



## *St. Anthony of Padua Welcomes You!*

Week of February 4, 2024

### MASS INTENTIONS

DATE	TIME		INTENTION
Saturday February 3	4:00pm	✙	Ronald Mayes By The Family
Sunday February 3 <i>5th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8:00am	✙	Mary DiDonato 33rd Anniversary By the Family
Sunday February 4	10:30am	✙	Mike Hibbard
Monday February 5	7:30am	✙	Christine Ducharme By her husband
Tuesday February 6	7:30am	✙	Gerald Sivret By the Family
Tuesday February 6	7:00pm		Mass for the sick and several intentions & Deacon Bill Birthday
Wednesday February 7	7:30am		Bernice Albetski Birthday
Thursday February 8	7:30am		A Blessing of Peace in the Year
Saturday February 10	4:00pm	✙	Pam Verhegan By Marie & Jerry Czeckowski
Sunday February 11 <i>6th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	8:00am		Holy Mass
Sunday February 11	10:30am 	✙	Alan Towle 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**  
**Or by appointment.**

**MARRIAGE:** 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 encourage celebrations of 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 or 10:30am Mass or between 12:30pm-3pm.

**CONFESSION:** Saturdays 3-3:30pm or by Appointment

**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 (<https://www.stanthony-dudley.org/>) 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.**

### **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

Solemnities, Feasts and days of  
Obligations: As announced



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

**Muriel Stelmach**

**We pray for those in need of continued  
prayers:**

George Sadd, Jewelienna Ray, Matt, Sandi,  
Monique, Susan, Mason, Becky, Ross, Dana &  
Family, Carol, John, Monique, Guissepe, Lisa,  
Michael, Mary, Lorraine, Karen, Henry, Phil,  
Michael, James, Sue, Amanda, Ziad, Carole.  
Andrea, Gordie, Steve, Paul, Donald,  
JeanGuy, Johnathan, Helen, Kathy, Joe &  
Judy, Olivia, Marcia, John, Nick, Landen, Deb,  
Tammy, Jim, Alan, Gloria, Steve, Christina,  
Carollee, Patty, George, Niko, Nicholas, ,  
Maryjane, Kole, Bryce & Bryce's family, Brady  
& Brady's family.

**We pray for all who need a healing prayer  
and the innocent victims of war.**

**We pray to the Lord. Amen**

## **Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

*"Rising very early before dawn, he left and  
went off to a deserted place, where he  
prayed...He told them, 'Let us go on to the  
nearby villages that I may preach there also.  
For this purpose have I come.'"  
(Mark 1:35, 38)*

In today's Gospel reading we see a perfect  
example of stewardship. Jesus gives His  
time to do all that God wishes - healing the  
sick and preaching. But before He begins,  
Jesus takes time to be alone with God in  
prayer. It is through prayer, spending time  
with God, that we are given the graces  
needed to do what He wishes us to do.  
Praying before acting is a great habit to  
develop.

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**Call the Parish Office**

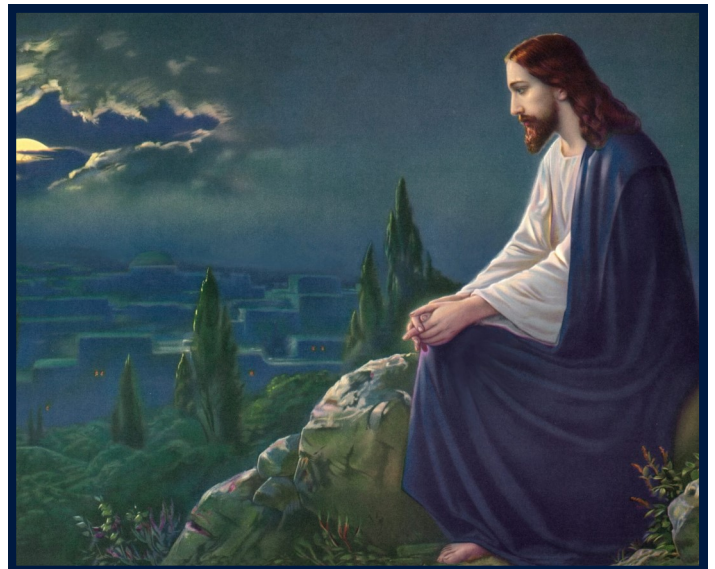
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<b>Fax: 508-943-5663</b>	

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**St. Anthony of Padua Website**

[www.stanthony-dudley.org](http://www.stanthony-dudley.org)

**Office Hours:**  
**Monday-Wednesday-Friday**  
**8am-1pm**



# Parish Events

## Light of the World Retreat

March 8, 9, 10 & 11



Sign up after Mass on:

February 17 & 18, 24 & 25

March 2 & 3

For more information contact

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Or Deb Johnson: [johnsond5437@charter.net](mailto:johnsond5437@charter.net)

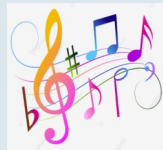
## Every Tuesday

7:30am Mass  
Exposition of the Blessed  
Sacrament of Adoration,  
Holy Rosary &  
Benediction,  
followed by Healing Mass  
at 7:00pm.



