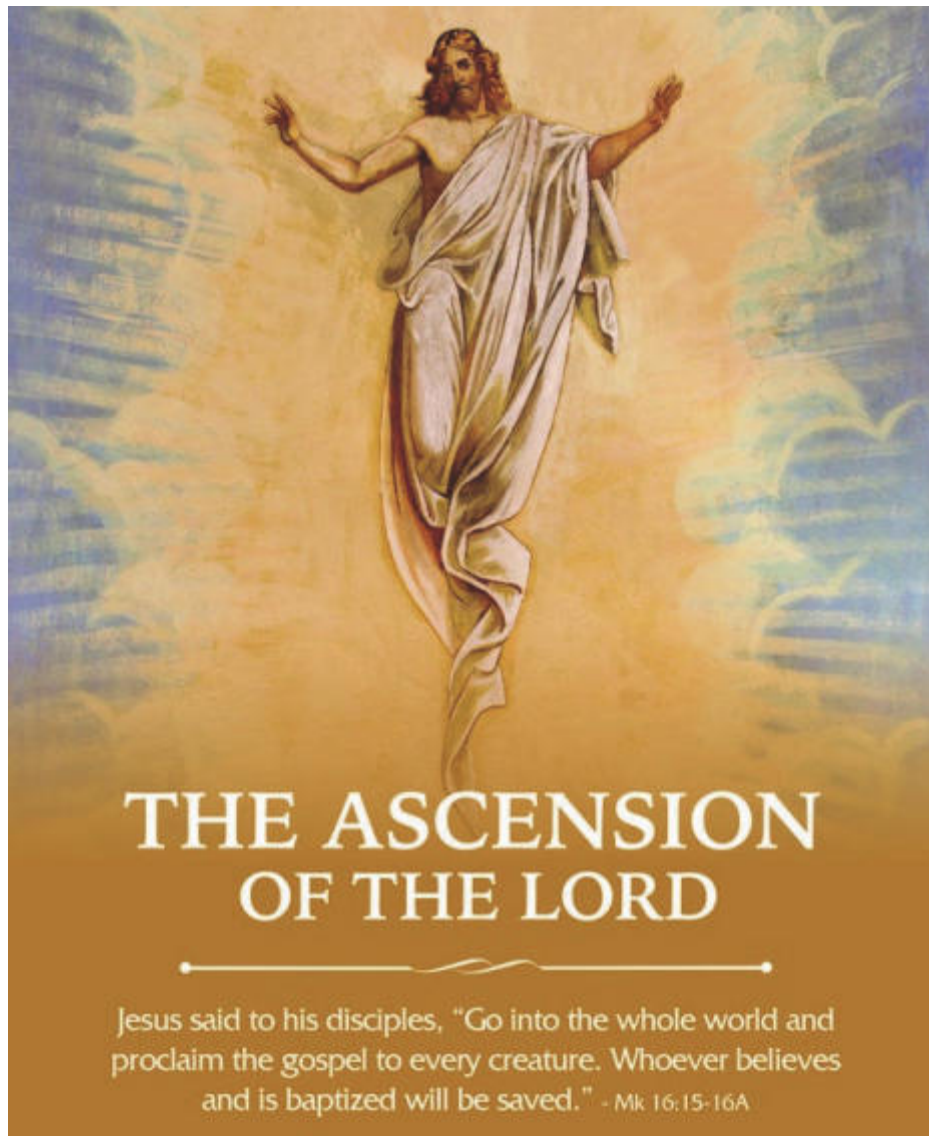


# St. Anthony of Padua Parish

2223 - 51ST STREET KENOSHA, WISCONSIN 53140

May 16, 2021  
The Ascension of the Lord



Parish Mission Statement:  
**Inspire Personal Encounters with  
Christ that Transform Hearts and  
Lives!**

Seek and You Will Find (Matthew 7:7)

## Mass Schedule

Saturday - 5:00 PM (Mass of Anticipation)

Sunday - 10:00 AM

Thursday—7:00 AM

First Friday Mass - 5:00PM

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 4:15-4:45

Sunday 9:15-9:45

## Marriage

In order to wisely discern a minimum of six months is required. Contact the Parish Office.

