

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

Eucharistic Exposition Thursday: 7:15 AM to Midnight

Confessions Saturday: 3:45-4:45 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

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.

St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church

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> **33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time** November 15, 2015



"And then they will see 'the Son of Man coming in the clouds' with great power and glory, and then He will send out the angels and gather His elect from the four winds, from the end of the earth to the end of the sky." – Mark 13:26-27

Please Pray For...

Those of our Parish who are sick or suffering, especially Louis Bertrand, Margaret Burgess, Justin Reynolds, Ed Rowell, Betty Schiele.

Administration

OFFERTORY FOR November 8

	Amount Given	Budget
Sunday Collection	\$11,499.04	
Online Giving	\$3,190.00	
Total Giving	\$14,689.04	\$12,827.00
Year to Date	\$202,644.93	\$243,713.00



<u>THANKSGIVING HOURS</u>: Our offices will be closed on Thursday and Friday, November 26 and 27, in celebration of the Thanksgiving holiday. There will be one Mass on Thursday the 26^{th} at 9:00 AM.

Liturgy

<u>THANKSGIVING DAY MINISTRY SIGN UP:</u> A sign-up sheet is in the Sacristy for liturgical ministers who can volunteer at our 9:00 AM Mass on Thanksgiving Day, November 26. Please stop by to sign up or call Samantha at the Parish Office, 701-237-6063.

<u>ADORATION:</u> We will <u>NOT</u> have Eucharistic Adoration on Thanksgiving, Thursday, November 26.

You may submit announcements in writing to be considered for inclusion in this bulletin before noon on Tuesday via email: <u>sarastanthonyfargo.org</u>

Mass Schedule

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16

 St. Margaret of Scotland

 St. Gertrude, Virgin

 1 Macc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63/Lk 18:35-43

 6:45 AM

 +Florence

 5:15 PM
 All Carmelites, living and deceased

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 17

St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious2 Macc 6:18-31/Lk 19:1-106:45 AM+Leora Hogan5:15 PM++Joseph Haag and Dan Haag

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18

Dedication of the Basilicas of Sts. Peter and Paul St. Rose Philippine Duchesne, *Virgin Acts 28:11-16, 30-31/Mt 14:22-33* 6:45 AM +Souls in Purgatory 5:15 PM +Harold Weis

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19

1 Macc 2:15-29/LR 19:41-44

6:45 AMLenore and +Mark Sweeney5:15 PMSteven Putzer

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20

Obligatory day of abstinence (or some other penance)1 Macc 4:36-37, 52-59/L& 19:45-486:45 AM+Jeff Skuza10:00 AMMass at Bethany Homes

5:15 PM +John Noah

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21

Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary 1 Macc 6:1-13/Lk 20:27-40 8:00 AM Pope Francis 5:00 PM +John Noah

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22

Christ the King

Dan 12:1-3/H	еб 10:11-14, 18/Mk 13:24-32
7:30 AM	Parishioners of St. Anthony
9:00 AM	+Vicky Differding
10:30 AM	Bishop John T. Folda
7:30 PM	+Gilberta Clemenson

Divine Mercy Chaplet

Join us each Sunday at 3:00 PM to pray the Divine Mercy chaplet. We will specifically pray for those who have cancer, but offer up personal prayer as well.

Church Calendar

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15

Breakfast after AM Masses - Served by the Knights of Columbus 3:00 PM Divine Mercy Chaplet

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16

8:00 AM-1	:00 PM Parish Office Closed
12:10 PM	33 Days to Morning Glory - #2
5:45 PM	33 Days to Morning Glory - #2
7:00 PM	Exodus Bible Study – Rm. 208

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 17

7:15 AM	33 Days to Morning Glory - #2
7:00 PM	St. Vincent de Paul conference
7:00 PM	Finance Committee meeting

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18

3:00 PM	Legion of Mary
4:00 PM	NET Retreat for 6-8 graders
6:30 PM	Religious Education
6:30 PM	Beginning Apologetics
7:00 PM	Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19

1:00 PM	Senior card player group
7:00 PM	33 Days to Morning Glory - #3

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20

Obligatory day of abstinence (or other penance)7:15 AM33 Days to Morning Glory - #3

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21 3:45 PM Confessions

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22

Coffee and Rolls after AM Masses - Served by the Knights of Columbus 3:00 PM Divine Mercy Chaplet

Today's Breakfast Supports WYD

It is amazing that, as we prepare to enter the Year of Mercy, our students will be traveling to the land where the image of Divine Mercy was revealed to St. Faustina. This trip is only made possible through generous donations by faithful parishioners. Thank you for supporting these young people. We would like to thank the Knights of Columbus in particular for their wonderful support!!

