

# *St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church*

Rev. H Setter, Pastor • Rev. Jason Borkenhagen



## **MASS SCHEDULE**

Sunday: 8:00 & 10:00 a.m.  
Saturday: 4:30 p.m.  
Weekdays: 7:30 a.m. (Mon., Tues. & Fri.)  
6:30 p.m. (Wed.)  
(See Bulletin for Thur. Mass Time)

## **BAPTISMS**

Baptisms are celebrated after the 10 a.m. Mass on either the first or second Sunday of the month at St. Anthony Parish and St. Mary Parish respectively when Fr. H is celebrating Mass. Parent(s) who plan to have their child baptized are required to be practicing their Catholic faith, be registered and active in the parish for no less than six months prior to the baptism. First time parent(s) need to attend a baptismal class. Baptismal forms are available at the parish office, during office hours. Forms need to be returned at least one week prior to the date of baptism.

## **REGISTRATIONS**

New parishioners, please contact the Parish Office for a Registration Packet. Forms may be returned via the collection basket, mail or delivered to the Parish Office.

## **CONFESSIONS**

Saturday Afternoons at 3 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.  
Wed. - Fri. 30 minutes Before Weekday Masses  
(Heard for 15 minutes, or by appointment)

## **ANOINTING OF THE SICK**

Offered communally, quarterly, or by appointment as needed.

## **MARRIAGES**

The bride or groom must be registered in the parish for a minimum of six months before preparations for marriage will begin. The bride or groom registered in the parish is expected to be actively participating in the life of the Church by living the Stewardship Way of Life. Please contact the pastor to begin.

## **PARISH PRAYER LINE**

If you would like a prayer request, call Jamie Wells at (316) 540-9878.

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*Parish Office, 616 N. Biermann Street, P.O. Box 275, Garden Plain, KS 67050-0275*

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**MASS INTENTION**

**ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE**

**WEEK AT A GLANCE**

Sat., April 3 (Holy Saturday)  
8:30 p.m. - † Clarence Stuhlsatz

Sun., April 4 (Easter - Resurrection of the Lord)  
8:00 a.m. - † Joy Carter  
10:00 a.m. - People of the Parish

Mon., April 5  
No Mass

Tues., April 6  
No Mass

Wed., April 7  
No Mass

Thurs., April 8  
10:05 a.m. - † Puetz & Robben Families

Fri., April 9  
7:30 a.m. - † David Cordell

Sat., April 10  
4:30 p.m. - People of the Parish

Sun., April 11 (Sunday of Divine Mercy)  
8:00 a.m. - Special Intention  
10:00 a.m. - † Gary Funke

Sat., April 3 (Holy Saturday)  
8:30 p.m. - Megan Heimerman, Hannah Kitzmann  
Logan Miranowski & Jeremiah Nowak

Sun., April 4 (Easter - Resurrection of the Lord)  
8:00 a.m. - Jeb Nowak, Jonah & Noah Seiwert  
10:00 a.m. - Madysen & Molly Zoglman  
& Tate Vieselmeyer

Mon., April 5  
No Mass

Tues., April 6  
No Mass

Wed., April 7  
No Mass

Thurs., April 8  
10:05 a.m. - PSR Mass

Fri., April 9  
7:30 a.m. - Kaeden Kasselmann & Eli Eck

Sat., April 10  
4:30 p.m. - Markus Gorges, Sophia & Jaxen Bolinger

Sun., April 11  
8:00 a.m. - Aubrey Mease, Josiah Nowak  
& Sebastian Beying  
10:00 a.m. - Adria, Lanie & Tate Nelson

Sat., April 3 (Holy Saturday)  
8:30 p.m. - Easter Vigil

Sun., April 4 (Easter - Resurrection of the Lord)  
8:00 & 10:00 a.m. - Mass  
11:00 a.m. - Easter Egg Hunt at Parish Hall

Mon., April 5  
No Adoration  
Parish Office Closed  
7:00 p.m. - Altar Society Rosary  
7:15 p.m. - Altar Society Meeting in Franciscan Hall

Tues., April 6  
No Adoration  
6:30 - 8:30 p.m. - Parish Hall Reserved

Wed., April 7  
8:05 - 11:40 a.m. - G.S. PSR Classes  
No Confessions  
6:15 - 7:15 p.m. - Evening G.S. PSR Classes  
7:00 - 7:30 p.m. - CYM Meeting  
7:30 - 8:30 p.m. - H.S. PSR Classes

