

St. Anthony Church



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Masses:

Saturday – 5:00 P.M.

Sunday – 8:00 A.M., 10:00 A.M.

Daily Masses, Mon-Friday, 8:00 A.M.

First Saturday, 8:00 A.M.

Spanish Mass:

Second Saturday, 9:00 p.m.

Last Saturday, 10:00 p.m.

Holy Day – 8:00 A.M. & 6:00 P.M.

Confessions/ Reconciliation:

Saturday – 3:30 P.M.-4:30 P.M.
and by appointment

Baptisms:

Call the Parish Office.

Marriage:

Call the Parish Office at least
six months in advance.

In case of Sacramental emergency, contact Fr. Ivan at 606-584-1475

Holy Communion In the home, call the Parish Office 859-431-1773

Ministries

Bereavement
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Extraordinary Ministers of
Holy Communion
Lectors
Men's Group
Women's Group
Pro-Life Ministry
St. Vincent de Paul

Anita Rice 859-581-7220
Sheila Overley..... 859-581-3313

Theresa Wiechman 859-380-8952
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Call the Parish Office 859-431-1773
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Staff

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DECEMBER 3, 2023

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT



MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

Saturday, December 2, 2023 – First Saturday

8:00 a.m. Nancy Renner

5:00 p.m. The People of St. Anthony

Sunday, December 3, 2023

8:00 a.m. The Steffen Family

10:00 a.m. Carole Ewing Singer

Monday, December 4, 2023

8:00 a.m. Mary Renner

Tuesday, December 5, 2023

8:00 a.m. No Mass

Wednesday, December 6, 2023

8:00 a.m. No Mass

Thursday, December 7, 2023

8:00 a.m. Recently Baptized Children

Friday, December 8, 2023 – Immaculate Conception

8:00 a.m. Mary Bene

6:00 p.m. The People of St. Anthony

Saturday, December 9, 2023

5:00 p.m. Living and Deceased Members of
the Moser & Niehaus Families

Sunday, December 10, 2023

8:00 a.m. Michael Reynolds

10:00 a.m. The People of St. Anthony

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4

(AFTER 8:00 A.M. MASS) THROUGH

WEDNESDAY (P.M.), DECEMBER 6, 2023

Fr. Ivan will be attending Good Leaders, Good Shepherds training. Starting Monday, December 4th after the 8:00 a.m. Mass. There will be no 8:00 a.m. Mass on Tuesday the 5th and Wednesday the 6th.

ST. ANTHONY FAITH FORMATION

If you have any questions or concerns about the Catholic Church or our faith, please do not hesitate to contact Tobias Nathe, S.T.D., at tjnathe@gmail.com or 513-375-7805. Tobias is happy to engage people in an email exchange, phone conversation, or set up classes for those interested.

PENANCE SERVICE

St. Anthony will have a Penance service during Advent on Tuesday, December 19, 2023 at 7:00 p.m. There will be multiple priests available to hear Confessions.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF DECEMBER 3, 2023

Sunday – 3rd

Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7;
1 Cor 1:3-9; Mk 13:33-37

Monday – 4th

Is 2:1-5; Mt 8:5-11

Tuesday – 5th

Is 11:1-10; Lk 10:21-24

Wednesday – 6th

Is 25:6-10a; Mt 15:29-37

Thursday – 7th

Is 26:1-6; Mt 7:21, 24-27

Friday – 8th

Gn 3:9-15; 20; Eph 1:3-6, 11-12;
Lk 1:26-38

Saturday – 9th

Is 30:19-21, 23-26;
Mt 9:35-10:1, 5a, 6-8



LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE – DECEMBER 8-10

6:00 p.m. – Friday, December 8, 2023

Lector: Pete Manczyk

Host: Sheila Overly

5:00 p.m. – Saturday, December 9, 2023

Lector: Theresa Wiechman

Host: Nancy Muench

8:00 a.m. – Sunday, December 10, 2023

Lector: Sr. Barbara

Host: Sheila Overly

10:00 a.m. – Sunday, December 10, 2023

Lector: Sr. Paula

Host: Tom Ewing

CHURCH CLEANERS

December 2 Robbie and Susan Stewart

December 9 Kathy Krech & Sheila Overley

FR. IVAN'S CHRISTMAS WISH LIST

Looking for the perfect Christmas gift idea for the pastor in your life? **Fr. Ivan's wish this year is for a new "Full Cube Ice Machine with Bin" for Fleming Hall.**

