



St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church

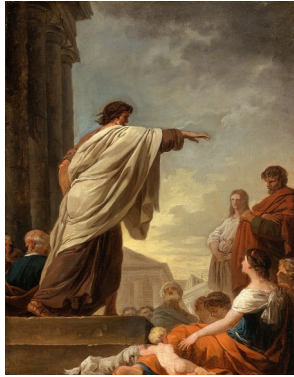
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June 28, 2020 — Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

A Message from Fr. Tom Donovan:



We hear Paul's famous words to the Romans: "Are you unaware that we who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized unto his death. We were indeed buried with him through baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, so too we might live in newness of life." On first hearing, this sounds like something of a divine version of the 'transitive property' we learned as a proof in a math class years ago, if $A = B$ and $B = C$, then $A = C$. But Paul's rhetoric is not simply a word of hope, or even of divine justice, (i.e., we received baptism and in doing so participate in Christ's death, meaning that God now 'owes' us a resurrection), but as we take this line in the context of what was read before in the Letter to the Romans, Paul is first asking us if it is possible once we have received God's grace, to ever live in sin again?

Indeed, Paul has written himself into a bit of a logical trap leading up to this chapter: if grace comes to us when we sin, then why not live as we please, even living in sin to fulfill our worldly desires, that we might find even more divine grace in God's mercy which flows our way to remove our sins? Paul spends the next several chapters responding to this objection, which may have been raised against him by a clever listener in a previous preaching visit to Rome.

Paul explains that the grace of baptism is not simply a ritual which imputes or imprints moral excellence in the soul of the one who is baptized. It goes much deeper than that. It produces a union, indeed a personal identification with and in the very person of Christ. We become lost in the person of Jesus that as he suffers and dies in us. In turn, we have the hope of resurrection through him. But here's the catch: the death of Christ was in perfect obedience to the will and the plan of the Father. We as humans lack the ability to make our intentions perfect—even in the moments of our best intentions... when we present ourselves for baptism or Eucharist or marriage... even when we go to confession. But it is our configuration to the person of Christ which makes up the difference. When we have been united with Christ, how can we turn back from that? Yes, there is a moral excellence in baptism, but it is achieved only in and through our relationship with Christ. Our job is not to presume on his mercy by willful sin, but to count on him in our weaknesses and to know that he is there to 'make up the difference' in those moments. The virtue to be strengthened in us is that of *obedience*. Not a slavish, subservient obedience. We have been purchased, and at a price, from that yoke of slavery. But we are now obliged to a new life in the Spirit. In baptism we are called sons and daughters, and in being called God's children, we are heirs to all the good he shares with us. We choose not to sin, not because it is convenient and not because that opportunity has been removed from us, but precisely because it is an act of love that belongs to grateful children. Our love becomes more and more perfected as we enter more deeply into the mystery of baptism in our lives... that mystery of obedience, through Christ, to the Father. In conforming ourselves more perfectly to the mystery of Christ working through us, we find a greater share in the victory of Christ.



This week we are launching the third annual Big Prize Raffle. This year because the Junefest and St. Anthony Picnic celebrations are not taking place, we ask you to consider supporting the Big Prize raffle. The top prize is \$25,000 (before taxes), and forty-nine other prizes will be available. The official rules are on our website: www.junefestbigprizeraffle.org. A sellout on this project (2000 tickets at \$50 each) will provide the greatest profit margin for us to support the prize pool and will nearly replace the lost revenue from our summer festivals, so we are anxious to welcome your support for this important project!

— Regular Mass Times —

Saturday: 4:00, 6:30 pm
Sunday: 8:00, 10:30 am
M, Tu, Th: 7:30 am
W (school): 8:30 am
F (St. Vincent): 10:15 am
Holy Days: as announced

— Sacrament of Reconciliation —

Saturday: 5:00-6:00 pm and other times by appointment

— Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament —

Tuesday: after Mass until noon, except when a funeral is scheduled



Mass Intentions

Monday-Friday Masses and Sunday 8:00 a.m. will be celebrated and webcast on Facebook and YouTube as well as being a Public Mass