## Choir Rehearsal

Every Thursday  
6:30-8:30.

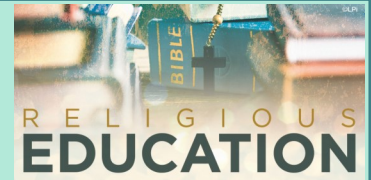


## February 4 & 25: Grade 5-8

9:00am-10:15am  
with 10:30 Mass  
attendance

## Grade 9 & 10

Start with 10:30am Mass -1pm



## February 11:

Grade K-4 (9:00am-10:15am)  
with Mass at 10:30

## February 18: No CCD—Holiday Weekend

## February 14: Ash Wednesday

Mass at 7:30 am with Ashes  
Mass at 10:00 am with Ashes  
Communion service at 2 pm  
with Ashes  
Mass at 6:00 pm with Ashes  
Mass at 7:30 PM with Ashes at Nichols  
College chapel



## February 18: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Society Coffee Social 9am



## March 17th: @ Noon

Jokes my Irish Father Told Me  
by Comedian Dave Kane

Buy your tickets after Mass in  
February \$15 or 2 for \$25





Dear parishioners,

May the peace of Christ be with you.

The parish is planning a pilgrimage to Rome, Assisi and Padua in which we can visit the places that are relevant to our faith. Let us all look forward to this great opportunity and visit our patron Saint who has interceded so many times for us.

- Father Daniel

On Sunday, February 4th: after the 10:30am Mass, we will have a visit from Brother Paul to tell us about the pilgrimage to Italy.



FRANCISCAN  
MISSIONARY UNION  
HOLY NAME PROVINCE

## JOIN FR. DANIEL MORENO FOR A PILGRIMAGE TO ROME, ASSISI, & PADUA



**OCTOBER 1, 2024 - OCTOBER 13, 2024**

Single Occupancy: \$5,400

Double Occupancy: \$5,000

Price includes: Flights, hotels, all meals, tours and transportation in Italy

For details inquire with Fr. Daniel Moreno in the parish office or Bro. Paul O'Keeffe at [pokeeffe@friars.us](mailto:pokeeffe@friars.us) or (240) 393-0532

**INCLUDES FREE DAY IN VENICE!**

Going on a religious pilgrimage is an ancient way of deepening one's spirituality by traveling to a place associated with a holy person. It can be a deeply moving and powerful religious encounter. Pilgrims are not tourists, pilgrims are people on a journey designed to take them outside their everyday, familiar lives into an unfamiliar environment, where they have the opportunity to encounter the extraordinary, and thereby experience God in a new way.



Highlights include: Tour of the Vatican Basilica (with an optional tour of the Vatican Museum and Sistine Chapel) a walking tour of Rome, tours of the Basilicas of Saints Francis and Clare, and the Basilica of Santa Maria degli Angeli (and other sights relevant to the lives of Francis and Clare in Assisi), the Basilica of St. Anthony (and other sights relevant to the saint's life in Padua). Free day in Venice. Trip includes all flights, hotels, meals, tours\*, transportation. Daily mass with Fr. Moreno and time for prayer and

free time to wander the streets of Assisi and Padua included. \*Not included are meals on free days, alcohol, and optional tour of the Vatican Museum and Sistine Chapel.

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## Free Home Pick-up!

To **schedule a free home pick-up**, visit our website at

<https://svdpworcester.org> and click on the "How You Can Help" tab, then choose "Schedule a Home Pick-Up."

Complete the form, and you're done! You may also contact our partner (CMRK) at 508-474-8966 or scan the QR code which will direct you to our website.



## French Toast Breakfast

The Knights of Columbus council 228 will be holding a **French Toast Breakfast** **February 11, 2024. 7:30 AM – 10:30 AM** in the Father Marcotte Hall at **St. Louis Church.**

The breakfast is \$8. Children under 12, \$5 Children under 5 are free.

The proceeds will go towards RSVP support of Seminarians, Jacob Pohlman and Brian James. If you have questions call Steve James 508 344 5394.



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### February is Catholic Press Month



Basilica of Saint Anthony of Padua  
Padua, Veneto, Italy

## 2024 PROJECT 60 NEWS

The Project 60 registration will be discussed by Kate and Guy Horne at all the masses next weekend - February 10th and 11th.

