

St. Anthony of Padua Welcomes You!

MASS INTENTIONS

DATE	TIME		INTENTION
Saturday March 11	4:00 pm	✝	Gerald Sivret By Family
Sunday March 12	8:00 am	✝	Claudette Stephan By Family
Sunday March 12	10:30 am	✝	Lloyd, Edith & Bruce Goodnow by Gloria Goodnow
Monday March 13	7:30 am	✝	Holy Mass
Tuesday March 14	7:30 am	✝	Holy Mass
Tuesday March 14	7:00 pm		Healing Mass
Wednesday March 15	7:30 am	✝	Holy Mass
Thursday March 16	7:00 am	✝	Holy Mass
Friday March 17	7:00 pm	✝	Stations of the Cross
Saturday March 18	4:00 pm	✝	Yolande Kasierski By Don & Jan Kasierski
Sunday March 19	8:00 am	✝	Joseph Tessier By Wife Barbara
Sunday March 19	10:30 am	✝	Alan Towle, Jr. by Grandparents Theresa & Arthur Graves

**The Mission of St. Anthony of Padua,
Dudley is to gather as a Roman Catholic
Community, enlightened by the Holy
Spirit, to rejoice in the Word of God
and the Feast of the Holy Eucharist.**

CONFESSIONS:

Every Tuesday from 9 AM to 5 PM
by appointment.

MARRIAGES: For the Sacrament of marriage, please make arrangements at least one year in advance.

BAPTISM: Please call the rectory for arrangements, preferably a few months before the baby is due. We highly encourage people to celebrate baptisms during the week at your convenience or at the weekend Masses. Saturdays between 8-11am or at the 4pm Mass. Sundays at the 8am, 10:30am Mass or between 12:30pm-3pm.

NEW PARISHIONERS: We welcome all newcomers to our parish and invite you to register as members of our parish family at the Parish office, online or you may see Fr. Daniel after the Mass.

UNABLE TO ATTEND CHURCH: Anyone unable to attend church due to illness or care of someone, please call the rectory or parish office. Rev. Daniel E. Moreno will arrange for Communion to be brought to you.

For the anointing of the sick please call Fr. Daniel at the rectory at (508) 943-0470. Thank you.

REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 4:00pm
Sunday: 8:00am & 10:30am
Monday-Thursday 7:30am

**Every Tuesday-Exposition of the
Blessed Sacrament 8am-6:50pm**
Every Tuesday Healing Mass at 7:00pm

Holy Days: As announced



**We pray for those who have
gone before us:**

We pray for those in need of continued
prayers:

Adam, Stanley, Janet, JD, Adam, Jon,
Jacob, Stanley, Peyton Elizabeth,
Matthew, Michael, Clif, Phyllis, Lorri,
Richard, Don, Kyle, Barbara, Joshua, his
wife & family, Billy, Chris, Anthony, Jessie,
Joanie, Paula, John, Ben, Natalie, Kaitlyn,
Bob C., Maryjane, Bryce & Bryce's
family, Brady & Brady's family.

We pray for all for healing, those who are
struggling with life, mental illness or
addictions. We pray for the planet.

We pray to the Lord. Amen

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St. Anthony of Padua Website
www.stanthony-dudley.org
Office Hours: Mon day-Friday 8am-1pm

Third Sunday of Lent

"Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again." (John 4:13) Jesus reminds us that material things, even something as basic as water, can never satisfy us over the long run. When we build our lives around material possessions we will always want more and no amount will ever satisfy our desire. True joy and peace only comes when we follow Jesus - when we become more "God-centered" and less "self-centered."

The Liturgical Commemoration of St. Patrick, the patron saint of Ireland, March 17, is observed this year, 2023 on a Friday of Lent that the Church prescribes as a Day of Abstinence from meat. In light of the importance of this feast day for many in the Diocese of Worcester, I am granting a dispensation from the rule of abstinence on Friday, March 17, 2023. I ask that those who take advantage of this dispensation perform another act of penance in its place on that day.

Most Reverend Robert J. McManus
Bishop of Worcester.

Calendar of Events:

March 11

Scouts Pinewood Derby
Scouts distribution of food collection bags
(After the Masses this weekend)

March 12

Religious Education:
Grade 5-8 (9am-10:15am)
Grade 9 & 10 (10:30am –4:00pm)
Retreat at St. Anthony's-Starts with Mass

March 16

Choir-Rehearsal 7:00pm

March 17-Welcome L.O.T.W. retreatants
6pm Looking forward to welcoming the
latest group of LOTW retreatants on Friday
night, March 17th at 6 pm.

