



# St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church

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**November 7, 2021 — 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time—B**

## A Message from Fr. Tom Donovan:



A widow placed a few coins in the temple treasury, which Jesus pointed out to his disciples: *Amen, I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury. For they have all contributed from their surplus wealth, but she, from her poverty, has contributed all that she had, her whole livelihood.* (Mark 12: 43-44)

The widow of today's Gospel is not lauded by the percentage of her gift, or by what little was left behind for her own use, but instead for the *spirit* of her generosity. Could such a modest gift ever be of any real help to the temple or its treasury? Probably not. Indeed, one might judge the humble gift as a waste or even a crime against the faith of the old woman. But generosity is a virtue that counteracts selfishness and indifference toward one's neighbor. Generosity transforms the giver. And so, the widow gave not from things external to her, but from the very bread she might have otherwise eaten. This is the spirit which the Gospel of Mark has been encouraging in those who hear the saving words of Jesus... not to be full on the things of this world, but totally reliant on the grace and providence of our Lord.



It is not too late! Our RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) group is starting! For now, we are meeting on Wednesday nights at 7pm in the Quilt Room of the Parish Hall. Parishioners are encouraged to invite and accompany those who might be interested in becoming a member of the Catholic Church to join us at these times. The first part of our preparation is an introduction to the pillars of our faith: Scripture, Morality, Prayer and Spirituality, and the Sacramental Life. As the process continues, our candidates are prepared for the Easter Sacraments and receive Baptism, Confirmation, and welcomed to the Eucharist, generally at the Easter Vigil, to take place on April 16 this coming year. The *hardest* step for our new Catholics is usually the *first* step... so reach out and invite someone to 'come and see' what we have to offer! If a person is interested in becoming Catholic, but Wednesday nights just don't work, please call the parish office at (217) 222-5996 that we can figure out alternate arrangements.

Our Bulletins are provided at no further expense to the parish by the generosity of our advertisers who appear on the inside and outside of the last page. When you have the opportunity to work with them, please thank them for their support! Our anniversary with the Sunday Missal Service bulletin company comes up in January, and so many of our advertisers will be renewing their ads in the coming month or two. Just as a reminder, if you receive a solicitation for an advertisement from an organization other than Sunday Missal Service (or with a mailing address which is not Quincy, IL), the solicitation is NOT authorized by St. Anthony Church and is at least misleading, if not outright fraudulent. Once again, thanks to these advertisers for all they do for our parish family!

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### — Mass Times —

Saturday: 4:00, 6:30 pm  
Sunday: 8:00, 10:30 am  
M, Tu, Th, F: 7:30 am  
W. at St. Dominic School 8:30 am  
Th. at Good Samaritan 10:00 am  
Holy Days: as announced  
When on vacation visit: [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org)

### — Sacrament of Reconciliation —

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

### — Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament —

Tuesday: after Mass until noon



### Mon., Nov. 8, 2021

7:30 a.m. Betty Lentz+

### Tues., Nov. 9, 2021

7:30 a.m. Jerry Grist+

### Wed., Nov. 10, 2021

-at St. Dominic School  
8:30 a.m. Robert Deters+

### Thurs., Nov. 11, 2021

7:30 a.m. Alvera Haxel+  
at Good Samaritan:  
10:00 a.m. Ray Stupavsky +

### Fri., Nov. 12, 2021

7:30 a.m. Terry Weills+

### Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Sat., Nov. 13, 2021

4:00 p.m. Elmer Genenbacher+  
6:30 p.m. Parish Intentions

### Sun., Nov 14, 2021

8:00 a.m. Elmer Genenbacher+  
10:30 a.m. Ruth Deters+  
Perpetual Prayer Candle for  
Special Intentions  
Week of Nov. 6- 12  
Ray & Trudy Stupavsky  
Katie Kroeter