Thurs., April 8  
8:05 - 11:40 a.m. - G.S. PSR Classes

Fri., April 9  
Parish Hall Reserved

Sat., April 10  
Parish Hall Reserved  
1:00 - 2:30 p.m. - Church Reserved  
3:00 - 3:45 p.m. - Confessions  
4:30 p.m. - Mass

Sun., April 11 (Sunday of Divine Mercy)  
8:00 & 10:00 a.m. - Mass  
11:00 a.m. - Baptism(s)  
1:00 p.m. - First Communion Mass

April 4, 2021, Easter Sunday: *Acts 10:34a, 37-43 / Col 3:1-4 / Jn 20:1-9*

"This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad." Our discipleship should be cause for rejoicing and gladness, especially on this Easter Sunday! Look at Mary Magdalene, who showed up at the tomb "early in the morning, while it was still dark," because she simply could not stay away any longer. May we all approach the Mass with such eagerness! Look at how she ran back to tell Peter and John about the empty tomb. May we all share the Good News with such enthusiasm! And look at how Peter and John "saw and believed" when they saw the burial cloths, completely undisturbed. May we all respond with such faith! On this most Holy Day, take time to reflect on your own discipleship and to express gratitude for the gift of the Word Incarnate!

**GIFT OF TREASURE**

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**Thank you for your support of St. Anthony Catholic Church!**

**LITURGICAL MINISTRIES SCHEDULE: 4/10 & 4/11/2021**

| Mass Time & Date: | <u>4/10 at 4:30 p.m.</u>                                  | <u>4/11 at 8:00 a.m.</u>                               | <u>4/11 at 10:00 a.m.</u>                                   |
|-------------------|---|--|---|
| EMHC's:           | Maria Colchin<br>Greg Rausch                              | Janet Meyer<br>Jennifer Bugner                         | Mark & Jennylee Doyle                                       |
| Lectors:          | Carla May   | Chuck Stuhlsatz  | Andrea Hastings   |
| Rosary Leaders:   | Greg Rausch   | Chuck Stuhlsatz  | Julie Bergkamp  |
| Gift Bearers:     | Eric Rockers  | Joe Biggerstaff  | Brian Custer  |
| Ushers: (April)   | Dennis Meyer<br>Glen Mourning<br>Darin Leis<br>Ethan Leis | Dave Adams<br>Daryl Bugner<br>Brad Puetz<br>Greg Wells | Greg Jennings<br>Ryan Koester<br>David Marten<br>Bob Murphy |

**WELCOME TO ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC CHURCH**

We invite new parishioners to join our parish family!

Please stop by the parish office Monday thru Friday between 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. to register or call the office at (316) 531-2252 to have a registration packet mailed to you.



Registration forms can also be printed off from our parish website: [www.stanthonygardenplain.com](http://www.stanthonygardenplain.com). Please complete all forms and return to the parish office.

## FROM FATHER H

### Easter Sunday Wishes

Christ is risen, Alleluia, Alleluia! I would like to wish each and every one of you a most happy and blessed Easter Day! As we now begin the Easter season, may we be reminded that the joy we celebrate this day should be carried into our daily lives throughout the entire year. It is so important for us to ponder in our hearts the great gift of the resurrection of our Lord and Savior that we have received from our God. By this great gift, we too like our Lord, are invited into the resurrection as well: knowing that uniting ourselves to Christ in this life prepares us for being united to Him in the life yet to come. What a remarkable thing to ponder. May we all live a life of joy knowing that our ultimate destination is to someday be united with Christ in eternal salvation. A gift that was won for us on the cross of Christ. May the call and conversion to greater holiness we have made this Lenten season produce abundant fruit for the glorification of our God in how we think, speak and act as a resurrection people. I hope and pray that all of us will strive to keep this joy alive in our hearts, our homes, our businesses and our social circles. May God bless you and your loved ones always. Christ is risen, Alleluia, Alleluia!

