



“Seek and you will find” Matthew 7:7

## ST. ANTHONY — OF PADUA —

CATHOLIC CHURCH

July 16, 2023

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



“THE SEED SOWN  
ON RICH SOIL IS THE  
ONE WHO HEARS  
THE WORD AND  
UNDERSTANDS IT.”  
—MT 13:23

15<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN  
ORDINARY TIME

**Eucharistic Adoration - Thursday 11:am - 6:00 pm**

**Masses - Thursday 7:00 am | Saturday Vigil Mass - 5:00 p, | Sunday Mass 10:00 am**

**Confessions Offered Saturday 3:45 pm - 4:45 pm | Sunday 8:45 am - 9:45 am**

**Office Hours - Tuesdays - Rectory 9:00 am - 3:00 pm | Gathering Space Sundays - 11:30 am - 12:30 pm**

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## OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL

The origins of this feast reach all the way back to the Old Testament. In the book of Kings, we read the story of the prophet Elijah. Much of his prayer, fasting, and public ministry occurred from Carmel, a mountain in Israel. Christian hermits - seeking solitude - made their homes on the mountain during the first millennium. Over time, the hermits assembled into a community and were given a Rule of Life. They named their church after Mary - Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Political upheaval forced the Carmelite order out of the Holy Land and into Europe, where they established monasteries for both men and women across the continent. Many great saints and doctors of the Church have come from the Carmelite order, including St. Teresa of Avila, St. John of the Cross, St. Therese of Lisieux, and St. Edith Stein.

*Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Pray for us!*

*Courtesy of St. Bridget Catholic Church, Nevada*

### From The Formation Team

Tens of thousands of children are alive today because Roe v. Wade was overturned (LifeSiteNews, June 19, 2023): Last Saturday marked one year since the Dobbs v. Jackson decision from the U.S. Supreme Court declared that abortion is not a constitutional right in America and inaugurated the post Roe era. State-level battles promptly ensued, with some pro-life laws immediately going into effect, and abortion activists gaining success in states such as Michigan and Montana. So what is the state of the abortion wars one year after Dobbs? Reliable data estimated that a total of 32,260 fewer abortions were committed in the United States in the first six months after Dobbs - with Bloomberg reporting that in "Alabama, Arkansas, Idaho, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, Oklahoma, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, West Virginia and Wisconsin - there were 265 abortions per month on average from July to December. That's a 96% drop from April and May." Despite a relentless torrent of negative news coverage attempting to portray abortion as essential and pro-life laws as cruel and dangerous, Gallup showed a slight increase in pro-life sentiment.

### PRAY WITH ME

We thank you, God, for the saints of all ages, for those who in times of darkness kept the lamp of faith burning, for the great souls who saw visions of larger truths and dared to declare them, for multitude of quiet, gracious souls whose presence purified and sanctified the world; and for those known and loved by us, who have passed from this earthly fellowship into the fuller life with you. Accept this, our thanksgiving, through Jesus Christ, to whom be praise and dominion forever. Amen

*From the Fellowship Litanies, The Catholic Prayer Book*



**Marion Cologna**

### **Fr. Todd's Challenge**

Remember at the beginning of 2023 Fr. Todd presented us with a challenge, to pray a daily rosary? I honestly did not remember until he reminded us at Mass last weekend.

Then the wheels started turning. Suddenly I realized that Advent begins in 140 days, and we will be celebrating Christmas is 161 days! (I still have an Easter basket with grass in my dining room!)

There are 168 days remaining in this year. If (like me) you have not started the challenge, or tapered off, step up and join me at the start line.

Let us finish this challenge together.

Here I'll even begin.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

I believe in one God, the Father the almighty....

## **MASS INTENTIONS**

### **Saturday July 15**

5:00 pm + Stephen & +Pauline Scuglik  
(Gloria)

### **Sunday July 16**

10:00 am +Lisa Przybyla  
(Sue Kaeppler)

### **Thursday July 20**

7:00 am +James Jensen  
(Family)

### **Saturday July 22**

5:00 pm + Mary Campagnolo  
(Tim & Sue Lippert)

### **Sunday July 23**

10:00 am +Frank Hujik  
(Family)

### **First Reading:**

The rain and snow come down and do not return there till they have watered the earth, making it fertile and fruitful. (Is 55:10)

### **Psalm:**

The seed that falls on good ground will yield a fruitful harvest. (Ps 65)

### **Second Reading:**

I consider that the sufferings of this present time are as Nothing compared with the glory to be revealed for us. For creation awaits with eager expectation the revelation of the children of God. (Rom 8:18-19)

### **Gospel:**

And he spoke to them at length in parables, saying: "A sower went out to sow. (Mt 13:3)

### **Parish Dates**

July 17 - 21 Vacation Bible School - 8:00 am - Noon  
July 19 - Food Pantry 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm  
July 20- Eucharistic Adoration 11:00 am - 6:00 pm

### **Ministers at the Altar**

July 15 5:00 pm  
Lector: Mary

July 16 10:00 am  
Lector: Sue  
Eucharist: Sandy

### **Ministers at the Altar**

July 22 5:00 pm  
Lector: Eric

July 23 10:00 am  
Lector: Joey  
Eucharist: Bill

**FAITH**

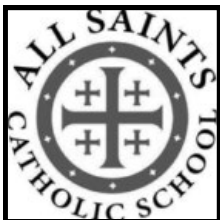
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July 8th 1pm-4pm (Saturday), July 19th 6pm-9pm, August 2nd 1pm-4pm, August 4th 1pm-4pm, August 5th 6pm-9pm (Saturday), August 7th 1pm-4pm, August 9th 6pm-9pm, August 11th 1pm-4pm, August 12th 1pm-4pm (Saturday)  
August 14th 1pm-4pm, August 26th 1pm-4pm (Saturday)

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