

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH | JANUARY 16, 2022



WHEN THE WINE RAN SHORT, THE MOTHER OF JESUS
SAID TO HIM, "THEY HAVE NO WINE." - JN 2:3

2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:00 pm
Sunday: 10:00 am

WEEKDAYS

Monday & Tuesday:
8:30 am

HOLY DAY MASSES

Consult the bulletin

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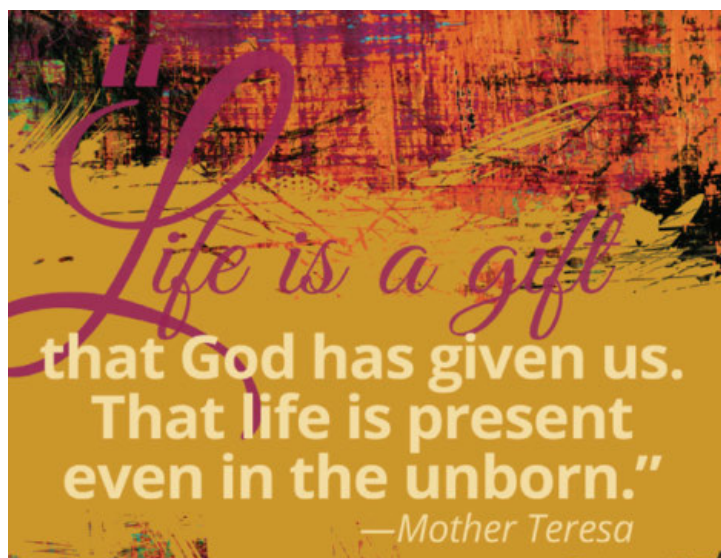
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WELCOME

MESSAGE FROM PASTOR

In the Gospel Reading from the Gospel of John (2:1-11), we have the beautiful story of the "Marriage Feast at Cana." Within this story there are many symbols that reveal the greatness of God and His desire to share Himself with humanity. The presence of Jesus at this marriage and His involvement to make it a success is the Church's reasons for raising marriage to the level of a Sacrament. The abundance of wine, which is a spiritual symbol of life, is a foreshadowing of God's abundant love that transcends all our transgressions or shortcomings. Also, Mary's intercession on behalf of the bride and groom gives us the courage to ask her intercession on our behalf as well. Lastly, the presence of Jesus at this marriage is symbolic of God's relationship with the Church. Christ is the bridegroom and we, the Church, are His bride. Throughout the bible, Marriage and the Wedding Banquet are used as symbols of heaven and eternal life because marriage is supposed to be a commitment in which a spouse gives themselves to their beloved for the spiritual enrichment of both. God "gave His only Son so that we might have eternal life." Our "life" is God's gift to us. What we do with it is our gift to God. So, as we begin another year and make all kinds of resolutions, think about what you plan to give to God in this New Year.

~Rev. Edward J Smith



SACRAMENTAL CELEBRATIONS

CONFESSION

Saturday 3:00 pm or by appt.

BAPTISM

At least one parent must be a parishioner & actively attend Mass prior to calling the Office.

Baptisms will be held on the 3rd Sunday of the month

MARRIAGE

At least one member of the couple must be a parishioner & actively attend Mass prior to calling.

Couples need to make arrangements *at least 6 months in advance.*

No date may be reserved until discussion with priest of the parish.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Call the Parish Office

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SUNDAY READINGS

FIRST READING:

As a young man marries a virgin, your Builder shall marry you; and as a bridegroom rejoices in his bride so shall your God rejoice in you. (*Is 62:5*)

PSALM:

Proclaim his marvelous deeds to all the nations. (*Ps 96*)

SECOND READING:

But one and the same Spirit produces all of these, distributing them individually to each person as he wishes. (*1 Cor 12:11*)

GOSPEL:

Jesus did this as the beginning of his signs at Cana in Galilee and so revealed his glory, and his disciples began to believe in him. (*Jn 2:11*)

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Sunday - Jan. 16th - 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 am - †Lillian Margaret Neal

Requested by: Kocay Family

Monday - Jan. 17th - St. Anthony, Abbot

8:30 am - †John & Alice Brailer

*Requested by: Ursula Wachholz
(School Mass for Grades 6-8)*

Tuesday - Jan. 18th - Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

8:30 am - †Kathleen Ena Miller

Requested by: Hilaire Tavenner

Saturday - Jan. 22nd - Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

4:00 pm - †John R. Stowe

Requested by: The Metzinger Family

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

JANUARY 16, 2022

Sunday: *Is 62:1-5/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 [3]/1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11*

