

WELCOME TO ST. ANTHONY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

March 12th, 2023
3rd Sunday of Lent

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Wednesday	7:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Saturday	3:00 pm – 4:30 pm
Sunday	4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Mass Schedule

Mon– Fri	6:30 am
Tuesday	6:00 pm (Spanish Mass)
Saturday	8:00 am & 5:15 pm
Sunday	9:00 am , 11:30 am (Spanish) & 5:15 pm



EUCCHARISTIC REVIVAL

At the Last Supper, celebrating the Passover, Jesus makes explicit that his impending death, freely embraced out of love, is sacrificial: While they were eating, Jesus took bread, said the blessing, broke it, and giving it to his disciples said, "Take and eat; this is my body." Then he took a cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you, for this is my blood of the covenant, which will be shed on behalf of many for the forgiveness of sins" (Mt 26:27-28). In the words and gestures of the Last Supper, Jesus makes it clear that out of love for us he is freely offering his life for the forgiveness of our sins. In doing so, he is both the priest offering a sacrifice and the victim being offered. As priest, Jesus is offering a sacrifice to God the Father, an offering prefigured by the offering of bread and wine by Melchizedek, Priest of God Most High (Gen 14:18; see Ps 110:4; Heb 5-7 passim). Anticipating his Passion in the institution of the Eucharist, Christ has indicated the forms under which his self-offering would be sacramentally present to us until the end of time.

- The Mystery of the Eucharist in the Life of the Church



"I know the Messiah is coming, the one called the Christ; when he comes, he will tell us everything." Jesus said to her, "I am he, the one who is speaking with you." What a wonderful declaration! The woman of Samaria, and her entire community, came to realize the awe inspiring mercy and generosity of God when they took Jesus' words to heart, "I am the Christ." This Lent we are being called as individuals and as a parish family, "to know the gift of God." Jesus is the source of living water, the Holy Spirit, for those who believe in Him. The encounter between the Samaritan woman and Jesus outlines the journey that we are being called to make now. Jesus comes to us! He does so most profoundly in the Mass but also many other ways. He reveals Himself to us as we converse with Him. He calls us to humble ourselves before Him. Like the Samaritan woman, Jesus asks us to declare our sinfulness. We stand before One who already knows the healing that we need and intends to free us but He needs us to acknowledge those sins and wounds so that He may have a fuller personal relationship with us! If we brave being honest and are open, then we discover who Jesus is and are thus able to "ask Him." The explosive joy of this encounter is contagious! Again, like the Samaritan woman, we are called to proclaim Him to others in such a way that they invite Him to be with them. The wonderful fruit of that encounter is captured in the words of the people of the city, "We no longer believe because of your word; for we have heard for ourselves, and we know that this is truly the Savior of the world." May that kind of conversion happen in everyone we know!

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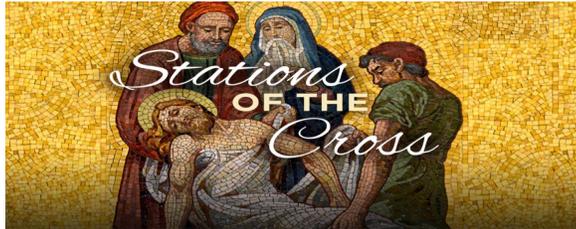
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ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH HAPPENINGS



CITY WIDE PENANCE SERVICE

Monday, April 3rd at 7:00pm in St. Anthony's Church



There will be **NO** Stations of the Cross on Friday March 24th at St. Anthony's Church.

In lieu of Stations, St. Anthony's Catholic Church is hosting living Stations of the Cross on Friday, March 24th at 7:00pm. All are welcome and please call the school for more details at 307-234-2873



"Youth Group will meet this Sunday, March 12th at 6:30PM at the Parish Center. We're going to discuss some of the barriers that can keep us from hearing God's voice and finish signing up for service projects.

High School Youth Group is going to replace missalettes and lead the Stations of Cross on Friday, March 31st. Here's the schedule:

5:00 PM - Meet at St. Anthony's Church to replace the old missalettes with the new ones.

6:00 PM - Dinner at the Knights of Columbus fish fry

6:45 PM - Meet at St. Anthony's Church to prep for Stations

7:00 PM - Lead the Stations of the Cross We hope to see you there!"

YEAR OF DIOCESAN REVIVAL: June 19, 2022 – June 11, 2023

This first year of the Revival invites diocesan staff, bishops, and priests to respond to the Lord's personal invitation and equips them to share this love with the faithful through Eucharistic congresses and events.

Each time you celebrate the Eucharist, you have the opportunity to stretch out your hands and nail yourself to the cross with Jesus, to drink His bitter chalice to the dregs. There is no place for mere spectators at Eucharist.

Excerpts from the book
"The Road of Hope: a gospel from prison."
By Francis Xavier Nguyen Van Thuan

Lenten Dinner

Every Friday

February 24 – March 31

6 pm to 7 pm

St. Anthony's, O'Reilly Hall



- fish and chips • clam chowder
 - baked potatoes • cheese pizza
 - macaroni and cheese
 - salad • green beans • ice cream
- (Take-out available!)

Stations of the Cross following at 7 pm!

Adults _____ \$10.00

Seniors _____ \$ 8.00

Children (12 and under) _____ \$ 5.00

Families _____ \$30.00



Knights of Columbus

Council 1563



DIOCESAN EVENTS



The Catholic Relief Services Collection Reveals Christ's Love to the World's Most Vulnerable

On March 18-19, Catholics across the United States will help suffering people around the world by giving to The Catholic Relief Services Collection, sponsored by the USCCB.

