

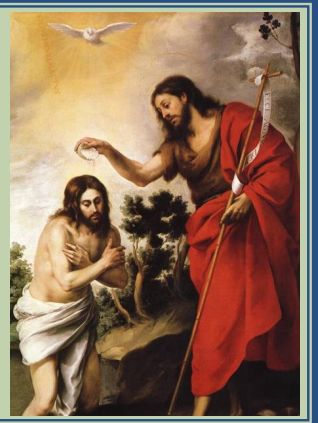


# St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church Temperance, Michigan

## The Baptism of the Lord *(New)* Feast of the Holy Family *(Trad.)*

“The Antonian” January 12, 2025

*St. Anthony of Padua,  
Our Patron and Intercessor, Pray for Us!*



### ST. ANTHONY’S DIRECTORY

#### PASTOR

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#### OFFICE STAFF:

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#### Weekend Mass Schedule - Lumen Christi Parishes

**Saturday** (Sunday Vigil): 4:30pm: OL Mt. Carmel; **6:00pm St. Anthony-Eng.**  
**Sunday:** 7:30am St Joseph; 9:00am St. Anthony-Eng.; 10:00am OLMC;  
10:30am St. Joseph; 12:00pm St. Anthony; 4:30pm St. Joseph

#### Weekday Mass Schedule:

Monday: 9:00am - OLMCgEng.); OL Mt. Carmel; 6:00pm - St. Joseph  
Wednesday No Mass  
Thursday: **7:00pm - St. Anthony**  
Friday: 9:00am - St. Joseph (during school year)  
First Friday: **7:00pm - St. Anthony**; First Saturday: **9:00am - St. Anthony**

#### Sacrament of Penance

**Thursday: 5:00 - 6:00pm - St. Anthony**  
**Saturday: No Confessions @ St. Anthony;** 10:30-11:30am - St. Joseph; 2:30-3:30pm - OLMC

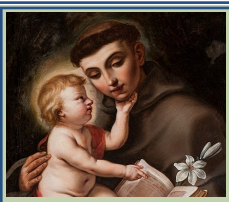


**Prayer Blankets** Sandy Maenle: 734-847-7813  
**Prayer Chain** Miriam Dressel: 734-888-1192  
**Seven Sisters Apostolate** Cheryl Scott: 319-296-5864



**JANUARY**  
Month of the Holy Name

This week, those aged 18-35 are welcome to join **St. Anthony’s young adult group** on January 16 for 7:00pm Mass followed by a presentation by Dcn. Trevor Fernandes in Padua Hall on the importance of Forgiveness. Refreshments provided! Snacks are always appreciated.



*St. Anthony of Padua,  
Our Patron  
and Intercessor,  
Pray for Us!*

*Pray without  
Ceasing!*

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**Please keep in your prayers all our service men and women, especially:**

- ☆ ☆ Wes Brown, Army Reserve
- ☆ ☆ Kodie Burtscher, USAF
- ☆ ☆ Jed Clark, USMC
- ☆ ☆ Kay Clark Thompson, USAF
- ☆ ☆ AB Aaron Ford, USAF
- ☆ ☆ Eric Hite, Jr. USAF
- ☆ ☆ SSGT Alexa Long, USAF
- ☆ ☆ A.J. Ondrus, USN
- ☆ ☆ Alexander Strang USAF
- ☆ ☆ Victoria Urben - USN
- ☆ ☆ S. M. S. g.t Joseph Korotko, USAF

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...Let us Pray for...	
Norb Abel	Gary Martin
Easton Aitson	Kevin Martin
Baby George	Elizabeth Mcchesney
Pete Grundy	Jodi Miller
Baby Girl	Ruth Miller
Paul Bazydlo	Bea Montri
Charles Brancheau	Kelly Reese Morgan
Charley Bussey	Adelaide Munk
Caleb	Steve Murzynski
Bob Carey	Nusbaum Family
Gerald Carto	Ken Nusbaum
Linda Chaney	Fran O'Connor
Elizabeth Corey	Tyler & Jen Oehlers
Lowell Cousino	Austin Oehlers
Rosemary Cox	Armando Ortiz
Marcus Demorest	Homero Ortiz
Caleb Dershem	Sister Mary Paulina
Miriam Dressel	Karen & Tom Penney
Elaine Esper	Dianne Petrilla
Joe Evener	Cliff Renn
Barbara Francis	Fr. Patrick Rohen
Sheila Greisinger	Tami Ross
Terry Hahn	Midge Sherman
Janet Harrell	John & Marge Scott
Gloria Hartman	Alexander, Andrew & Tanner Skelton
	Patty Smith
	Cheryl Stanford
	Nancy Strouse
	Sarah Strzelewicz
	Cherry Stout
	Audrey Tavares
	Delores Thorn
	Katie Tomaszewski
	Flossie Townsend
	Alicia Trejo
	Lily Tussey
	Muri Waidelich
	Christopher Warner
	Diane Webber
	Kristine Wells
	Mary Beth Wise
	Rick Wolneiwicz
	Jim Woronec
	Dawn Wyse
	Charlie Yacuone
	Amy Yates
	Rita Zeller

† **Our Sacramental Policy** †

Six-month Parish registration and participation are required for Baptism, Confirmation and Marriage.

