



# St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church

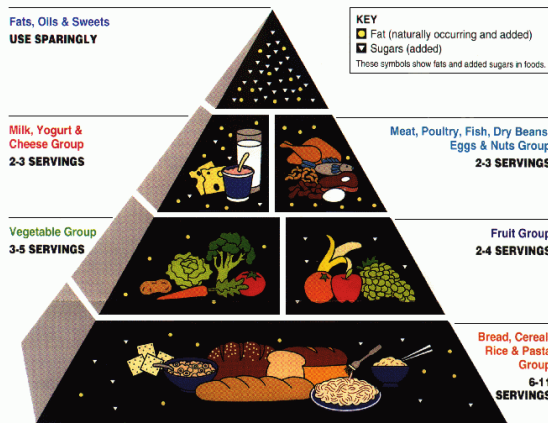
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**July 24, 2022 Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## A Message from Fr. Tom Donovan:



We have all, no doubt, heard of the importance of the 'food pyramid' as guidance for a good diet. The idea is that one bases their diet in wholesome items in the right proportion so that the body is not wanting or needing for nutrients and that excesses can be avoided. Thus, after eating a broad base of grains in the form of bread, pastas, and cereals, one supplements the diet with plentiful fruits and vegetables, and with fewer high-calorie items such as dairy products and meats. While dairy and meats have a place in a balanced diet, to provide proteins and essential fats, but are not the broad base of a good diet as the other items are. At the top of the pyramid are "fats, oils,

and sweets"... my favorite group... but as these items tend to be less dense in nutrients and excessive in calories, thus these items are to be "used sparingly". Without a balanced diet, it is possible to eat plentifully (to being overweight), but still be malnourished in essential nutrients missing from a complete pyramid of foods that come in a well-balanced diet.

As Jesus teaches us to pray in the Gospel, I am drawn to this as a metaphor for what prayer should like. Within the words of the "Lord's Prayer", we hear Jesus calling for several different types of prayer... adoration/praise ("holy be thy name"), supplication, ("give us this day our Daily Bread", "deliver us from evil"), contrition ("forgive us our trespasses"). These prayers are all held together with a tone and spirit of thanksgiving to God from whom all graces flow. Thus, the Lord's Prayer is a model for other prayer that we offer throughout our days and our lives.

As we look at our prayer lives, most of us likely wish we could "do more". Very few people believe that their prayer lives are as full as they think or wish they could be. Perhaps part of that is due to "prayer malnourishment" because one or more types of prayer are missing in one's life. As we first look to the Lord's Prayer we recall that traditionally, there are four essential modes of prayer... "ACTS" (adoration, contrition, thanksgiving, supplication). Beyond that there are many different prayer practices. There is formal prayer in prescribed words or actions... like the Our Father or the rosary or other devotional prayer. There are the psalms and songs that are 'sacred poetry' for us to meditate on. There is the reading of scripture, which I would gently differentiate (meaning not to 'draw too heavy a line' between) study and meditation/contemplation. Reading scripture for the sake of essential familiarity and understanding seems to be an important, but different objective than taking scripture to prayer and asking God to speak through it, although both practices do go together and have their place in one's prayer life. Prayer can take place individually or with great fruitfulness in groups, such as one encounters in the Cursillo movement or as one might find in families. Going on pilgrimage to sacred places or on retreat is can be an act of prayer. The source and the summit of our prayer life comes in the liturgy of the Church, where Jesus becomes truly present in the sacraments.

Does your prayer life seem incomplete or unfulfilling? Maybe a look at the 'prayer pyramid' can help. Don't be malnourished by ignoring varieties of prayer and the fruits these prayer-types can offer. And certainly don't 'starve' yourself to death! Make sure that you have a 'balanced diet' of prayer which includes all of the different types and styles of prayer which the Church has to offer. We all have 'preferred' prayer styles, but sometimes we need to 'shake things up'. But isn't that one of the central ideas of the Christian Life? ... being people of continuous conversion and following God into the 'green pastures' wherever he leads?