## Baptism

Arrangements are to be made with the Administrator. Parents must be active, registered and practicing Members of St. Anthony Parish.

## Office Hours

262-652-1844

Sundays

11:30-12:30

## Parish Membership

All adults from high school age up are expected to be registered members with the Parish including candidates for Baptism and Marriage.

## Parish Pastoral Council

Alan Padlock, Chairperson

Will Martin, Vice-Chairperson

Barb Clark, Secretary

Members-at-Large

Mary Andrews, Tom Hamm,

Sue Kaeppler, Darlene Slater

Members Ex-Officio

Fr. Todd Belardi

Trustees ;

Lawrence Dolnik, Pat DeGrace

May 16, 2021

## The Ascension of the Lord

There is always something very tender and heartwarming about a kiss. When someone who loves us offers us a kiss, it sends a clear message that we are valued and special. We occupy a unique place in their lives and have a distinct purpose. Kissing celebrates the wonder and beauty of human life. In a very powerful way, we are connected, through intimate touch, with another human being. With the incarnation of Christ, God kissed humanity. God, revealed so perfectly in Jesus Christ, showed us that we have value and are made in God's image and likeness. Mortal human beings radiate with the presence of God and are worthy enough to reveal the intimacy of the Divine Mystery. The human race is not simply something God created from a distance but something special within which God dwells.

It is no wonder then, why the poor hold such an honored place in Jesus' ministry. They speak of God's love and they cry out for the compassion that is due them as children of God. Justice is about setting relationships right because we are all filled with God's love and have dignity. The human story is understood as a partnership, a true and new covenant, celebrating a love relationship between all of creation and their Creator. It is a story that does not end with the Cross or even the Resurrection. The story finds its happy ending in the Ascension. Our human narrative is still evolving and moving ever more closely toward that day when all will be one in Christ.

Jesus now sits at the right hand of the Father as the Christ of God. In the ascended state, we see what we are all meant to become and have before us the transformed life that awaits all of creation. The disciples got a glimpse of what this transfiguration would be on the holy mountain and it is an essential part of the Good News we are called to proclaim! Christ, now ascended to the Father, sets our paths straight and gives us a look at what awaits us. The day-to-day challenges of life often find us struggling with our incompleteness. Today's celebration gives us the strength to persevere, knowing that we'll eventually be well. May our hearts be enlightened so that we can know this hope and the surpassing greatness of Christ's power.

### Observances for the week of May 16, 2021

Tuesday: St. John I, Pope and Martyr

Thursday: St. Bernardine of Siena, Priest

Friday: St. Christopher Magallanes, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs

Saturday: St. Rita of Cascia, Religious



### The Schedule of Services for This Week

SATURDAY	May 15	The Ascension of the Lord (Mass of Anticipation)	5:00 pm—Tony Scuglik (Stephen Roman)
SUNDAY	May 16	The Ascension of the Lord	10:00 am—Stephen Kolenka (Carol Pelke)
THURSDAY	May 20	Saint Bernardine of Siena, Priest	7:00 am - Mario Caira (Roger & Diane Iorio)
SATURDAY	May 22	Pentecost Sunday (Mass of Anticipation)	5:00 pm—Joseph Dolnik (Betty Solum)
SUNDAY	May 23	Pentecost Sunday	10:00 am—For People with Special Needs (Knights of Columbus)

### Readings for the week of May 16, 2021

Sunday: Ascension: Acts 1:1-11/Ps 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 [6]/Eph 1:17-23 or Eph 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13/Mk 16:15-20

Monday: Acts 19:1-8/Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab [33a]/Jn 16:29-33

Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27/Ps 68:10-11, 20-21 [33a]/Jn 17:1-11a

Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38/Ps 68: 29-30, 33-35a, 35bc-36ab [33a]/Jn 17:11b-19

Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11 [1]/Jn 17:20-26

Friday: Acts 25:13b-21/Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab [19a]/Jn 21:15-19

Saturday: Morning: Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/Ps 11:4, 5 and 7 [7b]/Jn 21:20-25

### Contact Information

Fr. Todd Belardi - Administrator  
Jane Padlock—Parish Secretary

For Regular Parish Business  
call the Rectory and leave a message at  
652-1844 or email us at  
paduakenosha@gmail.com

### Normal Office hours:

Sundays 11:30-12:30 Parish Center Office  
To speak with Fr. Todd please call the rectory  
and leave a message.