**Baptisms:** Arrangements must be made in advance and parents must attend a baptism class. The Church requires that at least one of the parents be a practicing Catholic, and the Godparents must be active, practicing, fully initiated Catholics at least 16 years of age. If two Godparents: must be 1 male & 1 female; if one Godparent: may be male or female.

**Marriage:** Arrangements must be made at least nine months in advance. Please call the Parish Office. Officiate at the ceremony must be St. Anthony Parish Pastor or a family member.

**Funerals:** Officiate must be St. Anthony Parish Pastor or a family member.

**Please note:** The services of the Parish Organist are used for all sacramental liturgies.

**Schedule your directory photo session now!**

Scheduling for Family photos for our up-coming Parish Directory has begun. All St. Anthony Parish Families are encouraged to schedule their photo session asap. Scheduling may be done 2 ways: stop by the table in the Narthex after weekend Masses and a volunteer will help you find a time; or go on line [www.ucdir.com](http://www.ucdir.com) Monday through Friday and follow the simple directions:

Enter our church code **mi1906**  
 Enter our church password **photos**  
 Click on the Enter button  
 Click on the desired **photography** date.  
*More detailed instructions may be found on the insert in today's bulletin.*

All photography will take place in the school. Session times are:  
 Wed., February 26 2:00 - 8:30pm;  
 Thurs., February 27 2:00 - 8:30pm  
 Fri., February 28 3:00 - 8:00pm  
 Sat., March 1 10:00am - 3:00pm

**IMPORTANT:**  
 Please contact the Parish Office, or Michelle Lindsey 419-704-1150 to let us know if you **do not** want your address or phone number published.  
*This is also a good time to be sure we have your updated address and contact information.*

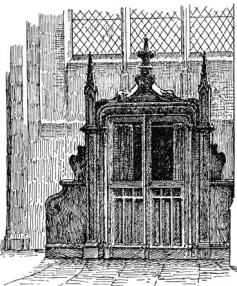
Remember, all participating families will receive a free 8x10 color portrait, as well as a copy of the completed directory.

Anyone who is homebound can also be included in the directory; please contact Michelle Lindsey to make arrangements for submitting photos.

**It won't be complete without you! Sign-up today!**



*Come to Confession!*  
 Jesus is waiting for you.  
 St. Anthony Parish offers the Sacrament of Reconciliation every Thursday 5:00pm-6:00pm, or by appointment.



**Liturgical Assignments for January 18 & 19, 2024**

	Priest	Lector	Altar Servers	Ushers
<b>Saturday, 6:00pm</b> <i>(English)</i>	Fr. Slaton	D. Strzelewicz	I. & M. Elmore; J. Jemaa	D. Thoma; J. Thoma
<b>Sunday, 9:00am</b> <i>(English)</i>	Fr. Slaton	K. Shade	R. Cousino; J. & T. Dollison	G. Ingersoll; B. Kapela; L. Komorowski
<b>Sunday, 12:00pm</b>	Fr. Slaton	—	J. Ventura	M. Peterson; M. Scott

