TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 22, 2021

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, August 21

(StJ) 4:00 P.M. Della Stayback by Dave & Sandy Surma

(StA) 6:00 P.M. Ray Schoenfeld by Isabella Korbecki

Sunday, August 22

(StA) 8:00 A.M. St, Anthony of Padua & St. John Kanty Families of God

(StJ) 9:30 A.M. Ted Bolakowski by Lynn Kolar

Monday, August 23

(StA) 8:00 A.M. Irvin Wojciechowski by Estate

Tuesday, August 24

(StJ) 8:30 A.M. Arlene Fitzpatrick by Tom & Eunice Conway

Wednesday, August 25

(StA) 8:00 A.M. Jack DeGroote by Donor

Thursday, August 26

(StJ) 8:30 A.M. Anthony Bolakowski by Pat Bolakowski

Friday, August 27

(StA) 8:00 A.M. Poor Souls in Purgatory by All Souls Day Envelope Donors

Saturday, August 28

(StJ) 4:00 P.M. Joe & Mary Horvath by Frank & Mary Horvath

(StA) 6:00 P.M. St. Anthony of Padua & St. John Kanty Families of God

Sunday, August 22

(StA) 8:00 A.M. Susan Hammon by Susan Grillo

 $(\mbox{StJ})~9:30~\mbox{A.M.}$ Joshua Shelton by Julie Shelton

CCD & CGS REGISTRATION: Our 2021-2022 Religious Education Program for St. John Kanty and St Anthony of Padua will begin soon. Registration will take place in the St. John Kanty Parish Hall on Sunday, August 28th and Sunday, September 5th after the 9:30 AM Mass. Classes will begin on Sunday, September 12th and will meet each Sunday from 10:30 to 12:00 Noon at St. John Kanty. We provide excellent catechetical instruction for our children. Children ages 3 – 12 attend our multi-level Catechesis of the Good Shepherd classes (a Montessori based program). From there they progress to our Junior High program (grades 7 & 8). Finally, we offer an excellent Senior High program (grades 9-12) which utilizes texts from the Didache Series, used in many Catholic High Schools.

YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY: A busy year is in the planning for the youth and young adults at St. John Kanty and St. Anthony of Padua. After more than a year of shut down, young Catholics deserve time and space to exercise and express themselves in mind, body, emotions, and spirit. Our Youth Ministry Team has put together two programs designed to serve two age groups: Teens 13 – 18 and Young Adults 18 – 30. The first is a continuation of the St. John Kanty Youth Group for teens 13 – 18. They will be meeting on the 4th Sunday of each month in the lounge of St. John Kanty Parish Hall beginning in September. As in the past, we'll be striving to build life-long friendships and personal relationships with Christ. Meetings will consist of topics of interest to youth, challenging them to live what they are learning and to build daily habits influenced by their faith before leaving high school. And as always, there will be lots of good and fun activities mixed in! Parish membership is not required for our youth activities and we encourage teens to bring along their friends. The second program is FORGED – a new concept that brings together young adults ages 18 to 30. In Forged we want to equip and encourage young adults to build and sharpen one another by supporting each other as they "forge" their futures in the Faith and in the world in which they live. Also, continuing to grow and develop a personal relationship with Christ will be addressed as well, since this influences how we relate to the world and others. We will also endeavor to provide a strong support system for each person as he or she goes out into the world and to provide guidance in seeking God's will as one pursues and grows in a particular vocation. We also want to encourage the group to organize among themselves by keeping them in the loop for opportunities such as sidewalk counseling, Christ in the City and the like. Forged meeting location will vary: Youth Ministry Team's Home, the parish, local restaurants, etc. Kind of a "Theology on Tap" experience without the alcohol. Forged will meet on the 3rd Sunday of each month.