### — Parish Office Hours —

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



# St. Dominic School

4100 Columbus Road — Quincy, Illinois 62305

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## A Message from Mrs. Carol Frericks—Principal

### 5th Grade Leaders - Our Lady of Fatima

During the month of November, our 5th grade class, along with their teacher Mrs. Joann Ellerman, will be sharing the story of the apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima. The story takes place in the village of Fatima, Portugal. Three children were tending a flock of sheep. The children saw an angel. He was transparent and shining like a crystal. He said, "Do not be afraid. I am the angel of peace. Pray with me." During the rest of 1916, as World War I raged in Europe, this angel showed himself two more times to the children but they told no one what they had seen. In the spring of 1917 on May 13th near that same tiny village, the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God, appeared to those same three young peasant children, Francisco, Jacinta, and Lucia. She appeared as "a lady dressed in white, shining brighter than the sun, giving out rays of clear and intense light." She promised to come to the children on the 13th of each month. Knowing that Mary wants us to pray the Rosary we would like to invite everyone in our school family to say the Rosary as much as we can. The 5th graders have created a link Rosary on the wall in the computer room hallway to keep a running total. Please call the school office and report the number of Rosaries you pray with your family. By praying the Rosary, we experience peace knowing God is in control..

Let's see how big we can get our Rosary total. Turn in the number of Rosaries that you and your family have prayed every week. I will then put the running total on the wall by our Rosary.



#### MARK YOUR CALENDARS

**Tuesday, November 9th**

6:30 p.m. School Board Meeting

**Wednesday, November 10th**

8:30 a.m. School Mass led by 7th Grade

**Thursday, November 11th Veterans Day**

1:30 p.m. Veterans Day Program

**Friday, November 12th** Picture Retake Day

**Sunday, November 14th**

11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. PTO Turkey Dinner

Drive Through Only at St. Anthony

#### PTO Drive Through Turkey Dinner

**The St. Dominic's PTO and St. Anthony's ladies society  
thanks you for your support!**





# Upcoming Events

## Turkey Dinner (Drive Through Only)

**Sunday, November 14, 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.**



**TURKEY DINNER:** The St. Dominic School PTO invites you to join us on Sunday, November 14th, 11 a.m.-1:00 p.m. for a drive thru only TURKEY DINNER at Fr. Irenaeus Hall (formerly St. Anthony Parish Hall). \$12 per person. Turkey, Mashed potatoes, Gravy, Stuffing, Green beans, Cranberry Salad, Homemade Rolls and Pumpkin Bars!

## Christmas Eve Midnight Mass Choir



If you are interested in singing with our choir at Midnight on Christmas Eve, Dec. 24, please come to all rehearsals. Rehearsals are on Thursdays from 7 – 8:30 PM at Church. Dates for the rehearsals are: Nov. 4, 11, and 18, Dec. 2, 9, 16,. For more information please call Mecki Kosin at work 217.222.0515 – or on my cell 217.779.0152, or send me an email [Mec-ki@travelhouseofquincy.com](mailto:Mec-ki@travelhouseofquincy.com)

## Grief Share “Surviving the Holidays”

**November 11th, 6:00 p.m.**



GriefShare to Offer “Surviving the Holidays”: St. Anthony’s GriefShare team will offer “Surviving the Holidays” on November 11th at 6:00 PM in the Quilters Room in the parish center. The session is open to anyone who has lost a loved one to death weather or not you previously attended GriefShare. The session will include the “Surviving the Holidays” video followed by small group discussion. Attendees are welcome to participate in the sharing or sit and listen-no one is forced to talk. This popular session provides valuable “tools” and suggestions on managing holidays without their loved one/s. The discussion session gives attendees time to share fears, concerns and ideas as well as ask questions on “surviving” the holidays. For questions, contact Jim Liesen or Deacon Harry or Cindy Cramer. Reservations are not required but if a person knows they are attending, they may call the office so that we have an idea of how many to expect.

