

ST. ANTHONY PRAYER LINE

If you or someone you know needs prayer, St. Anthony of Padua at Fish Lake has a ministry from which parishioners will pray for you. Please provide the name of the person or persons, and the prayer intention. These requests are confidential. Prayers will then be offered daily by our prayer warriors. Contacts are: Phyllis Schoof 219-369-9582 or Susan Grillo 219-369-1159.

FOOD PANTRY NEWS

St. John Kanty is a regular contributor to the Community Food Pantry in Rolling Prairie. Current food needs for the Community Food Pantry are peanut butter, jelly and canned fruit. Monetary donations are also welcome. Pantry hours are every Thursday from 8am to 12pm. You are welcome to visit and see how the Pantry operates. Any questions call Phyllis Austin at 219-778-2672. Thank you.

ST ANTHONY FOOD COLLECTION

St Anthony Parish has long been collecting food for the needy. Bring your donations anytime you come to Mass. Any items left in the back of church will be removed to the parish hall following Mass. If possible, however, it would be helpful if they could be brought directly to the parish hall. Just place them on one of the tables near the entrance to the kitchen. Whatever you can spare toward the ministry of feeding the hungry is much appreciated.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

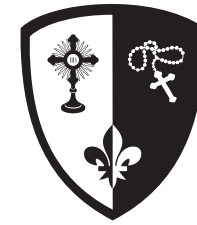
Please be aware that both St. John Kanty and St. Anthony have set aside special times for private Eucharistic Adoration of Our Lord. At St. John Kanty the Holy Eucharist is exposed on the altar each Sunday, following the 9:30 am Mass until 12:00 noon. At St. Anthony adoration follows the 8:00 am Mass 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.

DIOCESE OF GARY VOCATION PRAYER

O Jesus, Son of the Eternal Father and Mary Immaculate, grant to our young people the generosity necessary to follow Your call, and the courage required to overcome all obstacles to their vocations. Give to parents that faith, love and spirit of sacrifice which will inspire them to offer their sons and daughters to God's service and cause them to rejoice exceedingly whenever one of their family is called to the religious life. Let Your example and that of Your Blessed Mother and St. Joseph, encourage both young people and parents, and let Your grace sustain them. Amen.

THE BROWN SCAPULAR

Our Blessed Mother presented this sacred garment to St. Simon Stock on July 16, 1251 as a gift to the Carmelite Order. She said, "Whosoever dies clothed in this shall never suffer eternal fire...It is my garment. To be clothed in it means you are continually thinking of me and I in return am always thinking of you and helping you to secure eternal life."



ST. JOHN KANTY & ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC CHURCHES

St. John Kanty - 7012 N 600 E, Rolling Prairie, IN 46371

St. Anthony of Padua - 7732 E State Road 4, Walkerton, IN 46574

MASS TIMES

St. John Kanty	
Tue & Thur	8:30 am
Saturday Evening	4:00 pm
Sunday Morning	9:30 am

St. Anthony	
Mon, Wed, Fri	8:00 am
Saturday Evening	6:00 pm
Sunday Morning	8:00 am

CONFESSION

St. John Kanty	
Saturday Afternoon	3:30 pm
Sunday Morning	10:30 am

St. Anthony	
Saturday Evening	5:30 pm

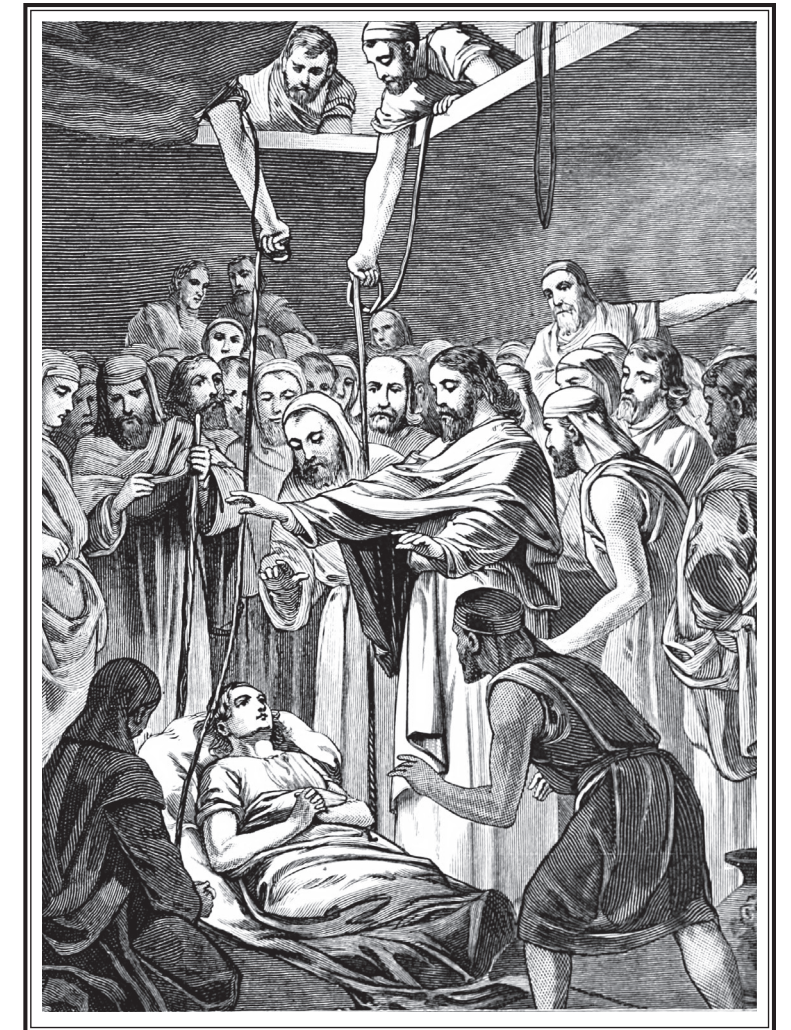
Confessions available anytime by request

