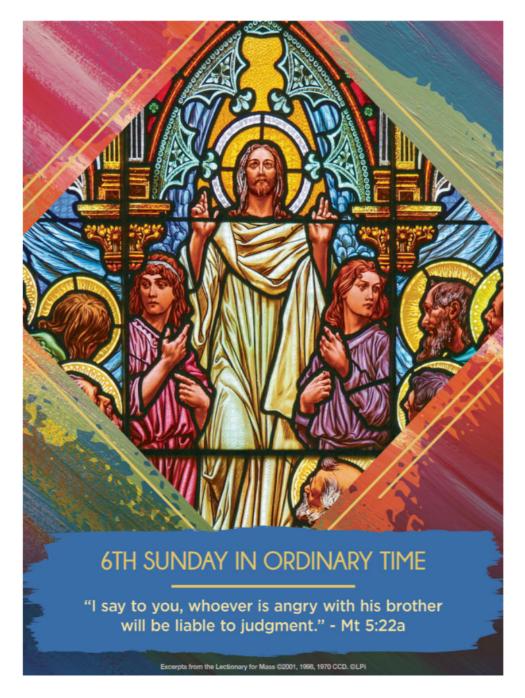


February 12, 2023

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Parish Mission Statement:
To Inspire Personal Encounters with
Christ that Transform Hearts and Lives!

"Seek and you will find" Matthew 7:7

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil 5:00 pm Sunday 10:00 am Thursday 7:00 am

Eucharistic Adoration

Thursdays 11:00 am - 6:00 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 4:15 pm - 4:45 pm Sundays 9:15 am - 9:45 am

WE WELCOME YOU!

If you enjoy worshiping with us but are not yet a registered member please contact the parish office to register or visit our website at www.stanthonykenosha.org

Baptism & Marriage Sacraments

Administered to parish members Contact the Parish office or visit our parish website for details.stanthonykenosha.org

To speak with Fr. Todd please call the rectory and leave a message.

If you have an urgent need please call Fr. Todd at (404) 545-4988

St. Anthony Prayer Line 262-891-8602 paduaprayerline@gmail.com

Food Pantry: 1st & 3rd Wednesday 5:30-7pm

Parish Leadership Team:

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Gathering Space Office Hours Sundays 11:30-12:30

You can also leave a message by calling 652-1844 or via e-mail at paduakenosha@gmail.com

RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

Feelings and Shiny Things

A friend of mine has a tradition on the first birthday of her children. Three items — a coin, a shot glass, and a rosary — are placed in front of the one-year-old, and whatever object he grasps supposedly bears insight into his future. A coin promises wealth, the rosary indicates holiness, and the shot glass...well, I'm sure you can guess.

Of course, the kid just grabs whatever looks coolest. They're not really choosing money or God or a party. Their choice is ruled by impulse.

These days, "I'm not feeling it," is a genuine excuse to avoid something. "I feel that," we say to indicate agreement. "I feel like..." is an acceptable way to offer our opinion. Feelings carry a lot of weight.

Before Christ, there was only the law, and the law dealt primarily with actions. Do this. Do not do this. All well and good. But with the fulfillment of the law, Christ wants us to look inwardly. He wants us to consider the influence of our feelings on our actions, and to understand how our chosen actions can, in turn, inspire certain feelings.

I'm a millennial, so, depending on your age, you may think that I feel either too much or too little. One thing I have learned, though, is that when I give my feelings free rein, my instincts immediately turn into actions. I become the tod-dler grasping at shiny objects with no thought for what they represent. Anger becomes unkindness. Jealousy becomes cruelty. Fear becomes selfishness.

Free will, I have come to understand, means freedom from the tyranny of feelings. If a feeling is strong enough, it can build a prison.

"If your right hand causes you to sin, cut it off and throw it away." — Matthew 5:30

Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

Saint Anthony "Thirteen Tuesdays" Prayer - Sixth Tuesday

St Anthony you carried out the daily responsibilities of your religious life with attention, care and loving faith. May I dedicate myself in the same spirit of love to the tasks God has given to me in union with Jesus.

A Message From Your Human Concerns Commission

Happy Valentine's Day fellow parishioner's! This Valentine's Day we wish Jesus continues to fill your hearts with His love, peace and joy!

