

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

607 N. MAIN ST. - GARDEN PLAIN, KANSAS

May 10, 2026

6th Sunday of Easter

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10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

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9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

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9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

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To Register

Welcome to those who are new to our parish. If you would like to register at St. Anthony, please call the office at (316) 531-2252 to request a registration packet. Forms available on our website at www.stanthonygardenplain.com.



Dear St. Anthony parishioners,

Thank you to all for your prayers and support throughout the past seven years in seminary. To this end, I would like to invite everyone to my ordination to the order of Priesthood. The ordination is at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, May 23rd at the Church of the Magdalen, 12626 E. 21st St. N., Wichita, KS 67206. There will be first blessings and a lunch reception to follow at Magdalen.

I will celebrate my first Mass of Thanksgiving on Sunday, May 24th at 1:00 p.m. However, due to the restraint of space, this Mass is invite only. I would love to have the entire parish there for this event, but it is simply impossible with our given space. However, all are invited to the Parish Mass on Saturday, June 27th at 4:30 p.m. as I offer a Mass for the parish. There will be a light reception and first blessings to follow afterwards in the Parish Hall. Any cards of congratulations can be sent to the following address: 730 Biermann St., Garden Plain, KS 67050.

Know of my prayers of gratitude for you all and my home parish that has provided so much for me.

God Bless,

Deacon Peter Bergkamp



Holy Mass

Sunday

Saturday (Vigil) - 4:30 p.m.

Sunday - 8:00 & 10:00 a.m.

Weekdays

Mon. & Fri. - 7:30 a.m.

Wed. - 6:30 p.m.

(See Bulletin for Thur. Mass Time)

Confession

Weekly

Wed. 5:00 to 5:45 p.m.

Sat. 3:00 to 3:45 p.m.

Prayer Line

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

Sat., May 9

3:00 - 3:45 p.m. - Confession

Sun., May 10 - Happy Mother's Day

3:00 p.m. - Baptism

Mon., May 11

8:00 a.m. - Adoration begins

7:00 p.m. - Parish Hall Reserved by K of C

Tues., May 12

7:00 a.m. - Adoration ends

Wed., May 13

5:00 - 5:45 p.m. - Confessions

Thurs., May 14

No Events Scheduled

Fri., May 15

No Events Scheduled

Sat., May 16

3:00 - 3:45 p.m. - Confession

Sun., May 17

9:00 a.m. - 1st Time Parent Baptismal Class

In Franciscan Hall

5:00 p.m. - K of C Rosary

5:30 p.m. - K of C Meeting

At Parish Hall

Parish Office Summer Hours Starting May 11

The office closes at 2:00 p.m. on Mon. - Thurs.
12:00 p.m. on Fri.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat., May 9

4:30 p.m. - People of the Parish

Sun., May 10

8:00 a.m. - All Mothers

10:00 a.m. - All Mothers

Mon., May 11

7:30 a.m. - † Bernard & Carol Marcinkowski

Tues., May 12

7:30 a.m. - † Marcia Panek

Wed., May 13

6:30 p.m. - † Jim & Int. Anne Weber

Thurs., May 14

7:30 a.m. - Int. Joan Stuhlsatz

Fri., May 15

7:30 a.m. - † Kenneth Elpers

Sat., May 16

4:30 p.m. - Int. Bui T. Tung

Sun., May 17

8:00 a.m. - † Elvin Zoglman

10:00 a.m. - People of the Parish

A Mass Intention is \$10 per Mass. Mass Intention Request Slips are located at entrances of church. Can be put into collection basket or dropped off at parish office.



WEEKDAY ALTAR SERVERS SCHEDULE

Mon., May 11

7:30 a.m. - Brady & Kayd Koester

Tues., May 12

7:30 a.m. - Elise & Emery Zoglman

Wed., May 13

6:30 p.m. - Cora & Morris Ehling

Thurs., May 14

7:30 a.m. - Isaac & Connor Mease

Fri., May 15

7:30 a.m. - Owen Lies & Coleman Jennings

You shall generously give to him, and your heart shall not be grudging when you give to him, because for this thing the LORD your God will bless you in all your work, and in all your undertakings.

~ Deuteronomy 5:10

Sunday Collection May 3

Regular - \$16,247.00
(Includes Parish Improvement Donation)

Thank You for Your
Stewardship of Treasure!

Honor her for all that
her hands have done,
and let her works bring
her praise at the city gate.
Proverbs 31:31



LITURGICAL MINISTRIES WEEKEND - 5/16 & 5/17

Lectors

4:30 p.m. - Wes Washabaugh

8:00 a.m. - Heidi Becker

10:00 a.m. - Stacey Fisher

Rosary Leaders

4:30 p.m. - Tina Washabaugh

8:00 a.m. - Heidi Becker

10:00 a.m. - Julie Bergkamp

Gift Bearers

4:30 p.m. - Wes Washabaugh's Family

8:00 a.m. - Jeff Howard's Family

10:00 a.m. - Greg Jennings' Family

Homebound EMHC's - May

Marilyn Helten & Jennylee Doyle

First Time Parent Baptismal Class May 17 at 9:00 a.m.

Jana Weber

Altar Servers

4:30 p.m. - Jude Kampling

Jared Flax

Owen Lies

8:00 a.m. - Connor Mease

Isaac Mease

Kylie Mease

10:00 a.m. - Jaycee Ricke

Hazel Weber

Ade Kasselmann

EMHC's

4:30 p.m. - Todd & Rhonda Kampling

8:00 a.m. - John & Judy Nowak

10:00 a.m. - Jennifer McFadden

Lynn Woolf

Ushers - May

4:30 p.m. - Ben McGregor, Derek Becker,
Russ Becker & Bob Hoheisel

8:00 a.m. - Jim Schartz, Greg Teter,
Jim Hommertzhaim & Dean Baker

10:00 a.m. - Ryan Koester, Casey Leis,
Eric May & **Volunteer Needed**

BAPTISMS

Baptisms are celebrated after the 10:00 a.m. Mass on the first Sunday of the month at St. Anthony Parish. 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.