## St. Anthony Ladies Bake Sale at the Pancake & Sausage Breakfast



The ladies of the parish will having a bake sale during the pancake & sausage breakfast. Please bring your baked items packaged ready to sell either Saturday, Dec. 3rd, 8:00 –11:00 a.m. or the morning of the breakfast.

## Ladies of the Parish Christmas Party

**Sunday, December 4th**



Ladies of the parish mark your calendars for Sunday, December 4th , after the 10:30 Mass for the Ladies Christmas party. Call Alice Rakers 217-222-4798 to make your reservation by December 2nd.

## Pancake & Sausage Breakfast

**Sunday, December 12, 7:30 a.m.– noon**



Mark your calendars for the Pancake & Sausage Breakfast on Sunday, Dec. 12th, 7:30 a.m.-noon. Dine in or carry out. Adults \$10, Children \$5, (under 5 free).

**FOR ADVANCE MEAT ORDERS:** Call orders to 217-257-2108. Sausage, Chops or Ribs: 3 lbs. are \$12; 5 lbs. are \$20; Cooked links 5 lbs. (precooked weight) are \$25. To guarantee your meat order, please place it by 5 p.m. on December 1st. Orders after December 1st will not be accepted.



# — Parish Data —

PARISH CALENDAR	
<u>Monday, Nov. 8</u> 7:30 p.m.	Men's Society Meeting
<u>Tuesday, Nov. 9</u> 6:30 p.m.	St. Dominic School Board Meeting
<u>Wednesday, Nov. 10</u>	
<u>Thursday, Nov. 11</u> 1:30 & 6:30 p.m. 6:00—8:00 p.m. 6:30-7:30 p.m. 7:00-8:30 p.m.	Veteran's Day Program at St. Dominic Grief Share Choir Practice Midnight Choir Practice
<u>Friday, Nov. 12</u>	
<u>Saturday, Nov. 13</u> 4:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	Mass Mass
<u>Sunday, Nov. 14</u> 8:00 a.m. 9:00-10:15 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.	Mass PSR Mass PTO Turkey Dinner (Drive Thru Only) at St. Anthony
<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	Oct. 30/31	Total Year-to-Date
Loose Collection	\$ 593.75	\$ 11,682.00
Weekly Envelopes	\$ 8,880.00	\$ 180,027.04
Electronic Deposits (monthly)	\$ 5,065.00	\$ 19,295.00
Total, Oct. 30/31, 2021	\$ 14,538.75	\$ 211,004.04
Budget Goal (to be recalculated soon!)	\$13,000.00	\$ 234,000.00
Difference	\$1,538.75	(\$ -22,995.96)
Counters: Monday, Nov. 8, 2021: Nancy Speckhart Jackie Marold Melanie Longenecker Parish Community Tithe (PCT) for July to Diocese: \$10,927.00 Parish Community Tithe (PCT) for August to Diocese: \$5318.00		
DEBT/ACCRUED DEFICITS		
Unpaid Diocesan Liabilities from FY 2018-21: (updated to reflect late payments posted at the end of FY2020-21)		ACSA 2018-19: \$13,798.24 ACSA 2019-20: \$52,302.36 ACSA 2020-21: \$58,905.82 Total: \$125,006.42
Debt Reduction Envelopes <i>Thank you! —&gt;</i>		Cumulative, 10/31 \$ 8,984.00 FY 2020-21: \$39,749.00
Parish Community Tithe (PCT) News:		
<i>Please read the September 2021 issue of our Parish Newsletter which speaks about the transition from the Annual Catholic Services Appeal (ACSA) to the "Parish Community Tithe" (PCT), where the diocese pulls its 'share' for diocesan ministries each month from the parishes, rather than doing an annual appeal. Thank you for your stewardship support of St. Anthony Church and St. Dominic School!</i>		

