



August 15
*Assumption
of the Blessed
Virgin Mary*

August 16, 2026

**Twentieth
Sunday
in Ordinary Time**

All Are Welcome!

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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 8:00 am and 11:15 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

MONDAY - WEDNESDAY MASSES - 12:10 PM

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

Parish Life Center • First Floor, Room 103

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THURSDAY - SATURDAY MASSES - 12:10 PM

11:40 am • Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet

Prayed before Mass • Father Wang

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CHAPEL

MONDAY - THURSDAY - 8 AM - 4 PM

Parish Life Center • St. Anthony Adoration Chapel

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday 5 am - Tuesday 9 pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday - 3:30-4:30 pm or by appointment

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

Classes for children and adults will be held every Wednesday evening, October-April. Please see our website for details.

ST. ANN'S, BONNER

WEEKEND MASS: Sunday, 9:45 am

WEEKDAY MASS: Wednesday, 3:00 pm
followed by 1/2 hour of Adoration.

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor..... Reverend Pascal Kasanziki
Administrative Assistant Rebecca Ludger-Hebert
Volunteer R. Ed. Coordinator / Bookkeeper Sarah Roberts
Custodian George Loos
Accompanists..... Jim Driscoll, Barb Ballas
Bulletin Kate Likvan

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Loyola Sacred Heart H.S. Principal Paul Richardson
SJS Elementary/Middle Schl Principal Chris Clevenger

SAT READING: #1222 & SUN READING: #1166

A CHURCH JOURNEYING THROUGH HUMAN HISTORY

Part 3of the Pope's Encyclical:

19. The Church is present in the world as a sign of unity for the entire human family. She recognizes today's questions and challenges as the current setting in which to carry out her particular vocation of listening, dialogue and service, and of being responsive to everything concerning the lives of contemporary men and women. This involvement in people's lives helps the Church understand ever more clearly that her mission has a historical scope and entails a responsibility for the way in which social relations are built. For this reason, she cannot consider herself a stranger to the forces shaping society. On the contrary, the Church actively participates in the processes by which society grows and is organized, and she offers her own contribution to the creation of a more just and fraternal society. Pope Francis emphasized this historical dimension of the Church's mission: "No one can demand that religion should be relegated to the inner sanctum of personal life, without influence on societal and national life, without concern for the soundness of civil institutions, without a right to offer an opinion on events affecting society." [9]

20. The Church's vocation and duty to accompany humanity in the specifics of history leads her to recognize that earthly realities possess their own proper character and order. The Second Vatican Council expressed this principle with particular precision in the Pastoral Constitution *Gaudium et Spes*, whose sixtieth anniversary we remembered and celebrated with gratitude on 7 December 2025: "If by the autonomy of earthly affairs is meant that created things and societies themselves enjoy their own laws and values... then the demand for autonomy is perfectly in order." [10] This affirmation shows that creation bears the imprint of an original goodness that our human outlook must preserve, cultivate and bring to fulfilment. In this regard, the Church offers herself in a way that helps to interpret reality in all its depth. She supports with humble firmness the choices that promote the dignity of every person, the cohesion of communities and the good of all. The Church thus stands alongside the world without overpowering it, so that the promise of justice and peace that the Holy Spirit continues to sustain in the heart of humanity may come to fruition in every human endeavor."

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

ITALIAN FESTIVAL

St Anthony's Parish is hosting an Italian Festival on **Sunday, September 13 from noon to 5:30.** The festival is **FREE** to attend! However, please note that food and various booths will require payment.

We are seeking to fill various volunteer positions:

- to help with coordinating vendors
- play disc jockey
- run the wine tasting booth
- run several competitions
- set up and tear down
- oversee kids crafts
- accept payment for sales
- decorate, advertise and shop

Please invite your friends and contact the office if you're interested in volunteering.

SAVE THE DATE



St. Anthony's Parish
2026 Italian Festival
A Spaghetti Western

217 Tremont St. Missoula, MT
Sunday September 13 12 noon to 5:30 pm

- Food
- Music
 - Crafts
 - Artisans
 - Farmers Market
 - Bocee
 - Kids Soccer Kick
 - Wine Tasting
 - Spaghetti Eating Contest
 - Meatball Cookoff
 - Zucchini Competition
 - Pizza Toss Demonstration

The flyer features a red and white checkered scarf, a plate of spaghetti with meat sauce, a plate of meatballs, a glass of red wine, and a silhouette of a chef juggling.