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

Fish Fry Thank You - Dear people of St. Anthony, I would like to thank all of you who planned, participated, donated to and/or attended the Lenten Fish Fry. The proceeds from the event went to assisting me with additional medical expenses since my surgery and continued recovery. I especially would like to thank the Knights of Columbus and our parish Altar Society for hosting this event. Your kindness and generosity are overwhelming, and I cannot thank you enough. Kindly continue to keep me and all those who are suffering in any way, in your prayers. Again, thank you and may God bless you all. ~ Father H

Mass Intention Requests - Dear friends, we have now accumulated an abundance of Mass Intention Requests to the level that I need to limit the number of requests. I will continue to accept specific date requests for new intentions along with requests that do not have specific dates, but I would ask that those intentions previously requested after the funeral of our parish members be somewhat limited. Here's how I would like to proceed: If you have had a loved one in our parish that has died and has a large number of requests remaining that have not been celebrated yet, and you are seeking a specific date, i.e. birth date, anniversary of death date, etc. please call me so I can assign an existing request to that date, instead of requesting a new Mass intention. If there are no existing requests for them, then of course we can take a new Mass intention request. Please know that I try my best to get your Mass intention requests on the specific days you request them, unless someone else has first requested the same date. In that case, I try to get them on the next available day as close to the date you requested. If you ever have any questions about Mass intentions, please feel free to contact the office and we would be happy to assist you or answer any questions you may have. I greatly appreciate your flexibility and understanding as we go forward. ~ Father H

RELIGIOUS ED. & YOUTH NEWS

Grade School PSR Classes - We wish everyone a beautiful, fun summer, and remember what Father H has shared, "Our faith never takes a vacation." We pray that you continue to grow in your relationship with Jesus, learn something new about your faith, receive Jesus in the Eucharist weekly, and go to the Sacrament of Penance regularly this summer.

We would like to say "THANK YOU" to the 55+ individuals who volunteered to share our beautiful Catholic Christian faith with the children in our parish PSR programs this past school year. Our programs would not be possible without their generosity. We also thank everyone who supported us with their prayers.

Totus Tuus will be held June 28 – July 3. More details will be coming soon.

Please continue to keep Father H in your prayers.

Questions for Faith Sharing - The theme for this Sunday's readings is: We have the spirit of truth to guide us. **Question for Adults:** Which one of the promises in today's Gospel gives you the most hope? **Question for Youth:** Jesus promised us that the Holy Spirit (the Advocate) would remain with us always. When have you experienced the Spirit?

Let us pray that our hearts may be open to receive the Spirit of Truth, and to organize our lives around love as the central truth of our faith. ~ Lifelong Catechesis OSV

"My Immaculate Heart will be your refuge and the way that will lead you to God."
~ Our Lady of Fatima

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ALTAR SOCIETY NEWS

Upcoming Ordination - Let us pray for Deacon Peter Bergkamp who will be ordained on Saturday, May 23 and celebrating his first Mass on Sunday, May 24.

The Altar Society will be providing desserts. Please look for the link to the Signup Genius if you're able to help or contact Heidi Becker, Altar Society President at 316-644-9174.

FRUIT #6 – SOLIDARITY WITH THE POOR

"Whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me." (Mt 25:40).

Dictum: Stewardship is rooted in compassion.

Stewardship opens the heart to those who suffer. It awakens compassion. It moves a community beyond maintenance into mercy. It teaches us to see Christ in others and to respond with generosity. A steward does not ask, "What do I owe?" but "How can I help?"



EVENTS AROUND THE AREA

Date Night: Building the Domestic Church: The Power of Couples Prayer - On May 14 from 6:15 - 9:00 p.m. 10 Minutes That Change Everything: How Daily Couple Prayer Transforms Marriage. Need a night out with your spouse? Enjoy a delightful evening with dinner, wine and opportunity to connect with other couples. Join Tony & Monica Habashy for an inspiring and practical presentation on the beauty of the Domestic Church and the transformative impact of daily couples prayer. Drawing from their own journey, they will share how intentional prayer as husband and wife brings healing, strengthens unity and invites God more deeply into family life. Come discover simple, meaningful ways to grow together spiritually and build a Christ-centered home. Check-in begins at 6:15 p.m. \$60 per couple. <https://slc.retreatportal.com/calendar/event?programcode=26MFL19581>



25th Annual Midwest Catholic Family Conference - Father Chris Alar from the Marians of the Immaculate Conception will be with us! His podcast [Explaining the Faith](#) is very popular. He will be sharing his wisdom and the Church's teachings at our conference July 31 - August 2. Save up to \$30 with early bird registration by June 30. Registration is available on-site, but online registration after June 30 will still save you money! Register online at www.catholicfamilyconference.org or call 316-618-9787. Email questions to info@catholicfamilyconference.org

SFA Viking Summer Volleyball Camp 2026 - Camp will be hosted by Holly Tanner, Rita Mernagh and McKenzie Baalmann at St. Francis of Assisi. Camp will be June 15 -18. There will be three sessions of camp for 3rd - 8th graders. We will host 3rd - 4th grade 10:00 to 11:30 a.m., 5th - 6th grade 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and 7th - 8th grade 1:30 to 3:00 p.m. **Each registration will be \$70 and include a T-shirt if registered and paid by June 8.** Please fill out the form to register for Summer Volleyball Camp 2026. Please reach out if you have any questions, email: mbaalmann@stfranciswichita.com.



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