

FOOD PANTRY NEWS

The Community Food Pantry serves the residents of Galena, Hudson, Kankakee and Wills Townships all year round. It is located in the Rolling Prairie United Methodist Church and is open from 8am to 12pm Central Time on Thursdays. All donations are welcome. Please leave items in the box in the Church basement or in the bin in the South vestibule. Any questions, call Phyllis Austin at 219-778-2672



John LaCorte

PRAYER FOR OUR SEMINARIANS - JOHN LACORTE

O Lord of the harvest, send laborers into your vineyard. Pour your blessings on John LaCorte. Keep him faithful to your Holy Will. w

Mary, Our Mother, protect John LaCorte and all of our priests and seminarians. Thank you for hearing our prayers. Amen.

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.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

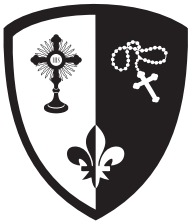
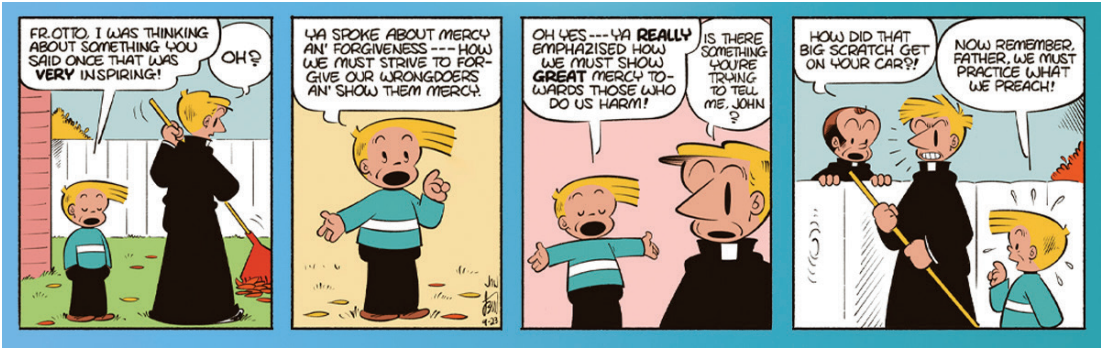
Please be aware that both St. John Kanty and St. Anthony have set aside special times for private Eucharistic Adoration of Our Lord. At St. John Kanty the Holy Eucharist is exposed on the altar each Sunday, following the 9:30 am Mass until 12:00 noon. At St. Anthony adoration follows the 8:00 am Mass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



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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

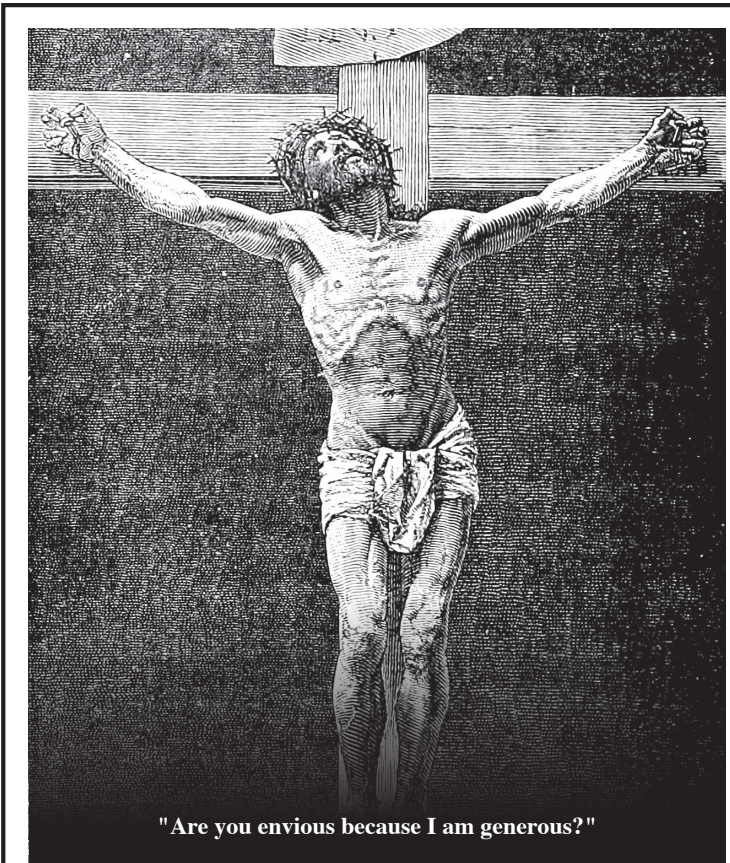
Confessions available anytime by request

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26th Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 27, 2026

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 26

(St J) 4:00 pm Larry Robinson by Nolan Freeman

(St A) 6:00 pm Ethel Hudak by Susan Grillo

Sunday, September 27

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

(St J) 9:30 am Poor Souls in Purgatory by All Souls Day Envelope Donors

Monday, September 28

(St A) 8:00 am Intention of Marilyn Chlupacek by Al Chlupacek

Tuesday, September 29

(St J) 8:30 am Todd & Patricia Rosenbaum by Judith Cloonan

Wednesday, September 30

(St A) 8:00 am Tony & Monie Mazac by Dave & Michele Spence

Thursday, October 1

(St J) 8:30 am Jerome Kubaszyk by Kubaszyk Family

Friday, October 2

(St A) 8:00 am Henry & Ethel Richie by Ron & Shirley Richie

Saturday, October 3

(St J) 4:00 pm Intention of the Newly Confirmed

(St A) 6:00 pm Wayne Hudak by Susan Grillo

Sunday, October 4

(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.

REST IN ETERNAL PEACE

Please remember in your prayers the soul of Michael "Mike" Pavey who recently passed away. May he rest in peace in his new and eternal home.

CONFIRMATION NEXT SATURDAY

Bishop Robert McClory will celebrate the 4:00 pm Mass next Saturday, October 3rd and confer the Sacrament of Confirmation upon the youth of the parish. A reception will follow in the St. John Kanty Parish Hall immediately after. All are welcome to attend.

RELIGION CLASSES HAVE BEGUN

Registration for the 2026-27 religious education program at St. John Kanty and St. Anthony Parishes is still open. You can register Sunday in the Parish Hall following the 9:30 am Mass, when classes begin. Fees remain the same at \$30(1 child), \$40 (2 children), and \$50 (3+ children). Classes will be held each Sunday from 10:30 am to 12:30 pm Central Time. Atrium Level 1 meets in the hall beneath the church, while Atrium Levels 2-3 and classes for junior high and high school students meet in the Parish Hall. For questions, please contact Roslyn Davila at 219-405-7709.

Classes this year include:

- 1. Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (three levels for ages 3-12)
- 2. Sacramental Preparation for First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion
- 3. Ignite Confirmation Preparatory Program (a two-year program beginning at age 13)
- 4. High School Faith Formation and Adapting to Adulthood in the Catholic Church (a four-year program)



DRIVERS: Please be careful and stay alert when navigating the parking lot or dropping off children for CGS/ CCD classes. Children may unexpectedly dash across the lot, so proceed with caution.

STUDENTS: Exercise care when walking to the Parish Hall for classes on Sundays. Always watch for moving vehicles in the parking lot, as drivers may not easily spot you.

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 219-363-9078.

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: Rose Schoenfeld. Call or text 219-575-2050.

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.