The Catholic Relief Services Collection is your opportunity to improve the lives of the most vulnerable people around the world and here in the United States.

Your support funds organizations that aid travelers, people affected by war and natural disasters, others whose work or unique cultural circumstances require special pastoral support, and migrants and refugees.

In addition to providing support for Catholic Relief Services, the U.S. bishops' international relief and development agency, the collection also funds programs of several other ministries, including: the Catholic Legal Immigration Network (CLINIC), the Holy Father's Relief Fund, the USCCB's Department of Migration and Refugee Services for refugee resettlement; the Department of International Justice and Peace, which advocates for the rights and protection of suffering people worldwide; and the USCCB's Secretariat of Cultural Diversity in the Church, for evangelization and ministry among immigrants and itinerant communities in the United States.



Calling Wyoming college-aged youth!

The Diocese of Cheyenne is searching for charismatic young Catholics 18 and older to help with our *Totus Tuus* summer program.

The missionary team will be composed of two men and two women who will spend eight weeks traveling to parishes across the great state of Wyoming to provide summer programs for children aged K-12th grades.

You must be good with kids and willing to be a little silly. You also must be a practicing Catholic, living your faith, but you do not need to be a theologian. Prior to the camp, you will receive easy-to-follow teaching materials, along with a week of practical training, as well as community building, prayer, and spiritual growth opportunities.

Training will be the 3rd or 4th week in May, summer programs run from June 3-July 28. This is a missionary role, so the stipend is humble, but the experience is life-changing. All meals and lodging are provided during your mission work.

Applications are due no later than March 31, 2023. To apply, visit <https://totustuus.church/be-missionary> then click on "Apply to Teach Totus Tuus," and check the "Diocese of Cheyenne" box. Email Theresa tmeuer@dcwy.org with questions.



Business Administrator Position Available- St Anthony Tri-Parish Catholic School is currently seeking a highly motivated and mission-driven individual to join our team as a full-time Business Administrator. The ideal candidate will thrive in a school setting and be passionate about

upholding our values and mission. As the Business Administrator, you will play a critical role in providing financial oversight for St. Anthony's Tri Parish Catholic School. This includes managing budgeting and financial planning, as well as ensuring accurate financial reporting. Additionally, you will be responsible for monitoring internal controls and aligning processes with accountability policies. This is a full-time position with an immediate opening, and we are specifically seeking candidates with previous experience in a comparable role. We highly encourage active Catholics to apply, and candidates must have experience using QuickBooks. To apply for this exciting opportunity, please send your resume and cover letter to staschool@sascasper.com with "Business Administrator" in the subject heading. Please note that the successful candidate must pass a Diocesan background check and complete Safe Environment training before the position is offered.

\$100 PER TICKET
only 300 tickets will be sold!

DENVER BRONCOS

SEASON TICKETS RAFFLE

4 TICKETS TO ALL PRESEASON
and REGULAR SEASON GAMES!

Drawing to be held
on March 18, 2023
at Partners in Education
NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN

CLICK HERE FOR TICKETS!

Courtesy of the Maxwell Family

Readings for the week of March 12, 2023

Sunday: Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 (8)/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42

Monday: 2 Kgs 5:1-15ab/Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4/Lk 4:24-30

Tuesday: Dn 3:25, 34-43/Ps 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9/Mt 18:21-35

Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9/Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20/Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: Jer 7:23-28/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 11:14-23

Friday: Hos 14:2-10/Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17/Mk 12:28-34

Saturday: Hos 6:1-6/Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab/Lk 18:9-14

Next Sunday: 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (1)/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat.	3-11	Kathy Huval	8:00 am
Sat.	3-11		5:15 pm
Sun.	3-12	George Tucker +	9:00 am
Sun.	3-12	Arcelia Chavez Piñon +	11:30 am
Sun.	3-12	St. Anthony's Parishioners	5:15 pm
Mon.	3-13	Intention of the Donor	6:30 am
Tue.	3-14		6:30 am
Tue.	3-14	Intention of the Donor	6:00 pm
Wed.	3-15	Intention of the Donor	6:30 am
Thu.	3-16	Intention of the Donor	6:30 am
Fri.	3-17		6:30 am
Sat.	3-18	Intention of the Donor	8:00 am
Sat.	3-18		5:15 pm
Sun.	3-19	Fr. Philip Vaske	9:00 am
Sun.	3-19	St. Anthony's Parishioners	11:30 am
Sun.	3-19		5:15 pm



3RD SUNDAY OF LENT

Jesus answered and said to her, "If you knew the gift of God and who is saying to you, 'Give me a drink,' you would have asked him and he would have given you living water." - Jn 4:10

Excerpt from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD. GLP

ANOINTING OF THE SICK:

If you or someone you know is suffering from a serious illness or preparing for surgery, please call the office to schedule an appointment.

Weekend Masses Collection for 4th & 5th of March 2023
\$5,545.00

Online Contributions for the month of February 2023
\$9,389.81

Please remember St. Anthony of Padua Parish in your estate planning and Thank you for your continued support of St. Anthony's Church.

Living And Giving In Christ: March 10, 2023

Goal	Pledged To Date	Paid To Date	Participation
\$70,199.00	\$65,816.63	\$63,563.27	14%

PLEGGED SHORTFALL: \$4,382.37



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St. Anthony's Church Casper, WY



MASS INTENTIONS:

Are you looking for a special, one of a kind gift to give to a loved one? Come into the Shepherd's Staff Office and schedule a Mass to be celebrated for your loved one!

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