red Cross does not employ most of us, nor do we own a part of the Red Cross. We can only volunteer ourselves for the cause.

As parishioners we are part of a parish family. We belong to our parish community. We do not visit on a Sunday morning, since we cannot visit a place that is home. The call of the body of Christ occurs in every parish and our response should be that of the psalmist, “Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will.” Real stewardship never counts the cost and never asks for volunteers. We step forward because we belong to something greater than ourselves and the head of that community is Jesus. After dinner at my house, someone needs to clean up the kitchen. In your parish community, someone needs to respond to the call of Jesus. In both cases, no volunteers are needed. We will rely on family instead.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

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"Ground Hogs' Day"
Retired Men's Light Lunch & Cards/Games' Day
at Our Lady of Mount Carmel - Rm. 3
Monday, February 2 11:30AM-2PM
Open to all Lumen Christi Families
FREE Fellowship & Fun



RSVP to Dennis at
937-554-0525

Accepting good will donations



**ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH
TEMPERANCE, MICHIGAN**



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Present their world famous

All You Can Eat

Breakfast Buffet

FEBRUARY 8

8:30AM - 11:30AM

OUR LAST BREAKFAST OF THE SEASON

ST. ANTHONY'S KENNA HALL

**4635 ST. ANTHONY RD. ♦ TEMPERANCE, MICHIGAN 48182
♦ 734-854-1143**

Suggested Donation:

Adult \$9.00

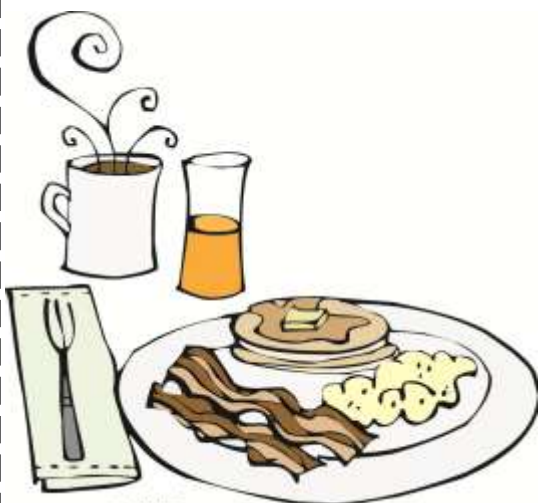
Senior Citizens \$8.00

**Children
(12 & under) \$6.00**

Menu

**Eggs Toast
Potatoes
Bacon,
Sausage**

**Pancakes
Biscuits &
Gravy
Orange**



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Catholic Services Appeal 2025

Dear Friends in Christ,

Each year, all parishes in the Archdiocese of Detroit embark upon the CSA (Catholic Services Appeal) 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 maintaining Sacred Heart Major Seminary, 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 **\$40,210**. In order to reach our goal, the recommended pledge amount will be **\$275.00** 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 2025.

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 - 2025

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