Mon., June 29, 2020

8:00 a.m. Mary Prindle+
at St. Anthony

Tues., June 30, 2020

8:00 a.m. Jerry Grist+
at St. Anthony

Wed., July 1, 2020

8:00 a.m. Dee Siebers+
at St. Anthony

Thurs., July 2, 2020

8:00 a.m. Mary Lou Anderson+
at St. Anthony

Fri., July 3, 2020

8:00 a.m. John & Elaine Will+
St. Anthony

Sat., July 4, 2020

4:00 p.m. Lydia & Frances Gehrt+
St. Dominic
6:30 p.m. Dick & Mary Whales+
St. Anthony

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sun., July 5, 2020

8:00 a.m. Parish Intentions
St. Anthony
10:30 a.m. Robert & Rita Hummel+
St. Dominic

— Parish Office Hours —

Tuesday-Thursday

8:00 a.m.-noon

Closed Monday & Friday

Bulletin Deadline: Monday, Noon

St. Dominic School

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A Message from Mrs. Carol Frericks—Principal

Teacher Feature — Mrs. Donna Richmiller

As Mrs. Donna Richmiller reflected on the 2019-2020 school year, she recalled her plan to retire at the end of the school year; however, those plans changed and she agreed to serve as our 8th grade teacher and 6th-8th grade Science teacher for the 2020-2021 school year. Even though we finished the year through distance learning, Mrs. Richmiller shared many rewarding aspects of the school year. Mrs. Richmiller enjoyed seeing the students every day and she said, "It always makes my day to see them!" During distance learning, every morning the kids would pop up on Google Meet and I could see them. Just like the regular school day, she worried about them if they did not show up right away because she wanted to make sure they were okay. Mrs. Richmiller enjoyed teaching and learning with her students because they all learned how to engage with online classes together this year. She commented, "These 14 year olds did it because they wanted to be part of it. These kids came through as champions of learning!"



Job Opening – St. Dominic School

St. Dominic School is accepting applications for a part-time Physical Education (PE) teaching position for the 2020-21 school year. Qualified applicants should hold an Illinois Professional Educator License. Responsibilities will include teaching PE to Pre K — 8th grade students two days per week. Qualified applicants should send a cover letter, resume and references to Mrs. Carol Frericks, St. Dominic School of St. Anthony of Padua Parish, 4100 Columbus Road, Quincy, IL 62305.

— Parish Data —

PARISH CALENDAR	
<u>Monday, June 29</u>	Parish Office closed
<u>Tuesday, June 30</u> 8:00 a.m. - noon	Parish Office open
<u>Wednesday, July 1</u> 8:00 a.m. - noon	Parish Office open
<u>Thursday, July 2</u> 8:00 a.m. - noon	Parish Office open
<u>Friday, July 3</u>	Parish Office Closed
<u>Saturday, July 4</u> 4:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	Mass at St. Dominic Mass at St. Anthony
<u>Sunday, July 5</u> 8:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	Mass at St. Anthony Mass at St. Dominic
<i>As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied grace (1 Pt 4:10).</i>	

WEEKLY PARISH OFFERING		
Week 50	June 14	Total Year-to-Date
Loose Collection	\$ 87.00	\$26,785.31
Weekly Envelopes	\$10,768.00	\$548,113.38
Electronic Deposits	\$ 4,040.00	\$41,090.00
Totals	\$ 14,895.00	\$615,988.69
Budget Goal	\$13,000.00	\$663,000.00
Difference	(\$+1,895.00)	(\$ -47,011.31)
Counters: June 29, 2020: Dana Lugering Jack Kuhlman		
DEBT/ACCRUED DEFICITS		
Balance owed to diocese: from before July 1, 2018		\$0.00
Unpaid Diocesan Liabilities from FY 2018-19:	(ACSA due June 30, 2019)	\$51,396.24
ANNUAL CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL 2019-20		
Assessment (FY 2019-20):		\$83,866.00 (down 5.8%)
Pledged as of Jan. 29, 2020		\$26,034.98
Residual (due June 30, 2020)		\$57,831.02

