

# St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church

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*St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church is a diverse community of people, unified in Christ on a faith journey to salvation through worship, education and service.*

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#### Sunday Masses

Saturday: 5:00 PM  
Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 AM, 7:30 PM

#### Weekday Masses

Monday-Friday: 6:45 AM, 5:15 PM  
Saturday: 8:00 AM

#### Confessions

Saturday: 3:30-4:45 PM  
15 minutes before daily morning Mass  
30 minutes before daily evening Mass

#### Parish Office Hours

Monday: 1:00 PM – 5:00 PM  
Tuesday-Friday: 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
1:00 PM – 5:00 PM

#### Eucharistic Exposition

Thursday: 7:15 AM to Midnight

**Baptism:** Contact Parish Office during pregnancy to register for classes.

**Marriage:** Contact Parish Office 6 months prior to schedule a wedding date.

#### To Register in the Parish:

Please see a priest after Mass.

**Prayer Chain:** 701-235-0308

**St. Vincent de Paul:** 701-566-0638

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent

February 28, 2016



“I have witnessed the affliction of My people... Therefore I have come down to rescue them... and lead them out of that land into a good and spacious land, a land flowing with milk and honey.” – Exodus 3:7-8

### Please Pray For...

**Those of our Parish who are sick or suffering**, especially Louis Bertrand, Barbara Helseth, Robert Jundt, Don McAllister, Joan Mitchell, Betty Schiele, and Marge Templin.

**Our sympathy and prayers as a Parish** are with the family of David and Karen Moszer on the death of their son, Jason Moszer.

#### OFFERTORY FOR February 21

	Amount Given	Budget
Sunday Collection	\$6,925.20	
Online Giving	\$2,152.00	
Total Giving	\$9,077.20	\$12,827.00
Year to Date	\$432,225.26	\$448,945.00

### God's Gift Appeal

Thanks to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2016 God's Gift Appeal. If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, it is not too late to help St. Anthony's meet our target. Please participate in the support of our diocesan church.

\*\*\* You may submit announcements in writing to be considered for inclusion in this bulletin before noon on Tuesday via email: [sara@stanthonyfargo.org](mailto:sara@stanthonyfargo.org) \*\*\*

## Mass Schedule

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### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 29

*2 Kgs 5:1-15ab/Lk 4:24-30*

6:45 AM ++Paul and Harriet Greving

5:15 PM +Ann Johnson

### TUESDAY, MARCH 1

*Dan 3:25, 34-43/Mt 18:21-35*

6:45 AM +Sr. Helena Maria

5:15 PM +Fr. Leonard Loegering

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 2

*Deut 4:1, 5-9/Mt 5:17-19*

6:45 AM +Adrienne Sullivan

5:15 PM +Harold Weis

### THURSDAY, MARCH 3

St. Katharine Drexel, *Virgin*

*Jer 7:23-28/Lk 11:14-23*

6:45 AM Justin, Amanda and August Henke

5:15 PM Philip McNamara

### FRIDAY, MARCH 4

St. Casimir

**Obligatory day of abstinence from meat**

*Phil 3:8-14/Jn 15:9-17*

6:45 AM Tom Kempf Family

10:00 AM Mass at Bethany Homes

5:15 PM Amy Lee

### SATURDAY, MARCH 5

*Hos 6:1-6/Lk 18:9-14*

8:00 AM +Louie Kulas

5:00 PM +Adrienne Sullivan

### SUNDAY, MARCH 6

**4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent (Lætäre Sunday)**

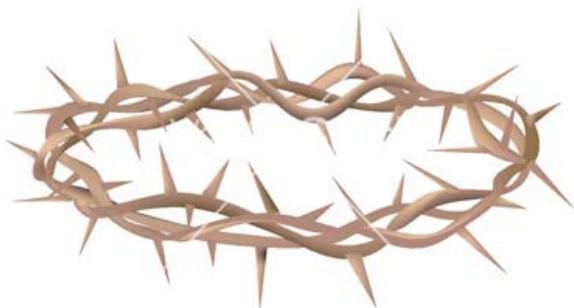
*Josh 5:9a, 10-12/2 Cor 5:17-21/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32*

7:30 AM +Harold Weis

9:00 AM ++Leo and Delores Grandbois

10:30 AM +Charlie Bowman

7:30 PM Parishioners of St. Anthony



## Church Calendar

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### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28