## Parish Ministry Schedule - Sat.& Sun., November 13 & 14

	Saturday, 4:00 PM	Saturday, 6:30 PM	Sunday, 8:00 AM	Sunday, 10:30 AM
<b>Key Minister/ Sacristan</b>	Dorothy Parn		David & Carmel Akins	Jan Barnard
<b>Lector</b>	Mary Courty	Angie Dean	Mary Koch	Vickie Arnold
<b>Usher</b>	Raymond Maas Dan Reichert Richard Reichert Mike Zanger	George Dreyer Joe Dreyer Chris Ehrhardt Christopher Ehrhardt	Ken Peter Dan Terwelp Matt Weiman Fred Witte	Rich Rakers Norman Rodriguez Craig Schafer Rick Schafer
<b>Servers</b>	Nevan Drew	Helen Mathews Trisha Mathews	Pius IX Altar Servers	Joe Warning Calvin Breckenkamp
<b>Greeters/ Gift Bearers</b>	Dana & Rose Lugering Family	Elmer & Jeanne Maas	Barb Couch	David & Janice McCleary
<b>Rosary Leader</b>	Tawny Benz	Roger Terstriep	Giny Baker	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, Tony Engels, Cathy Watson, Dennis Meyer, Jessica Huber, James Ponsot, Mary Gehrt, Winnie Huber, Gerald S. Maas

**Also please remember in your prayers those who have died in 2021:** Cheryl Whitaker, Myron Koch, Jim Freiburg, Sandy Brinkman, Ruth Deters, Margie Benz, Valmont "Bunny" Disseler, Katie Neuser, Mary Wellman, April Rohn, Kent Wellman, Nancy Brooks, Jim Holtman, Alvera Haxel, Bill Deters

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**Nursing Care Patients**

**IL Veterans Home**

Michael Hildebrand  
Albert Huber  
Paul Stupasky  
Jim Ponsot

**Good Samaritan Home**

Trudy Stupavsky  
Bill Wellman

**Barry Community Care Center**

Barbara Boone

**Bickford Cottages**

Joanne Greving

**SUNSET**

Beverly Andrews

**Assumptions Catholic Store in Quincy November 13!**

Assumptions (Catholic Store) will be at St. Rose of Lima Parish Hall, 715 Chestnut, Quincy, selling Advent candles and wreaths; small nativity items; and religious art, sacramentals and other items that make beautiful Christmas gifts from **10:30 am to 12:30 pm on Saturday, November 13, 2021.** Entrance from parking lot on north side. Handicap Accessible. Cash or Check Only. Call at least a week before to request any particular in-stock items to be brought to the sale at (309) 833-1979. Store hours are 10:00 am to 4:00 pm, Tuesday through Saturday.

**Quarterly Baptism Training** Deacon Harry will be offering quarterly Baptism Training Monday, November 8th at 6:30 in the Parish Center. Baptism Training is required for parents having their first child baptized. Some diocese require baptism training for Godparents, as well. Our diocese does not require godparent training but if you are anticipating being a godparent in another diocese that requires training, you are welcome to join in. Please contact the parish office if you plan to attend or call Deacon Harry (217 224-1160) if you have questions.

St. Anthony Parishioners,

Thank you for your donation of 25 bags of food, 1 flat of canned corn and 1 large box of cleaning supplies & shampoo. We appreciate your interest in and support of our ministry to the needy of the area.

God Bless You!  
Ladies of Charity

**QND EXTRAVAGANZA 2021-"Anchored in Faith"** will be held Friday, November 19th at the Ambiance, 5225 Kochs Lane. Doors open at 6 p.m. with the dinner at 7 p.m. Ticket price per person is \$65 and includes the bid number for online silent auctions, beer, wine, soda, and buffet dinner. Online bidding for silent auction items begins on Wed., Nov. 17th at 5 p.m. There will also be a live auction at the event. Purchase event tickets at [quincynotredame.ejoinme.org/extravaganza2021](http://quincynotredame.ejoinme.org/extravaganza2021). Raffle tickets for \$3000 cash or \$4000 tuition credit to QND or an area Catholic Grade School are sold separately. Purchase raffle tickets online or at the Gene Grawe office located in St. Peter Church.