† MASS SCHEDULE †
<p><b>Monday, January 13, 2025</b>                      St. Hilary of Poitiers (368), B., D. (New)                      Commemoration of the Baptism of Our Lord (Trad.)                      Bl. Veronica of Binasco (1497), V., R. (Hist.)</p> <p><b>Tuesday, January 14, 2025</b>                      9:00am *Becky Pegouskie                      by Barbara Korotko</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>†Gloria Knaggs</b>                      by Janette Strouse</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>†Julia Wolfe</b>                      by Holy Schenk</p> <p>St. Hilary of Poitiers (368), B., D. (New)                      St. Felix of Nola (260), Pr., M. (Trad.)                      St. Sava (1235), B., Pt. of the Serbian people (Hist.)</p> <p><b>Wednesday, January 15, 2025</b>                      St. Paul the First Hermit (342) (Trad.)                      St. Maurus (580), Ab. First disciple of St. Benedict (Trad.)                      Our Lady of Prompt Succor (Trad./some places)                      St. Ita (Ida) (570), V. (Hist.)</p> <p><b>Thursday, January 16, 2025</b>                      7:00pm Living &amp; Deceased  <b>Members of the Woronec Family</b>                      by Jim Woronec</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>†Diane Erving</b>                      by Ana Anders</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>†Marge Hoffheinz</b>                      by Nathan &amp; Theresa Bylicki</p> <p>St. Marcellus (309), P., M. (Trad.)                      Our Lady of Refuge (Hist.)</p> <p><b>Friday, January 17, 2025</b>                      St. Antony the Abbot (356), F. of monasticism, Pt. of gravediggers (New, Trad.)</p> <p><b>Saturday, January 18, 2025</b>                      6:00pm †Rita Creque                      by Dave Sedlar</p> <p>St. Prisca (270), V., M. (Trad.)                      St. Volusian (496), B. (Hist.)</p> <p>*****</p> <p><b>Sunday, January 19, 2024</b>  <b>2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time (New)</b>  <b>2nd Sunday after Epiphany (Trad.)</b>                      9:00am *Joe Korotko                      by Barbara Korotko</p> <p>12:00pm <b>People of St. Anthony</b></p> <p>Sts. Marius, Martha, Audifax, &amp; Abachum (270), parents &amp; two sons, Ms. (Trad.)                      St. Canute (1086), King of Denmark, M. (Trad.)                      St. Wulstan (1095), B. (Hist.)</p>

Readings for Today
<p><b>Today, Sunday, January 12, 2025:</b>                      For English Mass:                      Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7                      Acts 10:34-38                      Luke 3:15-16, 21-22</p> <p>For Latin Mass:  <b>Epistle:</b> Colossians 3:12-17  <b>Gospel:</b> Luke 2:42-52</p>


The Offertory Story for December 15, 2024	
# Env. assigned: 315;	# Env. used: 65
Envelope total	\$ 4,505.35
Loose:	\$ 447.00
Online giving	\$ 280.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 5,232.35</b>
<b>Weekly Budget amt.....</b>	<b>\$ 5,900.00</b>
+Over/-Under Budget	\$ - 745.00
<b>Year To Date +-</b>	<b>\$ - 6,429.10</b>
<b>Other:</b>	
Candles	89.00
Catholic Charities	5.00
Christmas	20,085.00
Christmas Flowers	5.00
CD Rack	5.00
CSA	275.00
Donation	155.00
Holy Day	95.00
Masses	10.00
Oplatki	30.00
Religious Ed	75.00
Religious Retirement Fund	135.00
St. Joseph School	300.00
<b>Total for Other:</b>	<b>21,264.00</b>

This Week's Calendar
<p><b>Monday, January 13, 2025</b>                      5:00-6:15pm Religious Classes - Sch.</p> <p><b>Tuesday, January 14, 2025</b>                      9:00am - Holy Mass (English)</p> <p><b>Wednesday, January 15, 2025</b>                      6:30-7:30pm - Perpetual Help                      Devotions - Church</p> <p><b>Thursday, January 16, 2025</b>                      5:00-6:00pm Confessions                      7:00pm - Holy Mass</p> <p><b>Friday, January 17, 2025</b>                      9:00am - 12:00pm - Holy Family                      Society - KH/Sch.</p> <p><b>Saturday, January 18, 2025</b>                      6:00pm - Vigil Mass (English)                      Top Hat Collection &amp; Valentine Dance                      Tickets in Narthex after Mass</p> <p><b>Sunday, January 19, 2025</b>                      9:00am - Holy Mass (English)                      12:00pm - Holy Mass                      Top Hat Collection &amp; Valentine Dance                      Tickets in Narthex after both Masses</p>

The Offertory Story for December 22, 2024	
# Env. assigned: 315;	# Env. used: 64
Envelope total	\$ 3,934.00
Loose:	\$ 1,335.00
Online giving	\$ 140.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 5,409.00</b>
<b>Weekly Budget amt.....</b>	<b>\$ 5,900.00</b>
+Over/-Under Budget	\$ - 491.00
<b>Year To Date +-</b>	<b>\$ - 6,920.10</b>
<b>Other:</b>	
Candles	96.00
Christmas	830.00
Christmas candles	20.00
Donation	4.00
Holy Day	25.00
Insurance	100.00
Masses	30.00
Oplatki	18.00
Religious Retirement Fund	540.00
Salary Reimbursement	5,485.12
St. Joseph School	1,730.00
<b>Total for Other:</b>	<b>8,878.12</b>

**For your consideration:**

Please keep in mind that the parish offices are closed daily for lunch from 12:00pm-1:00pm, during which time all calls must wait until the lunch period has concluded.






