



St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church

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November 8, 2020 -Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

A Message from Father Tom Donovan



St. Paul speaks to his audience in Thessalonica, trying to allay their concerns about those who have died. The proclamation of the Resurrection of Jesus and the affirmation of life after death made a few early Christians question if loved ones who have 'fallen asleep' might have 'missed out' on that Good News. Paul offers a rousing proclamation of faith which echoes in the Church to our own day:

If we believe that Jesus died and rose, so too will God, through Jesus, bring with him those who have fallen asleep... we who are alive will surely not precede those who have fallen asleep. For the Lord himself, with a word of command, with the voice of an archangel and with the

trumpet of God will come down from heaven and the dead in Christ shall rise first. Then we who are alive, who are left will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. Thus we shall always be in the Lord.

One of the most powerful parts of the Christian Funeral is the opportunity it provides for the faithful to console each other with these words, as Paul instructs his audience to do. I commend our parish on the way it celebrates funerals: the luncheons, the special care for vigil services when they are at church, the attention put into the maintenance and upkeep of the parish cemetery, the notes and outreach that the community gives to those who mourn, the ongoing work of our *GriefShare* group, and all the unseen kindnesses which our parishioners share.

The process of grieving for lost loved ones is not only a spiritual and relational trauma, but it is one that echoes in our primal being, causing confusion, anger, concern, denial... all of the righteous feelings of loss. But it is when the larger community can surround and embrace those who are disoriented in the midst of loss that greater faith can be found. Faith does not take away the reality of the loss, nor does it merely cover up 'bad' feelings with more 'acceptable' feelings. Faith helps us to realize the greatest reality of our humanity and the greatest hope for our loved ones who have passed: that they live in God now and forever.

Prayer for our Veterans and Military Members

Father, bless our veterans and all who serve our nation defending our freedom.

For those who bravely gave their lives, grant them eternal rest.

For those who are serving, give them courage.

For those who served, we offer our gratitude.

We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

Fr. Tom Donovan-Air Force	Fr. Don Blickhan-Army
Jim Holtman-Army	Paul Hildebrand
Richard Foster-Army	Andy Veile-Army
Joe Mast-Army	Art Wand-Army
Don Geschwander-Army	Cole Schutte-Marines
Huber-Army	Jim Ponsot-Navy

To All Veterans



Whether At Home Or Abroad
Active Duty ~ Reserves ~ Retired

All Americans Say:

THANK YOU!

Leo Benz-Army
Allen French-Army
Paul Schrecke-Army
Bob Schmelze-Army
Roger K. Boone-Army Albert
Mike Blickhan-Army

These were the names turned into our parish office by the publication deadline. For all who have served, we are grateful and pray that your hard work and sacrifices contribute to a world with greater peace and justice for all.

— Regular Mass Times —

Saturday: 4:00, 6:30 pm

Sunday: 8:00, 10:30 am

M, Tu, Th, F: 7:30 am

W (school) 8:30 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

Mon., November 9, 2020

7:30 a.m. Ralph & Lucille Schutte+

Tues., November 10, 2020

7:30 a.m. Richard & Steven Dietrich+

Wed., November 11, 2020

-at St. Dominic School

8:30 a.m. Katie Kroeter+

Thurs., November 12, 2020

7:30 a.m. Richard Baker+

Fri., November 13, 2020

7:30 a.m. Leonard Venvertloh+

Sat., November 14, 2020

4:00 p.m. Bob Zanger+

6:30 p.m. Parish Intentions

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sun., November 15, 2020

8:00 a.m. Elmer Genenbacher+

10:30 a.m. Tim & Leona Mast+

4:00 p.m. Clarence Genenbacher+

— Parish Office Hours —

Monday-Friday

8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Bulletin Deadline: Monday, Noon

