ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

607 N. Main St. - Garden Plain, Kansas

December 4, 2022 2nd Sunday of Advent

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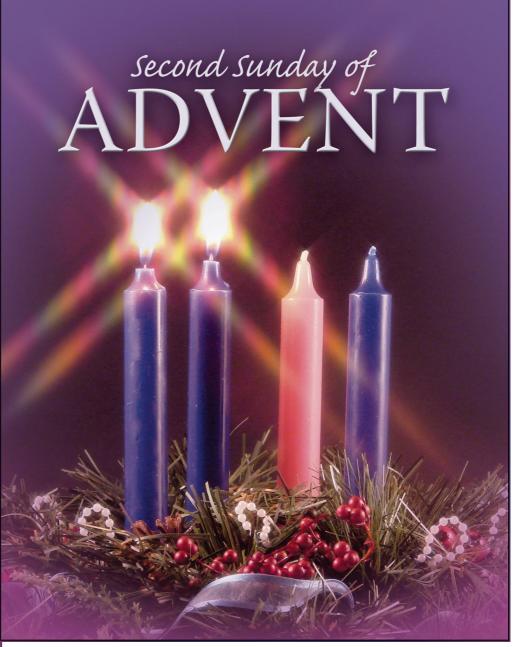
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To Register

Welcome to those who are new to our parish. If you would like to register at either St. Anthony, Garden Plain or St. Mary, Aleppo, please call St. Anthony's Parish Office at (316) 531-2252 to request a registration packet. Forms available on our website at <u>www.stanthonygardenplain.com</u>.



<u>Holy Mass</u>

Sunday Saturday (Vigil) - 4:30 p.m. Sunday - 8:00 & 10:00 a.m.

Weekdays

Mon., Tues. & Fri. - 7:30 a.m. Wed. - 6:30 p.m. (See Bulletin for Thur. Mass Time)

Confession

Weekly Wed. 5:00 p.m. Sat. 3:00 p.m.

<u>Prayer Line</u>

Call Janie Wells at (316) 540-9878 for Prayer Request **Adoration**

Weekly Mon. 8:00 a.m. to Tue. 7:00 a.m.

Thursday before 1st Friday 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. (See Bulletin for Any Changes)

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sun., December 4 (2nd Sunday of Advent) 8:00 a.m. - K of C Memorial Mass 9:00 a.m. - K of C Memorial Breakfast in Franciscan Hall 10:00 a.m. - Choir Sings 1:30 p.m. - First Confession at St. Anthony's Mon., December 5 8:00 a.m. - Adoration begins 7:00 p.m. - Altar Society Rosary 7:15 p.m. - Altar Society Mtg. in Franciscan Hall Tues., December 6 7:00 a.m. - Adoration ends Wed., December 7 9:00 a.m. - 12:35 p.m. - Daytime G.S. PSR Classes 6:15 - 7:15 p.m. - Evening G.S. PSR Classes 6:30 p.m. - Vigil Mass Choir Practice following Mass 7:00 - 7:30 p.m. - CYM Mtg. 7:30 - 8:30 p.m. - H.S. PSR Classes **Thurs.**, **December 8 -** *Feast of the Immaculate* Conception of The Blessed Virgin Mary 7:30 a.m. - Mass 9:00 a.m. - 12:35 p.m. - Daytime G.S. PSR Classes 6:30 p.m. - Mass Fri., December 9 No Events Sat., December 10 3:00 - 3:45 p.m. - Confessions Sun., December 11 (3rd Sunday of Advent) 8:00 a.m. - Choir Sings 11:15 a.m. - Baptism(s) at St. Anthony's 12:00 p.m. - CYM's Christmas Project at Parish Hall

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat., December 3

4:30 p.m. - † Roberta Lampe

Sun., December 4

8:00 a.m. - † Deceased K of C Members 10:00 a.m. - People of the Parish

Mon., December 5

7:30 a.m. - Int. Altar Society

7:30 a.m. - † Wayne Haukap

Wed., December 7 (Vigil Mass) 6:30 p.m. - † Leis / Hageman Families

Thurs., December 8

Tues., December 6

Feast of the Immaculate Conception

7:30 a.m. - † Karen Seiler 6:30 p.m. - † Rita Loehr

Fri., December 9 7:30 a.m. - † LeRoy Metzen

Sat., December 10 4:30 p.m. - † Curtis Mohr

Sun., December 11

8:00 a.m. - People of the Parish 10:00 a.m. - + Vernon Blubaugh

WEEKDAY ALTAR SERVERS SCHEDULE

Mon., December 5

7:30 a.m. - Jacyee Ricke & Easton Pauly Tues., December 6 7:30 a.m. - Jaren & Landrie McFadden Wed., December 7 6:30 p.m. - See Holy Day Schedule Thurs., December 8 7:30 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. - See Holy Day Schedule Fri., December 9 7:30 a.m. - Emma Kate Kampling & Halle Zoglman



"At this Christmas when Christ comes, will he find a warm heart? Mark the season of advent by loving and serving the others with God's own love and concern."