If you are like most people wanting to get better at prayer, there is no better time than now to start to "know Jesus" better. It will be like going to the gym for a physical workout. Start simply and slowly, concentrating not simply on time, but quality of prayer. Fifteen minutes of really good prayer is usually better than hours of sloppy prayer. But some prayer, even if it is challenging or unfocused, is better than none! Maybe a checkup from your soul-doctor (in the Sacrament of Reconciliation) is a good place to start if you have been away for a while, because sometimes having "too much, too fast" can cause one to become discouraged and loose heart and stop altogether. Be gentle with yourself, but firm in your resolutions. Most of all, don't give up. It takes time and effort to be a good pray-er, but the effort will be richly rewarded

### — 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



**Mass Intentions**

### Mon., July 25, 2022

7:30 a.m. Ed Terstriepp +

### Tues., July 26, 2022

7:30 a.m. Alta Hildebrand+

### Wed., July 27, 2022

- at St. Anthony Church

7:30 a.m. No Mass

6:00 p.m. Susan Bauer+

### Thurs., July 28, 2022

7:30 a.m. Mary Lou Anderson+

- at Good Samaritan:

10:00 a.m. Betty Lentz+

### Fri., July 29, 2022

7:30 a.m. Randy Brinkman+

### *Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

### Sat., July 30, 2022

4:00 p.m. Bill Koch+

6:30 p.m. For the protection of unborn lives in danger of abortion and healing of those who have been affected by abortion

### Sun., July 31, 2022

8:00 a.m. Parish Intentions

10:30 a.m. Brian Vahlkamp+

**Perpetual Prayer Candle for Special**

**Intentions** Week of July 23-29

Barbara Boone

### — Parish Office Hours —

**Monday-Friday**

**8:00 a.m.-Noon**

Bulletin Deadline: Monday, Noon

# St. Dominic School

4100 Columbus Road — Quincy, Illinois 62305

Web: [www.stdominicquincy.org](http://www.stdominicquincy.org) Office: (217) 224-0041 Fax: (217) 224-0042  
cfrericks@stdominicquincy.org



A Message from Mrs. Carol Frericks—Principal



*I love my Catholic school because...*

“ Something that I like about St. Dominic is that we have a buddy system. It's where the older grades get to buddy up with the younger grades. It is a great way for older kids to take responsibility. Also, it is really fun to bond with your buddies. We get to do art with them and help them with reading and more. ”

-Lily Young  
St. Dominic Student

**ST. DOMINIC SCHOOL**

4100 Columbus Road | Quincy, IL | 217-224-0041 | [stdominicquincy.org](http://stdominicquincy.org)



*A dedicated Catholic school community promoting spiritual growth and academic excellence, while challenging students to use their talents to lead and serve.*

## Preschool Orientation August 11, 2022

On Thursday, August 11, 2022, St. Dominic School will hold Preschool Orientation from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. to provide a smooth transition for preschool students and parents into the new school year. At the Preschool Orientation, we will provide opportunities to help parents and students learn about school routines before the first day of preschool; to help parents and students learn the drop off and pick up procedures; to help students learn how to unpack their backpacks; and to help students meet their new classmates and ease into the school setting with only their class in the school. We are looking forward to welcoming our Preschool families!

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS

### Save The Date:

#### **Thursday, August 11**

8:00 – 10:00 a.m. Kindergarten Camp

6:00 – 7:00 p.m. Preschool Orientation

#### **Sunday, August 14 Back to School Bash**

4:00 p.m. School Mass in the Gym

5:00-6:00 p.m. Families can drop off school supplies and meet the teacher.

5:00-6:00 p.m. PTO Sponsored Cookout

#### **Tuesday, August 17**

First Day of School for K-8—11:30 a.m. Dismissal



# Upcoming Events

## Thank you! Thank you!

Thank you to everyone who contributed in any way to make our church picnic a success! A special thank you to our picnic chairpersons: Jr. & Jackie Dreyer, Kurtis & Ashley Fischer, and George Dreyer; all of our chairs of each booth and their workers; everyone who donated and attended the picnic. We raised \$42,000 this year!