St. Dominic School

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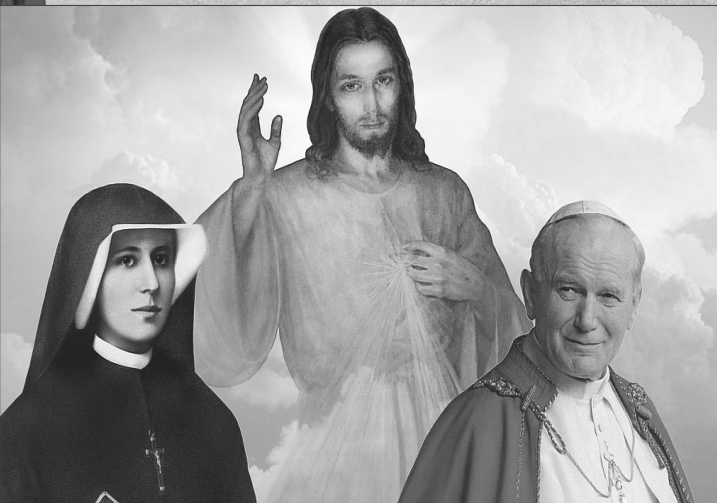
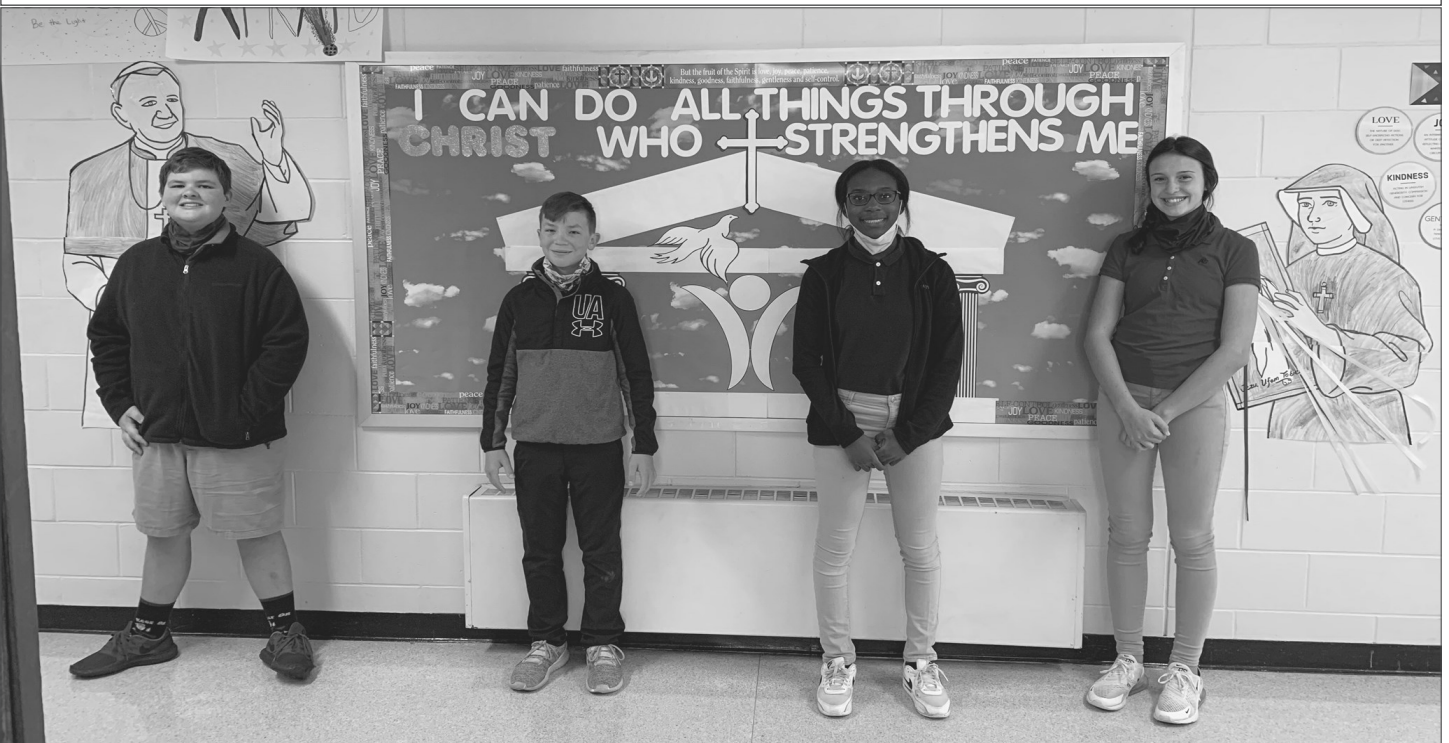
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A Message from Mrs. Carol Frericks—Principal