~ St. Teresa of Calcutta

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES WEEKEND - 12/10 & 12/11/2022

4:30 p.m. - Dan Ridder 8:00 a.m. - Dana Bauer 10:00 a.m. - Chris Drum

Rosary Leaders

Lectors

4:30 p.m. - Dean Martin 8:00 a.m. - Anne Weber 10:00 a.m. - Chris Drum

Gift Bearers

4:30 p.m. - Brent Anderson's Family 8:00 a.m. - Dean Baker's Family 10:00 a.m. - Eric May's Family

Homebound EMHC's - December

Cindi Panek & Jean Carter

1st Time Parent Class Facilitator December 18 at 9:00 a.m.

Anne Weber

BAPTISMS

Baptisms are celebrated after the 10:00 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 Setter is celebrating Mass. Parent(s) who plan to have their child baptized are required to be actively 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.

"The only ones among you who will be really happy are those who will have sought and found how to serve."

-ALBERT SCHWEITZER

Sunday Collection 11/27/2022 \$12.239.10

Thank You for Your

Stewardship of Treasure!

Altar Servers Ava Puetz Hank Lilly Jaren McFadden Landrie McFadden

> Brady Koester Cally Koester

EMHC's

4:30 p.m. - Greg Rausch Pat Koester

8:00 a.m. - Janet Meyer Jennifer Bugner

10:00 a.m. - Mark Doyle Jennylee Doyle

Ushers - December

- 4:30 p.m. Kevin Hammond, Tracy Thul, Bob Hoheisel & Michael Gros 8:00 a.m. - Dean Baker, Duane Hampel,
- Brad Puetz & Greq Wells 10:00 a.m. - Joe Fisher, Greg Jennings,
- Zack May & Volunteer Needed

MARRIAGES

The bride or groom must be registered in the parish for a minimum of six months before preparation 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. Dates for the weddings will only be scheduled AFTER meeting with the Pastor. Do not schedule, commit to, or make down payments for venues, caterers, musicians, photographers, etc. until you have met with the Pastor. There is no guarantee to scheduling a wedding on your preferred day.

FROM FATHER H

STEWARDSHIP

is the grateful response of a Christian Disciple who recognizes and receives God's gifts and shares these gifts in love of God and Neighbor.

"RESCUED" Stewardship Renewal - Did you know: There are 430 families registered here at St. Anthony? Did you know: As of November 29, only 109 of our 430 families have returned their Stewardship Renewal forms? Have you returned yours yet? We are asking that all please turn in their forms, which were requested to be returned by December 4.

Please Understand: we do not know who wants to continue doing a ministry or organization unless you tell us on these forms. Likewise, we don't know who is wanting to end a ministry or organization unless you tell us on these forms. I thank you in advance for your cooperation with this matter. One final thought: this is a great time to get involved with different things in the life of your parish. Take the time to honestly look at all there is to do here in our parish. By taking the necessary time to really look at these forms, you might discover something that might inspire you to become more involved and active in your Catholic faith. I pray that each and every one of you will be open to where the Holy Spirit might be guiding you to help you live the Stewardship Way of Life.

First Confessions - Please keep our Second Graders in your prayers today as they will be making their First Confessions. I'm sure they will appreciate our prayers and congratulations as they make this big step forward in their lives. Thank you,

Advent Penance Service - This year our Advent Penance Service will take place on Wednesday, December 14. Please mark your calendars. There will be four priests here that evening to hear confessions. We will begin at 7:00 p.m. in the church.

Religious Education & Youth News

PSR Classes - Morning classes will be held at their regular times this week. The Wednesday evening grade school classes (6:15-7:15 p.m.) will not be held due to the vigil Mass for the Feast of the Immaculate Conception.

The 2nd grade students will be making their first confession at St. Anthony's Church today at 1:30 p.m. Please keep them in your prayers as they receive the Sacrament of Penance.

Questions for Faith Sharing - The theme for this Sunday's readings is: God's kingdom is at hand - it is here. Question for Adults: Name the one thing in your life which you must "move out of the way" in order to make more room for Christ - a grudge, a possession, a memory, hurt, or feeling. Question for Youth: What are the greatest challenges you face as a young person today in terms of allowing Christ to be your teacher and following him?