Coffee and Rolls after AM Masses

- Served by the Knights of Columbus

3:00 PM Divine Mercy Chaplet

### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 29

8:00 AM–1:00 PM *Parish Office Closed*

**March is the Month of St. Joseph.**

### TUESDAY, MARCH 1

7:00 PM St. Vincent de Paul Conference

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 2

3:00 PM Legion of Mary

5:30 PM Simple Supper

6:30 PM B1 Night

7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal

### THURSDAY, MARCH 3

1:00 PM Senior card player group

7:00 PM Parables of Mercy study

### FRIDAY, MARCH 4

**Obligatory day of abstinence from meat**

5:30 PM KC Fish Dinner

6:45 PM Stations of the Cross

### SATURDAY, MARCH 5

3:30 PM Confessions

### SUNDAY, MARCH 6

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday Food Collection

Coffee and Rolls after AM Masses

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## 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday Food Collection, March 6

Our Parish Food Pantry is in need of food basics like baked beans, mac n' cheese, etc. as well as soap, toothpaste and tooth brushes. Toilet paper, paper towels, baby diapers, and wipes are often requested as well. Thank you so much to those of you who keep the pantry in mind when you shop. Please add a couple of these items to your shopping list and drop them off here at the church next Sunday or anytime. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

LAY MINISTERS FIRST SUNDAY					
	Proclaimers	Altar Servers	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion		
Saturday 5:00 PM	Lori Reinertson	Taylor Schmidt Carter Mitchell Mel & Therese Odour	Lorraine Crouse Dorothy Jordan	Pat Kerzman Jeaninne McAllister	Gene Hersch
Sunday 7:30 AM	Barb Ruzicka	August Grothmann Emma Grothmann	Brad Bisek Chuck Ruzicka	Yvonne Rock Shirley Sweeney	
Sunday 9:00 AM	Ed Mitchell Rob Bernhardt	Madeleine Smith Anna Bernhardt Katrina Gietzen	Mary Belcourt Dick Niebauer	Lorine Bernhardt Judy Niebauer	Don Kinzler
Sunday 10:30 AM	Paul Marsolek	Anthony Mitchell Haison Nguyen Nina Vi	Kara Bailey Tammy DeSautel	Paul Bailey Don Radeck	Joyce Bowman
Sunday 7:30 PM	Steve Cossette	Leo & Max Devick Michael Grensteiner	Mary Klubberud Rod Stoa	Mary Stoa Jane Schuh	

## Religious Education



**PIZZA!** SIMPLE SUPPER: To enable all parishioners to attend our March Be One night, the students (and families) from 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade will help serve a pizza simple supper. Your free-will offering will off-set the cost, but it is your presence we most desire. Please join us from 5:30-6:30 PM in the Social Hall, this Wednesday, March 2.



BE ONE: All Parishioners are invited this Wednesday to Be One Holy, Catholic, and Apostolic Church as we gather to encounter Christ and dig deeper into our Lenten journey. Our discussion will be directed to parishioners of all ages and will be followed by small group discussions for various age-groups and an opportunity for Eucharistic adoration. 6:30-7:45 PM in the church.

FIRST EUCHARIST PARENT SESSION #1 MARCH 9: Parents of youth preparing to receive the sacrament of Holy Communion are to attend a session on March 9, beginning at 6:30 PM in the church. Many of those who should attend were recently at a parent session for Confirmation; thank you to all parents guiding your children to grow closer to Christ through the sacraments.

## Lent 2016

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: We will make the Stations of the Cross as a parish every Friday of Lent at 6:45 PM in the church.

KC FRIDAY FISH DINNERS: The Knights of Columbus are serving up the best way to spend your Lenten Fridays; join us in the social hall each Friday during Lent from 5:30-7:00 PM. Have your fish baked or fried, your potatoes fried or baked, and Mac n Cheese that is so great you might forget it's Lent!



Consider making a \$10 donation for Easter Flowers in the name of a loved one. Complete this form and drop it with your Sunday contribution by Palm Sunday.