May your continued "conversation" with Jesus bear much fruit for your spirit.

Please meet us as you exit church today We have a sweet treat for you!



Mangia!

Our 2023 Pasta Dinner is less then four weeks away! This year's meal will again feature home-made Italian meatballs and sauce (secret recipes, so don't ask). The date: Saturday, February 25th . Carryouts will be available starting at 4:30 pm. Dinner will be from 5 until 8 pm. The cost of \$15 includes dessert and beverages (ages 6 to 12 are \$5, ages 5 and under are free). You may purchase tickets in the church vestibule starting this weekend. Mangia!

First Friday Masses

Mass will be held at St. Anthony at 5:00 pm the first Friday of every month. Next one will be March 3



Dear Jesus,

As we begin this Lenten season, we ask you to keep us close to You in mind, body, and especially spirit. May we seek to live a holy life according to Your commandments and ways. Please help us to be free of unholy actions or unholy thoughts. May we seek to love You and follow You and give up all that is sinful and unjust. May we be transformed this Lent into all that You want us to be.

Mass Intentions

Saturday February 11

5:00 pm - Kevin Berry (Tim Lippert)

Sunday February 12

10:00 am - Kathleen Tarsitano (Alan & Jane Padlock)

Thursday February 16

7:00 am - Frank Belotti (Alan & Jane Padlock)

Saturday February 18

5:00 pm - Suzanne McKeon (Family)

Sunday February 19

10:00 am - Mary Jane T. Hach (Carol Peters)

Ministers at the Altar

February 11 5:00 pm February 18 5:00 pm

Lector: Linda Lector: Eric

February 12 10:00 am February 19 10:00 am

Lector: Bruce Lector: Sue

Eucharist: Sandy Eucharist: Charolette

Readings for the week of February 12, 2023

Sunday: 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time, World Marriage Day

Sir 15:15-20/Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34 (1b)/1 Cor 2:6-10/ Mt 5:17-37 or 5:20-22a, 27-28, 33-34a, 37

Monday:

Gn 4:1-15, 25/Ps 50:1 and 8, 16bc-17, 20-21/Mk 8:11-13

Tuesday

Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10/Ps 29:1a and 2, 3ac-4, 3b and 9c-10/Mk 8:14-21

Wednesday: Sts. Cyril, Monk, and Methodius, Bishop; Valentine's Day Gn 8:6-13, 20-22/Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 18-19/Mk 8:22-26

Thursday:

Gn 9:1-13/Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 29 and 22-23/Mk 8:27-33

Friday: The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order Gn 11:1-9/Ps 33:10-11, 12-13, 14-15/Mk 8:34 -9:1

Saturday:

Heb 11:1-7/Ps 145: 2-3, 4-5, 10-11/Mk 9:2-13

Next Sunday: 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time, World Marriage Day Lv 19:1-2, 17-18/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13 (8a)/1 Cor 3:16-23/Mt 5:38-48

Parish Dates

February 22 - Food Pantry Wednesday 5:30 p - 7:00 p

February 25 - Annual Parish Pasta Dinner

March 11 - Men of Christ Conference/Carthage

Calling All Photographers and History Buffs of St. Anthony's Parish

We are compiling photos and short stories about St. Anthony's for our website to share the wonderful past and present of St. Anthony's Parish. If you have photos of a baptism, wedding or a favorite parish event please share these memories with us **All originals will be returned**. **Call the parish office for assistance in uploading your pictures or if you do not have access to a computer**. Submit to <u>paduakenoshaphoto@gmail.com</u>.





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Pregnant and Need Help?

An excellent resource for women not knowing what to do about a pregnancy, contact Catholic Pregnancy Center at 1-800-838-LOVE or Archdiocese Women's Support Center at 1-414-769-3300.

<u>Mid-life Singles (mid-30s to 50s):</u> Are you looking for a renewed sense of purpose & belonging? Register today for a life-changing REFLECT weekend retreat at the Joseph and Mary Retreat House (formerly Cardinal Stritch Retreat House) in Mundelein, IL (in the northern suburbs), on March 3-5, 2023. Take a chance and get involved... you won't regret it! Cost is \$285 for meals and a single room. Visit www.ReflectRetreat.com,



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