



St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church

Temperance, Michigan

Second Sunday of Lent

"THE ANTONIAN" † February 28, 2021

2ND SUNDAY
of
LENT

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Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday (Sunday Vigil): 5:00pm (English)

Sunday: 8:00am & 10:00am (English); 12:00pm (Latin)

Weekday Mass Schedule: Monday: No Mass; Tuesday - Friday: 8:30am Mass (Wed. - Latin)

Thursday also 7:00pm (Latin); First Friday also 7:00pm (Latin); First Saturday also 9:00am (Latin)

Sacrament of Penance

Saturday: 3:30-4:30pm; Thursday: 5:30 - 6:30pm

Prayer Blankets

Sandy Maenle.....734-847-7813

Prayer Chain

Miriam Dressel.....734-888-1192

† Our Sacramental Policy †

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

Baptisms: 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 rectory 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.

Lenten Schedule for the Week

Friday, March 5

Stations of the Cross

7:00pm

Holy Mass

Following 7pm Stations

On each Friday of Lent, a plenary indulgence is granted to the faithful who, after Communion recite the "Prayer Before a Crucifix" before an image of Christ crucified:



Look down upon me, good and gentle Jesus while before Thy face I humbly kneel and, with burning soul, pray and beseech Thee to fix deep in my heart lively sentiments of faith, hope, and charity; true contrition for my sins; and a firm purpose of amendment; while I contemplate with great love and tender pity Thy five most precious wounds, pondering over them within me while I call to mind the words which David Thy prophet said of Thee, my Jesus: "They have pierced My hands and My feet, they have numbered all My bones." Amen.

Fridays of Lent - Adoration



We hope to offer Exposition and Adoration in the Chapel immediately after the 8:30am Mass until the beginning of Stations of the Cross at 7:00pm. In order to do this, there must be a commitment for 2 people to be in the Chapel during those times. There is a sign up sheet near the entrance to the Chapel. Please sign up if you are able to take one or more of the times. We will need to have the times filled each week by the end of the day Thursday.

Pray without Ceasing

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



† **MASS SCHEDULE** †

Monday, March 1, 2021

No Mass

St. David (601), B., Pt. of Wales & newborns (*Hist.*)
St. Albinus (549), B. (*Hist.*)

Tuesday, March 2, 2021

8:30am †Gus LaRoy by Elaine Esper
(*English*)

Blessed Charles the Good (1124), M., Pt. of counts & crusaders (*Hist.*)

Wednesday, March 3, 2021

8:30am †Angela Devos
(*Latin*) by Theresa Bylicki
†Christopher George Ghareeb
by Mary & Marty Regan

St. Katharine Drexel (1955), V., F., (*New*)
St. Cunegunda (1033), Empress, wife of St. Henry II
(*Hist.*)

Thursday, March 4, 2021

8:30am †Pasquale DiTerlizzi
(*English*) by The Prebula Family

7:00pm †Fr. Stephen Rooney
(*Latin*) by Melissa & Dave Lerner

St. Casimir of Poland (1484), Prince, Pt. of Poland & Lithuania (*New, Trad.*)
St. Lucius I (254), P., M. (*Trad.*)

First Friday, March 5, 2021

8:30am *Maximillian Strang
(*English*) by The Ondrus Family

***Fr. Timothy, *Br. Mark, & *Lucille Moran**
by John & Colleen Clark

7:00pm *Marty Joseph
(*Latin*) by Wayne & Aggie Langscheid
(Mass to follow 7pm Stations)

St. John Joseph of the Cross (1734), Pr.,(*Hist.*)

First Saturday, March 6, 2021

9:00am *Fr. Slaton's Intentions
(*Latin*)

Sts. Felicitas & Perpetua (203), Ms., Pts. of widows, death of children (*Trad.*)

St. Fridolin (650), Pr., F. (*Hist.*)

St. Colette (1447), V., R. (*Hist.*)

Sunday Vigil Mass

5:00pm †Earl & Ken Iott
(*English*) by Marianne & Terry Cleary & Family

Sunday, March 7, 2021

Third Sunday of Lent (New, Trad)

