

## St. Anthony of Padua Welcomes You!

### Week of March 17 2024 MASS INTENTIONS

DATE	TIME		INTENTION
Saturday March 16	4:00pm	✝	Gerald Czechowski By Mr & Mrs Donald Kasierski
Sunday March 17 Fifth Sunday of Lent	8:00am	✝	Dorothy Belanger By Valerie Milosh
Sunday March 17	10:30am	✝	Claudette Stephan By the Lemoine Family
Monday March 18	7:30am		Holy Mass
Tuesday March 19	7:30am		Holy Mass
Tuesday March 19 Solemnity of Saint Joseph, husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary	7:00pm		Mass for those who are spiritually and physically suffering.
Wednesday March 20	7:30am		Church closed for cleaning, Mass in Parish Hall
Thursday March 21	7:30am		Church closed for cleaning, Mass in Parish Hall
Friday March 22	6:30pm	✝	Church closed for cleaning, Mass at Stations of the cross in Parish Hall
Saturday March 23	4:00pm	✝	Jack Kosiba 1st Anniversary By the family
Sunday March 24 Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord	8:00am		Holy Mass
Sunday March 24	10:30am		Holy Mass

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 (508-943-0470) 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  
Fridays during Lent—Stations of the Cross—6:30pm  
Solemnities, Feasts and days of



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

**Alice Moninsky, Dorothy Belanger,  
Donna Gelineau, Gerald Czechowski,  
Joseph B. Brody, Mary Johnson**

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

Brian, 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 of Lent**

*"I will be their God and they shall be my  
people." (Jeremiah 31:33)*

What does it mean to be God's people? It means we recognize that everything we have and everything we are belongs to God. We aren't "owners" of anything, we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God has given us. It means we are willing to use our gifts and our lives to care for our family, our neighbors and for people we don't know, just as God cares for each of us.

## **PARISH STAFF**

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Call the Parish Office

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### **RECTORY**

**Phone: 508-943-0470**

### **Parish Email:**

[stanthonypaduadudley@gmail.com](mailto:stanthonypaduadudley@gmail.com)

**St. Anthony of Padua Website**  
[www.stanthony-dudley.org](http://www.stanthony-dudley.org)

### **Office Hours:**

**Monday-Wednesday-Friday  
8am-1pm**

*"I will place my law within them, and write it  
upon their hearts; I will be their God, and  
they shall be my people." (Jeremiah 31:33)*



## Parish Events

### Every Tuesday

7:30am Mass  
Exposition of the Blessed  
Sacrament of Adoration

Holy Rosary & Benediction,  
followed by Healing Mass at 7:00pm.



*Join us for  
Stations of the Cross  
Fridays throughout Lent  
at 6:30 PM*

### Confirmation 2024

(combined choirs)

Anyone wishing to sing for  
confirmation, rehearsals will be  
held at Sacred Heart Church every Monday  
in April (1,8,15,22 )  
**Confirmation is on Monday, April 29th.**



### Project 60

Dues are again \$60.00 for the year. There  
are still numbers available.

**Our first monthly drawing will be on  
March 24th at the Coffee Social** for all  
paid members. Dues can be mailed, make  
out a check to Project 60, and send it to  
Guy and Kate Horne, 3 Linda Vista Lane,  
Dudley, MA 01571. You can also drop your  
dues in any collection at mass. Please have  
your payment marked as Project 60. Any  
questions please call Guy or Kate at  
508-461-5425. **Good Luck to everyone in  
2024.**

**March 17:**  
**Grade K-4**  
(9:00am-10:15am)  
with Mass at 10:30



**March 24:**  
**Grade 5-8**  
9:00am-10:15am  
with 10:30 Mass attendance  
**Grade 9 & 10**  
Start with 10:30am Mass -1pm

**March 31:**  
No CCD - Holiday weekend

### March 17th: @ Noon

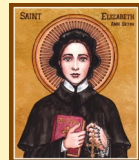
Jokes my Irish Father Told Me by  
Comedian Dave Kane



**Buy your tickets at the door**  
**Only \$15 or 2 for \$25**

**March 24: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton  
Society**

**Coffee Social 9am**



**Monday, March 18 at 6:30 pm** There  
will be a meeting for the Extraordinary  
Eucharistic Ministers in the church.



**Please note** St Anthony's choir  
will be **rehearsing on Wednesday**  
evenings (instead of Thursday) for  
two weeks only: **March 20th & 27th.**  
Rehearsal begins at 6:30.





Are you ready for It?!!!



•**Palm Sunday** – March 23-24

Saturday, Holy Mass with blessing of Palms at 4 PM

Sunday, Holy Mass with blessing of Palms at 8 AM and 10:30 AM

## Holy Triduum



•**Holy Thursday** – March 28

**Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7 PM**

followed by adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at the altar of repose (doors will close at 12 midnight)

We cordially invite those who have joined, and those willing to join the new ministry "**Heralds of the Blessed Sacrament**" to find this moment as the birth of the moment of Adoration. We come together to rejoice in the presence

of Jesus in the Sacrament of the Eucharist, gift given at the

Last Supper of the Lord; on this day, the journeying towards Calvary starts, and we start contemplating the gift of love manifested in the sacrifice of the Cross and reaffirm in the Resurrection of the Lord.

