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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 6:00 p.m.

CONFESSION Saturday 5:15 - 6:15 p.m.





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- Mass Times -

4:00, 6:30 p.m. Saturday: Sunday: 8:00, 10:30 a.m. M, Tu, Th, at St. Anthony: 7:30 a.m. W. at St. Dominic School 8:30 a.m. Th. at Good Samaritan 10:00 a.m. F. at St. Dominic School 8:15 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 except when a funeral is scheduled



Mass Intentions

Monday, February 17, 2025 7:30 a.m. David Brown+ Tuesday, February 18, 2025 7:30 a.m. Bert & Virgil Dietrich+ Wednesday, February 19, 2025 -at St. Dominic School 8:30 a.m. Paul Stupasky+ Thursday, February 20, 2025 7:30 a.m. Jerry Grist+ -at Good Samaritan 10:00 a.m. Robert & Mary Lohman+ Friday, February 21, 2025 -at St. Dominic School 8:15 a.m. Vickie Arnold

Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time Saturday, February 22, 2025 4:00 p.m. Blake Genenbacher+ 6:30 p.m. Wayne Frericks+ Sunday, February 16, 2025 8:00 a.m. Parish Intentions 10:30 a.m. Leon Lentz+

Perpetual Prayer Candle for Special Intentions Week of February 15-21

All Loved Ones Living and Deceased

 Parish Office Hours — Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Bulletin Deadline: Monday, Noon

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February 16, 2025 Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

A Message from Fr. Tom Donovan:



Blessed are they who hope in the Lord! In the sixth chapter of Luke, Jesus pronounces blessings to the poor, the hungry, the weeping, and the persecuted, while proclaiming curses at the rich, the full, those who laugh, and those of good repute. Blessings are a promise of God's life, curses are the realization of his distance. What is it that keeps the downtrodden close to the heart of God, while the well-to-do struggle? I think it is the lie of selfsufficiency. If we are poor, hungry, weeping, and persecuted, we have no other means of salvation other than God. In happiness, fullness, laughter. and respect, we tend to look away from God and revel in being 'self-made' people... of receiving what is deserved for us... of being secure in the things of

this world for the time being. While the words of the Lord seem harsh, the intent, it seems, is to ask us to break the cycle of self-deception when we are full in the things of this world, and to place our trust in God alone.



It is time to identify candidates who would be interested in becoming Catholic by way of the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults. How do we get new Catholics to join the Church? We must personally welcome them and mentor them in the faith! Is this the year for your spouse? Your son/daughter-in-law? Your parent(s)? Your neighbor or colleague at work? We would like to get to know them and help them to get to know the Church. Please contact the parish office for more information and to get started on the adventure of becoming Catholic!



Thanks to all who made our first Communio event a success. Last weekend we had nearly 40 couples join us a the 'couples night out' event at the Knights of Columbus, where we shared a meal and Jim Obert hosted a 'newly-wed game' program. We hope to continue with programming for couples and families of all ages, but the next event is geared towards our parenting couples... "Pizza and Parenting!" We'll hold these events at St. Dominic School on Wednesdays in March and April for those who would like to talk about bringing the faith into their homes:

March 19: "Parenting as a Path to Holiness"

April 2: "Evangelizing your Kids"

April 23: "The Bible and Your Family"

Each event will run from 6:00-7:30 p.m. at St. Dominic's, with an open-gym/child care available.... Oh, and pizza as well! We ask that families RSVP so we know how much to order! Please sign up through the QR Code, here, or call the parish office at 217-222-5996 to register or for more information.



St. Dominic School

4100 Columbus Road — Quincy, Illinois 62305 Web: www.stdominicquincy.org Office: (217) 224-0041 Fax: (217) 224-0042 cfrericks@stdominicquincy.org



A Message from Mrs. Carol Frericks—Principal

Seventh Grade Class Performs Skits About the Virtue of Temperance



During the month of February, our seventh-grade class has been performing skits to see if the students can recognize when we need temperance. Have you ever done something and then later felt bad about it or even embarrassed about it? One way we are reminded that we need to practice temperance is when we experience shame or remorse. The seventh-grade class explained that your conscience helps us back away from things that are evil or not good for us. When we have done something wrong and have thought it, it is common to feel bad or guilty and experience shame or remorse. This means we have a good conscience and recognize that we have sinned. The skits performed by the seventh-graders demonstrated choices we make to use temperance in order to help us avoid experiencing shame, regret, and even sin.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Monday, February 17 NO SCHOOL

Presidents' Day

Tuesday, February 18

Vision and Hearing Screening

Wednesday, February 19

8:30 a.m. School Mass

Thursday, February 20

3:00-4:00 p.m. After School Art Grades K&1

Friday, February 21

Spirit Shirt Day; 8:15 Quiet School Mass

6:30-8:00 p.m. PTO Glow Dance

Sunday, February 23

10:30 a.m. Holy Moments Mass-7th Grade



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St. Dominic and St. Anthony Fish Fries

4:30-7:00 p.m.



