



## Second Sunday of Advent

December 10, 2023

*All Are Welcome!*

### ST. ANTHONY PARISH

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Office hours: Mon-Thurs 10a-3p, Closed Friday

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#### WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 8:30 am and 11:10 am

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#### WEEKDAY MASSES

MONDAY - WEDNESDAY MASSES - 12:10 PM

Rosary: Mon - Wed 11:50 am - 12:10 pm

First Floor, Room 103 • Parish Life Center

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THURSDAY - SATURDAY MASSES - 12:10 PM

11:40 am • Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet

Prayed before Mass

Father Wang

Parish Life Center • First Floor, Room 103

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#### CHAPEL

MONDAY - THURSDAY - 8 AM - 4 PM

Parish Life Center • St. Anthony Adoration Chapel

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#### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

MONDAY 4 AM - TUESDAY 8 PM

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#### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

SATURDAY - 3:50 - 4:30 PM or by appointment

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#### ST. ANN'S, BONNER

Weekend Mass: Sunday, 9:45 am

Weekday Mass: Thursday, 10:00 am

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#### PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor..... Reverend Pascal Kasanziki

Administrative Assistant ..... Linda Greiner

Volunteer R. Ed. Coordinator / Bookkeeper .... Sarah Roberts

Custodian ..... George Loos

Accompanists..... Jim Driscoll, Barb Ballas

Bulletin ..... Kate Likvan

#### MISSOULA CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Loyola Sacred Heart H.S. Principal ..... Paul Richardson

SJS Elementary/Middle Schl Principal..... Joanna Eichner

#### TODAY'S READING: WORSHIP BOOK #1005

#### GIVING TREE

Our Christmas Giving Tree is here. Thank you for your generous support and your interest in taking tags from the tree. We appreciate how generous our parish family is! Please take a tag and return the gift by next Sunday, December 17.



#### PENANCE SERVICES

This Advent there will be no Communal Penance Service. However, from December 11-22, Father Pascal will be available after daily Masses for individual confessions. Saturdays, December 16 and December 23, Father Pascal will be available for individual confessions from 3:30-4:30.



FUNDING THE MINISTRY OF THE DIOCESE OF HELENA

The Diocese has indicated that St. Anthony Parishioners have pledged or contributed \$13,005 to the Annual Catholic Appeal so far! We have reached 25.35% of our goal! We currently have 385 registered households and of that amount 68 have participated! Our goal is 100% participation, and no gift is too small. If all of our households were able to contribute \$134, we would meet our goal. The Annual Catholic Appeal funds are vital to the work of the Diocese. Please prayerfully consider your contribution today.

Giving envelopes can be found in the vestibule of the church or you can give online at <https://diocesehelena.org/aca2023/>.

**For those who have not yet pledged support for the Annual Catholic Appeal, please do so to help us reach our goal as soon as possible. Thank YOU!**



**PARISH VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

The Office is in need of additional **collection counters!** If you can serve in this ministry on a regular or substitute basis, please contact the Parish Office. The collection counting process generally takes about an hour per month. Counting times can be scheduled at your convenience. No experience needed and training is available.

**NOVEMBER 1-30 STEWARDSHIP**

Loose Collections	\$ 2,512.00
Envelope Collections	\$14,924.00
Direct Deposit	\$ 2,215.00
Holy Day	\$ 838.00
Facilities & Grounds	\$ 301.00
Restricted Contributions	\$ 35.00
St. Ann's Contribution to Labor Costs	\$ 912.31
Mass Intentions	\$ 370.00
Aid to the Needy	\$ 1,085.00
Religious Ed	\$ 20.00
Religious Articles	\$ 162.00
Candles	\$ 294.58
Coffee & Donuts for Care Net	\$ 51.00
Rent	\$ 1,750.00
Endowment Dividends	\$ 288.26
Funds for Other Entities	\$ 100.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$25,858.15</b>

**COFFEE & DONUTS AFTER MASS**



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Stop in the Parish Life Center after the 8:30 am and 11:10 am Masses and enjoy fresh donuts and coffee. It's a delicious way to get to know others in our parish and a great way to start your afternoon!

Volunteers are needed for the **coffee and donut ministry**, making coffee before the 8:30 Mass and putting the donuts out on a plate. The same people do not have to do both Masses on every weekend. Typically the coffee and donuts wrap up about 30 minutes after Mass. If you are interested, please call the parish office.