*The disciples have shamefully run away and abandoned the One who loved with the greatest Love. How about you? Are you running away just as the disciples did?*

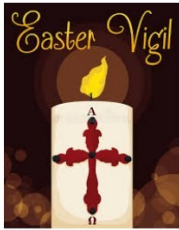


•**Good Friday** – March 29

**Friday of the Lord's Passion of the Lord  
with adoration of the Holy Cross. 7 PM**

After the liturgy of the Passion we will celebrate the Seven Last Words of Jesus on the Cross and will finish with Night Prayer at the parish hall.

This liturgy is very important as the continuation of Holy Thursday. Jesus is giving up His life for our sake. He is satisfying the thirst of the unjust with His blood in order to deliver the just. The Hour of None, 3 O'clock becomes the darkest time of history because for the Enemy it was its triumph over God. However, we know that it was God conquering again the hearts of His creation. This sacrifice of Love becomes the eternal and unrepeatable sign of the eternal Covenant between God and His creation.



•**Holy Saturday** – March 30

**Easter Vigil at 7:30 PM**

This is the “closing” of the Holy Triduum” The Liturgy in which we bless the Easter Candle, sign of our Risen Lord, True Light who has come to illumine our lives, thus driving us out of darkness. This beautiful celebration of the Holy Eucharist is a reminder that Jesus did not remain on a Cross, He did not remained in a cold and dark tomb, but rather has come out of Death bringing Eternal Glory.



•**Easter Sunday** – March 31

**Holy Mass at 8 AM and 10:30 AM**

*“The Lord measures out perfection neither by the multitude nor the magnitude of our deeds, but by the manner in which we perform them.”*

*– St. John of the Cross*

## Solemnity of Saint Joseph, husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Tuesday March 19th

Masses at 7:30am & 7:00pm

*Jacob was the father of Joseph, the husband of Mary. Of her was born Jesus who is called the Messiah. Now this is how the birth of Jesus Christ came about. When his mother Mary was betrothed to Joseph, but before they lived together, she was found with child through the Holy Spirit. Joseph her husband, since he was a righteous man, yet unwilling to expose her to shame, decided to divorce her quietly. Such was his intention when, behold, the angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, "Joseph, son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary your wife into your home. For it is through the Holy Spirit that this child has been conceived in her. She will bear a son and you are to name him Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins." When Joseph awoke, he did as the angel of the Lord had commanded him and took his wife into his home. (Mt. 1:16, 18-21, 24)*



## **Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers**

**Our Mission as Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers at St. Anthony is to participate in the sharing of the body and blood of Jesus Christ with the parish community.**

Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers serve our Shut-in parishioners, those in our local Nursing Homes and our parishioners every weekend as you come together to receive Holy Communion.

We are in need of more parishioners that would like to join our Ministry to serve Holy Communion on Saturday at 4pm mass or Sunday at 8am or 10:30am mass on a rotating weekend schedule.

**For more information, please contact**

**Father Daniel, Deacon Bill or Charlie & Julie Brown at email: [jabrown156@gmail.com](mailto:jabrown156@gmail.com)**

**There will be a meeting on Monday,  
March 18 at 6:30 pm for Eucharistic  
Ministers in the church.**



## Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord Masses

March 23 Saturday 4pm

March 24 Sunday 8am & 10:30 am



## Easter Triduum Masses

Holy Thursday 7pm

The Lord's Supper

Good Friday 7pm

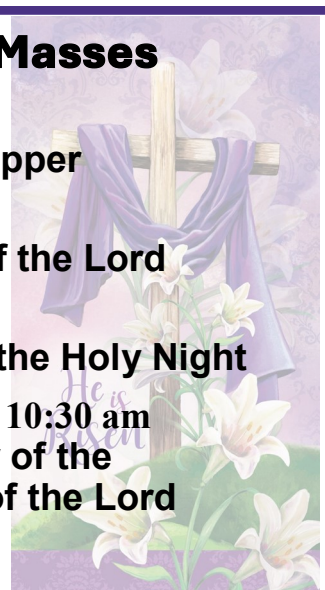
The Passion of the Lord

Easter Vigil 7:30pm

Easter vigil in the Holy Night

Easter Sunday 8am & 10:30 am

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord



## Easter Word Search

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Angel

Holy

Messiah

Savior

Cross

Hope

Resurrection

Third Day

Crown of Thorns

Jesus

Risen

Easter

King

Sacrifice

Empty Tomb

Love

Salvation

Good Friday

Mary

Sunday



Did you know **the Comedy Show is a fundraiser** for the church, part of the proceeds generated from the sale of the tickets is donated to the church?