Send your donation in an envelope marked "Fr. Ivan's Wish List." Put it in the collection basket, bring it to the office, or mail it to:

St. Anthony Church

485 Grand Avenue, Taylor Mill, Kentucky 41015

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Every Thursday from 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m., come spend time with Jesus. We also need to keep Jesus company during Adoration! If you want to sign up for a 30-minute slot, contact Teresa Manczyk at 859-802-9209 or email (or call) our parish secretary at thompson@stanth.org or 859-431-1773.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL GIVING TREE

The St. Vincent de Paul Giving Tree is up in church. Please consider taking a tag off the Giving Tree and help provide Christmas to a family in our community. Each family that we deliver to receives your gifts plus a box of groceries which we collected on Thanksgiving.

PLEASE RETURN YOUR GIFTS WITH THE TAG ATTACHED NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 17TH.

St. Vincent will be delivering the gifts to all the families on December 23rd. Thank you for all you do for the St. Vincent de Paul Society; without you this would not be possible.

AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATOR (AED)

St. Anthony Church has purchased a Zoll AED+ defibrillator that is located in the vestibule next to the right side of the inner doors as you enter church. We are encouraging as many parishioners as possible to learn how to use our specific AED. It would be great to have someone present at every event with this knowledge. The website with the training videos is <https://www.zoll.com/contact/elearning/videos/aed-plus>.

PARISH SPONSORED AED TRAINING

Training will be available in February depending on the level of interest. Please sign up for this certified training for the good of the Parish. To sign up, simply call the Parish Office.

MEN'S GROUP

First and third Saturday of the month, 8:30-10:00 a.m., in the Parish Center.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS

Parish Council meets the second Monday of each month in Fleming Hall at 6:00 p.m. All are welcome.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL COLLECTION

First weekend of each month.
Outside of church doors after all Masses.

MEMORIAL BRICKS ARE AVAILABLE

Honor your family, loved ones or anyone special in your life with a St. Anthony Memorial Brick. The cost is only \$50.00. Forms are located on the bulletin board at the back of the church. We are only six pavers away from our minimum order of 30!

WOMEN'S GROUP

First Saturday of each month 9:00 a.m. in Fleming Hall. Please feel free to join us for Rosary at 7:30 a.m. and 8:00 a.m. Mass prior to the Meeting.

PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

If you know of anyone else in the parish who is sick and/or homebound or should be removed from the list, please call the Parish Office at 859-431-1773 and let us know so we can all pray for them and update our list. If you know of anyone on the list who has improved, please let us know so we can **Thank the Lord!**

Anastasia (Toddler)	Billy Lutz
Peg Ackermann	Rachel
Matt Cheek	Jenny Settlemaier
Judy Dornbusch	Sherrie
Rob Feldman	Tonja Thellman
Maria Gonzalez	Sean Timmerding
Ken Huffman	Larry Vogelpohl
Janet Jordan	George Wesselman
Richard Keener	Teresa Winkler
Larry Krech	

BE A PRAYER LINE PARTNER

If you would like to join St. Anthony's Parish Prayer Line to partner in prayer with other parishioners for specific needs, email to stanthonypraysalways@gmail.com (contact Paula Westwood). Emails are sent only as requests are received with specific prayers included.

ST. ANTHONY PRAYER LINE UPDATE

St. Anthony's email Prayer Line currently has over 100 people ready to pray for needs as received – some requests even coming from elsewhere in the country and world. If you would like to join the Prayer Line to pray for our brothers and sisters in Christ, email stanthonypraysalways@gmail.com. If you have a specific prayer need, you may submit either directly to stanthonypraysalways@gmail.com or through the Prayer Line form on the church website. Prayer line emails are sent out only as requests are received.

ONLINE GIVING AVAILABLE THROUGH THE PARISH WEBSITE

Parishioners and friends of St. Anthony can now donate through the website. No need to write checks; you can just sign up and have your weekly contribution withdrawn from your bank or credit card weekly or monthly, whichever you prefer. This also enables you to support your parish even when you are away.

The Online Giving tab on St. Anthony's website has recently been updated to include all Second Collections throughout the year. Clicking on "Second Collections" opens a new window. This window includes all Holy Days, Diocesan collections, and donations for flowers at Christmas and Easter. When you donate online through Second Collections, the donation amount will be processed on the date listed next to the collection. Please check out the Online Giving tab soon.