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5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 4, 2024

Keep your family safe, O Lord, with unfailing care, that, relying solely on the hope of heavenly grace, they may be defended always by your protection. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, February 3

(St J) 4:00 pm Ruth Harness *by Ruiz Family*
(St A) 6:00 pm St. Anthony of Padua & St. John Kanty Families of God

Sunday, February 4

(St A) 8:00 am Special Graces for Mom, Sisters & Daughter *by Suzanne Dornquest*
(St J) 9:30 am Living & Deceased Members of St. John Kanty Holy Name Society

Monday, February 5

(St A) 8:00 am Maltby & Peterson Families *by Muriel Peterson*

Tuesday, February 6

(St J) 8:30 am Successful Surgery for Lauren Gorski *by Kay Baumgartner*

Wednesday, February 7

(St A) 8:00 am Sylvester & Tessie Kaminski *by Sylvester & Tessie Kaminski Foundation*

Thursday, February 8

(St J) 8:30 am Bradley Paul Young *by Karen Grothouse*

Friday, February 9

(St A) 8:00 am Frank Chlupacek *by Andy & Emily Chlupacek*

Saturday, February 10

(St J) 4:00 pm William Keck, Jr. & Timothy Keck *by Coffinger Family*
(St A) 6:00 pm St. Anthony of Padua & St. John Kanty Families of God

Sunday, February 11

(St A) 8:00 am Lisa Smith *by Andy & Emily Chlupacek*
(St J) 9:30 am Living & Deceased Members of St. John Kanty Altar & Rosary Sodality

MASS DATES AVAILABLE

The most powerful gift you can give is to have a Mass offered for someone. If you would like to have Mass said for relatives or friends who have passed away or for personal intentions a large number of dates are available both now and in the foreseeable future. Drop your intention(s) in an envelope marked MASS, with the requested date(s) in the collection basket. In most cases the date that you requested is usually available, if not, the next available date will be scheduled. The usual stipend for a Mass in the Diocese of Gary is \$10.

OUR LADY OF THE LAKE WOMEN'S GROUP

Our Lady of the Lake Women's Group at St. Anthony in Fish Lake will have their monthly meeting in the Parish Hall on Sunday, February 4th following the 8:00 am Mass.

HOMESCHOOLERS

Catholic homeschoolers will meet at St. John Kanty on Tuesday, February 6th for Mass and confessions at 8:30 am in the church and then for food, friendship, and play at the Parish Hall. All who homeschool or are considering it are welcome to attend. The first Tuesday of each month is set aside for parents and children to gather together for sacraments and social interchange.

SECOND SUNDAY POTLUCK

Next Sunday, February 11th is our monthly bi-parish potluck. Bring yourself, your family and a covered dish to St. John Kanty Parish Hall at 12:30 pm central time and enjoy an afternoon of good food and great company.

PRE-LENTEN BAKE SALE

Our Lady of the Lake Women's Group will hold a pre-lenten bake sale on Sunday, February 11th in the St. Anthony Parish Hall following the 8:00 am Mass. If any parishioners would like to donate anything to the bake sale, it would be greatly appreciated. Just drop off your baked goods at the Parish Hall before Mass.

SNOW SCHEDULE

Please note that when school at New Prairie School System is canceled due to snow, the morning 8:30am Mass (Tuesdays & Thursdays) at St. John Kanty will be canceled as well. **Delays in school starting time due to weather will not alter the start time of Mass.** Please tune in to your local radio station for information regarding school closings and apply the same information to Tuesday & Thursday morning Mass at St. John Kanty.

CGS & CCD CLASSES



DRIVERS: Please exercise caution when you are driving through and/or dropping off your children. The children sometimes forget and could dart out unexpectedly as they run to CGS/CCD classes on Sundays.

STUDENTS: Please be careful as you head over to the Parish Hall for CGS/CCD classes on Sundays. Drivers may not see you as you cross the parking lot.

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