**Tickets will be available at the door!**

There will be a 50/50 Cash Raffle and it will be 15 tickets for \$5.00!

**Sunday, March 17, 2024**

**St. Anthony of Padua**  
Activities Committee and Parish Council

Reluctantly present

# JOKES MY IRISH FATHER TOLD ME



Come join in the fun, as comedian Dave Kane brings you a laugh filled presentation of jokes, one liners and stories that celebrate the warmth and resilience of the Irish sense of Humor.

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roasting of special  
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tickets email Arlene  
Richford at  
[arrichford05@hotmail.com](mailto:arrichford05@hotmail.com)

**ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA**  
**Monthly and Year-to-Date Operating Statement**  
**January 2024**  
**(Fiscal Year: September 1st through August 31st)**

	<u>Month of</u> <u>January 2024</u>	<u>Fiscal</u> <u>Year-to-Date</u>
<b>TOTAL REVENUE</b>	\$ 28,467	\$ 142,187
<b>Less: EXPENDITURES</b>		
Church Expenses	21,015	71,822
Rectory Expenses	2,461	12,670
Parish Hall Expenses	-	58
Religious Ed Expenses	1,442	6,812
Fringe Benefits	589	4,939
Office Expenses	4,598	19,879
Parish Committee Expenses	-	65
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</b>	<u>\$ 30,104</u>	<u>\$ 116,245</u>
<b>SURPLUS (DEFICIT)</b>	<u>\$ (1,637)</u>	<u>\$ 25,942</u>



**MONEY MATTERS**



**Brrrrr... it's cold outside**

Our church, like all of us, incurs significantly higher heating and fuel costs during the winter months.

During the October timeframe, our electricity costs (church) were close to \$750. During December these costs were in excess of \$1,800.

For the same period in October, our propane (gas) costs (rectory) were near \$300. For the month of December our propane costs approached \$700.

We cannot forget our plowing costs which are close to \$4,200 winter to date.

Your continued support for these critical and much needed resources is most appreciated.

For those of you that cannot make it to church on the cold and wintry weekends, donations to St. Anthony's can be made via our website at:

<https://stanthony-dudley.org/donate-online>

This method of making your regular and special one time contributions has become an increasingly popular method of giving.

**Thank you one and all for your continued support of St. Anthony's.**

# Around the Diocese

## ~ St. Louis Fish Dinner ~

Fridays during the Lenten Season:

**4:30-6:30pm** continuing thru **March 22nd**. Choice of Baked Fish & Baked Potato or Fried Fish & Chips with Coleslaw. Clam Chowder, Clam Fritters, and Mac & Cheese also available! **Cost is \$15 per dinner** (Eat-in or Take-out) A Raffle Table will once again be available! Thank you for your support!



## AMATA

*Beloved*

### RETREAT

FOR

**HIGHSCHOOL AGED YOUNG WOMEN**



**WITH THE CAPUCHIN SISTERS OF NAZARETH**

**April 12th-13th & 14th**  
**Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish Hall**  
**11 Day St. Webster, Ma**

**Talks \* Music \* Prayer \* Fun**

**Cost: \$30 includes Meals & Snacks**

Come for an exciting weekend of discovery. The Capuchin Sisters of Nazareth are travelling from Pennsylvania to be with us and give us a glimpse into their life. Deepen your relationship with Christ, build new friendships and grow in the knowledge of the call to be His beloved child.

TO REGISTER OR FOR MORE INFO:  
CONTACT MAUREEN BENOIT AT  
SHPDRE@GMAIL.COM OR 774-289-0249  
Registration deadline April 5th

*'Amen, I say to you, whatever you did for one of these least brothers of mine, you did for me.'*



Mark 25:40

## Spring Morning of Reflection for Women

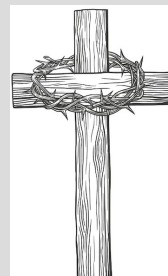
The Guild of Our Lady of Providence will hold its' spring Morning of Reflection on **Saturday, March 23 from 9 A.M. to Noon** at **Phelan Center at Blessed Sacrament Church, 551 Pleasant St., Worcester**. Sister Francis Murphy SNDdeN will present a talk on "Inspirational Women Transforming Others Through Their Love of God".

A donation of \$10 would be appreciated. To make reservations send your donation, your name, address, phone number, and email address to Patricia Matthews, 144 Moreland St. Worcester, MA 01609 or call Jo Luikey at 508-450-0478 **by Friday, March 15**.

Checks should be made payable to the Guild of Our Lady of Providence.

*"Jesus went away to a secluded place and prayed."*

If you are seeking greater simplicity of life and a closer following of the Lord in prayer and action, consider that He may be calling you to the priesthood or consecrated life. Talk to your priest or reach out to the **Vocation Office at (508) 630-4473** or via email: [dinfante@saintpaulknights.org](mailto:dinfante@saintpaulknights.org)





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