



“Seek and you will find” Matthew 7:7

ST. ANTHONY — OF PADUA —

CATHOLIC CHURCH

October 1, 2023

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



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

Masses - Thursday 7:00 am | Saturday Vigil Mass - 5:00 pm | 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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All About Our Church: The Nave

In the last, "All About Our Church" article, we learned that the Narthex is the place we enter the church and prepare ourselves before coming into our Lord's Presence.

That place we arrive in our Lord's Presence is called the Nave, where everyone gathers for Mass!

The pews are all facing the sanctuary (which we will learn about next time!), focusing on the same thing- Jesus in the Tabernacle.

The word "nave", in its Latin meaning, translates to "ship".

Heaven is our true home, and Jesus founded the Catholic Church to be our ship to guide us safely to heaven.

The Mass is the highest form of prayer on earth!

At Mass, we receive heavenly food for our journey towards heaven: The Body, Blood, Soul, and Divinity of Jesus truly present in Holy Communion.

John 6:54 says, "Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise him on the last day."

Let us give thanks to Our Lord for being with us to guide us on our journey to heaven! ~Submitted by IB



To honor St. Francis and to remind ourselves of our roles as guardians of the earth and living creatures,

Father Todd continues our St. Anthony tradition of "Blessing of the Animals"

Next Sunday
October 8th at 1:00pm!
Church Parking Lot

So bring your pets
big and small!
Be sure to join us!

Popes Prayer Intention for October For the Synod

We pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world.

October is also
Respect Life Month,
and the first Sunday of
October is observed as
Respect Life Sunday.

As Catholics, we are called to cherish, defend, and protect those who are most vulnerable, from the beginning of life to its end, and at every point in between.

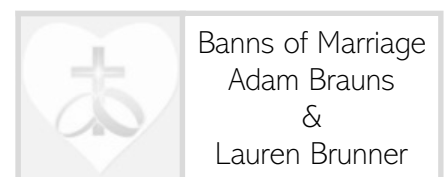
Adoption is an Option
There are many families in the area looking to adopt. Visit Catholic Charities website select services and click "Meet Our Families."



John Paul II called the Rosary his favorite prayer, in which we meditate with Mary upon the mysteries which she as a mother meditated on in her heart. (Lk. 2:19)

In this month of October, let us consider this beautiful prayer of the Rosary as a means that we, too, can use in order to draw closer to Jesus and Mary by meditating on the great mysteries of our salvation.

St. Anthony parishioners pray the Rosary 30 minutes before each weekend Mass.
Please join us!



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MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, September 30

5:00 pm +Patrick & +Jeanne DeGrace
(Pat & Pam DeGrace)

Sunday, October 1

10:00 am +Thomas & +Bess Manderfeld
(Sue Kaeppler)

Thursday, October 5

7:00 am +Ashley Womack
(Carol Peters)

Friday, October 6

5:00 pm Lisa Przybyla
(Sue Kaeppler)

Saturday, October 7

5:00 pm +Pavlik Family
(Sue DeBettignies)

Sunday, October 8

10:00 am +Lorraine Paura
(Family)

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANTHONY'S

TUESDAY - October 3

6:00 pm - Knights of Columbus Meeting

WEDNESDAY - October 4

Food Pantry - 5:30pm - 7:00 pm
Choir Practice - 6:00 pm

THURSDAY - October 5

7:00 am - Morning Mass
6:00 pm - Bible Study

FRIDAY - October 6

5:00 pm - First Friday Mass

SUNDAY October 8

11:30 am RCIA
12:00 pm Annual Blessing of Pets - Parking Lot
3:00 pm - Women's Bible Study

First Reading:

But if he turns from the wickedness he has committed, he does what is right and just, he shall preserve his life (Ez 18:27)

Psalm:

Remember your mercies, O Lord. (Ps 25)

Second Reading:

Have in you the same attitude that is also in Christ Jesus. (Phil 2:5)

Gospel:

Jesus said to them, "Amen, I say to you, tax collectors and prostitutes are entering the kingdom of God before you." (Mt 21:31)



Register Now for the 2023 Women of Christ Conference at a New Location

All women are invited to celebrate the beauty of their Catholic faith at the annual **Women of Christ Conference on Saturday, Nov. 18, at the Brookfield Conference Center** at 325 S. Moorland Road across from Brookfield Square.

The theme of this year's conference is just one word: **Behold!** This word draws us into the heart of Christ Jesus in the Eucharist, our source of truth, infinite love and mercy.

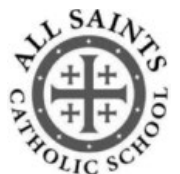
Come for a day of joy and camaraderie and be renewed and fortified in your faith! Take encouragement from dynamic speakers - Kendra Von Esh, Sarah Swafford, Sisters of Life, Fr. John LoCoco and Dr. Mary Healy. Take part in confession and Adoration and shop the vendor market for the perfect Christmas gifts. The day concludes with Vigil Mass celebrated by Archbishop Jerome Listecki. To register, contact Kim Borchardt at 262-914-4295 or go to www.womenofchrist.net.

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