Holy Heroes for November—Saint John Paul II and Saint Faustina

Our seventh grade class, along with their teacher, Miss Hope Glidewell, lead our morning assemblies daily and teach our school about two Holy Heroes—Saint John Paul II and Saint Faustina. These two saints were canonized in the 21st century. On April 30, 2000, Pope John Paul II canonized Saint Faustina as 'the great Apostle of Divine Mercy' and the second Sunday of Easter was officially designated as the Sunday of the Divine Mercy. Then, on *Divine Mercy Sunday*, May 1, 2011, the beatification of Pope John Paul II was held at the Vatican in Rome. These 7th graders lead us as we pray this Divine Mercy Chaplet Opening Prayer daily, "You expired, Jesus, but the source of life gushed forth for souls, and the ocean of mercy opened up for the whole world. O Fount of Life, unfathomable Divine Mercy, envelop the whole world and empty Yourself out upon us." This week we learned about St. John Paul's perseverance and leadership.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Tuesday, November 10th

6:30 p.m. School Board Meeting

Wednesday, November 11th

8:30 a.m. School Mass 4th grade leaders

1:30 p.m. Virtual Veterans' Day Program

Saturday, November 14th

6:30 p.m. Holy Moments Mass 7th grade

Sunday, November 15th

11:00 — 1:00 p.m. PTO Drive-Thru

Turkey Dinner at St. Anthony Church

November 25th—27th No School





Upcoming Events

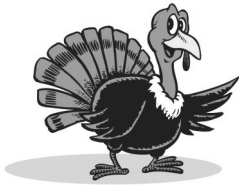
Parishioner Information Update



Each parish family should receive a Parishioner Information Update form in the mail. We would appreciate the return of this form by Nov. 8th in order to keep records current. You may drop in the collection, bring to the office or mail in the enclosed envelope. Thank you to everyone who has returned their form already.

DRIVE THRU TURKEY DINNER

Sunday November 15, 11:00-1:00 p.m.



The St. Dominic School PTO invites you to join us on Sunday, November 15, 11:00-1:00 p.m. for a drive thru TURKEY DINNER at St. Anthony Parish Hall.

The menu includes: Turkey, Mashed Potatoes/Gravy, Stuffing, Green Beans, Cranberry Salad, Home Made Rolls, Delicious Home Made Pumpkin Bars.

Cost is \$12 per carryout.

To place orders, drive up on south side of Parish Hall. Stay in your car and your order will be brought to you.

We will also be giving away a beautiful quilt: 1 chance for \$1 or 8 chances for \$5.

Thanksgiving Day Mass

November 25, 9:00 a.m.



There will be one Mass on Thanksgiving Day at 9:00 a.m..

Christmas Midnight Mass Choir



If you would like to sing at the Christmas Midnight Mass on December 24th, please join us in rehearsal on Thursday evenings from 7:00-9:00 p.m. at St. Anthony's Church on November 12 and 19th, and December 3, 10 and 17th. For more information, contact Mecki Kosin at mecki@travelhouseofquincy.com, or call 217-779-0152.

Diamond Dinner



Each year we usually honor our parishioners who are 75 years of age and older with a special dinner. We regret that because of Covid we will not be able to hold this dinner. We are very appreciative of this group of parishioners.