**BIBLE STUDY**

Bible study utilizing the Ascension Study Program, *Jesus: The Way, the Truth, and the Life* is being held in the Parish Life Center between the 8:30 and 11:10 Masses. Join us at any time during these sessions!

**DECEMBER 2 & 3 STEWARDSHIP**

Loose Collections	\$ 401.00
Envelope Collections	\$ 4,745.00
Direct Deposit	\$ 1,095.00
Christmas	\$ 55.00
Holy Day	\$ 155.00
Facilities & Grounds	\$ 303.00
Loyola Sidewalk SID Contribution	\$ 2,482.14
Mass Intentions	\$ 80.00
Bread & Wine	\$ 50.00
Bequest	\$ 5,000.00
Religious Articles	\$ 41.00
Funds for Other Entities	\$ 2.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$14,409.14</b>

**LONG TERM LIABILITY FOR ST. ANTHONY CHURCH**  
 City of Missoula Sidewalk Project - \$43,534.26  
**Annual payments until 2037 & payments decrease in amount each yr. Simple interest of 4.25% is charged by the City.**

*Thank you for your generosity!*

## MASS INTENTIONS DEC 9-17

### Sat December 9.....ST. JUAN DIEGO

5 pm **Eduardo Perez**  
*by Sylvia Garcia*

+ **Kelly Keintz**  
*by John & Judy Keintz*

### Sun December 10.....SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

8:30 am + **Milton Myers**  
*by Pam Newby & Pat Myers*

+ **Bob Holden**  
*by Kathy Holden*

11:10 am + **Theresa House**  
*by David House*

### Mon December 11.....ST. JOHN DAMASUS

12:10 pm **Linda McKnight**  
*by Steve Hopkins*

### Tues December 12.....OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

12:10 pm **David & Julie House**  
*by Anonymous*

### Wed December 13.....ST. LUCY

12:10 pm **David & Julie House**  
*by Anonymous*

### Sat December 16.....WEEKDAY

5 pm + **Peggy Maloney**  
*by the Harvey Family*

+ **Bob Holden**  
*by Kathy Holden*

### Sun December 17.....THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

8:30 am + **Allen Miller**  
*by Barb & Joe Gorsh*

11:10 am **Father Pascal**  
*Marcia Mattson*

## MASS INTENTIONS

Mass intentions are available if you'd like a Mass said for a loved one. You could also make a donation for the altar bread & wine for a week of Mass services for a suggested donation of \$25 - \$50 in the name of someone you'd like to remember or as a remembrance of birthdays, anniversaries, graduations, weddings, etc. Just call the parish office to reserve your intention.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

R.E. classes in the PLC for preschool through high school continue each Wednesday, 6 - 7pm until May 1, 2024. A family-style dinner is served at 7pm. The whole family is welcome. Classes include: 1st Communion/1st Reconciliation; Confirmation and Youth Group/Family classes. If you have any questions, email Sarah Roberts at st.anthony.msla@gmail.com.



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*To get started, you can call (406)442-4130 or visit [www.cssmt.org](http://www.cssmt.org).*



### **ST. ANTHONY'S PRAYER CHAIN**

For someone in need of prayer,  
please contact Gayle Stout at  
406-543-5503

## EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

God blesses St Anthony's Parish through the 40 Hours Eucharistic Adoration Ministry occurring Mondays 4am until Tuesdays 8pm in the Adoration Chapel. Scheduled or substitute adorers are always needed! Come...pray...and remain in His Presence. For information about participating in this prayerful ministry, contact the parish office 406.543.3129 or Mrs. Kelly Mitzel 406.240.4195.

## KNIGHTS' FOOD DRIVE RECAP



Last weekend the Knights of Columbus food drive gave Poverello 48 lbs. of food and \$40 in donations. We also beat Bozeman as we "Canned the Cats!" Woohoo!

## ADVENT ITEMS FOR SALE AT THE RAC

We have **ADVENT CANDLES** for sale at the RAC in the back of the church for \$10/box. There is a limited supply, so get yours early if you need them. Also, don't forget to pick up an **ADVENT CALENDAR** for those young ones in your life. We have four different options to choose from priced \$6-10. This is a great way to build excitement during the season of Advent on a daily basis for youth!

## OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE VOTIVES

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