Mark your calendar for the upcoming St. Anthony/St. Dominic Lenten Fi	sh Fries.
St. Dominic: March 7, March 21, April 4 St. Anthony: March 14, March	28, April 11
Catfish Plate (Whole or Fillet) includes 3 sides, drink & dessert	\$ 14
Walleye Plate (includes 3 sides, drink & dessert)	\$ 14
Child's Plate (includes 1 pc of walleye, 2 sides, drink & dessert)	\$8
Fish Sandwich, Fries & Drink	\$ 8
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Homemade Dessert

Carry outs available: St. Dominic enter through EAST driveway St. Anthony enter SOUTH basement entrance

Ladies of the Parish We Need Your Help for Desserts

We need your help providing pies, cakes & dessert for the fish fries. Last names schedule:

A-G St. Dominic March 7 St. Anthony March 14 St. Dominic H-O St. Anthony March 28 March 21 P-Z St. Dominic April 4 St. Anthony April 11

We also will need help at each of the Fish Fries.

Help is also needed to cut up potatoes on the Thursday before each fish fry. 1:30 p.m. on the Thursday before St. Dominic fish fries.

9:00 a.m. on the Thursday before St. Anthony fish fries

Working at the parish events such as our fish fries is a great way to meet fellow parishioners and help your parish at the same time! Please use the QR code at the left to sign up or go to the St. Anthony website www.stanthonypadua.org where you will find fish fry information. Click on that and you will be able to sign up.



Help needed in Several Ministries



Would you like to become more involved in our parish? We have several ministries that are in need of more help: Key Ministers, Lectors, Mass Servers, Money Counters, Funeral Dinner helpers and Rosary Leaders, Wash and Iron Altar Purificators. If you are interested or want to know more about what each of these areas and what is involved please contact the parish office 217-222-5996.

St. Anthony Ladies Society Spring Craft/Vendor Event

Saturday, April 5, 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.



St. Anthony Ladies Society will be hosting a Spring Craft/Vendor Event on Saturday, April 5, 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. at the Father Irenaeus Hall (formerly called St. Anthony hall). If you would like to help vendors carry in their items before the event or carry out afterwards please let us know. We are also taking vendor registrations at this time. Anyone wanting more information contact Janet Bick or Tawny Benz at the parish office 217-222-5996 or email rjbick@comcast.net or rtbenz77@gmail.com.

Mark your Calendar!

Junefest and St. Anthony Picnic



Mark your calendar for Junefest, which will be June 7 and St. Anthony Picnic, which will be July 19. Please contact Jackie Dreyer, 217-222-8049, if interested in helping.

Parish Data

PARISH CALENDAR

Monday, February 17

6:30 p.m.

No School-Presidents' Day

We Care meeting

Tuesday, February 18

7:00 p.m. Finance Council Meeting

Wednesday, February 19

Merry Widows lunch at 11:30 a.m.

Sprouts

1:00 p.m. Prayer Shawl meets

Thursday, February 20

6:00-8:00 p.m. GriefShare

Friday, February 21

6:30-8:00 p.m. Glow Dance at St. Dominic

(Pennies for Life after all Masses)

Saturday, February 22

4:00 p.m. Mass 6:30 p.m. Mass

Sunday, February 23 8:00 a.m. Mass

10:30 a.m. Mass (Holy Moments)

Blood Pressure Screenings

after 10:30 Mass

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).