### Raffle Winners:

\$1000 Jerry Dreier  
\$500 Chris Ehrhardt  
\$200 Catherine Steinkamp  
\$100 Shari Jones  
\$ 75 Rose Bunte  
\$ 50 Laura Urbanc  
\$ 25 Ken Klauser

### Quilt Winner:

Emily Johannessen

### Horse Poop Bingo:

Betty Kasparie

### Country Store Winners:

BBQ set-Crystal Johnson  
Chair- Ashley Ambrosius  
Watkins Basket- Cole Wellman  
Tumbling Tower-Angela Gorman

Glass Food Storage-Nicki McCleary  
Yard Daisy Stake-Allison Hagerbaumer  
Sports Jugs-Susan Sanders

\$10 County Market Certificates: Derek Boone, Alex Courty, Bob Wellman

## Prayer Shawl Ministry

**August 17th, 6:30 p.m.**



The Prayer Shawl Ministry will meet Wednesday, August 17th at 6:30 p.m. in the Quilt Room. They make prayer shawl which are blessed and distributed to parishioners who are sic or in need of prayers and comfort. If you knit, crochet or sew please join us as we prepare these items with prayers for healing and love for those who are suffering. For more information call Jan Barnard at 217-224-7487.

## Catechists Needed

Catechists are needed to teach sacramental preparation this year. If you would be interested in helping or need more information email Hope Glidewell at ([hglidewell@stdominicquincy.org](mailto:hglidewell@stdominicquincy.org)) .

## Prayer for Our Country

Dear God, bless our country, the United States of America. Keep our country in the Christian faith. Keep our country and all the peoples living in justice. Keep the young people of this great land, noble, brave, loyal and true. Immaculate Heart of Mary, Mother of God, under your very special title of the Immaculate Conception you are the patroness of the United States of America. Pray to your Divine Son, Jesus Christ, and with that special power you have, O Mary, by being always perfectly sinless, bring everyone in our country to Jesus Christ. Amen

## — Parish Data —

PARISH CALENDAR	
<u>Monday, July 25</u>	
<u>Tuesday, July 26</u>	
<u>Wednesday, July 27</u> 6:00 p.m.	Mass
<u>Thursday, July 28</u>	
<u>Friday, July 29</u>	
<u>Saturday, July 30</u> 4:00 p.m.	Mass
6:30 p.m.	Mass
<u>Sunday, July 31</u> 8:00 a.m.	Mass
10:30 a.m.	Mass
<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 3	July 16/17	Total Year-to-Date
Loose Collection	\$ 604.25	\$ 1,968.17
Weekly Envelopes	\$ 7,785.00	\$ 29,058.00
Electronic Deposits	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Total, July 2/3, 2022	\$ 8,389.25	\$ 31,026.17
Budget Goal (we need no less than this to stay out of deficit spending for the year!)	\$ 13,000.00	\$ 39,000.00
Difference	(-\$4,610.75)	(-\$7,973.83)
Counters: Monday, July 25, 2022 Dana Lugerling Dorothy Parn Mary Koch		
DEBT/ACCRUED DEFICITS		
Unpaid Diocesan Liabilities from FY 2020-21: (this total is updated periodically, approximately monthly, as funds are sent and posted by the Diocese of Springfield)	\$55,064.82	
Debt Reduction Envelopes Thank you! —>	Cumulative, 7/17	\$1,016.00
Parish Community Tithe (PCT) News:		
<b>GREAT NEWS:</b> As we end our fiscal year, I am pleased to announce that we retired our 2019 ACSA debt! Presently the only past obligation we owe comes from the 2020 ACSA. We have been paying our Parish Tithe "as we go" this year and the generosity of a special donor has helped us overcome the 'offering' deficit listed above of nearly \$40,000. We count on your support, now more than ever, to insure we don't fall behind again and that we continue to maintain our ministries and facilities at St. Anthony Church & St. Dominic School.		