STEWARDSHIP AND OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

November 26, 2023	
Sunday Collection	\$ 3,872.00
Candles	\$ 45.00
Hall Rental	\$ 100.00
Christmas Flowers	\$ 5.00
Total	\$ 4,022.00
Weekly 2023 Goal	\$ 6,112.00
Fiscal Year to Date Actual Through	
November 26, 2023	\$ 127,316.75
Fiscal Year to Date Goal Through	
November 26, 2023	\$ 134,464.00
Fiscal Year to Date Goal	
Surplus/Deficit Through	
November 26, 2023	-\$ 7,147.25

IN OUR DIOCESE

KENTUCKY MARCH FOR LIFE SAVE THE DATE

Join other Pro-Life Kentuckians on Tuesday, January 23 for the 2024 Kentucky March for Life & "Love Them Both" Rally. The program will begin with Mass at Good Shepard Parish in Frankfort, followed by a rally at the State Capital. The event will end with a procession to the Cemetery of the Innocents in the historic Frankfort Cemetery. The Pro-Life office will be organizing buses that will leave from Northern Kentucky. If you are interested in traveling with other parishioners from the Diocese, please contact the Pro-Life Office for more information at 859-392-1500.



ST. ANTHONY SCHOOL NEWS

God Rules! This month, we will focus on the Fifth Commandment: "You shall not kill." This commandment calls us to respect ALL life.

Jesus taught us that ALL people have value. He taught us that we should not act out of anger or use angry words because doing so causes harm and pain to others. In Matthew 5:44, Jesus says, "Love your enemies, and pray for those who persecute you."

Our challenge this week will be to: Apologize to someone whose feelings we have hurt.

Prayer for our school year: "Dear God, please grant us the strength to be Your faithful followers. Help us live out these Ten Commandments so that we may grow closer to You each day and be reunited with You in Heaven. We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior... Amen."

Also, PTO is conducting our annual online auction in February to help raise funds for building improvements to our school. If you would like to donate gift cards or new/unused items, or know a business that might like to donate something for the auction, please email school@stanth.org and we can forward your email to the PTO representatives who are working on this event. No donation is too big or small as we pair items for baskets, etc. Thank you for your support!

ST. ANTHONY CHURCH 2023 HOLIDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, December 2	Mass: 5:00 p.m.
First Sunday of Advent, December 3	Masses: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.
Friday, December 8 – Immaculate Conception (Holy Day of Obligation)	Masses: 8:00 a.m., 6:00 p.m.
Saturday, December 9	Mass: 5:00 p.m.
Second Sunday of Advent, December 10	Masses: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.
Saturday, December 16	Mass: 5:00 p.m.
Third Sunday of Advent, December 17	Masses: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.
Tuesday, December 19	Advent Penance Service: 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, December 23	Mass: 5:00 p.m.
Fourth Sunday of Advent, December 24 – Christmas Eve (Holy Day of Obligation)	Masses: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 5:00 p.m. 10:00 p.m. – Bilingual
Monday, December 25 – Christmas (Holy Day of Obligation)	Mass: 10:00 a.m.
Saturday, December 30	Mass: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday, December 31 – Holy Family	Masses: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 11:00 p.m. – Spanish
Monday, January 1, 2024 – Mother of God	Mass: 8:00 a.m.

If you have any questions, please call the Parish Office.

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AND CHRISTMAS TREE BLESSING

DECEMBER 17TH, 6:30-8 P.M.

**ST. MARY'S PARK, CATHEDRAL SQUARE
COVINGTON**

**INSIDE AT BISHOP HOWARD MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM
6:30-8 P.M.**

• HOT CHOCOLATE, COOKIES, SANDWICHES

7:15 P.M.

• STORYTIME —

“BAMBINELLI SUNDAY: A CHRISTMAS BLESSING,”
BY AMY WELBORN; NARRATED BY DAVID COOLEY

OUTSIDE AT ST. MARY'S PARK

6:30-6:45 P.M.

• BLESSED SACRAMENT
PARISH CHILDREN'S CHOIR

7:15-7:30 P.M.

• THE CATHEDRAL
BISHOP'S CHOIR

7:00-7:15 P.M.

• CHRISTMAS TREE BLESSING
WITH BISHOP IFFERT

7:30-8 P.M.

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