STEWARDSHIP AUG 1-2, 2026

Envelope Collection	\$ 2,863.25
Loose Collection	\$ 781.76
Direct Deposits	\$ 595.00
Online Giving	\$ 372.09
Holy Day Collections	\$ 20.00
St. Ann's Contribution to Labor	\$ 2,388.58
Religious Articles Counter	\$ 16.00
Coffee & Donuts for Care Net	\$ 15.00
Endowment Dividends	\$ 348.94
Funds for Other Entities	\$ 5.00
TOTAL	\$ 7,405.62

Thank you for your generosity!

ATTENTION TARGET SHOPPERS!

When Target Circle shoppers make purchases at our local Target, they are given "votes" which they can use to choose which community organization Target will share their community funds with. After you get your votes, you can just scan this QR code to get to their Community voting page. Family Promise of Missoula has been chosen to receive a portion of those funds collected between now and Sept. 30. They would appreciate giving your "votes" to MIC (Family Promise is under the MIC umbrella). Lots of votes will help them out financially. Thanks for all your help!



"Come, Holy spirit, and help me to surrender anything that keeps me from following Jesus!"

FAITH FORMATION

Classes start October 7, 2026. They will be held each Wednesday through the end of April, 2027. Instruction is from 6pm to 7pm and dinner is served at 7pm. There is no charge for participation or dinner. These classes are for everyone, not just for families or children. The class offerings include First Communion, Confirmation, Apologetics, All Age Faith Formation (a.k.a. family class), and tentatively a Bible Study.

MASS INTENTIONS AUG 15-23, 2026

Sat Aug 15.....ASSUMPTION OF THE BVM

5:00 pm + **Theresa House**
by *David House*

Sun Aug 16.....TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 am + **Peter & Rose Haas**
by *Stephen Haas*

11:15 am **Father Pascal**
by *Marcee Matttson*

Mon Aug 17.....WEEKDAY

12:10 pm **Devon Downing**
by *Marcee Matttson*

Tues Aug 18.....WEEKDAY

12:10 pm **Candace Torrens**
by *Julie & David House*

Wed Aug 19.....ST. JOHN EUDES

12:10 pm **Sarah Roberts**
by *Our Parish Family*

Sat Aug 22.....QUEENSHIP OF THE BVM

5:00 pm + **Nick McEnaney**
by *Sandy McEnaney*

Sun Aug 23.....TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8:00 am **Candace Torrens**
by *Stephen Hopkins*

11:15 am + **Vicki Gordon**
by *Rick Martino*

SUMMER GIVING

If you plan to be away this summer on vacation or weekend getaways to the lake, rest assured that St. Anthony's will remain open. Your weekly support is essential for covering our expenses. If you would like to contribute but won't be present, feel free to use this QR code to make a donation.



MASS INTENTIONS

Mass intentions are available if you'd like a Mass said for a loved one, living or deceased. You can 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, weddings, Baptisms, etc. Just call the parish office to reserve your intention.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

40 hours of Eucharistic Adoration are offered every week from **5am on Monday to 9pm on Tuesday**. If you're interested in spending time with Jesus in this sacrament of love during these hours, please contact the parish office or Leslee Tschida at 406-240-2861. Thank you, and may God bless you abundantly!

ST. ANTHONY PRAYER CHAIN



For someone in need of prayer, contact **Gayle Stout at 406-543-5503**. Pray for those on the prayer chain & also for those praying for others.

"Mary, Mother of God, pray that I would place all my hope in your Son, Jesus, and the life he has won for me."

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A CATHOLIC?

If you are interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith and/or becoming a Catholic, please reach out to the parish office to setup an appointment with Father Pascal when he returns to discuss the OCIA program.

STOP IN PLC AFTER EACH MASS THIS SUNDAY



There will be coffee and donuts this weekend after the 8:00 & 11:15 Masses. Please stop by after Mass and join us!

ANNUAL HIKE UP ST. MARY'S PEAK

The annual hike up to the top of St. Mary's Peak where Father Severson will celebrate Mass in honor of The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is on Sunday, August 16. Details can be found at:

<https://stmarystevi.com/news-1>

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