If you have an urgent need please call Fr. Todd  
at (404) 545-4988

The Pope's Prayer Intention for  
MAY

### Universal Intention

Let us pray that those in charge of  
finance will work with governments to  
regulate the financial sphere and  
protect citizens from its dangers.

### Parish Dates:

May 19—SVDP food pantry 5:30  
June 20—Wedding Anniversaries  
celebration 10am Mass

## FORMATION CORNER



Mark your calendars!  
St. Anthony Vacation Bible  
School—July 26-30  
More information to follow!

Is 2021 a special Anniversary year  
for you marriage? We will be  
celebrating all 1, 5, 10, 15, etc.  
Wedding Anniversaries with a  
blessing during the 10am Mass on  
Sunday, June 20, followed by a  
small reception, to which all are  
welcome.

Please send an email to  
paduakenosha@gmail.com and  
let us know your marriage details  
and to "register" so we can plan!

May 16, 2021  
Ascension Sunday  
Pray with Me

Dear Jesus,  
Let me remain in your love. Let  
me continue to be your apostle to  
the world around me. I want to  
keep Easter and its meaning in  
my heart all year round. Let me  
spread the joy of your Resurrec-  
tion to others by being joyful and  
giving.

May I show small acts of  
kindness to others during the day  
and be patient and compassion-  
ate. Let me remember the  
wonderful gifts that you have  
given me in terms of home,  
family, friends, food, clothing  
and your love and be willing to  
share my gifts with others.  
Amen

### Kenosha Giving Circle

**Take and Heat Lasagna Family Style Drive  
Thru Dinner.** Pick up starts on St Mary Large  
Parking Lot off of 40 Ave.

Pick up May 21 (3-6) and May 22 (11-1)

Menu: Lasagna -meat/cheese or just cheese

Italian Bean Salad

Italian Bread

Brownie

Single serving \$11

Two serving in one container \$20

Four servings in one container \$36

ALL ORDERS MUST BE PREORDER BY 5:00PM  
ON MAY 17TH

To order: go to St Mary website - stmarycath-  
olic.org

OR Call Kathy 262-694-2051

Make checks payable to St Mary Parish  
lasagna on memo line. Must have exact  
change at pick up.

All proceeds will be used to purchase gifts for  
Giving Circle Families for Christmas 2021.

PLEASE BRING A PAIR OF NEW SOCKS AT  
PICKUP - ANY SIZE - BABY TO ADULT. EACH  
PERSON HELPED BY GIVING CIRCLE WILL  
RECEIVE A PAIR.

Congratulations to our ASCS 2<sup>nd</sup> grade students  
as they receive their First Holy Communion this  
month at their parishes. They have been anxiously  
awaiting and diligently preparing their hearts  
and minds for this beautiful Sacrament of receiv-  
ing the body and blood of Jesus for the first time.  
They are blessed with the opportunity to now  
receive the Eucharist, with our 3<sup>rd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade  
students, during weekly ASCS Masses, along with  
their families on Sunday. God Bless each of you!

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information!



**First Friday Masses**  
Mass will be held at  
**St. Anthony at 5:00 pm on**  
**the first Friday of each**  
**month.**  
Next Mass: June 4



Congratulations to our First  
Communicants:

Henry Jones Jaden McMahon  
Ava Paradiso Bree Paradiso  
Cruz Paradiso Winnie Pitts  
Liv Weiss

May God continue to shower His  
blessings on you!



We are very happy to see many  
new faces celebrating the Liturgy  
with us!

If you are interested in joining  
St. Anthony Parish please see  
Father Todd on Saturday, or visit  
our Gathering Space after  
Sunday Mass to get signed up!

## ST VINCENT DE PAUL CORNER

On May 5 the St. Vincent de Paul  
pantry served 70 people in need.

Thank you to St. Joseph Catholic  
Academy Grade 2 Girl Scout Troop  
for your help!

We will keep the parish posted on  
upcoming donation requests.

Please continue to help us spread the  
word! Next date: May 19.



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