There will be some changes this year and these will be discussed in detail at this time. Registrations will be accepted starting after the masses next weekend and throughout the month of February. **First monthly drawing is March!**

Thank you all for your continued support of this parish fundraiser.....

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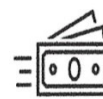


**ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA**  
**Monthly and Year-to-Date Operating Statement**  
**December 2023**  
**(Fiscal Year: September 1st through August 31st)**

	Revised	
	Month of	Fiscal
	December 2023	Year-to-Date
<b>TOTAL REVENUE</b>	<b>\$ 40,878</b>	<b>\$ 113,720</b>
<b>Less: EXPENDITURES</b>		
Church Expenses	12,240	50,808
Rectory Expenses	2,499	10,208
Parish Hall Expenses	58	58
Religious Ed Expenses	1,154	5,370
Fringe Benefits	570	4,350
Office Expenses	5,257	15,281
Parish Committee Expenses	(45)	65
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>\$ 21,734</b>	<b>\$ 86,141</b>
<b>SURPLUS (DEFICIT)</b>	<b>\$ 19,144</b>	<b>\$ 27,578</b>



**MONEY MATTERS**



The following individuals are members of the Finance Ministry who try to assure that the debits equal the credits each month:

**Keith Gajewski - Chairman**

28 years as an accounting professional in increasing roles of responsibility. Currently AVP of Finance, Easterseals MA

**Alan McKinley**

30 year career as Controller - President - then Owner of AO Eyewear (metal frame division of American Optical). Retired.

**Ginni DiDonato**

24 years in Computer Services, then 28 years as Financial Advisor at Lincoln Financial. Retired.

**Jane Champagne**

Branch Manager, Assistant Vice President and Loan Officer at Shawmut Bank. Retired.

**Phil Alston**

30 years at Allmerica Financial, Assistant Vice President Asset Management. Retired.

**-- ACCOUNTANTS DON'T RETIRE, THEY JUST LOSE THEIR BALANCE. --**

*Thank you for  
your generous  
donations*





# Around the Diocese

## Fish Dinner

*Saint Louis Church Hall* 14 Lake Street, Webster

Friday during the Lenten Season from 4:30 - 6:30pm beginning February 16<sup>th</sup> through March 22<sup>nd</sup>.

Cost is \$15 per Dinner (Eat-in or Take-out)

Your Choice of: Baked Fish & Baked Potato *or* Fried Fish & Chips

With coleslaw

Clam Chowder, Clam Fritters, and Mac & Cheese also available.

Complimentary Dessert & Coffee!



## You are cordially invited to a special Italian Dinner...

As an ongoing supporter of Partners in Charity I want to cordially invite the parishioners of St. Anthony of Padua to our **Partners in Charity 2024 Italian Dinner** scheduled for **Thursday, February 8** at **St. Joseph Church Hall in Charlton**. The dinner will start at **6PM**. Please kindly **RSVP** by calling 508-929-4366 or send an email to [development@worcesterdiocese.org](mailto:development@worcesterdiocese.org). As Bishop, I look forward to welcoming and seeing you along with your pastor, Fr. Moreno as we launch the upcoming appeal. Gratefully, Bishop McManus

The United Church of Christ is looking for donations of **used blankets**. They use these blankets as warm liners when making sleeping bags for the homeless. Please do not buy new blankets, as they will be cut to fit in the sleeping bags they are sewing.

Please feel free to drop off your donations at the Parish office during open hours. Thank



## St. Patrick Day Irish Festival

will be held at **St. Joan of Arc Church** on **Saturday, Feb. 24** from **5 pm - 10 pm**.

Admission is \$5.00.

Featuring Live Irish Music and Irish step dancers from the McInerney School of Irish Dance. Corned beef dinner is \$15.00; Corned beef sandwich and chips \$10.00; Beer and wine will be sold. Tickets will be sold for these.

## Holy Hour to Pray for Priests

On **Friday, Feb. 9** from **7 - 8 pm**, a Holy Hour to pray for priests will take place at **Immaculate Conception Church on 353 Grove St., Worcester**. The holy hour consists of time for silent Adoration, a short reflection, the Rosary, and Benediction.

Please join us to pray for our priests. **Repeats every second Friday of the month.**

## Indoor Yard Sale in Worcester

An Indoor Yard Sale will be held on **Saturday, March 9** from **9 am to 3 pm** at **St. Christopher's Church Hall, 950 W. Boylston St., Worcester, MA 01606**. Tables are available. For information email [knotte@charter.net](mailto:knotte@charter.net) or call 508-852-2348.



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