8:00am †Michael Briskey
(*English*) by Mark Faunt & Robert Glinski

10:00am †Carole VanBrandt
(*English*) by Judy Iott

12:00pm The People of St. Anthony
(*Latin*)

Sts. Perpetua & Felicity (203), Ms., Pts. of widows & death of children (*New*)

St. Thomas Aquinas (1274), Pr., R., D., the Angelic doctor, Pt. of Catholic schools, scholars, theologians, & booksellers (*Trad.*)

Readings for the Week

Monday, March 1:
Daniel 9:4b-10; Luke 6:36-38

Tuesday, March 2:
Isaiah 1: 10,16-20; Matthew 23:1-12

Wednesday, March 3:
Jeremiah 18:18-20; Matthew 20:17-28

Thursday, March 4:
Jeremiah 17:5-10; Luke 16:19-31

First Friday, March 5:
Genesis 37:3-4,12-13a,17b-28a;
Matthew 21:33-43,45-46

First Saturday, March 6:
Micah 7:14-15,18-20; Luke 15:1-3,11-32

Sunday, March 7:
For English Mass
Exodus 20:1-17
1Corinthians 1:22-25
John 2:13-25, 29

For Latin Mass:
Epistle: Ephesians 5:1-9
Gospel: Luke 11:14-28

Easter Food Baskets

St. Anthony will be accepting donations for Easter Food Baskets for the less fortunate this holiday season. We will be working with the Veteran Center and other families who need our help this year. Items needed are:

- *Canned fruits & vegetables
- *Potatoes (bag or instant)
- *Macaroni & Cheese; *Rolls; *Eggs
- *Hams (cash or gift cards to purchase them will also be accepted)

Any other items that will make a holiday meal.

There will be containers in the Narthex for all donations.

Any fresh items should be brought no sooner than the weekend of March 20/21.

We will be accepting donations until Monday, March 22. We will be packing the baskets and handing them out on Thursday, March 25.

If you know a family who could use a basket, please call Linda Sloan (734) 856-5991



Contribution Statements for 2020

for tax purposes are available **upon request**. Please contact Michelle in the Parish Office for a copy of your statement.

This Week's Calendar



Monday, March 1, 2021

No Mass
9am - 3pm - St. August. Home Sch. Enrich
5-6:15pm - Religious Ed

Tuesday, March 2, 2021

8:30am - Mass (*English*)

Wednesday, March 3, 2021

8:30am - Mass (*Latin*)
7pm - K of C - KH Meeting Room

Thursday, March 4, 2021

8:30am - Mass (*English*)
9am - 12pm - St. August. Home Sch. Enrich.
5:30-6:30pm - Confessions
7:00pm - Mass (*Latin*)

First Friday, March 5, 2021

8:30am - Mass (*English*)
† (*Following Mass, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in the Chapel until 7pm if all times are filled*)
9:30am - 1:30pm - HFS - Kenna Hall
† 7:00pm - Stations of the Cross
* 7:40pm - Holy Mass, with Exposition and Benediction, *following Stations

First Saturday, March 6, 2021

9:00am - Mass (*Latin*)
10:30pm - Worship Commission
3:30-4:30pm - Confessions
5:00pm - Mass (*English*)

Sunday, March 7, 2021

8:00am, 10:00am - Mass (*English*)
12:00pm - Mass (*Latin*)

The Offertory Story

for February 21, 2021

# Env. assigned: 312;	# Env. used: 74
Envelope total	\$ 5,493.00
Loose:	\$ 423.00
Children's Envelopes:	\$ 1.25
Total	\$ 5,917.25
Weekly Budget amount..	\$ 4,900.00
+Over/-Under Budget	\$ + 1,017.25
Year To Date +-	\$ + 14,141.65
Online giving to date	\$ 6,260.00
Other:	
Candles	122.50
CD Rack	21.00
Church in Europe	373.00
Donation	150.00
Holy Days	90.00
Initial Offering	50.00
Masses	270.00
Religious Ed.	17.00
Total for Other:	1,093.50

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Gospel Meditation:

February 28, 2021 † Second Sunday of Lent

A pregnant woman was walking in the store and met an old friend. Her friend exclaimed, "You are absolutely beaming!" The new life God placed in her womb radiated throughout her body. It was brightly visible on her face and in her eyes. Transformation and change usually happen from the inside out. It is very rare that simply imposing structure from the outside does any good. Yes, it is true that routines and habits can change when things are done differently. But, for this change to last there has to be an interior renewal and metamorphosis as well. Simply regulating behavior and bringing someone into conformity with accepted protocols doesn't mean their heart and soul come with them.