Parish Ministry Schedule - Sat.& Sun., July 30 & 31				
	Saturday, 4:00 PM	Saturday, 6:30 PM	Sunday, 8:00 AM	Sunday, 10:30 AM
Key Minister/	Mary Courty		Dan Reichert	Rich Rakers
Lector	Mary Courty	Trisha Mathews	Mike Hummel	Kim Peters
Usher	Tom Grawe Randy Huber Jack Kuhlman James Lohman	George Dreyer Joe Dreyer Chris Ehrhardt Christopher Ehrhardt	Jerry Dreier Rod Davis Matt Weiman Fred Witte	Diane Dittmer Greg Dittmer Ken Klauser Brian Koch
Servers	Palin Cleaves Volunteer	The Benz Family	Pius IX Altar Servers	Gabby Fischer Volunteer
Greeters/ Gift Bearers	Mary Koch	William & Ann Dixon	Dan & Sharon Terwelp	Todd & Tera Smith Family
Rosary Leader	Dorothy Parn	Melanie Longenecker	Giny Baker	Rich & Alice Rakers

**In charity, please remember in your prayers:** All Caregivers, The Shut-Ins of our Parish, Military Members and their families, Albert Huber, Neva Nelson, Mike Hildebrand, Tanner Scranton, Florence Griesbaum, Jackie Schieferdecker, Cathy Watson, Dennis Meyer, Jesica Huber, James Ponsot, Mary Gehrt, Winnie Huber, Gerald S. Maas, Mark Frericks

**Also please remember in your prayers those who have died in 2022:** Melvin Maas, Anthony Engels, Alta Hildebrand, Frank Baumgartner, Susan Bauer, Robert Brown, Vince Dreier, Barbara Boone, Jay Wellman, Michelle Stull



**Nursing Care Patients**

**IL Veterans Home**

Michael Hildebrand

Albert Huber

Paul Stupasky

Jim Ponsot

**Good Samaritan Home**

Bill Wellman

**SUNSET**

Beverly Andrews

**Bickford Cottages**

Joanne Greving

**"Divorce and Beyond"** Workshop is designed to help support people beyond the pain of divorce. The workshop is for those who are divorced. Topics covered include: The Process of Divorce, Positive Self-Image, Handling Stress, Expressing Anger, Dealing with Blame and Guilt, Overcoming Difficulties, Decision to Forgive, Pathways to Growth, Children of Divorce, Annulment Process (for Catholics). Registration is required and a \$10 donation for materials is requested. People of any faith or no faith are welcome. The sessions will be on Wednesday nights from 6:30-8:00 p.m., beginning September 7, in the St. Francis Parish Center Bride's Room. Facilitators will be Drew and Julie Erwin. To register, call Julie at 217-257-5313 or email [Julie.gunn@comcast.net](mailto:Julie.gunn@comcast.net)



**The Mass Intention Books** for 2023 will open on July 1 at the parish office. In order that as many families as possible might have access to requesting Masses for friends and family on the weekends, we ask that such

requests be limited to once a month and spread out on both weekends and weekdays. We also ask that the Christmas and Easter holidays be taken by a particular intention no more than once every three years. We will do our best to accommodate anniversaries and birthdays, but typically we operate on a first-come, first served basis. The stipend set by the Diocese of Springfield remains \$10 for a Mass. For more information, please reprints from a series published in the July 2020 bulletins which appears on our parish website at [stanthonypadua.org](http://stanthonypadua.org).

Please pray for the repose of the soul of  
**Michelle Stull**  
Eternal Rest Grant to her O Lord,  
and let Perpetual Light  
shine on her.



