



# St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church

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**October 23, 2022 Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## A Message from Fr. Tom Donovan:



The Gospel today shows two completely different kinds of prayer. One, the Pharisee, a man of influence and pride, prays a prayer to his own ego: “O, God, I thank you that I am not like the rest of humanity— greedy, dishonest, adulterous—or even like this tax collector. I fast and I pay tithes.” In contrast, the other man, the tax collector, comes before God and proclaims, “O God, be merciful to me, a sinner.”

Prayer is one of the most challenging activities of the Christian spiritual life. There are few peo-

ple out there who believe that they are praying “enough”. Many people wonder ‘how do I pray’ or ‘what do I pray about?’ These are all good questions, and there are many answers—too many to try to include in this small space.

But our Gospel this week shows us something important. Authentic prayer is never about the self; it can never be the opportunity for an ego-trip. We do not pray to complement or praise ourselves. We do not pray with the primary goal of satisfying our own needs and longings. Yes, there may be a need in our heart to pray, but this prayer flows from the heart, by the power of the Holy Spirit, in praise of God alone. Anything else is *idolatry*—praise or worship of anything which is *not* God.

The tax collector acknowledged that he stood before God empty-handed, needing only God’s love and forgiveness. We too, regardless of our riches and righteousness in this world, will all appear before the glory of God in need of redemption. The Pharisee could not see this, and thus had no room to receive anything from his Creator. He was telling God who he was and even separating himself from the worshipping community by telling God he was something better.

Humility is the virtue that conquers pride. Pride is the primordial sin from which all other sins come. To enter into prayer and God’s friendship, we must set aside worldly pride which tells us we are self-made people. Let us remember this as we pray and worship together.

We are getting into that time of year, so a friendly reminder: Please remember: when winter weather is bad, the Sunday obligation can be considered *lifted* when one reasonably believes that travel presents a significant hazard to them. This decision should be made conscientiously, but without scruple. A good standard would be to ask yourself if you would leave the house for any other non-emergency reason during the day, such as to go to the grocery store or a restaurant, to meet family or friends, or to attend a sports practice or game. We will make every effort here at the church to keep our grounds cleared for Saturday night and Sunday Mass, but cannot guarantee the safety of all of the grounds and sidewalks all of the time. Short of personal injury/illness to me or catastrophic physical plant problems, Sunday Mass will not be cancelled for weather emergencies, but please use better-than-normal discretion during ice, snow, and dangerous cold!



Parishioners are also urged to use prudence and good judgment with respect to cold and flu season. Stay home if you are sick! COVID is still a presence and concern, and especially for the elderly and the immune-compromised, this needs to be a consideration for the sake of your health and safety.

Those who find themselves unable to go to Mass due to weather, health, or any other reason are encouraged to spend time in prayer at home. We are blessed to have a televised Mass here in Quincy, thanks to the Knights of Columbus, who sponsor and produce the broadcast each week on KHQA. This is a worthy and pious means to join the Church in prayer and to stir the desire for the intimate Spiritual Communion experienced at Mass. But remember that television ‘attendance’ does not substitute for actual Mass attendance to fulfill the Sunday obligation. Rather, when God does not provide the means to attend Mass as usual due to legitimate health or safety concerns, the obligation is simply considered ‘lifted’.

### — 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., October 24, 2022

7:30 a.m. Leola Ehrhardt+

### Tues., October 25, 2022

7:30 a.m. Rollie Thomas+

### Wed., October 26, 2022

- at St. Dominic School

8:30 p.m. Patrick Rakers+

6:00 p.m. Communion Service

### Thurs., October 27, 2022

7:30 a.m. Communion Service

- at Good Samaritan

10:00 a.m. Alta Hildebrand+

### Fri., October 28, 2022

7:30 a.m. Micki Stull+

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Sat., October 29, 2022

4:00 p.m. Bob Zanger+

6:30 p.m. Marilyn Burgtorf+

### Sun., October 30, 2022

8:00 a.m. Vince Dreier+

10:30 a.m. Parish Intentions

### Perpetual Prayer Candle for Special Intentions

Week of October 22-28

Special Intention

### — Parish Office Hours —

Monday-Friday

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

Bulletin Deadline: Monday, Noon

# St. Dominic School

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A Message from Mrs. Carol Frericks—Principal

## St. Dominic and St. Peter 8th Graders Visit Basilica in Washington D.C.



During the St. Dominic School and St. Peter School 8th Grade trip to Washington D.C. last week, one of the highlights was their visit to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. Fr. Zach Samples who serves as the Parochial Vicar at St. Peter Church led the guided tour for the students and chaperones. Our 8th grade students enjoyed the opportunity to tour the amazing National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception for our Catholic Church and have Mass together in the Basilica.

