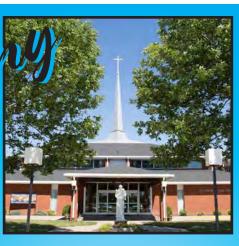
# Stanthol of Padua Catholic Church



MASS TIMES ST ANTHONY CHURCH Saturday 4:00 p.m. & 6:30 p.m. Sunday 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 7:30 a.m.

> ST. DOMINIC SCHOOL Wednesday 8:30 a.m. Summer Mass is at St. Anthony 7:30 a.m.

CONFESSION Saturday 5:15 – 6:15 p.m.









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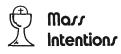
#### April 23, 2023 Third Sunday of Easter

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- Mass Times -Saturday: 4:00, 6:30 p.m. Sunday: 8:00, 10:30 a.m. M, Tu, Th, F: 7:30 a.m. W. at St. Dominic School 8:30 a.m. Th. at Good Samaritan 10:00 a.m. Holy Days: as announced When on vacation visit: www.masstimes.org

 Sacrament of Reconciliation –
Saturday: 5:00-6:00 p.m. and other times by appointment

-Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament-Tuesday: after Mass until noon



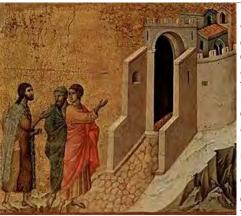
Monday. April 24, 2023 7:30 a.m. No Mass

Tuesday, April 25, 20237:30 a.m.No MassAdoration will be in the<br/>ChapelWednesday, April 26, 2023-at St. Dominic School8:30 a.m.Paul & Kay Smith+6:00 p.m.Sharon Maas+Thursday, April 27, 20237:30 a.m.Communion Service-at Good Samaritan10:30 a.m.Rollie Thomas+Friday, April 28, 20237:30 a.m.No Mass

Fourth Sunday of Easter Saturday, April 29, 2023 4:00 p.m. Maurice Dreyer, Sr.+ 6:30 p.m. Francis Gehrt+

Sunday, April 30, 2023 8:00 a.m. Paul & Eadie Edwards+ 10:30 a.m. Parish Intentions Perpetual Prayer Candle for Special Intentions Week of April 22-28 Right to Life

> - Parish Office Hours -Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Bulletin Deadline: Monday, Noon



The Gospel of John gives us the greatest variety of post-Resurrection appearances and events, but this week's reading from the Gospel of Luke is a unique and most powerful literary and spiritual accomplishment. St. Luke recounts the events that took place on the Road to Emmaus, where the Lord appeared to two disciples who were leaving Jerusalem and, apparently, returning to their former ways of life.

Of particular interest is the mystery... of being unable to 'see' or recognize who this man was. It was through the transformative experience of Word and Sacrament that their eyes were opened and that not only did they know that they were in the presence of the Lord, but in

that encounter, their 'hearts were burning within them', and they felt the missionary imperative to go back to Jerusalem to tell the others about the encounter they had. At that point, the man disappeared from their sight, for what they had perceived but misunderstood in nature (the Risen Body of Christ) was now possessed in Spirit, through the Word and Bread that was broken in their midst.

It seems, sometimes that after Holy Communion, the closing rites and prayers of Mass seem merely functional and perhaps even perfunctory-a prayer, usually some announcements, (which often seem to be disruptive to the flow of the Rites... I prefer when I can cover announcements earlier and let the closing rites move with flow and integrity, but sometimes the pending or 'immediate action' after Mass demands the timely reminder at that time!) then a blessing and dismissal. The dismissal, "the Mass is ended", carries much more importance than the words would otherwise suggest. Being sent on "mission" is the natural conclusion of the encounter with our Lord in Word and Sacrament. Indeed, the word "Mass" shares the root "missio", from where we get the words "dismiss" or "transmit" or "commission"—it means or gives the sense of "being sent". We can only be effective as missionaries for Christ after we have encountered him, and when we have encountered him, our hearts are burning with love of God and the need to proclaim the great things he has done for us. A tepid or fearful missionary is not an agent of change and transformation. A missionary who fails to discern the presence of the Lord in Word and Eucharist stands only on his own life story and not on the authority and grace of God's self-revelation and self-communication. When the Mass is over, we are dismissed on 'mission', to "proclaim the Gospel with our Lives", and in doing so, to "love and serve the Lord". It is thus the natural conclusion to all that has taken place before, and it is the realization that the graces we bear in our souls are not simply for ourselves, but in providence, for all that we encounter in the world.