— Parish Data —

PARISH CALENDAR	
<u>Monday, November 9</u>	
6:00 p.m.	RCIA organizational meeting
7:30 p.m.	Men's Society Meeting
<u>Tuesday, November 10</u>	
6:30 p.m.	St. Dominic School Board
<u>Wednesday, November 11</u> Veterans Day	
<u>Thursday, November 12</u>	
<u>Friday, November 13</u>	
<u>Saturday, November 14</u>	
4:00 p.m.	Mass
6:30 p.m.	Mass (Holy Moments Mass)
<u>Sunday, November 15</u>	
8:00 a.m.	Mass
9:15-10:15 a.m.	PSR
10:30 a.m.	Mass
11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.	St. Dominic PTO Drive Thru Turkey Dinner
<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 18	October 31/ November 1	Total Year-to-Date
Loose Collection	\$ 97.00	\$ 3,139.12
Weekly Envelopes	\$12,235.00	\$180,400.25
Electronic Deposits	\$0.00	\$17,480.00
Totals	\$12,332.00	\$201,019.37
Budget Goal	\$13,000.00	\$234,000.00
Difference	(-\$668.00)	(\$ -32,980.63)
Counters: Monday, November 9, 2020:		
Jan Obert	Dana Luger	Dorothy Parn
DEBT/ACCRUED DEFICITS		
Unpaid Diocesan Liabilities from FY 2018-20: (Oct 31, 2020)		\$89,198.60
Debt Reduction Envelopes Cumulative Collected, Final for October 2020		\$8,280.00
ANNUAL CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL 2020-21		
Assessment (FY 2020-21):		\$84,218.00
Pledged as of September 1, 2020 (Reported Monthly Starting November)		\$0.00
Residual (due June 30, 2021)		TBA

Parish Ministry Schedule - Sat.& Sun, November 14/15, 2020				
	Saturday, 4:00 PM	Saturday, 6:30 PM	Sunday, 8:00 AM	Sunday, 10:30 AM
Key Minister/ Sacristan				
Lector	Janice Zanger	Angie Dean	Michael Kinder	Darlene Scheuermann
Usher	Bob Maas Melvin Maas Raymond Maas	Jay Peter Ron Reichert Ted Vahle	Matt Kasparie Tom Mock Mark Neisen	Frank Arnold Brian Koch David McCleary
Servers	Brennan & Ryan Venvertloh	Ethan rose	Samantha & Dillon Hugenberg	Amelia Boudreaux
Greeters/ Gift Bearers				
Rosary	Tawny Benz	Earl Boone	Jerry & Trudy Dreier	Chris Heintz
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, Ed Terstriep, Don Talken, Lynn Rakers, Dennis Meyer Stephen St. Clair Also please remember in your prayers those who have died in 2020: Margie Niekamp Betty Lentz Clarence Genenbacher Ray Thompson Rollie Thomas Kay Orbals Ron Fischer Bob Krutmeier Ray Stupavsky				

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St. Anthony of Padua Church,

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

St. Dominic School has an immediate opening for a day-care worker for our Before and After Care program.

Those who are interested in applying, please contact Mrs. Carol Frericks, principal, St. Dominic School of St. Anthony of Padua Parish, 4100 Columbus Road, Quincy, IL 62305 at the school office 217-224-0041. This daycare worker position is a 10-15 hour per week position with times varying from 6:30 - 8:00 a.m. and 2:30-5:45 p.m. Duties include supervising play and homework with students before and after school in grades Preschool-8th who are enrolled in the

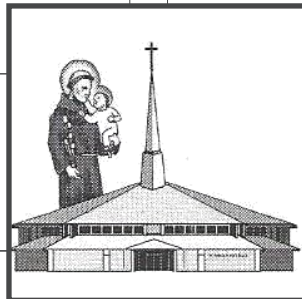
RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Please contact Fr. Tom at the parish office 222-5996 for more information and to get started on the adventure of becoming Catholic!

NOVEMBER GROCERY ITEMS:

Any non-perishable item
The Ladies of Charity & Catholic Charities
Thank you!