### Diocesan Mission Mass at Cathedral

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### MARK YOUR CALENDARS

#### Wednesday, October 19

11:00a.m. 8th Grade Class attends Diocesan Mission Mass at Cathedral in Springfield

#### Saturday, October 22

6:30 p.m. Holy Moments Mass for 8th Grade

#### Tuesday, October 25

6:30 p.m. Marketing Meeting

#### Wednesday, October 26

8:30 a.m. School Mass

#### Thursday, October 27 1/2 Day of School

11:30 Dismissal Parent-Teacher Conferences

#### Friday, October 28 No School

Parent-Teacher Conferences



# Upcoming Events

## Pastoral Council Nominees 2022



In November of each year we have pastoral council elections. Candidates for the parish council must be over the age of 18 and a St. Anthony parish member who is a regular supporter of the parish through service activities or financial support or a combination of both and also have taken Protecting God's Children or Empowering God's Children and have completed a background check as required by the Diocese of Springfield. Any active and contributing parish member over 18 may nominate his or herself. If you nominate a person other than yourself, please contact that person to ask if they are willing to accept the nomination. The nomination ballots will be in the pews this weekend, October 22-23. Please turn in nomination ballots in the collection basket or to the parish office by October 24th, 2022. Elections will be the weekend of the November 12-13. If you have questions about serving on the parish council please feel free to contact the parish office or Vicki Wittland 217-223-9936.

Pastoral Council members now are:

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| Debbie Davis-term ends     | Paula Thoele                               |
| Dorothy Haley-term ends    | Craig Shafer                               |
| Vicki Wittland-term ends   | Kurtis Fischer-represents Men's Society    |
| Mark Wellman-term ends     | Penny Weiman-represents PTO/Ladies Society |
| Gary Blickhan              | Kim Peters -represents Stewardship         |
| Pat Klingele               | Hope Glidewell-Faith, Family & Formation   |
| Jackie Dreyer              | Carol Frericks-Principal                   |
| Jim Obert -Chairman        | Deacon Harry Cramer                        |
| Greg Andrews-Vice Chairman | Fr. Tom Donovan                            |
| Dave Keck                  |  |
| Jon Thoele                 |  |

We thank all of our members for serving on Pastoral Council.

## Trunk or Treat

**Sunday, October 23**



Mark your calendar for Trunk or Treat that will be held on Sunday, October 23rd! Come at 2:30 to start decorating cars. 3-5 for the event. We have fun stations for the kids to do after trick or treating Lots of fun for trick or treaters and adults alike.

## RCIA

**Mondays, 7:00 p.m.**



It's time to be thinking about welcoming new Catholics! The typical time to prepare our new Catholics for the sacraments is for the Easter Vigil. We have begun a group for the **Order of Christian Initiation of Adults**. Sessions are on Monday evenings at 7:00 p.m. We already have four candidates and we would love to have a good-sized group to share the experience of discovering the Faith! For more information or to let us know you are coming, please call the parish office at (217) 222-5996.

## St. Anthony Men's Society Pancake & Sausage Breakfast Sunday, December 11, 2022



Mark your calendars for the Pancake & Sausage Breakfast on Sunday, December 11th! More information in next week's bulletin.