On the Precious Blood, again: Last week I mentioned the importance of discerning the Precious Blood of Christ which is being shared once again at Mass (and thus carefully avoiding the plain expression "wine" when speaking of the Sacred Species), and the importance of charitably refraining from receiving from the common cup when sick or when one's health is otherwise compromised.

Two short items for this week: First, when receiving the Body and Blood of Christ, one should always be in a state of grace, that is, free

from 'mortal sin'. The way to fix that is a good sacramental confession. Consider that Reconciliation is, itself, a sacramental encounter with the living Christ we adore in the Eucharist. Secondly, when one approaches Holy Communion, it is appropriate to give witness to the sacred mystery by making a small reverence, typically a bow, toward the sacrament and responding "Amen" to the proclamation of the "Body and Blood of Christ". These are small things, but they are important expressions of faith which dispose us more fully to the mysteries we encounter every time we receive the Body and Blood of Christ.

# **St. Dominic School**

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## A Message from Mrs. Carol Frericks—Principal

### Servant Leaders in First Grade

Our school's vision statement is "St. Dominic School will provide our students with learning opportunities to become the **BEST** person God created them to be." Each year, our School Board and Faculty set goals that help provide these opportunities. The "**B goal in BEST**" is to Become servant leaders as Disciples of Christ, so each class will take on one "in-house" service project connected to the Corporal or Spiritual Work of Mercy they teach/lead for their month of morning assemblies. The first grade class took up a collection of \$131.55 during Mass to purchase carnations and coordinated an opportunity to make cards with school buddies for Visiting the Sick. Then, the first grade class took a field trip to deliver their cards and carnations to the residents at Sunset Home in order to visit and comfort them.



# HAVE YOU TURNED IN YOUR ANNUAL FUND DRIVE PLEDGE CARD?

There's still time to donate to the St. Dominic School Annual Fund Drive! The funds raised are used to help cover costs that are not fully covered by tuition and fees. We are asking for your consideration of supporting this fund drive to invest in our youth - our future!



Thank you for your support, and God bless you!

St. Dominic School 4100 Columbus Rd., Quincy, IL 62305 MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Saturday, April 22 6:30 p.m. Holy Moments Mass—1st Grade Sunday, April 23 11 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Roast Beef Dinner Monday, April 24 9:00—10:30 a.m. 4th Grade Fine Arts Day @ QND Tuesday, April 25 6:30 p.m. Gene Grawe Fund @ St. Dominic Wednesday, April 26 8:30 a.m. School Mass 3:15 p.m. Faculty Meeting Friday, April 28 Out of Dress Code Day Saturday, April 29 7-9 p.m. QCES 7th-8th Grade Spring Dance @ QND

Questions? Call us @ 217-224-0041



#### St. Anthony Ladies Society Roast Beef Dinner

Sunday, April 23, 11 a.m-1 p.m.



St. Anthony Ladies Society Roast Beef Dinner will be *eat in or carry out* on Sunday, April 23, 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. The menu will be roast beef, mashed potatoes/gravy, green beans, cole slaw, homemade rolls, and homemade dessert. \$14 per plate. For carry outs enter the SOUTH entrance basement door. Help is needed on Sunday.

#### May Crowning

Saturday, May 6, after 4 p.m. Mass



All are welcome to honor our Blessed Mother. We will gather outside by the Blessed Virgin Mary statue. ALL children are invited to remain in church after Mass to participate in the procession. It would be lovely if 1st Communicant boys and girls would wear their 1st Communion Day attire to lead the procession. If any parishioners have flowers in their gardens and would like to contribute a few stems for the children to present that would be so wonderful, also. There will be vases of water for the flowers in the gathering area to place them in before mass.

#### **Everyone is invited!**

#### May 7, 9-10:15 a.m.

June 11, 12, 13

5:30-8 p.m.



Families of Faith for adults will be having their last meeting on May 7, 9-10:15 a.m. in the parish hall.

Deacon Dennis Holbrook will be doing a presentation on the *Sign of the Cross*. All members of the parish are welcome to attend.

#### St. Anthony Ladies Society Mother/Daughter Banquet Sunday, May 7, after 10:30 a.m. Mass



St. Anthony Ladies Society is having their Mother/Daughter Banquet on Sunday, May 7, after the 10:30 a.m. Mass in the Parish Hall. Free will offering. For reservations please call Alice Rakers at 217-222-4798.

#### St. Anthony of Padua Vacation Bible School



Mark your calendars: **St. Anthony of Padua Vacation Bible School 2023** Come and join us to celebrate God's greatness. This year at St. Anthony's we will have a meal to begin our evenings. Each meal is kid friendly so we hope they come with a "monumental" appetite each night! This VBS program is a wonderful way to help your children explore God's Word in new ways and learn that they can trust Jesus throughout their lives. The **FREE program** is for students going into preschool, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade. Our older students are always welcome to come back and help.

