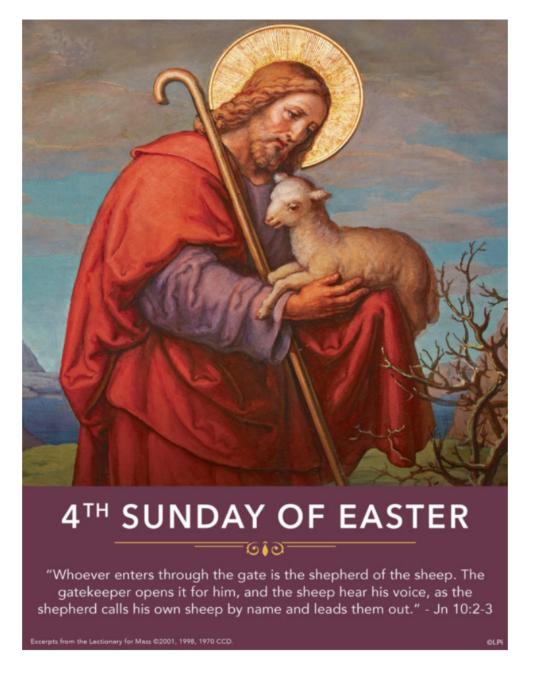


April 30, 2023

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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 3:45 pm - 4:45 pm Sundays 8:45 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 pm -7:00 pm

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### RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

Cut to the Heart

Everyone who has been married knows this feeling: you're in the midst of a disagreement with your spouse. You've really dug in your heels. You're ready to die on this hill. And you have the awful, heartbreaking realization that you are wrong. Whatever it is you're arguing about, you're wrong. You.

So where do you go from here? The only way forward is to own it. Fess up. Grab a fork and dig into that humble pie. It makes me cringe just to write about it, because it's the worst feeling.

I use the example of marriage because it's the one I'm most familiar with — my closest relationship, the one that teaches me the most about who I am and who God asks me to be. But this is a universal experience, and everyone — single or married, child or adult, lay or ordained — knows how badly it feels to realize that you're wrong. You're human. You messed up.

It is hard to recognize that the Christian life is one of ongoing repentance. It is painful to acknowledge the ways in which we are falling short, even as we strive to follow in Christ's example.

It can, in the words of today's reading, "cut to the heart."

But that feeling of despair is what propels forward motion. We have to allow ourselves to feel bad, that's the fertile ground of penitence. We are meant to have not just life, but life "more abundantly." Stasis isn't the goal. Baptism isn't the finish line.

Examining our conscience is hard. It cuts to the heart. It cuts to the truth.

"Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins." ~Acts 2:38
~ Collect Jurkiewicz Dorman

### **World Day of Prayer for Vocations**

April 30, 2023 marks the 60th Anniversary of World Day of Prayer for Vocations. The purpose of this day is to publicly fulfill the Lord's instruction to, "Pray the Lord of the harvest to send laborers into his harvest" (Mt 9:38; Lk 10:2). As a climax to a prayer that is continually offered throughout the Church, it affirms the primacy of faith and grace in all that concerns vocations to the priesthood and to the consecrated life. While appreciating all vocations, the Church concentrates its attention this day on vocations to the ordained ministries (priesthood and diaconate), consecrated life in all its forms (male and female religious life, societies of apostolic life, consecrated virginity), secular institutes in their diversity of services and membership, and to the missionary life. Please pray for vocations.

#### Our Extended Hours For Confession Will Continue Until Further Notice

There are many reasons why some do not go to Confession. Fear, nerves, embarrassment, length of time., not enough time. Ironically some might think their sin is so bad that they can't imagine speaking to Jesus in the confessional. Remember no matter how bad you think your sin might be it isn't as bad as not going. Until further notice, Confession will be offered from 3:45 pm - 4:45 pm Saturday's and 8:45 am - 9:45 am Sundays.

First Friday Masses
This Friday May 5, is first
Friday of the month.

Mass will be at 5:00 pm

pray with me Dear God, You have created so many people with different abilities and talents. May those individuals, who strive to know You, and have a heart of love and understanding be drawn not only closer to You but also consider following You in a special way. One of those special ways is to serve You as priests, nuns, monks, and deacons. We, Your people, need those leaders, who are visible signs of Your love. May individuals be drawn to the consecrated life to serve both You and Your people. Give those individuals the courage and direction of the Holy Spirit to seek You in Your Service. Amen

Mass Intentions

Saturday April 29

5:00 pm - † Frank Burger (Betty Solum)

Sunday April 30

10:00 am - † Jane Crawford (Aaron Paul)

Thursday May 4

7:00 am - † Patrick Flannick (Family)

Friday May 5

5:00 pm - † Mary Campagnolo (Donna Kennedy)

Saturday May 6

5:00 pm - † Ken Heidtman (Merri)

Sunday May 7

10:00 am - † Dean & Marlene Sheard (Family)

Ministers at the Altar Ministers at the Altar

April 29 5:00 pm May 6 5:00 pm Lector: Eric Lector:: Barb Eucharist: Linda Eucharist:

April 30 10:00 am May 7 10:00 am
Lector: Dianne Lector: Diane
Eucharist: Mary Ann Eucharist: Sandy

#### Readings for the week of April 30, 2023

Sunday: 4th Sunday of Easter

Acts 2:14a, 36-41/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (1)/1 Pt 2:20b-25/Jn 10:1-10

Monday: St. Joseph the Worker

Acts 11:1-18/Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4/Jn 10:11-18

Tuesday: St. Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church Acts 11:19-26/Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7/Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday: Sts. Philip and James, Apostles

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Thursday: National Day of Prayer

Acts 13:13-25/Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25 and 27/Jn 13:16-20

Friday: Cinco de Mayo

Acts 13:26-33/Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab/Jn 14:1-6

Saturday

Acts 13:44-52/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Jn 14:7-14

Next Sunday: 5th Sunday of Easter

Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19 (22)/1 Pt 2:4-9/Jn 14:1-12

### **Parish Dates**

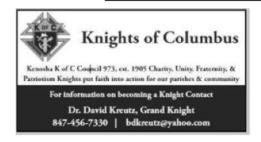
May 3 - Food Pantry 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm

May 5 - First Friday Mass - 5:00 pm

May 7 - 1st Holy Communion 10:00 am Mass May 9 - 7:00 pm Eric Genuis Concert and Reception May 17 - Food Pantry 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm

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