Monday: *1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mk 2:18-22*

Tuesday: *1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28/Mk 2:23-28*

Wednesday: *1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Mk 3:1-*

Thursday: *1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13/Mk 3:7-1*

Friday: *1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11/Mk 3:13-1*

Saturday: *2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3, 5-7/Mk 3:20-2*

Next Sunday: *Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/1 Cor 12:12-30 or 12:12-14, 27/Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21*

Sunday - Jan. 23rd - 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:00 am - †Eugene J. Komlosi

Requested by: Evelyn & Ernie Kosash



When the wine ran short, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." And Jesus said to her, "Woman, how does your concern affect me? My hour has not yet come." His mother said to the servers, "Do whatever he tells you." — *Jn 2:3-5*

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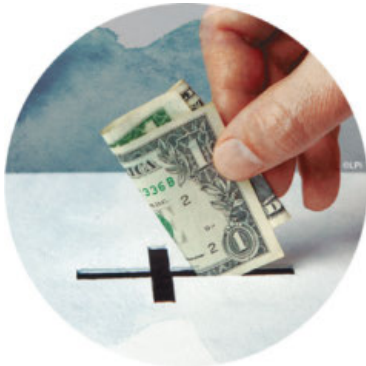
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Amount Budgeted Weekly..... \$4,691.00
 Sunday Collection (12/26/2021)..... \$3,639.00
 7/1/2021 to Date +/- Budget..... +\$13,685.84



MY GIFT TO GOD REFLECTS HIS GENEROSITY TO ME.

If you are unable to contribute, please submit your envelopes all the same as it is our most clear indication of active participation for Mass.



2021 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS
 ...are available by request only. You can call the parish office, email jancsuram@stanthonylorain.com or put a note in the collection basket. All statements can be mailed or emailed. Please make sure we have your correct mailing address or email when requesting.

Prayer REQUESTS

PLEASE KEEP THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Gilbert Amador	Vicky Aring	Gloria Badillo	Lindsey Marie Ballas	Janet Baxter	Joanne Bilancini
Tim "Swampy" Burton	Chuck Camera	Lynn Coscho	Ann DiFrancesco	Alfredo DiLuciano	Evelyn Donovan
Jerry Donovan	Anna Mae Ebinger	Denise Ellis	Deacon Jose Flores	Scott Friges	Bea Giacobbe
Virginia Glass	Barbara Glick	Brian Grace	Renee Golowenski	D'Arie Gonzalez	Delores Gonzalez
Jose Gonzalez	Jose Gonzalez Jr.	Juan Gonzalez	Nancy Hartman	Dawn Smith Hathaway	Tim Haupt
Clara Hodorowski	Kevin Holley	Phyllis Holomuzki	Jennifer Humphrey	Al Jacobs	Devin Jarvis
Beatrice Johns	Sylvia Johnston	Johnna Kuhar	Pepsi Lachowyn	Lucy Lasacen	Deacon Luis Maldonado
Rita McConley	Dolores Melley	Jen Mitterholzer	Ellen Morgan	Mary Nazario	John Pavic
Liz Profant	Elizabeth Raddell	Emily Raddell	Amy Schmidt	Patricia Smith	Sheila Strauser
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Sherri Wedgeworth	Velma Weichman	Cathy Weston	Paul Winkler	Doris Zgola-Whitka	

Call the Parish Office if you would like to add someone to this list. Please notify us when to remove the name.

Call the "Prayer Line" for immediate prayer requests, **Georgianna: 440-288-1644 or Dee: 440-984-3874**



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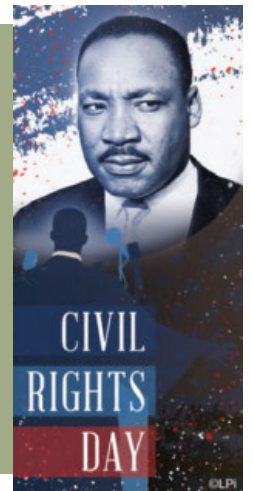
St. Marianne Cope, Franciscan sister, and a foundress of St. Joseph's Hospital, Syracuse, NY offered to go to the leper colony of Molokai, Hawaii and spent 35 years of her life ministering there. "When Mother Marianne made her famous statement that she was hungry for the work. It was because she knew that her own deep hunger pangs for the True Bread of Life would be better satisfied if she met the Eucharistic Lord in those she fed, in those she clothed, in those she nursed, and in those least of the least whom she set free from a prison of self-pity, no matter how justified it might be. Who will make the rest of the world as hungry as was our beloved St. Marianne?"