Mark your calendar!!

June 3: June Fest

July 15: St. Anthony Picnic

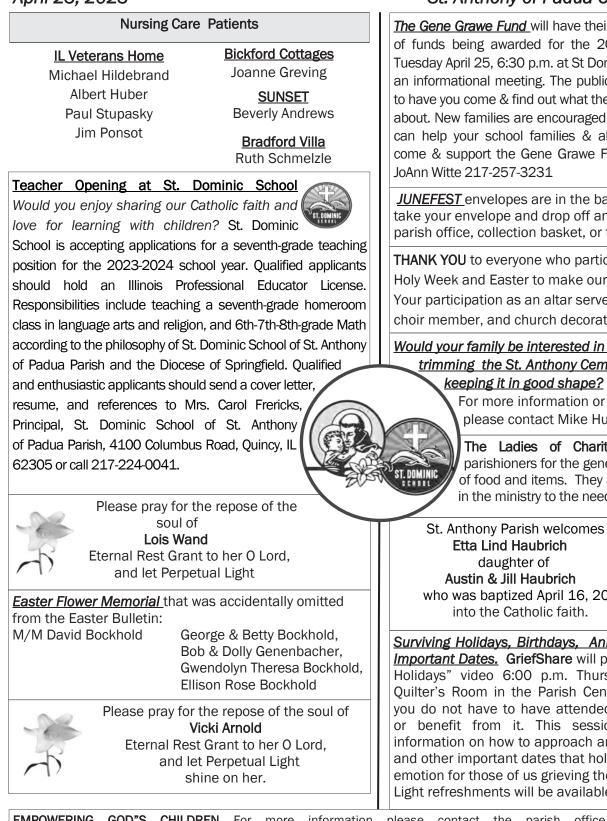
# - Parish Data -

PARISH CALENDAR		WEEKLY PARISH OFFERING					
		Week 42	Ap	oril 15/16	Tot	tal Year-to-Date	
Monday, April 24		Loose Collection	\$	904.00	\$	33,053.27	
6:30 p.m.	Butterfly	Weekly Envelopes	\$	7,806.00	\$	407,088.29	
Tuesday April 25		Electronic Deposits	\$	0.00	\$	49,662.00	
<u>Tuesday, April 25</u>		Total, April 15/16	\$	8,710.00	\$	489,803.56	
<u>Wednesday, April 26</u> 6:00 p.m.	Mass	Budget Goal (We need no less than this to stay out of deficit spending for the yearl)	\$	13,000.00	\$	546,000.00	
<u>Thursday, April 27</u>		Difference	(	(-\$4,290.00)		( -\$ 56,196.44)	
<u>Friday, April 28</u>		Counters: Monday, April Nancy Speckhart DEBT/	Melar			an Obert	
<u>Saturday, April 29</u> 4:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	Mass Mass	Unpaid Diocesan Liab from FY 2020-21: (This periodically, approximately monthly sent and posted by the Diocese of	s total is updated \$38,192.8 y, as funds are			\$38,192.82	
<u>Sunday, April 30</u> 8:00 a.m.	Mass	Debt Reduction Envelo	lopes nk you! —>		Ilative, 4/16 \$15,829.00		
10:30 a.m.	Mass	Parish Community Tithe (PCT) News:					
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).		St. Anthony Church and St. Dominic School! Contribution Statements (for tax purposes) are available on request at the parish office. Please call (217) 222-5996.					

Parish Ministry Schedule - Saturday & Sunday, April 29 & 30						
	Saturday, 4:00 p.m.	Saturday, 6:30 p.m.	Sunday, 8:00 a.m.	Sunday, 10:30 a.m.		
Key Minister/	Jr. & Jackie Dreyer		Gene & Rita Goerlich	Jan Barnard		
Lector	Kathy Gehrt	Trisha Mathews	Mary Koch	Dale Hilgenbrinck		
Usher	Randy Huber Jack Kuhlman James Lohman Bob Maas	Kurt Fischer Denis Hagerbaumer George Huber Elmer Maas	Mike Genenbacher Gene Goerlich Jerry Grawe Anthony Haley	Ken Klauser Brian Koch David McCleary Pete Pohlman		
Servers	Kamryn Pritchett Volunteer	Pius IX Altar Servers	Addison Weiman Elaina Weiman	Madison McCleary Volunteer		
Greeters/ Gift Bearers	Jr. & Jackie Dreyer	Earl & Debbie Boone	Mike Genenbacher Family	Todd & Tera Smith Family		
Rosary Leader	Dorothy Parn	Rich & Alice Rakers	Jerry & Trudy Dreier	Chris Heintz		