LAY MINISTERS FOURTH SUNDAY					
	Proclaimers	Altar Servers	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion		
Saturday 5:00 PM	Helen Steffens	Anthony Mitchell Haison Nguyen Nina Vi	Donna Honek Joan Schaefer	Lori Jones Gen Tougas	
Sunday 7:30 AM	Deb Kuntz Barb Ruzicka	Flugence Nisisngizwe Geneivieve Ingabire J.Bosco Usavyimana	Betty Kiser Pat Paumen	Tim McMullen Theresa Stickel	Frank Paumen
Sunday 9:00 AM	Janet Weinmann Carol Petty	Hunter Mathias Isaac Kinzler Jacob Kinzler	Gloria Hogue Jay Schmallen	Paul Knoll Todd Weinmann	Bill Petty
Sunday 10:30 AM	Jeff Bozovsky	Leo & Max Devick Michael Grensteiner	Melissa Bozovsky Carmelle Nelson	Tammy Desautel Jenny Nielsen	Bobbie Hogan
Sunday 7:30 PM	Chris Thoms	Nicholas Seefeld Hannah Seefeld	Marlys Hareland Rod Stoa	Linette Knoll Chris Thoms	Mary Stoa



33 Days to Morning Glory retreat continues

Retreat Companion Packets remain available. **Group sessions** encourage you on your way as well by sharing the experience with others in the process. The same information will be presented at each session in a given week, starting on Thursdays in Rm. 206.

Choose from 5 weekly Group Sessions:
Thursday 7:00 PM - Fr. Courtright (November 19, December 3, 10)*
Friday 7:15 AM - Joshua Bartholomew (November 20, 27, December 4, 11)
Monday 12:10-12:55 - Fr. Gross (November 16, 23, 30, December 7, 14)
Monday 5:45 PM - Dcn. Longtin (November 16, 23, 30, December 7 and 14)
Tuesday 7:15 AM - Michael Wilde (November 17, 24, December 1, 8, 15)

*There will not be a group session on Thursday, November 26 in observance of Thanksgiving. Please attend one of the sessions on November 27, 30 or December 1 to go over the group material for Week 4.

If you are unable to attend the weekly parish sessions, you can participate in the personal retreat on your own.

Religious Education

<u>REMINDER TO ALL STUDENTS IN 6TH, 7TH, OR 8TH GRADE</u>: The National Evangelization Team (NET) is coming to Fargo and you should participate. Wednesday, November 18, 4:00–9:00 PM at the Holy Spirit Social Hall. Bring a friend and join 6th-8th graders from area Catholic parishes for a night retreat of inspiring dramas, skits, prayer, games, music, snacks and pizza led by the college-aged NET Team from St. Paul, MN. Cost is \$10.00. Forms are due tomorrow by 1:00 PM and are found next to the bulletin board in the Gathering Place.

<u>FOOD BASKET PREPARATION</u>: This Wednesday is the chance to win a pizza party and participate in a corporal work of mercy (Feeding the Hungry). Each year the Religious Ed program partners with our St. Vincent de Paul conference to provide Thanksgiving Day baskets to the poor. Students can bring items to class on Wednesday and be a part of this effort. We encourage donations of canned vegetables, evaporated milk, stuffing mix, pumpkin pie filing, chicken broth, potatoes, and gravy mix. Other food items are welcome as well.

UPCOMING RE EVENTS:

November 18 – Thanksgiving food collection November 21 – Thanksgiving basket /pizza party December 2 – Simple Supper / Be One Night December 5/6 – Bake Sale December 6 – Pictures with St. Nick! December 13 – Sunday School Christmas Program December 16 – Parish Bingo

Parish Sacrificial Giving Program

This weekend, Fr. Courtright and Fr. Gross spoke to our parish family about Fr. Courtright's recent letter to you regarding the effort presently underway to increase offertory contributions – *if you have not received this letter already, it should come to you tomorrow*. Through this Parish Sacrificial Giving Program we are being invited to reflect on the gifts we have received and pray about how God wants us to use these gifts in His work in our parish. In the coming days, all our registered households will receive a second letter from Father, inviting their participation in this important effort that will improve St. Anthony's future financial outlook and the quality of pastoral life. Together we can work to advance the mission and ministry of the Church by sharing the gifts God has granted us. We welcome you to join us in joyfully supporting the Parish Sacrificial Giving Program.

Thanksgiving Baskets

Our local St. Vincent de Paul Conference is once again putting together food baskets for the poor this Thanksgiving. They are asking for your help in one (or both!) of two ways:

- 1. FOOD DONATIONS: Stuffing mix/bread crumbs, potatoes, butter, canned corn, beans, olives, pickles and cranberries, bread, Jell-O, pudding, pumpkin pie filling, pie crusts, whipped cream mix and evaporated milk. Donation can be dropped off at the parish office all this week, until Friday, November 20. We will accept monetary donations for turkeys, but if you want to buy a turkey for donation, please call Mary Stoa at 701-356-7899.
- 2. BASKET DELIVERY: Baskets will be delivered on Saturday, November 21 between 10:00 AM and NOON. This is a great way to get the whole family involved! If you are interested in helping, please call Mary Stoa at 701-356-7899.