WEEKLY PARISH OFFERING				
Week 32	February 8/9		Tota	l Year-to-Date
Loose Collection	\$	812.00	\$	28,532.48
Weekly Envelopes	\$	14,495.00	\$	317,226.21
Electronic Deposits	\$	0.00	\$	43,831.00
Total, February 8/9	\$	15,307.00	\$	389,589.69
Budget Goal (we need no less than this to stay out of deficit spending for the yearl)	\$	13,000.00	\$	416,000.00
Difference	\$	2,307.00	(\$	-26,410.31

Money Counters: Tuesday, February 18, 2025 Dana Lugering Jack Kuhlman

Suggested Tithing Chart							
Per hour	Per year	2% per week	4% per week	6% per week	8% per week	10% per week	12% per week
\$15	\$30,000	\$12	\$24	\$36	\$48	\$60	\$72
\$20	\$40,000	\$16	\$32	\$48	\$64	\$80	\$96
\$25	\$50,000	\$20	\$40	\$60	\$80	\$100	\$120
\$30	\$60,000	\$24	\$48	\$72	\$96	\$120	\$144
\$35	\$70,000	\$28	\$56	\$84	\$112	\$140	\$168
\$40	\$80,000	\$32	\$64	\$96	\$138	\$160	\$192
\$45	\$90,000	\$36	\$72	\$108	\$144	\$180	\$216
\$50	\$100,000	\$40	\$80	\$120	\$160	\$200	\$240

Approximated based on 40 hour-work week and 2,000 hour work-year. Thank you for reviewing and considering your parish tithe each year.

Parish Ministry Schedule - Saturday & Sunday, February 22 & 23, 2025					
	Saturday, 4:00 p.m.	Saturday, 6:30 p.m.	Sunday, 8:00 a.m.	Sunday, 10:30 a.m.	
Key Minister/ Sacristan	Jr. & Jackie Dreyer		Gene & Rita Goerlich		
Lector	Bill Anderson	George Benz	Michelle Kasparie	Debbie Woodworth	
Usher	Bill Anderson Roger Benz Tawny Benz Dan Reichert	George Benz Dan Boone Ryan Boone Tom Boone	Anthony Haley Michael Hummel Matt kasparie Mark Neisen	Brian Koch David McCleary Craig Schafer Rick Schafer	
Servers	Gabby Fischer Morgan Venvertloh	The Benz Family	Pius IX Altar Servers	Madison & Emma McCleary	
Greeters/ Gift Bearers	Dana & Rose Lugering Family	Ted Vahle Family	Mark & Bernice Neisen	Cindy Wellman	
Rosary Leader	Carol Vogel	Earl Boone	Jerry & Trudy Dreier	Rich & Alice Rakers	

In charity, please remember in your prayers: All Caregivers, The Shut-Ins of our Parish, Military Members and their families, Mike Hildebrand, Jackie Schieferdecker, Dennis Meyer, James Ponsot, Mary Gehrt, Winnie Huber, Cindy Barner, Erika Jurrens Hutchison Also please remember in your prayers those who have died in 2025: Eric Fischer, Dorothy Parn

Nursing Care Patients

IL Veterans Home
Michael Hildebrand
Jim Ponsot
Verne Hagstrom

Bickford Cottages
Mary Gehrt
Bradford Villa
Ruth Schmelzle

QUINCY CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS Enrollment for the 2025-2026 school year is now open! As we welcome back returning families, we also encourage school families and parishioners to invite new families to experience the faith-filled, high-quality education our schools provide. From preschool through 8th grade, our four Catholic elementary schools offer a supportive environment where students grow academically and spiritually. Tuition assistance is available through the QCES Foundation. More information can be found at quincycatholicschools.org.

Quincy Holy Family Fest- March 1: 8:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. held at Quincy Notre Dame with Mass at 4:30 p.m. This one-day event will feature speakers from The Apostolate for Family Consecration, Deacon Dennis & Pat Holbrook, and Megan Murphy. We will also have the Sacrament of Reconciliation, children's activities, coffee and donuts, lunch, and plenty of time to have recreation with your family!

Use the QR code for sign up.
For more information:
quincyfamilyfest@gmail.com
or 217-440-8182 or check us
out on Facebook.

St. Joseph Cook-Off Soup Contest Saturday,
March 22, 2025 - All proceeds go toward a St. Joseph
Kitchen Make-over. Are you a "souper" cook? Do you
love to cook for others? Would you like to support a great
cause? We are seeking 15 individuals or teams to
create a crockpot (6-8 qt) of their favorite soup to serve
at our Cook-Off Soup Contest. Our parishioners and
guests will be our judges by sampling all the soups and
voting for the best Homemade Comfy Soup! Are you
ready for the challenge? Mass at 4 p.m. Serving &
Sampling start at 5 p.m. Winner announced at 7:45 p.m.
In addition, desserts, drinks and grilled cheese sandwiches
will be available. All for a FREE WILL offering.
Application can be found at https://www.stsbej.org/_files
ude03c99 be6fce084ac74df4bf142ea400b7ed78.pdf