Let us pray for the grace of willingness, the willingness to put aside whatever stands in our way of allowing Christ to be our teacher and Lord.

Immaculate heart of Mary pray for us.

Christmas at Catholic Charities - The high school youth are collecting items and taking cash donations to buy items for Catholic Charities' Santa's Workshop. Families who are in need will get to pick out gifts for Christmas at no charge to them. Anyone who would like to donate, please get your new items or monetary donations to one of the high school youth or to Sarah Beying by December 7.

CYM Service & Fun - All high school youth are invited to come to the Parish Hall on Sunday, December 11 from 11:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Please bring a snack or drink to share. Also, if you want to participate in the gift exchange, bring a wrapped gift (\$5 or less). We will eat lunch, make blankets for a service project, watch a Christmas movie and have a gift exchange.

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #2937 NEWS

St. Rose Parish, Mt. Vernon

Memorial Mass - Our Knights of Columbus Memorial Mass will be held this Sunday, December 4 at 8:00 a.m. at St. Anthony's Church. The Memorial Breakfast will be held in Franciscan Hall following Mass.

November Family of the Month - Brandon and Kristy Horsch,

Why is John the Baptist depicted as one of the most extreme personalities in all of Scripture? "John wore clothing made of camel's hair and had a leather belt around his waist. His food was locusts and wild honey." Maybe that is why? John stuck out like a sore thumb. He dressed funny, ate funny things and said things that were just not very funny. Yet, "At that time Jerusalem, all Judea, and the whole region around the Jordan were going out to him and were being baptized by him in the Jordan River as they acknowledged their sins." What did John have that we need as stewards? John was all in! We might say, "well, John was set apart by God to do great things." Guess what-so are we! If we are living as Catholics, we are living the extreme in this world. We feed on the Eucharist, talk to the Saints and stare for hours at a host in the monstrance—John the Baptist might have thought we were very extreme! We can all join John as he proclaimed in today's Gospel, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand!"

4:30 p.m. - Celia Puetz 8:00 a.m. - Wvatt Stuhlsatz 10:00 a.m. - Todd Hillman

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ALTAR SOCIETY NEWS

Our next Altar Society meeting will be this Monday, December 5 starting with the Rosary at 7:00 p.m. then followed by the meeting in Franciscan Hall.

CHRISTMAS CALL TO SHARING 2022

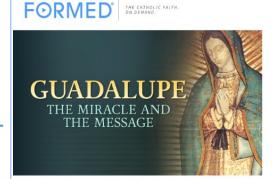
Priests play an essential roll of sanctifying, teaching and leading. They are servants to all. Very soon you will be receiving an invitation from Bishop Kemme asking you to consider a gift to the Christmas Call to Sharing. Your gift is used to benefit the 35 men currently studying for the priesthood in the Wichita Diocese and the 21 priests in retirement. We can't fully practice our Catholic faith without the life and ministry of priests. I would ask you to prayerfully consider a special gift of gratitude this year to support our seminarians and retired priests.

EVENTS AROUND THE AREA

Brew the Faith - All are invited to "Brew the Faith" at Franciscan Hall (the church basement) on December 4 at 6:00 p.m. This event does not require any prior study. It is simply a time to gather in communion with one another. The activity for this Sunday will be a White Elephant exchange. Simply bring a wrapped gift (\$10-\$15) with a note inside sharing what you are most thankful for this advent season! (No names please.) Snacks will be provided but please bring your own beverage. We look forward to seeing you there! For more information contact Jennylee Doyle at 316-619-7101.

The Joyful Mysteries Book Club - would like to invite you to join us this Sunday evening at 7:00 p.m. in the St. Anthony's Franciscan Hall (a.k.a. church basement) for an Advent Study. This is open to all adults of the parish. We will be discussing The Holy Family and their role in our lives and how we can find healing within our own family. If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to Brianna Jennings at 913-707-2006. We look forward to having you join us!

Daughters of Isabella St. Rose of Lima circle 832 -Christmas party and meeting will be on Saturday, December 10 at 11:00 a.m. at the Conway Springs school hall. Gift exchange is optional, Birthline donations and raffle will follow. This is an open meeting, so bring a guest. Cost of the meal is \$15.00 and dues are \$20.00.



Guadalupe: The Miracle and the Message

Enjoy this film narrated by Jim Caviezel that walks us through our Mother's miraculous appearance to Juan Diego, an encounter that has influenced the conversion of millions of people.

December 4, Second Sunday of Advent Is 11:1-10 / Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17 / Rom 15:4-9 / Mt 3:1-12