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, Connie Deters, Cindy Barner Also please remember in your prayers those who have died in 2023: Gary Henderson, Sharon Holthaus, David Genenbacher, Bill Wellman, Lois Wand, Vicki Arnold

### April 23, 2023



### St. Anthony of Padua Church, Quincy

The Gene Grawe Fund will have their annual announcement of funds being awarded for the 2023-24 school year on Tuesday April 25, 6:30 p.m. at St Dominic School. This is also an informational meeting. The public is welcome. We'd love to have you come & find out what the Gene Grawe Fund is all about. New families are encouraged to attend. This program can help your school families & also your school. Please come & support the Gene Grawe Fund! Any questions call

JUNEFEST envelopes are in the back of church. Please take your envelope and drop off any donation at the parish office, collection basket, or the back of church.

THANK YOU to everyone who participated during Lent, Holy Week and Easter to make our liturgies so special. Your participation as an altar server, lector, musician, choir member, and church decorator are appreciated.

Would your family be interested in mowing and trimming the St. Anthony Cemetery and



For more information or if you are interested please contact Mike Hummel 217-430-3873.

The Ladies of Charity thank St. Anthony parishioners for the generous donations of bags of food and items. They appreciate your support in the ministry to the needy in the area.

St. Anthony Parish welcomes **Etta Lind Haubrich** Austin & Jill Haubrich who was baptized April 16, 2023 into the Catholic faith.



Surviving Holidays, Birthdays, Anniversaries and Other Important Dates. GriefShare will put on its "Surviving the Holidays" video 6:00 p.m. Thursday, April 27 in the Quilter's Room in the Parish Center. All are welcome... you do not have to have attended GriefShare to attend or benefit from it. This session provides valuable information on how to approach and experience holidays and other important dates that hold special meaning and emotion for those of us grieving the death of a loved one. Light refreshments will be available.

EMPOWERING GOD'S CHILDREN For more information please contact the parish office 222-5996 or email bulletin@stanthonypadua.org and we will email the instructions to you.



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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, April 23, 2023

## QUINCY CATHOLIC The Mega Raffle is Back!

MONEY! The "Everybody Wins" Mega Raffle is back, and tickets are on sale now. Only 4,000 tickets will be sold for your chance to win \$100,000, \$25,000, \$15,000, or 37 more cash prizes. Proceeds benefit the QCES Foundation, QND Foundation, and Quincy's five Catholic Schools. More information, including how to get your tickets, can be found at <u>QuincyMegaRaffle.org</u>. We have tickets in the parish office for sale.

#### Fathers, Sons, and Young Men Prayer Breakfast

Saturday, April 29 Sponsored by Quincy Knights of Columbus Council 583. Mass and Breakfast to be held at St. Anthony Church and Hall 8:00 a.m. Following the Mass, Complete Buffet Breakfast \$15 per person Keynote Speaker, Father Mark Schulte: Men of Faith Send Reservations and Registration Fee by April 22 to Roch Schulte 3802 N. 12th Street Quincy, IL 62305 Checks Payable to K of C, please mark envelope: Prayer Breakfast.

APRIL GROCERY ITEMS Toilet Paper, Shampoo The Ladies of Charity & Catholic Charities Thank You

#### Join the QCES Team

Our elementary schools are looking for individuals to round out our teams. To learn more about these positions, please contact the school offices. <u>Blessed Sacrament</u> - Kitchen Manager <u>St. Dominic</u> - 7th Grade Homeroom/6-7-8 Math <u>St. Peter</u> - Preschool Teacher for 3 yr olds; 6th Grade Teacher; 7th/8th Grade Science/7th Grade Reading & Religion; Teacher Aides

Quincy Notre Dame is looking for a full-time German/Civics teacher and full time English/Language Arts Teacher for the 2023-24 school year. Qualified candidates should send a cover letter, resume and 2 letters of reference to Mark McDowell, Principal, at <u>mmcdowell@quincynotredame.org</u> by Friday, April 28, 2023

Quincy Catholic Charities Banding Together at the Dock, 1021 Bonansinga Drive on April 30, noon-5:00 p.m. There will be food, music, raffle and dunk tank. All proceeds go to Quincy Catholic Charities.

*Mark your calendar:* St. Francis Church will be holding their Parish Picnic on Saturday, June 10, 2023 from 5:00 p.m. – Midnight.