Ash Wednesday Fish Fry March 5, 2025 4 p.m. – 7 p.m. Blessed Sacrament Catholic School, 1115 S. 7th, Quincy, IL Catfish or Walleye Dinner \$14.00 Includes 3 sides - Macaroni & Cheese, Potato Salad, and Coleslaw, Dessert and Drink Macaroni and Cheese Dinner \$7.00 Applesauce, Dessert, and Drink

St. Peter School is accepting applications for full-time teaching positions in grades 3, 4, and 6 for the 2025-2026 school year. Applicants must hold an active Illinois teaching license and demonstrate enthusiasm and dedication to student success. Interested candidates should submit a cover letter, resume, and three letters of reference via email to c.venvertloh@cospq.org or by mail to Mrs. Cindy Venvertloh, Principal, St. Peter School, 2500 Maine Street, Quincy, IL 62301. For inquiries, please contact the school office at 217-223-1120. St. Peter School wages are based on years of experience and education ranging from \$33,000 to \$70,000 depending upon education and experience. More specific information will be provided upon request. A summary of benefits can be found at https://dio.org/wp-content/ uploads/2025/01/Benefits-Flyer-1.pdf

Quincy Notre Dame High School is seeking qualified candidates for the following positions for the 2025-26 school year:

Full-Time Spanish Teacher – Qualified candidates should submit a cover letter, resume and three letters of reference by Friday, February 14, to QND Principal Mark McDowell

at mmcdowell@qndhs.org. Compensation for full-time teaching staff is based on years of experience and education ranging from \$35,000 - \$65,000. More specific information will be provided upon request.

Full-Time Administrative Assistant - Qualified

candidates should submit a cover letter, resume and three letters of reference by Friday, February 14, to QND Principal Mark McDowell at mmcdowell@qndhs.org. Compensation is based on skill set and related experience ranging from \$15 - \$20 per hour. More specific information will be provided upon request. Visit QuincyNotreDame.org for more details.

St. Anthony Parish welcomes
Charlie Michael Berryman
son of
Alex & Emily Peters Berryman

Alex & Emily Peters Berryman who was baptized February 9, 2025 into the Catholic faith.



<u>Old Palms</u> If you have old palm branches please return them to the container in the back of church or the office.



FEBRUARY GROCERY ITEMS

Tuna and Macaroni & Cheese

The Ladies of Charity & Catholic Charities Thank You



Safe Environment Program

To report all 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) 321-1156

Blessed Sacrament Battle of the Paddles

Saturday, February 22, Doors open at 5:00 p.m., Auction begins at 6:00 p.m. in Fr. McGivney Hall, Knights of Columbus Bring your friends, snacks and quarters!

St. Joseph Annual Shrimp Boil and Fish Fry - Saturday, March 1 Come to Mass at 4 p.m., Food Served at 5 p.m. Shrimp/Fish/Andouille Sausage/Corn on the Cob/French Fries/Potatoes/Corn Dogs/Onion Rings/and MORE All you can eat for \$20.00: 4 and under free; 5-12 - \$5.00

If you are needing a contribution statement for 2024 from St. Anthony Church please contact the parish office, 222-5996, to request a statement. We can either mail or email your statement. These will only be printed upon request.

Families- Our PTO is hosting a Glow Dance on Friday, February 21 from 6:30-8:00 p.m. Your whole family is invited to join us for an evening of dancing, games, and glow accessories galore! See you then! - St. Dominic PTO

Thank you to everyone who advertises in our bulletin! Please support these businesses.





Pennies (and More) for Life Campaign Make an active commitment to the pro-life cause. Dig into your pockets, purses, and piggy banks to contribute to the Right to Life of Adams County "Pennies for Life" campaign. Each

church member (children included) is encouraged to donate at least 1 cent for each year of his or her life, in gratitude to God for the gift of life. A collection will be taken next Sunday. Thank you for helping the Right to Life of Adams County, 109 N. 8th Street, Ouincy to spread the respect-life message.

Welcome to all visitors to St. Anthony Parish! If you are searching for a place to call home please consider becoming a member of our parish family. It is very simple to sign up. Just call the parish office (217-222-5996) and indicate that you would like to join our parish and a registration form will be sent to you or emailed to you. If you would rather stop by the office some one is there Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.



Session 1: Jesus: Model and Master of Prayer

In this episode of his course on the Our Father, Dr. Ben Akers teaches us what we can learn from the perfect model and master of prayer: Jesus

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