### Music Ministry Invitation

As you all know after Megan Lilly got married, she moved to another parish and Mark Fisher took over leading the choir for her. Recently, Mark notified me that he was stepping down as the choir director. I thank him for his time and commitment to this ministry in the past. Kindly express your thanks to him as well when you see him or talk with him. I am currently working with the area universities in locating a new director for our choir and director of music. In the interim, I will help get the choir up and running again by working with them on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. like you have in the past. I would encourage anyone who has been in the choir prior to the pandemic or would like to be in the choir to join us this and following Wednesday evenings for rehearsal. In addition to that, if there are any cantors who are not or have not been in choir, I would ask that you start your cantoring ministry again along with those who have been cantoring in the past. I will also be working with you to get you up and running again as well. Please call me if you would like to cantor and I will get you scheduled. Lastly, I am also working on getting additional organists and piano players to minister at Masses as well, especially the 4:30 p.m. Saturday evening Mass. I am pleased to announce that we have one new organist that will be joining us two Saturdays a month beginning in April, and possibly a few other prospective musicians to fill in the other weekends. I will keep you posted.

### Altar Servers Invitation

Last weekend we began implementing all the liturgical ministries that we used to have, including Altar Servers. If you have served in the past, please keep an eye on the bulletin as we are scheduling you just like we did before the pandemic. Don't worry if you have forgotten some of the things about serving. We'll all get back into the routine of things sooner than later. **Please remember:** if you cannot serve at your scheduled time, it is your responsibility to find a substitute. I thank you in advance for your continued ministry.

### First Communion Masses

Please keep our 2<sup>nd</sup> grade students in your prayers as their First Communion Masses are fast approaching. St. Anthony will celebrate First Communion on Sunday, April 11 at 1:00 p.m. and St. Mary will celebrate First Communion on April 18 at 10:00 a.m.

### Parish Feast Day Celebration

I am currently planning on going forward with our annual feast day in honor of our patron saint, St. Anthony. This year June 13 actually falls on a Sunday. In addition to celebrating him in our Sunday celebrations, I hope that we will be able to have some type of social gathering with a meal as well. Depending on the pandemic, this may be carried out as a possible cookout or potluck dinner. Obviously, this is going to have to be a work in progress as there might need to be restrictions or modifications to have a parish wide social gathering. Stay tuned for additional updates. Mark your calendars now for whatever we come up with for the weekend of June 13.



## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & YOUTH MINISTRY

### PSR Classes

Morning and evening classes will be held at their regular times this week. The 1st and 2nd grade students will attend Mass on Thursday at 10:05 a.m.

### First Communion

Our second grade PSR students will be making their First Communion on Sunday, April 11 at a 1:00 p.m. Mass at St. Anthony's and on Sunday, April 18 at the 10:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mary's. Please keep them in your prayers as they continue to prepare to receive this Sacrament.

### Questions for Faith Sharing

The theme for this Sunday's readings is: Jesus has risen. **Question for Adults:** In what ways has God called you to die in Christ? How is this expressed in your own life? **Question for Youth:** Even the disciples had a hard time understanding Jesus' Resurrection – it is that surprising. What does Resurrection mean to you? What does Easter mean to you?

*Let us pray for the grace to die to ourselves, in order to truly experience the resurrection of Christ.*

**Dying He destroyed our death. Rising He restored our life.**



### Easter Egg Hunt

The CYM will be hosting an Easter egg hunt for all children ages 5th grade and younger this Sunday, Easter morning, beginning at 11:00 a.m. There will be two age groups. Come to the back of the Parish Hall for instructions.

## EXTRA NEWS

### Letter Writing Campaign

Campaign to pharmaceutical companies urging an end to abortion-derived cell lines.

The Vatican and Bishops urge everyone concerned for the sanctity of life to protest the use of abortion-derived cell lines and advocate for the development of vaccines with no connection to abortion.

To make it easier for individuals to take this action, we are pleased to provide sample letters to various pharmaceutical companies. We are asking for Catholics in the Diocese of Wichita to join Catholics throughout the United States to take part in a letter writing campaign. We encourage you to download, sign and mail letters urging the respective companies to stop making vaccines using aborted fetal tissue for any part of the process including testing. Target dates for this National Campaign run from **March 25, the Solemnity of the Annunciation** through **April 25, the Feast Day of St. Gianna Beretta Molla**.

Questions contact Bonnie Toombs (316) 269-3900 or [toombsb@catholicdioceseofwichita.org](mailto:toombsb@catholicdioceseofwichita.org).

Letters available: <https://catholicdioceseofwichita.org/respect-life-social-justice/letter-writing-campaign/>.



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