There will be snacks and drinks

March 23

Choir Rehearsal 7pm

March 24

Mary's Way of the Cross-7pm
See page 5

March 26

Religious Education Grades 5-8
(9am-10:15am)
Grades 9 & 10 (10:30am-1pm) with Mass

No Meetings on March 29-31

For the Church carpets, classrooms and
Hall will be cleaned in preparation for
the Easter Season. Thank you.

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME MARCH 11th
SPRING AHEAD ONE HOUR ON YOUR
CLOCKS SATURDAY NIGHT.

MINISTRY SCHEDULES ARE POSTED
ON THE BULLETIN BOARD AND AT
THE ENTRANCES OF THE CHURCH.
THANK TO ALL WHO SERVE OUR
LORD JESUS CHRIST.

Collections for: March 4 & 5

<i>ITEM</i>	<i>\$ AMOUNT</i>
Sunday Envelopes	3,101.00
Loose Offerings	423.00
Building Repairs	160.00
Snow Removal	10.00
Utilities	126.00
Weekly Ach-Giving	141.00
Website-Online Giving 2/27/23-3/6/2023	1,495.00
TOTAL OFFERINGS:	5,456.00
PARISH EXPENSES	5,343.00
Other Donations:	
Deus Caritas Est.	30.00
Latin America	238.00
Turkey/Syria Relief	225.00
Thank you for your donations they are greatly appreciated.	

Second passing of the basket is for:
The Deus Caritas Est Collection

Rice Bowls: Please pick one up on your way
out from Mass.

Collect your loose change or extra dollars to
help with Catholic Relief Services all around
the globe. Collection ends last weekend of
Lent.

St. Anthony of Padua
Ministries/Committees

If you would like to join any of these minis-
tries there is a short form to fill out with your
information. A representative will be in
touch with you. Sign up today!

STATIONS OF THE CROSS-7pm

We will have the every Friday in March except March 31st will be in the Hall.

Let us unite as community on this particular time to reflect and follow on Jesus' footsteps on the way to Calvary, to that place where Salvation and infinite Love took place.

*Stations will be livestreamed for those who have health or physical conditions that make it unable to join us.

Monday, March 20th-Mass at 7:30am

Solemnity of St. Joseph

Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

All are invited to bring pastry or bread to be blessed.

Friday, March 24th-Mass at
7:00pm

Mary's Way of the Cross

Mass– as seen through the eyes of Mary, please join us.

A Word on Fasting:

For the two days of the year when the Church requires fasting of Catholics (Ash Wednesday and Good Friday), the parameters of the fast are given as:

“When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal. Two smaller meals may also be taken, but not to equal a full meal.” Catholics may, of course, eat less, but this is considered the minimum required.

(USCCB) United States Catholic Conference of Bishops

Light of the World Retreat

Friday -March 17th

6 pm - welcome retreatants
6:30pm-Stations of the Cross

Saturday -March 18th

starts at 8:30am
Reconciliation starts around 5:15pm
retreatants leave after their confession.

Sunday -March 19th

starts at 8:30 am
Mass at 4:30 followed by a reception in the Church Hall

Monday -March 20th

6:30pm

Last weekend for sign ups!

EASTER FLOWER INTENTIONS

As you know the envelopes for February & March did not arrive. If you would like to make a donation in memory of your loved ones towards the Easter flowers please fill this out with the names and enclose in an envelope of your choice. There are some behind the pews for your convenience.

Name for Intentions:

Please print clearly. The names will be in the Easter weekend bulletin. Thank you.

Fish Fry in Webster-St. Louis Church

Every Friday (Feb. 24 - Mar 31) during Lent from 4:30 - 6:30 pm, St. Louis Parish will hold their Fish Fry in the Church Hall, 14 Lake St., Webster. \$14 Dinner (eat-in or take-out) for either baked fish dinner or fried fish and chips. Chowder, fritters and Mac & Cheese also available. All are welcome.

FISH FRY FRIDAYS!!