Peter was a homeless man who lived in a very remote and rudimentary tent community. He was happy to make his daily trip to McDonald's and always welcomed a gift card or two so that he could buy some coffee and something to eat. A generous advocate worked to secure him an apartment in hopes of moving Peter out of his makeshift housing and into something safer. Peter finally got the grand tour of his new "digs," received his own key, remarked how wonderful the place was, closed the door behind him when they left and never returned. He preferred his tent. No matter how much things changed on the outside, Peter was happy where he was. A poignant lesson was learned that day.

How is your Lent going? By now you ought to have a sense of whether you're really "into it" this year and something transformational is happening. For many, it's only the stuff on the outside that changes for a few weeks and then they return to business as usual. For others, there are some real inner changes happening that are deepening their relationships with God, others, self, and creation. If we are serious about moving to a new place and radiating with the presence of new life and joy, then we have to clear the way to listen for God's call. Then, there is God's request to change things up a bit and order our lives differently. After realizing we have been called and given a mission, we have to trust that this is where we need to be. And then, after all of this hard work we are asked to act. The fruit that is revealed will indicate whether our journey is authentic. The brilliance of conversion will begin to shine on our faces as we contemplate the One to whom we are asked to listen. ©LPi



Thank You! The abundance of baby items your parish collected for our baby boutique is so greatly appreciated! Thank you for showing the clients we serve with such blessings! We could not do what we do to serve the women, babies, and families in our community without your support! We appreciate you! Thank you so much!
-Kirsten Staff

THANK YOU

Dear Fr. Slaton,

The Bedford Township Veterans Center would like to thank St. Anthony Catholic Church for the spaghetti take-out dinner prepared for our Veterans. These meals were given to each Vet and their family on January 28 during our monthly food distribution. The meal was prepared by Glenn Ingersoll, Ken Dressel, Ron Dressel, Ron Oehlers and Blain Shinkle. We are so appreciative of this kind and generous gift. It would be remiss to not thank Linda Sloan and the donations she has provided to our Vets throughout the year.

On Behalf of the Bedford Twp. Vets,
Kathy Torony & Nancy Schaffer,
Food Pantry Co-ordinators



Are you looking for something special to do this Lent? Do you want to spend a little extra time in prayer? We have something wonderful right here at St. Anthony's on Wednesday evening. The St. Anthony Prayer Group has resumed our regular prayer times: Wednesdays from 6:30-7:15pm in the Church (All covid precautions will be in place!) Our prayer time includes recitation of the Holy Rosary, Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions, Divine Mercy Chaplet and Litany.

If you aren't able to join us on Wednesdays, please feel free to write your intentions on a slip of paper and drop it in the request box that is next to the Divine Mercy icon at the side entrance of the Church.

They say the family that prays together, stays together. As our St. Anthony family, what a wonderful opportunity to pray together! And the rewards are unbelievable! Come, join us!

Paul Bazydlo

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Adoration FRIDAYS OF LENT in the CHAPEL

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING 8:30AM MASS
UNTIL 7:00PM STATIONS

We need to have at least 2 people signed up
for each hour listed to be able to offer Exposition.

Please fill in your name and circle the date;
or call the Parish Office.

March 5, March 12, March 19, March 26

Time	Name
FOLLOWING 8:30AM MASS UNTIL 10AM	1. 2.
10AM TO 11AM	1. 2.
11AM TO 12NOON	1. 2.
12NOON TO 1PM	1. 2.
1PM TO 2PM	1. 2.
2PM TO 3PM	1. 2.
3PM TO 4PM	1. 2.
4PM TO 5PM	1. 2.
5PM TO 6PM	1. 2.
6PM TO 7PM	1. 2.