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_ Donation \$ \_\_\_\_\_

In memory of (deceased)  In the name of (living) \_\_\_\_\_

## Lent 2016 cont.

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### AREA PARISH PENANCE SERVICES:

Mon. February 29 – St. Francis, Moorhead	7:00 PM	Thu. March 17 – Nativity	7:00 PM
Sun. March 6 – Holy Spirit	4:00 PM	Fri. March 18 – St. Leo, Casselton	7:00 PM
Tue. March 8 – Holy Cross, W. Fargo	7:00 PM	Sun. March 20 – St. Mary’s Cathedral	4:00 PM
Thu. March 10 – Blessed Sacrament, W. Fargo	7:00 PM	Sun. March 20 – St. Benedict, Wild Rice	4:00 PM
Mon. March 14 – St. Joseph, Moorhead	7:00 PM	<b>Tue. March 22 – St. Anthony</b>	<b>7:00 PM</b>
Tue. March 15 – Sts. Anne & Joachim	7:00 PM	Wed. March 23 – St. Paul’s Newman Center	7:00 PM
Wed. March 16 – St. Maurice, Kindred	7:00 PM		

# Lent Fish Dinners

**Sponsored by  
our Knights of Columbus\***

**Fridays, February 12 through March 18  
5:30 – 7:00 PM**



**Join us!!**

**ADULTS: \$9**  **YOUTH: \$5**  **PRESCHOOL: FREE**  
(1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade)

**\*A portion of proceeds will support youth traveling to Poland for World Youth Day 2016**

## 24 Hours for the Lord – Confessions

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As part of the Jubilee of Mercy, Bishop Folda has asked priests to be available to hear confessions for 24 consecutive hours at St. Mary’s Cathedral. This event, which Pope Francis calls *24 Hours for the Lord* begins at 7:00 PM on Friday, March 4 with Stations of the Cross and a Penance Service led by Bishop Folda. Priests will then be available in the confessionals until 7:00 PM on Saturday, March 5, at which point the event concludes with Vespers. The Cathedral will be unlocked for the full 24 hours, and you may come for confession at any time, day or night. Please spread the word and invite others to experience God’s mercy in the sacrament of confession.

## Community Events

**THE YOUNG MESSIAH MOVIE:** The Youth and Young Adult office of the Diocese of Fargo has acquired 200+ tickets for the premier movie, *The Young Messiah*, showing at West Acres Marcus Theater in Fargo on Thursday, March 10 at 7:00 PM. This movie is rated PG13, parent discretion suggested, and is a biblical story of Jesus Christ from His childhood through His crucifixion! If you are interested in obtaining tickets, please email [kathy.loney@fargodiocese.org](mailto:kathy.loney@fargodiocese.org) before March 1. Please leave your name, address, phone number and how many tickets you want.

**RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT:** If you or someone you know has suffered from the physical, emotional, and spiritual effects of a past abortion, there is hope for healing. Rachel's Vineyard offers a safe, non-judgmental, and confidential weekend retreat for anyone: women, men, grandparents, and siblings who struggle with the feelings of loss that can accompany an abortion experience. The weekend begins on a Friday night and concludes on Sunday afternoon. A Rachel's Vineyard Retreat is scheduled for March 18-20. For more information or to register, contact Ruth Ruch at 701-219-3941 or [ruch@i29.net](mailto:ruch@i29.net). All calls are confidential.

**PRO-LIFE PRAYER APOSTOLATE:** Spiritual Works of Mercy directed towards the cause for life can be an opportunity for us to extend the healing touch of Christ's mercy to mothers in need, to the unborn whose lives are threatened by a misguided compassion for women, and to those who would promote a culture of death. Please join us in a prayer for life during this Year of Mercy. We gather every Wednesday from 10-11:30 AM at the Pastoral Center Chapel, 5201 Bishops Blvd. This is the time women are entering the abortion facility in Fargo. The added sacrifice it takes to travel to the Chapel can be part of this much needed spiritual work of prayer to further the culture of life in our state. For more information contact Rachelle in the Respect Life Office at 701-356-7910 or [rachelle.sauvageau@fargodiocese.org](mailto:rachelle.sauvageau@fargodiocese.org).

### JPII CATHOLIC SCHOOLS



### NATIVITY SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

Friday, March 4<sup>th</sup>  
11:00am – 1:00pm

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GRADES 6-8
- SHANLEY SCHOOL  
GRADES 9-12

FOR MORE INFORMATION  
OR TO SCHEDULE A  
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