**St. Anthony of Padua Church, Quincy**

**QCES FOUNDATION  
BACK-TO-SCHOOL  
"FUN" RAISER  
COCKTAIL PARTY**

**AUGUST 12, 2022 | 5:00-7:00 PM  
QUINCY COUNTRY CLUB**

**\$30 IN ADVANCE  
\$35 AT THE DOOR**



**INCLUDES APPETIZERS,  
BEER, AND WINE**

**PURCHASE TICKETS AT [QUINCYCATHOLICSCHOOLS.ORG](http://QUINCYCATHOLICSCHOOLS.ORG) OR CALL 217-779-3157**

**Perpetual Prayer Candle** Would you like to remember a loved one or have a special intention prayed for? Each week for 7 days we will pray for your intention. The donation for this is \$10. Please contact the parish office to reserve your week.

**"Important..."**If you or a family member goes into the hospital or are at home convalescing or otherwise confined to home due to age or health related problems, please let the office know so that Fr. Tom and I can be informed of your situation. This is especially true if some need exists such as Holy Communion, visits or other

need. Please do not assume that we know...we want to be there for you and your family. Secondly, if you or a family member is seriously ill or injured, please do not wait too long to seek Anointing of the Sick, especially if the situation is deemed possibly terminal. With fewer priests available and each of them are usually busy, contacting them to pass on the request can take some time on occasion. Again, Fr. Tom wants to be there for you and/or your loved one. When in doubt as to what to do, feel free to call. Thank you, Blessing....Deacon Harry



**St. Anthony Parish welcomes  
Jack Edward Johnson  
son of**

**Jay and Kelly Johnson**

**who was baptized July 16, 2022 into the Catholic faith.**

**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.**

## St. Anthony of Padua Church, Quincy, July 24, 2022

### **Quincy Notre Dame High School has the following positions open for the 2022-2023 school year**

\*Art Teacher / Graphic Design – Full Time

\* Cafeteria Support – Part Time

To receive full consideration, submit a cover letter, resume, and 2 recommendation letters by Friday, June 8, 2022 to:

Mark McDowell, Principal  
1400 South 11<sup>th</sup> Street, Quincy, IL 62301  
[mmcdowell@quincynotredame.org](mailto:mmcdowell@quincynotredame.org)

**ST. PETER ADORATION CHAPEL** have the following hours open: 4-5 p.m.; Thursday: 5-6 a.m. and noon-1p.m. Friday: 3-4 p.m. Thank you for your consideration. If you have any questions or want to sign up for a time please call Mary at 217-653-3127 or call or text Gina at 217-257-9966.

Patrick & Virginia Farrel are moving to Quincy. They are looking for a house to purchase. If you are aware of one in the parish, please text Patrick at 309-634-5370.

Fr. Don Blickhan

**Mark your calendar** for St. Brigid Catholic Church in Liberty is having their Homemade Ice Cream Social on August 6th, 4-7 p.m.

### **JULY GROCERY ITEMS**

***Canned Vegetables except Green Beans***

**The Ladies of Charity & Catholic Charities Thank You!**

**St. Peter School** is taking applications for the following positions for the 2022-2023 school year:

—A full time sub teaching position for the 2022-2023 school year. Applicants must be a certified teacher. Send resumes to [c.venvertloh@cospg.org](mailto:c.venvertloh@cospg.org) or 2500 Maine St. Quincy, IL 62301.

—Part-time Para Educators, part-time day care workers. Qualified applicants should send a cover letter, resume, and references to Mrs. Cindy Venvertloh, Principal, St. Peter School, 2500 Maine Street, Quincy, IL 62301 or [c.venvertloh@cospg.org](mailto:c.venvertloh@cospg.org).

**Quincy Public Schools**. Have you ever considered being a School Crossing Guard? Want to earn over \$600 a month? If you're interested in becoming a School Crossing Guard, Quincy Public Schools has both **Permanent** and **Substitute** positions. The pay is \$30.48 per day for the 2022-2023 school year. As positions become available, you can apply online at [www.qps.org](http://www.qps.org). After navigating to the website, click on "Careers", click "View Our Openings", click "View Our Open Positions", and then click on the "Security" link. Click the red "Apply" box of the desired position to start the application. Crossing Guards work approximately two hours a day, Monday through Friday, during the school year. See the website for additional information or call the Security Department at 217-228-4084.