## — Parish Data —

PARISH CALENDAR	
<u>Monday, October 24</u>	
6:30 p.m.	Butterfly Ministry
7:00 p.m.	RCIA
<u>Tuesday, October 25</u>	
6:30 p.m.	Surviving Divorce
<u>Wednesday, October 26</u>	
6:00 p.m.	Communion Service
6:30 p.m.	Wisdom
<u>Thursday, October 27</u>	
6:00 p.m.	Grief Share 1/2 Day School (Parent/Teacher Conferences)
<u>Friday, October 28</u>	
	No School (Parent/Teacher Conferences)
<u>Saturday, October 29</u>	
4:00 p.m.	Mass
6:30 p.m.	Mass
<u>Sunday, October 30</u>	
8:00 a.m.	Mass
9:10 -10:20 a.m.	Sacramental Preparation Class
9:00-10:15 a.m.	Family of Faith
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 16	Oct. 15/16	Total Year-to-Date
Loose Collection	\$ 630.00	\$ 10,824.62
Weekly Envelopes	\$ 6,505.00	\$ 143,161.17
Electronic Deposits	\$ 0.00	\$ 15,554.00
<b>Total, Oct. 15/16, 2022</b>	<b>\$ 7,135.00</b>	<b>\$ 169,539.79</b>
<b>Budget Goal</b> <small>(we need no less than this to stay out of deficit spending for the year!)</small>	<b>\$ 13,000.00</b>	<b>\$ 208,000.00</b>
<b>Difference</b>	<b>(-\$ 5,865.00)</b>	<b>(-\$ 38,460.21)</b>

Counters: Monday, October 24, 2022  
Bill Anderson Norma Weiman Lou Ann Weills

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)	<b>\$44, 549.82</b>
Debt Reduction Envelopes <i>Thank you!</i> —>	Cumulative, 10/9 \$5,246.00

**Parish Community Tithe (PCT) News:**

**Be watching for the "Season of Stewardship" materials** that will be arriving in the coming weeks. We count on your support, now more than ever, to insure we don't fall behind in our obligations and that we continue to maintain our ministries and facilities at St. Anthony Church & St. Dominic School. Thank you!

### Parish Ministry Schedule - Sat.& Sun., October 29 & 30

	Saturday, 4:00 PM	Saturday, 6:30 PM	Sunday, 8:00 AM	Sunday, 10:30 AM
<b>Key Minister/</b>	Jr. & Jackie Dreyer		Gene & Rita Goerlich	Jan Barnard
<b>Lector</b>	Jackie Dreyer	David Keck	Mary Koch	Janice E. Pohlman
<b>Usher</b>	Randy Huber Jack Kuhlman Bob Maas Raymond Maas	RJ Boone Dan Boone Ryan Boone Tom Boone	Mark Neisen Ken Peter Dan Terwelp Matt Weiman	Frank Arnold Ken Klauser Brian Koch David McCleary
<b>Servers</b>	Volunteers	Pius IX Altar Servers	Abraham Venvertloh Addison Weiman	Madison McCleary Volunteer
<b>Greeters/ Gift Bearers</b>	Dorothy Parn	Elmer & Jeanne Maas	Leon & Kay Lentz	Todd & Tera Smith Family
<b>Rosary Leader</b>	Norma Weiman	Trisha Mathews	Jerry & Trudy Dreier	Janice E. Pohlman

**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, 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  
Ruth Schmelzle

**Bickford Cottages**

Joanne Greving

**St. Vincent**

Lois Wand



**The QND Extravaganza, "Roaring 20's"**, will be held on Friday, November 18, 2022 at the Ambiance, 5225 Kochs Lane. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. with dinner at 7:00 p.m. Ticket price per person is \$65 and includes bid number for online silent auctions, buffet dinner, beer, wine, and soda. Online bidding

for silent auction items starts on Wed., Nov. 16th at 5:00 p.m. There will be live auctions the night of the event. Separate raffle ticket for \$3,000 cash or \$4,000 tuition credit to QND or an area Catholic Grade school are \$50 each. Event tickets are available at [Extravaganza 2022 \(ejoinme.org\)](http://Extravaganza2022.ejoinme.org). Raffle tickets are available at the online address or the Gene Grawe office in St. Peter Church, 2600 Maine Street.

**Catholic Youth Organization** The CYO of Quincy has proudly served the Catholic Elementary Schools of Quincy as well as Holy Family Catholic in Hannibal, MO and St. James Lutheran of Quincy for 93 years. We have also in recent years invited students from public schools in Quincy, Payson, Liberty, Camp Point, Mt. Sterling and

Mendon. The CYO mission continues to be to provide social, spiritual, educational and athletic programs for these students. We will begin in the 2022-2023 year with girls' volleyball for 3rd-8th grade on Sept 11, 2022 at 1:00 PM at QU Fitness Center. We will have basketball for Girls and Boys in 1st-8th grade starting on Jan 8, 2023 with registration opening Oct 17, 2022. We will also have Spring girls' volleyball starting March 12, 2023 with registration beginning Feb 1, 2023.