**Are You Interested in Becoming a Deacon?** There is a special information meeting at St. Francis Solanus Parish Center, 1721 College Ave, Quincy, IL on Sunday, Nov. 28th from 1 to 2:30 pm for men interested in becoming a deacon in the Diocese of Springfield, IL. Deacon Dave Sorrell, Director of the Office for the Diaconate, will present information for those interested in the Permanent

Diaconate Program which begins in the fall of 2022. Applications are being accepted at this time. The permanent diaconate is open to men between the ages of 32 and 57, who are active in the practice of our faith, and who desire to grow in their relationship with God and in their service to the church. If interested, and if married, wives are welcome and encouraged to attend. For questions, email Deacon Sorrell : [dsorrell@dio.org](mailto:dsorrell@dio.org). You can also visit [dio.org/diaconate](http://dio.org/diaconate).

**St. Joseph Annual Holy Name Trap Shoot-2 Traps** will be held Sunday, Nov. 7th beginning at noon. There will be trap shooting & card playing. Prizes are bacon & turkey. Soups, sandwiches and drinks will be available. For more information 217-434-8442.

**NOVEMBER GROCERY ITEMS:**

**Any Non-Perishable Item**

**The Ladies of Charity & Catholic Charities**

**Thank you!**

**THANK YOU** for all of the cards you sent me for my birthday. I really appreciated it.

Barb Boone

**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](mailto: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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### **ATTENTION CATHOLIC MEN- “Are You Looking for More?”**

Join us Thursday, Nov. 11th , 6 p.m. at the Quincy Knights of Columbus (main clubhouse-East Room). Exodus is a Catholic spiritual, physical and fraternal growth experience. exodus parallels the Old Testament story of Exodus with a program to help men gain freedom from modern distractions, addictions, and to grow in a deeper relationship with Christ. Exodus is designed to challenge men to commit to a Ninety Day exercise combining prayer, asceticism and fraternity. At the meeting, we will review the program, and have several local men share their positive experiences with this program. Please JOIN us for fraternity and drinks. For more information contact John McDowell (217-440-8187) or Aaron Kerkhoff (217-316-9203).

### **Butterfly Support ministers are available to help prep-plan funerals.**

They have already had a request. This is particularly helpful if you do not have immediate family or family close by. You may contact a minister directly or call the office (222-5996) . The Butterfly Support minister will provide copies of your plan to share with others including your funeral home of choice. We are very thankful for our Butterfly Ministers who are willing to provide this additional valuable service.

**The Quincy Deanery Council of Catholic Women** will have their first meeting on Friday, December 10, 2021 from 8:30 am - 2:00 pm. at St. Francis Solanus Church, 1721 College Ave., Quincy, IL. Registration will be from 8:30-9:00 am in Solanus Hall, which is attached to the church (please enter through the north parking lot entrance), followed by the Holy Rosary and 9:30 am Mass, induction of officers and meeting to follow in Solanus Hall. The Ladies of St. Francis will be providing a nice luncheon. This is a celebration event to reinstate the Quincy Deanery of Catholic Women as part of the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend as we celebrate Our Lady of Guadalupe, introduce our new spiritual advisor-Father Pawel Luczak- and make important connections with the Catholic Women of our Deanery, as we are led by Our Lady of Good Counsel in serving Our Lord! Please keep an eye out for a forthcoming flyer which will be sent to your church.



**ROSARY BEFORE MASS** Did you know that we say the Rosary together before every weekend Mass here at St. Anthony? Please join us a few minutes earlier each week to pray the Rosary, especially during the month of May in honor of our Mother Mary.