The traditional Lenten Fish Dinners are back at St. Andrew Bobola this year! Each Friday during Lent, starting on **February 24 through March 31**, we will be serving Fried Haddock Dinners with French fries, coleslaw and tartar sauce in the St. Andrew Bobola Church hall from **3p.m. to 6 p.m., eat in or take out**. Tea and coffee will be complimentary for dine in customers (no charge), other beverages will be available for \$1.00. Meal Cost is \$15

Attention High School Seniors

St. Anthony of Padua scholarship applications are available at the side doors. Completed applications must be returned by April 3rd. Please place your application and essay in a sealed envelope marked Scholarship Committee and place it in the collection baskets, you can drop it off at the parish office or mailed to:

St. Anthony of Padua

Attn: Scholarship Committee

24 Dudley Hill Rd. Dudley, MA 01571

Graduating high schools students who have been active at St. Anthony's are eligible. Directions are on the application. Remember the deadline is April 3rd.

Please join us for:

“Mary’s Way of the Cross”

Friday, March 24,
2023
at 7:00pm

Introduction by:
Karen Moseley



An invitation to all!!

The people of St. Anthony of Padua invite you to journey with us through the Stations of the Cross this Lenten Season as experienced through the eyes of our Blessed Mother Mary and her assistance.

If you are interested in participating in Mary’s Way of the Cross on Friday, March 24th, please email:

karenmoseley2134@gmail.com or call Karen at 860-923-2134.

We are looking for 15 women to join in this moving evening. A rehearsal of the prayerful readings will take place at 6:30 pm on March 24th.

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Should you have any questions, please call Val in the parish office.

Thank you.



PIZZA PARTY

Let's raise some dough for the Deus Caritas Est.
Solar Panel Project

Cost: \$15 Adult/\$5 (under 8)
Entertainment: Magic Man Frankie D
When: Saturday, April 29th (5pm-7pm)
Where: St. Anthony of Padua-Hall

We hope that you and your family join us; to contribute to the solar panel project, while being entertained with crazy balloons and magic tricks for all ages! To make a payment and reserve your ticket, please contact either:

Arlene Richford at email: ARichford05@hotmail.com
Kimberly Richford at: (508) 461-6513
(Activities Committee representatives)
On or by Monday, April 3, 2023!



PARTNERS IN CHARITY 2023 CAMPAIGN NEWS

Once a year, we commit ourselves to this ongoing work by supporting this life-giving appeal. We reflect on God's great generosity and respond with generous giving of our own. With your support, faith in action is visible every day in the compassionate outreach of Catholic Charities, to the least among us; in the prayerful witness of our retired priests and the joy of new priestly vocations; to the many diocesan ministries and programs that heal, teach and care for others. Watch the Appeal Video at home this week at www.partners-charity.net. If you have already made a gift to the 2023 appeal, we thank you. Your gift will help us in reaching our parish goal. You can also make your gift online at www.partners-charity.net. Thank you!

My beloved parishioners:

In this letter, I want to express my most sincere gratitude for the generosity with which you have always supported this house of prayer and meeting. The social, economic and spiritual difficulties that have been unleashed from the Covid 19 pandemic and global inflation in almost everything that concerns the necessary items for daily consumption have led us to many limitations, even knowing that the obligations in our homes, in the studies, in which the basic daily consumption does not rest, as well as the increase in unemployment, in poverty, in natural disasters and in the number of vulnerable people and in greater precariousness.

This year, the finance committee and I have been looking with concern at the Sunday collections that help sustain and run the parish. One of the issues is due to the problem that the company had by not printing the envelopes that you normally receive in the mail, as well as the low number of people attending the Holy Mass celebrations. Although the monetary income is important, the number of people who participate in the Holy Mass is even more important, since if we do not develop a much more dynamic and numerous pastoral ministry, we will not be able to provide a more effective support for our parish. One day someone made a very wrong comment where it was said: no money no mission. This vision of the Church is wrong and very contrary to the nature of the Church. The saying should be: my mission as a Church is to Evangelize and develop a very solid identity with it in my parish community, territorial as a diocese and universal Church so that a better sustenance can be given to its physical and pastoral structure.

It is for this reason that I would like to insist on the invitation that the finance committee had previously made to participate the online giving. Deborah Johson or Valerie Milosh could help you to set it up by phone or at the office. The parish is supported by what each of us contributes weekly. Another invitation would be to study the possibility of increasing the donation that is made weekly in the possibilities that each one can.

Let us grow and encourage a greater commitment to our particular house of Saint Anthony of Padua so that, little by little, we can extend our solidarity locally and universally.

God Bless you all.

Fr. Daniel Moreno



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