Parish Ministry Schedule - Sat-Sun, July 3 & 4, 2020				
	Saturday, 4:00 PM St. Dominic	Saturday, 6:30 PM St. Anthony	Sunday, 8:00 AM St. Anthony	Sunday, 10:30 AM St. Dominic
Key Minister/ Sacristan				
Lector	Kathy Gehrt		Cathy Carpenter	Marlene Rose
Usher				
Servers				
Greeters/ Gift Bearers				
Rosary	Norma Weiman	Roger Terstriep	Jerry & Trudy Dreier	David & Janice McCleary
In charity, please remember in your prayers: All Caregivers, The Shut-Ins of our Parish, Military Members and their families, Albert Huber Barbara Boone Neva Nelson Mike Hildebrand Tanner Scranton Florence Griesbaum Susan Bauer Jackie Schieferdecker Marjorie Benz Tony Engels Paul Obert Kathy Neuser Sandy Brinkman Cathy Watson Kay Orbals Ed Terstriep				
Also please remember in your prayers those who have died in 2020: Margie Niekamp Betty Lentz Clarence Genenbacher				



Upcoming Events

Mass Schedule until further notice:

Presuming expansion of seating capacity with the transition to "Restore Illinois" phase 4... starting July 4/5, all Masses will be at St. Anthony Church:

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. and 6:30 p.m.
 Sunday: 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. (the 8am Mass will be recorded and posted online)
 Monday-Friday: 8:00 a.m. Mass (These Masses will also be recorded and posted online)

St. Anthony Ladies Society Drive Thru Roast Beef Dinner Sunday, July 19

St. Anthony Ladies Society will hold a Drive Thru Roast Beef Dinner on Sunday, July 19th, 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. at the St. Anthony Parish Hall. This will be drive thru only. To place an order please drive up on the South side of the parish hall. Stay in your car and your order will be brought to your car.

The cost is \$12 per carry out. Each plate includes:

Roast Beef, Mashed Potatoes/Gravy, Green Beans, Applesauce, Home made rolls, and a delicious home made dessert.

For more information call the parish office 222-5996

Vacation Bible School

It has been decided that our tradition of gathering for **Vacation Bible School** may not be in "the best interest" of our children and their families (in light of the Covid-19 restrictions)- therefore, we regret to announce that **VBS has been canceled for this year**. In light of the idea of "distance learning"- I'd like to offer something for the children who would have attended VBS...so how about if we try this: I will put together "**VBS-distance learning-packets**" -which will include ideas for the children to explore with their families. The packets will be fairly simple- but will include some family activity ideas, perhaps snack ideas, craft directions (and perhaps a few supplies), and of course Scriptures...this will all be from the VBS curriculum we were going to use for this year's event.

I will need to know how many packets to make up- so please, if you have children who might enjoy this (ages pre-school through 5th grade)- simply contact me (Bonnie Nytes, DRE... at: bonbrod12@gmail.com or call 222-5996) and let me know how many packets you would like and how old the children are who will use them. Packets may be picked up from the church office **during the week of July 20th** (we'll remind you again about this as the time is closer). If you would like to "reserve" packets- please contact me by **July 1**.

First Communion/Confirmation

Our dates for Confirmation/First Communion have been set; Candidates/parents will receive a letter with details including which "group" they will be in (as we will divide the classes to fit into the Covid-19 restrictions). At this point we plan to follow guidelines to restrict the number of people in attendance at the Masses, and we will update these plans if guidelines change.

At this time our Sacramental Schedule is as follows:

3rd grade Confirmation/Communion Masses:

Saturday, July 25th- 6:30 pm (Group 1)

Sunday, July 26th- 10:30am (Group 2)

***Practice: July 22nd, Wednesday:

6:00pm (Group 1)

7:30pm (Group 2)

7th/8th grade Confirmation Masses:

Saturday, August 1st - 6:30pm (Group1)

Sunday, August 2nd - 10:30 am (Group 2)

***Practice: July 29th, Wednesday:

6:00pm (Group 1)

7:30pm (Group 2)

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Nursing Care Patients

IL Veterans Home

Jim Freiburg
Michael Hildebrand
Albert Huber
Paul Stupasky

Good Samaritan Home

Barbara Boone

SUNSET
Beverly Andrews

Bickford Cottages

Joanne Greving

JULY GROCERY ITEMS:
Canned Vegetables except Green Beans
The Ladies of Charity & Catholic Charities
Thank you!



—A volunteer to serve Mass on Tuesdays at 8:00 a.m. For more information call Paul Soebbing at 217-653-3571.

—A volunteer to Team Leader for a Funeral Dinner Team. For more information contact Tawny Benz 222-5996.