Community Events

<u>SR. MAURELLA 10TH ANNIVERSARY MEMORIAL</u>: Friday, November 20. Rosary at 4:15 PM, Mass at 5:15 and social gathering immediately following in the St. Anthony social hall. Sisters stew and special dessert treats will be served. Several friends of Sister Maurella will be present to share some memories of her and her favorite Catholic devotions. All are welcome.

<u>NEED GIFT CARDS THIS CHRISTMAS?</u> Does your business have someone go around town purchasing gift cards for the office employees at Christmas? Let JPII Catholic Schools' gift card program save you time with ONE STOP SHOPPING. You can stop by the tables after Mass or if you have a really large order, contact Janelle Pederson at 701-371-0512 or janelle.pederson@jp2schools.org.

<u>HUGS SERVICE PROJECT</u>: American Heritage Girls are accepting donations to fill 300 HUGS duffle bags for foster children, Head Start children and newborns: diapers, baby wipes, baby wash and lotions, coloring books, crayons, blankets, play-doh, stuffed animals, puzzles, small toys, journals, children's books, pencils, pens, markers, and notebooks. A box for donations is located in the entrance of the church! Donations must be received by Wednesday, November 18. Monetary donations are also greatly appreciated! For more information please visit www.ahgonline.org or email teamkotrba@gmail.com.

<u>A BEGINNING EXPERIENCE WEEKEND</u> will be held at Maryvale, Valley City, November 20-22. This is a peer ministry Support Weekend for divorced, widowed and separated persons. It is sponsored by the Diocese of Fargo but open to people of all faiths or no faith. For more information or to register, call Val at 218- 415-0101 or Vickie at 701-866-5682

Community Events cont.

<u>FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY</u>: Looking for a great Christmas gift? Give your loved ones the gift of education. Starting Wednesday, December 2 at 6:30 PM St. Benedict's parish in Wild Rice will present a 9-week course on financial peace developed by Dave Ramsey. It doesn't matter if they are dead broke or just struggling a little. The route to financial independence is paved in knowledge. Managing money properly will reduce stress improve marriage, build wealth and give peace like no other. For more information, go to <u>www.DaveRamsey.com</u> or contact Dave McNeil at 701-367-5743 or <u>dmcneil7@yahoo.com</u>.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: Our diocesan adoration chapel has three hours without permanent adorers. Please consider keeping our Lord company on Sundays 4:00-5:00 PM, Tuesdays 5:00-6:00 AM or Saturdays 4:00-5:00 PM. There are a few other hours in need of a second adorer as well. Please contact Cindy at 701-232-5985 or Marilyn at 701-347-4031.

<u>4TH SEMIANNUAL HOLIDAY CHIC BOUTIQUE:</u> Saturday November 21, 2:00-6:30 PM at St.Francis de Sales Church in Moorhead, MN. We have 40 Artisans, crafters and direct sales companies, Silent Auction, Bake Sale, Lunch Bar and concessions. Come check off items on your Christmas gift shopping list while supporting our Mission Team who is heading to the West Indies to serve those most in need this coming summer!

A Word of Thanks from Catholic Charities

Dear Members of the Catholic Faithful,

Thank you from the bottom of our hearts for your support of Catholic Charities North Dakota Sunday! Your outpouring of love and generosity has been wonderful, and truly humbling to the point of tears.

We are so very grateful for the opportunity to share with you a glimpse of the people we serve every day and a window into the work of our adoption, pregnancy, guardianship, and counseling programs. Nothing is more powerful than so many people joining together in prayer for an increase in charity!

We were surprised by how many people shared their stories of adoptions years ago with us or who have family members cared for by our guardianship workers. We also encouraged by the wonderful feedback from so many of you who were excited to really learn about us for the first time, and even asked us to share more stories in another video next year!

We feel so blessed to be able to show you the good work made possible through you as members of the local Church. We believe this is a positive story worth sharing, so please visit our website if you haven't already and tell others about our video so they can learn about us too!

Sincerely,

Dianne Nechiporenko Executive Director Catholic Charities North Dakota

Employment Opportunity

SULLIVAN MIDDLE SCHOOL in Fargo, ND is seeking a long-term substitute Math Teacher. Candidate must be qualified to teach Math, have knowledge of curriculum development and be able to effectively communicate with students, staff and parents. Candidate must hold or be able to obtain current ND Educator's Professional License. Estimated start date is November 30, 2015. Position is open until filled. Submit cover letter, resume, completed certified application and three letters of recommendation.



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