Thank You for your recent donation of groceries to the Food Pantry of Quincy Catholic Charities. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. Your gift will help Quincy Catholic Charities continue its mission "To extend to all the healing and empowering presence of Jesus", and to provide help and hope to those in need in our community. Please accept my most sincere thanks. Feel free to contact me if I can provide additional information to you about Quincy Catholic Charities.
Mike Holm, Food Pantry Manager



The Gene Grawe Fund would like to remind everyone to think about purchasing gift cards to support our Catholic Schools and students. Almost 500 families participate in the tuition support through the Grawe Fund. This academic year \$319,635 was given to support tuition costs with an average of \$703 to each family. There is now a new option for supporting the schools that EVERYONE can help make a difference to our schools. When purchasing gift cards, and you do not have a student to designate the funds to, you can name one of the Catholic Schools and a check will be given to the school at the end of the year. So now you can purchase gift cards & designate St. Anthony's/St. Dominic's for all of your purchases.

Purchasing these cards costs you nothing and goes a long way toward helping cover the costs of a Catholic education. The merchants discount the cards – you pay the face value! The fund receives from 2% to 20% from the vendors for us to sell their cards. It is a win-win for all. How wonderful a program!

This year has been difficult in many ways. Even the Grawe Fund has seen an impact. We would like to be able to continue to support the students and how much more that support will mean this coming school year. If you want more info about how it all works, stop by or call 217-214-0169.

The Grawe Fund office is located in St. Peter's Church Lobby and is open Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday from 7:30 am to 5 pm. Thursday 7:30 am to 7 pm and Saturday 9-1. There's also many local merchants that let you pay your bill to the Gene Grawe Fund. You may see all of the merchants available at genegrawefund.org or stop in St. Peter's Church lobby, where we are located. Thank you from the Grawe Fund and all the students and families of Catholic Education for your support.
JoAnn Witte, 217-257-3231

MASS INTENTIONS: If you would like to schedule a Mass for a loved one you may do so by coming in or calling the parish office. The offering is \$10 per Mass.

Protecting God's Children ONLINE: During the Covid-19, you have the opportunity to complete this one time training online. For more information please contact the parish office 222-5996 or email bulletin@stanthonypadua.org and we will email the instructions to you.



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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A volunteer to be **Team Leader for a Funeral Dinner Team**. For more information contact Tawny Benz 222-5996. Responsibilities include setting the menu, shop for supplies, and call volunteers. Tawny or Bonnie Grist will train anyone interested.

K of C Chicken Drive-Thru Dinners: Serving each Friday from 5:00 –7:30 p.m. \$10 per person Menu: half of a chicken, potatoes, gravy, corn, green beans and a dinner roll. Thank you for supporting the Knights of Columbus!

AUTOMATIC DONATIONS to the CHURCH

This might be a good time to consider making your monthly donation to the church through “DONATIONS”. This can be done through the parish office This is the perfect way **NOT** to forget to make that monthly contribution. The transfer is done on the last Friday of each month.

A Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are in the Blessed Sacrament. I love you above all things, and I long for You in my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. As though You have already come, I embrace You and unite myself entirely to You; never permit me to be separated from You. Amen

QND EXTRAVAGANZA, November 20, 2020 On Fri., Nov. 20, 2020, join us as we come together as a FAMILY to celebrate RAIDER PRIDE at the 2020 Virtual Extravaganza! The QND Extravaganza is celebrating 25 years of fundraising for our students. Proceeds are used to purchase items for QND students that the budget doesn't cover. Last year we purchased an activity bus! We can't meet in person this year, but we can all tune in to our TV's, phones, or tablets. Play a game with others watching from their homes for prizes. You will even get a special delivery before the event even begins. A party box will arrive at your door that will get you in the mood for supporting QND. Most importantly, you won't want to miss the famous Extravaganza auctions...fully online this year for you to bid on! Lots of great things will be available to buy for Christmas gifts or for yourself. Visit our website now: www.quincynotredame.ejoinme.org/extravaganza20 to purchase your ticket! Each ticket guarantees you program access, a special party box delivery (if purchased by Nov. 7), and your bid number. BUT WAIT THERE'S MORE! Raffle tickets are also available to purchase on our website for a chance to win FREE TUITION to the Catholic Grade School of your choice, Quincy Notre Dame High School or \$3000 cash. Purchase as many as you like! Go to our website now!!!!