

ST ANTHONY FOOD COLLECTION

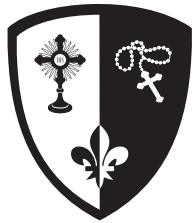
St Anthony Parish has long been collecting food for the needy. Bring your donations anytime you come to Mass. Any items left in the back of church will be removed to the parish hall following Mass. If possible, however, it would be helpful if they could be brought directly to the parish hall. Just place 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.



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

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

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

CONFESSION

<b>St. John Kanty</b>	
Saturday Afternoon	3:30 pm
Sunday Morning	10:30 am

<b>St. Anthony</b>	
Saturday Evening	5:30 pm

*Confessions available anytime by request*

CONTACT

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26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
September 29, 2024

*O God, who manifest your almighty power above all by pardoning and showing mercy, bestow, we pray, your grace abundantly upon us and make those hastening to attain your promises heirs to the treasures of heaven. 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, September 28

- (St J) 4:00 pm Ruth Harness by Ruiz Family
- (St A) 6:00 pm Anthony Mazac by Dave & Michele Spence

Sunday, September 29

- (St A) 8:00 am St. Anthony of Padua & St. John Kanty Families of God
- (St J) 9:30 am Frances Ostroski by Linda Ostroski

Monday, September 30

- (St A) 8:00 am Special Intention

Tuesday, October 1

- (St J) 8:30 am Daniel & Gregory Ostroski by Linda Ostroski

Wednesday, October 2

- (St A) 8:00 am Corty Family by Estate

Thursday, October 3

- (St J) 8:30 am Richard Tabaka by Susan Flischel

Friday, October 4

- (St A) 8:00 am Robert Matthew Pecar by Mitch Chlupacek

Saturday, October 5

- (St J) 4:00 pm Ted Bolakowski by Lynn Kolar
- (St A) 6:00 pm Poor Souls in Purgatory by All Souls Day Envelope Donors

Sunday, October 6

- (St A) 8:00 am St. Anthony of Padua & St. John Kanty Families of God
- (St J) 9:30 am Living & Deceased Members of the St. John Kanty Holy Name Society

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.

HOMESCHOOLERS

Catholic homeschoolers will meet at St. John Kanty on Tuesday, October 1st 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.

CCD & CGS CLASSES

Our 2024-2025 Religious Education Program for St. John Kanty and St. Anthony has begun. Classes meet each Sunday from 10:30 am to 12:00 noon central time in the St. John Kanty Parish Hall. We provide excellent catechism 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 Middle School Program (grades 7-8). Finally, we offer an excellent High School Program (grades 9-12) which utilizes texts from the Didache Series, used in many Catholic High Schools.

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.

ST. JOHN KANTY PRAYER LINE

Please reach out to our St. John Kanty prayer ministry if you or someone you know can benefit from divine assistance. Just provide the name of the person or persons and the prayer intention. All requests are confidential. St. John Kanty Prayer Line contact is: Mary Smith 219-778-2494.

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 UPDATED

The Community Food Pantry of Galena, Hudson, Kankakee and Willis Townships offers extra food items to the clients in November for their Thanksgiving Dinner. I would like to as you, members of St. John Kanty Church, to donate boxes of yellow cake mix for this Thanksgiving Dinner Giveaway. Clients have to sign up for this special giveaway and we are estimating needing 110 boxes. Please leave donations in the basement of the church or in the blue bin in the south vestibule. Donations are needed by Monday, November 14th. Any questions, call Phyllis Austin at 219-778-2672. Thank you.