QND POM & CHEER TRYOUTS

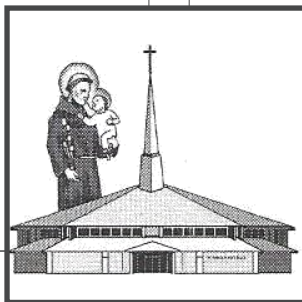
RESCHEDULED QND Pom and Cheer Tryout
Dates have been set:

QND POM TRYOUTS:

Monday, July 13th: 5-8pm in the QND Gym
Tuesday, July 14th: 5-8pm in the QND Gym (team will be selected this night)
Short Parent meeting on Monday, July 13th at 5pm for all parents who have girls trying out
Questions or Conflicts Please Call Coach Jennifer Duesterhaus at 217-316-2046

QND CHEER TRYOUTS:

Thursday, July 16th: 6-9pm in the QND Gym
Friday, July 17th: 6-9pm in the QND Gym (team will be selected this night)
Short Parent meeting on Thursday, July 16th at 6pm for all parents who have girls trying out
Questions or Conflicts Please Call Coach Allison Turner at 618-410-2500



St. Anthony Picnic

Postponed

The Annual St. Anthony Picnic is going to be postponed. Hopefully, we will be able to have a mini-picnic, or perhaps a joint picnic with our Annual St. Dominic Junefest later on in the year. A letter and raffle chances to support our “non-picnic” picnic will be mailed to each family.

Thank you for your support, The Picnic Committee

Junefest

Postponed

The St. Dominic Junefest is now POSTPONED until later on in the calendar year. We planning of offer the 2020 Junefest Big Prize Raffle as part of the St. Anthony Picnic in July. The raffle will feature fifty cash prizes, with the First, Second, and Third place prizes being \$25,000, \$10,000, and \$5,000! Information coming

Part-Time Position Open at St. Francis Solanus

St. Francis Solanus has a part-time open position for an Intervention Specialist. This particular person will work closely with students (grades 6-8) who are academically challenged, need extra support, and may have a 504 or IEP Plan. A Special Education background is preferred, but not mandatory. If interested, please send a resume, and reference letters to: Lori Shepard, St. Francis Solanus School, 1720 College, Quincy, Illinois, 62301, or email lshepard@stfrancissolanus.com.

St. Anthony Parish welcomes:

Ava Josephine Deege & Connor Dean Deege
children of
Justin & Michelle Deege
who were baptized
June 25, 2020



You demanded fireworks; we're delivering! Saturday, July 4th, 8 to 10 PM. The Quincy Tea Party presents **Fireworks on the River!** Fireworks can be viewed from Quincy's Riverfront. So, feel free to social distance, wear a mask, or enjoy the show from your vehicle.

St. Anthony Parish and St. Dominic School
are no longer collecting Plastic Bottlecaps.



Safe Environment Program

TO REPORT ALLEGATIONS OF SEXUAL ABUSE OF A MINOR BY CLERGY— EVEN IF IT IS IN THE PAST—INDIVIDUALS ARE ENCOURAGED TO CALL **THE DIOCESAN CHILD ABUSE REPORTING AND INVESTIGATION NUMBER (217)321-1155**.

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First Friday/First Saturday Communion of Reparation Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary at St. Rose of Lima Church, Quincy, will resume on First Friday July 3rd. at 5:30 PM with Rosary and Confession, Mass at 6:00 PM and the Devotional Prayers following. First Saturday begins at 7:30 AM with Rosary and Confessions, Mass at 8:00 AM and the Devotion Prayers following. For more information contact Mark or Stephanie Rankin 224-5904 or Janice E. Pohlman 222-5769.



Baby Bottle Blitz

Father's Day through July 12th

Please take a baby bottle and fill it with money and return to church by July 12th to support CareNet.

Assumptions Catholic Store will be selling gifts for First Holy Communion and Confirmation on **Saturday, July 11 from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm at St. Rose of Lima Parish Hall in Quincy.** General sacramental items will also be available. Please follow the social distancing guidelines recommended by the CDC. Set up of items will be spread out to avoid clustering while shopping. Entrance from the parking lot on north side. Handicap Accessible. Cash or Check only. No credit or debit cards accepted.

Due to construction at the store in Macomb, they are unable to receive phone calls at this time. If you would like to contact them about a specific item to bring, please send a message via Facebook before July 4 (Assumptions Selling Catholic Christian Goods). You may also send an email to RauschertMA@aol.com