A Morning of Reflection at Trinity House - Pre-Game with the Blessed Virgin Mary: Join us for a pre-game morning of reflection followed by an optional full Polish style meal and a Notre Dame vs Toledo game watch party. When? Saturday, September 11th. Where? Trinity House, 220 Lakeside Drive at Fish Lake. Trinity House is a spiritually based place of prayer, healing and spiritual renewal located on the peaceful shoreline of Fish Lake. It functions with the full approval of the Diocese of Gary. The September 11th event begins at 9 AM to 12 Noon (central time) with a presentation, reflection and discussion by Ken Ogorek, Director of Catechesis for the Archdiocese of Indianapolis. It will be followed by a Polish meal catered by Jaworski's Market. Finally, at 1:30 PM the football watch party. \$35.00 registration cost includes presentation, continental breakfast, ND watch party with snacks/ beverages and the full Polish meal. Registration deadline: Wednesday, September 1st, call or text 574-850-0207.

<u>FYI-Parish Contact Information:</u> If you would like to have information placed in the parish bulletin please use one of the following forms – St. John Kanty Parish e-mail

(stanthony.kanty@frontier.com), or print the information out on a piece of paper, place it in an envelope marked Bulletin, Masses, etc. and drop it in the collection basket. Please, always feel free to give your information to Father Heimer, after/before Mass.

CATHOLIC SERVICE APPEAL: Our annual diocesan fund drive (CSA) is still underway. An offering envelope should have been mailed directly to you from the Diocese that you may send your donation directly to the Diocese. Any checks are to be made out to the Diocese of Gary and NOT to the parish. Our assigned goal, this year of \$9,408.00 for St. John Kanty and \$4,677.00 for St. Anthony.

Please be aware that our goals have NOT yet been reached. The Diocese of Gary depends upon the yearly drive to meet the many expenses it has to fund its programs and offices that serve the people of our Diocese.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: Please be aware that both St. John Kanty and St. Anthony have set aside special times for private Eucharistic Adoration of Our Lord. At St. John Kanty the Holy Eucharist is exposed on the altar each Sunday, following the 9:30 AM Mass until 12:00 Noon. At. St. Anthony adoration follows the 8:00 AM Mass until 9:30 AM each Friday. Use these opportunities if you can to deepen your prayer life and your relationship with Our Lord by quietly spending this time with Eucharistic Christ. Incredible graces flow into the souls of those who regularly come into the penetrating presence of the Risen Christ.

PRAYERS BEFORE THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

A Short Visit to the Blessed Sacrament Before Meditation

In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen

I place myself in the presence of Him, in whose Incarnate Presence I am before. I place myself there. I adore Thee, O my Saviour, present here as God and man, in soul and body, in true flesh and blood. I acknowledge and confess that I kneel before that Sacred Humanity, which was conceived in Mary's womb and lay in Mary's bosom; which grew up to man's estate, and by the Sea of Galilee called the Twelve, wrought miracles, and spoke words of wisdom and peace; which in due season hung on the cross, lay in the tomb, rose from the dead, and now reigns in heaven.

I praise, and bless, and give myself wholly to Him, Who is the true Bread of my soul, and my everlasting joy. (by John Henry Newman)

PRAYER FOR FAMILIES

We bless your name, O Lord, for sending your own incarnate Son to become part of a family so that, as he lived his life, he would experience its worries and its joys.

We ask you, Lord, to protect and watch over this family, so that in the strength of your grace its members may enjoy prosperity, possess the priceless gift of your peace, and, as the Church alive in the home bear witness in this world to your glory.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC CHURCH **AND** ST. JOHN KANTY CATHOLIC CHURCH **WEEKLY BULLETIN**

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Mass Times

St. Anthony of Padua

Saturday Evening: 6:00 PM Sunday Morning: 8:00 AM

Weekdays (Monday, Wednesday and Friday) 8:00 AM

St. John Kanty

Saturday Evening: 4:00 PM Sunday Morning: 9:30 AM

Weekdays (Tuesday

and Thursday) 8:30 AM

Confessions

St. Anthony of Padua Saturday at 5:30 PM and any time by request St. John Kanty Saturday at 3:30 PM Sunday at 10:30 AM and any time by request