Please keep parishioner Stephen Netter in your prayers during his propaedeutic year at Sacred Heart Major Seminary.



**PLEASE NOTE: ALL 2025**  
 First Communions at St. Anthony will take place on **May 4, Sunday**, at the 9:00am and 12:00pm Masses. Please contact the parish office if you want your child to make their First Communion this coming year so we can gather all the necessary paperwork.



## EVERYDAY STEWARDSHIP - RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

### I Hope I Am Like Him

“Who is this Christ? Is he like you?” Perhaps you’ve heard this story, often attributed to the life of St. Teresa of Calcutta. A sick man asked her this question, as he marveled at her tireless service to himself and others in the name of someone named Jesus Christ.

“He is nothing like me,” the saint is said to have answered. “But I hope I am like him.”

Though the authenticity of this exchange cannot be verified, its message rings perfectly true: all the value of our stewardship lies in its relativity to the one in whose name we perform it. Consider the figure of John the Baptist — a magnificent, towering character even purely from a literary or historical perspective. A martyr who fed on wild locusts and boldly spoke truth to power — a man so great some mistook him for the Messiah.

But why is he great? Because he prepared the way. All his accomplishments and escapades mean nothing if they are taken out of the context of salvation history. He only makes sense relative to Christ — and this is exactly as he wanted it. “One worthier than I is coming,” he insists. And because of that humility and that total embrace of God’s will, he is given one of the greatest honors in the New Testament — he baptizes the Son of God.

Let’s examine our lives in the light of their relativity to Christ. How do we prepare the way? When Christ comes to us, what do we do? How do we leave ourselves open to be actors in God’s plan?

—Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

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### *Mark your calendars!*

#### Upcoming Events at St. Anthony:

- January 25 - Winter Dance
- February 9 - KoC Breakfast
- February 15 - St. Patrick’s Prelude
- February 22 - Shroud of Turin Presentation



**Thank you for your continued support.**

“Fill the Black Top Hat” fund raiser will be the weekend of January 18<sup>th</sup> -19<sup>th</sup> 2025.

You will see SVdP members holding top hats at the entrances of the church at the end of each Mass. For those who don’t carry cash we have options:



**checks payable to: OLMC-SVDP**

**text TOPHAT to 53-555 or**

**visit [https://givebutter.com/OLMCsvdp-](https://givebutter.com/OLMCsvdp-TopHat)**

**[TopHat](#) or**

**scan our QR code**



Please help support the SVdP to fulfill our mission to serve those in need.

Your monetary gift will show that you are a disciple of Jesus as it will bring your love to those who are in need.

New members are always welcome, speak to one of our St. Vincent de Paul members, to find out more about the Society of St. Vincent de Paul and how you may want to serve your Neighbors in Need. SVdP-OLMC conference meetings are held at OLMC on first and third Thursday at 6:30pm.

**See the face of Christ; Be the face of Christ to those we help in our community.**

Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul **734-847-2805, #20**. so that together we can help those who are hungry or in need.

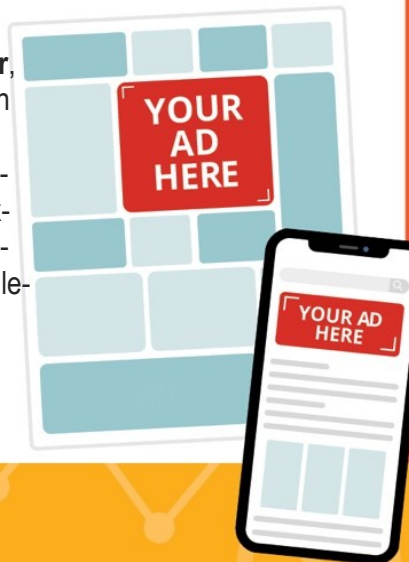
## AVAILABLE NOW! PRINT & DIGITAL AD SPACES

**Build your business and help us grow a vibrant faith community!**

Sherri from LPi, our Bulletin printer, will be securing Ads for our church in the coming weeks.

As a valuable member of the business community, we invite you to expand your reach and grow your business with a print ad in our parish bulletin and/or a digital ad through the church web site.

All ads are in full color.



Sherri Fischhaber  
419-450-5475  
Sfischhaber@4lpi.com

Families - Singles - Couples

# WINTER *Folk dance*



**SATURDAY, JANUARY 25**

Potluck Meal 4:30 p.m. ~ Dancing 5:30 p.m.

St. Anthony Kenna Hall, 4635 St. Anthony Rd., Temperance.

Tickets \$5 single; \$10 couple; \$15 family.

Tickets & Info:

[tinyurl.com/folkdance25](http://tinyurl.com/folkdance25)