~Bishop Larry Silva

A Prayer for a Just Society

Heavenly Father, You create every human person in Your image and likeness. You call us together in one human family, united in dignity, value, and love. Give us the strength and wisdom to protect this dignity and life at all stages. Jesus our Savior, you proclaim the blessedness of those who work for peace and who hunger and thirst for righteousness. Forgive us for the times we have not responded to the call of Your Beatitudes. Holy Spirit, the Advocate, empower us to stand in defense of the poor and vulnerable. Good and Gracious God, make our hearts to love like Yours.

Amen.



PRO-LIFE THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

“As the family goes, so goes the nation, and so goes the whole world in which we live.”
ST. JOHN PAUL II

Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

The idea of a natural right is to preserve life, not to kill it; and a so-called “constitutional right” to abortion cannot supersede the natural right to life.

“You are called to stand up for life! To respect and defend the mystery of life always and everywhere, including the lives of unborn babies, giving real help and encouragement to mothers in difficult situations. You are called to work and pray against abortion.”

~Pope John Paul II



CHARISMATIC MASS WITH HEALING PRAYER

Catholic Renewal Ministries will host a **Charismatic Mass on Friday, January 28th, at 7:00 pm, at St. Peter Parish, 35777 Center Ridge Rd., North Ridgeville.** Fr. Bob Franco will be the celebrant. Praise and worship will begin at 7:00 pm and the liturgy will start at 7:30 pm. Healing prayer teams will be available after mass for individual prayer, and there will also be a social after mass. For more information, please contact Fr. Franco at 440-327-2201 or CRM at 440-944-9445. **Come and bring a friend!** *This will be a time to truly encounter the Lord.*

ST. ANTHONY SCHOOL FIELD TRIPS SUPER BOWL SQUARES FUNDRAISER! (Sponsored by the Parent Advisory Committee)

**Please support St. Anthony student field trips by purchasing your square(s) !
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HOW TO ENTER: Complete the form below and send in with your **CASH payment** OF \$10 per square OR use **VENMO (please indicate SUPER BOWL)**. PayPal is also available via the school website (school fees apply).

FUNDRAISER INFORMATION: OUR GOAL IS TO SELL 200 SQUARES OR \$2000!!

1. **Two grids of 100 squares** each will be available, with each quarter designated on one grid. Each player will be randomly assigned a square with a chance to win **WITH DIFFERENT NUMBERS** in each quarter. There is no limit on the number of squares a person may buy!!!
2. After all the squares have been purchased, the numbers 0 - 9 will be randomly selected and assigned **for each quarter, one number per row and one number per column**. The numbers for each column and row represent the last digit of the score for each team.
3. The player who owns the square that represents the score at the end of each quarter will win.
4. The payout will be **\$100 for quarters 1-3** with **\$200 for the FINAL score on each grid**.
5. Money is due on or before **February 10**. Numbers will be randomly assigned that afternoon, with the final board posted on our social media pages..
6. Winners will be notified and paid the week of **February 14**.
7. Squares are available first come first serve. **PURCHASE ASAP!!**

E-mail Chris at winklerc@stanthonylorain.com with questions----THANK YOU!!

FAMILY NAME: _____ **PHONE #:** _____

NAME ON SQUARE (S): ****Please do NOT put your child's name here as children are not eligible to play. The name listed on the board must be someone age 18 and over.****

NUMBER OF SQUARES _____ X \$10.00 = _____

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Bishop Robert Barron's

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Three Paths to Holiness

God calls each of us to become a saint, and he's ready to support us along the way by providing abundant blessings. Join us as we seek these blessings by participating in Bishop Robert Barron's DVD-based program: *"Untold Blessing: Three Paths to Holiness."* The first path is "Finding the Center in Christ," the second is "Knowing You Are a Sinner" and then the third, "Realizing Your Life is Not About You."

Join us on **Wednesday, February 9th at 7 pm at St. Vincent de Paul Elyria.** We will begin the *Untold Blessing: Three Paths to Holiness* Program. . This is an 8-week program with an introductory session on the first evening. Please meet in the Parish Library (second floor of school building, elevator access available). **Cost is only \$20/ person.**

Scholarships are available. All are welcome, no experience necessary. Bring a Bible! All other classes will be held in our Parish Social Hall. Masks are recommended. To find out more information, please contact Jackie Prosak at jackiesvdp@gmail.com or visit our website www.svdpeyria.com to register online. **Please register by Sunday, February 6th.**



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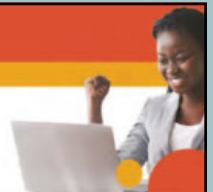
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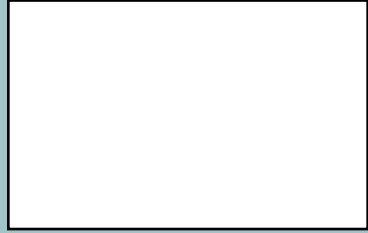
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