**Birthright Trivia Night & Silent Auction 2022:** We are excited to announce that we will be having our 13th annual trivia night and silent auction IN PERSON on Saturday, November 5th at the QU Health and Fitness Center! Doors open and auction begins at 5:00pm; trivia begins at 6:45pm sharp! Registration is \$125 for teams of up to 8 people. Please visit [www.birthrightquincylil.org](http://www.birthrightquincylil.org) or our Facebook page for more details and registration, or you may call the Birthright office at 217-224-1277 if you have any questions. This is our largest fundraiser which helps us continue to serve the needs of mothers and babies right here in our community. We hope you will join us!

**The Quincy Deanery Council of Catholic Women** extends an invite to all women of the parishes to come to their next meeting on Thursday, November 3rd at St. Thomas Catholic Church, 109 E. Spring, Camp Point, IL. Registration begins at 8:00 a.m. in the hall adjacent to the church. Registration and lunch is \$6. 8:30 a.m. Mass and Rosary with Fr. Aaron Kuhn as celebrant. Fr. Aaron Kuhn is the spiritual advisor for the Quincy Deanery Council of Catholic Women. The meeting and lunch following in the church hall. Theme and Activities of the Day: Purgatory and the Saints. There will be a Silent Auction and a Share Table (bring items you no longer want). Please call St. Anthony Parish office (222-5996) to register if possible by October 28th.

**Ladies of the Parish** save the date for the Ladies Christmas Party which will be held Monday, December 5th in the Parish Hall. We will begin dinner at 6:00 p.m.



**THANK YOU** to all of the ladies and men of the parish who baked goods for the bake sales at the Chicken Dinner and the Craft Show. We really appreciate all of your hard work!

**OCTOBER GROCERY ITEMS**  
*Canned Meals, Pasta Sauce, Rice Mixes*  
**The Ladies of Charity & Catholic Charities**

**EMPOWERING GOD'S CHILDREN** For more information please contact the parish office 222-5996 or email [bulletin@stanthonyapadua.org](mailto:bulletin@stanthonyapadua.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, October 23, 2022

**St. Joseph Church, Quincy, Il., is having their Annual Holy Name Trap Shoot** on Sunday, November 6<sup>th</sup>. Trap Shooting and Card Playing with prizes of Turkey and Bacon, during the day. Starts at Noon and have soup, sandwiches, and drinks. All are Welcome! Two Traps.

**TURKEY DINNER!** We are having our annual Turkey Dinner at St. Edward the Confessor in Mendon Illinois on Sunday, October 30<sup>th</sup> starting at 11 AM until 1:30 PM Carry Outs are available. Meals are \$12 for Adults and \$8 Children 10 and under. Join us for a delicious homemade meal!

### **St. Francis Ladies Card Party**

When: Thursday, November 3

11 to 3 pm (doors open 10:30am)

Where: St. Francis Parish Center

Cost: \$10 a person (includes lunch and chance at a door prize)

Please call Pat Winking 217-257-0416. Only one member of your group should call. Reserve your table now!"

### **Sign of the Cross Presentation with Deacon Dennis**

**Holbrook:** Men and women of all ages: Saints Study invites you to an exciting evening with Deacon Dennis Holbrook! Join us Tuesday, November 1 at 7:00 p.m. in the St. Francis Parish Hall. Deacon Holbrook will share the Catholic Roots History of the Sign of the Cross. All are welcome! For more information contact Karen Weiman 217-242-5513 or Kelli Lunt 217-617-1566.

**ST. FRANCIS QUILTERS INVITE** other quilters to join them on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 a.m. -3 p.m. The quilting room is in the lower level of the Parish Center, feel free to stop by to meet the ladies. Please call Kay Gallaher if you have any questions: 217-223-4922.

**Junefest & St. Anthony Picnic 2023!** It is time to start planning and in order to do this we need chairpersons! If you are interested or have any questions please contact Jackie Dreyer 217-222-8049.

**Knights of Columbus Friday night Chicken dinners** serving 5-7 p.m. All you can eat \$13, children \$6. Eat in or carry out.