



# 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time January 18<sup>th</sup>, 2026

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St. Anthony's

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Sts. Peter & Paul

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## Mass Schedule

### **Sun. Jan. 18<sup>th</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:30a.m. Sts. P&P: People of the Parish

10:30a.m. St. A: Marie Heitkamp+

### **Mon. Jan. 19<sup>th</sup> No Daily Mass**

### **Tue. Jan. 20<sup>th</sup> St. Fabian**

8:30a.m. Sts. P&P: Deb Foertsch+

### **Wed. Jan. 21<sup>st</sup> St. Agnes**

8:30a.m. St. A: Adolph & Bridgette  
Haberman+

### **Thu. Jan. 22<sup>nd</sup> Weekday**

8:30a.m. St. P&P: Bryon Kuhn

### **Fri. Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup> St. Vincent**

8:30a.m. St. A: James & Madelyn  
Haberman

### **Sat. Jan. 24<sup>th</sup> St. Francis de Sales**

8:30am St. A: Harold Althoff+

5:00pm St. A: Cambell Poljewski+

### **Sun. Jan. 25<sup>th</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:30am Sts. P&P: Christian Mothers

10:30am St. A: People of the Parish

## **Confession Times**

Saturdays 3:45pm-4:45pm St. A

Sundays 7:45am-8:15am Sts. P&P

## Schedule of Ministries

### **Saturday, Jan. 24<sup>th</sup>**

Lector: Yvonne Ward

Servers: Hudson Reiland

Ushers: Don Althoff

### **Sunday, Jan 25<sup>th</sup>**

#### **8:30am at Sts. Peter & Paul**

Lector: Kenny Mauch

Servers: Volunteers

Ushers: Dan Lugert

Gifts: Dan Lugert

#### **10:30am at St. Anthony**

Lector: Alyson Krier

Servers: Evan O. & Niya G.

Ushers: Jaxon K. & Brandon G.

Gifts: Shane Krier Family

## Financial Updates

### St. Anthony

Plate: \$210.00  
Envelopes: \$475.00  
Other: \$233.00

### Sts. Peter & Paul

Plate: \$143.00  
Envelopes: \$1,020.00  
Other: \$0.00

### Scripture & Prayer

Read John chapter 1

Pray a Divine Mercy Chaplet

### Anniversaries & Birthdays

David & Deirdre Foertsch

Danette Onchuck, Chance Pausch, Jane Althoff

### Thank you for keeping God's Houses Clean for the Month:

**St. Anthony:** Dale & Mary Erbes, Shane & Alyson Krier Family, Jeff & Kristen Erbes Family, Chance & Jeri Pausch Family, Dean & Anita Onchuck, Marty & Tiffany Carlson

**Sts. Peter & Paul:** Barb Lingen, Jackie Lingen, Cindy Reiland, Donna Thiel

### People in Need of Prayers

Steve Mertzen, Travis, Steve Cerkas, August Dockter, Mary Ann Frankis, Kristen Czekala, Tyrell Fauske, Nettie Mauch, Kate Cook, David Severson, John Lingen Jr., Oliver Morff, Joe Lenz, Micah Pellman, Julie Wahler, Cindy Braun, Randy Lugert, Randy Kolstad, Randy Mauch, Pete Lingen, Dani Berry, Connie Brandt, Joe Breker, Kevin Frank, Norm Williams



## Reminders and Upcoming Events

### **St. Anthony and Sts. Peter & Paul**

- In certain matters of health, weather, or other extraordinary circumstances the obligation to attend Sunday Mass is or may be dispensed.
- Continue to pay attention to the parish website. A makeover will begin around January 26<sup>th</sup>.
- BIG THANK YOU to all our parishioners for supporting the Sisters at Carmel of Mary Monastery with your donations.
- **St. Anthony:** We will have parish potluck and state of the parish address next Sunday, January 18<sup>th</sup> following the 10:30a.m. Mass. All parishioners are encouraged to attend and bring a meal, side, or desert.
- **Sts. Peter & Paul:** We will take down Christmas decorations after Mass next Sunday morning. All parishioners are welcome to stay and help.
  - St. Mary Magdalen Court #117 or 1891 Financial Life is holding its annual “Soup”er Bowl Food Drive February 8<sup>th</sup>, 2026. Please drop off food items in the back of Sts. Peter and Paul’s Catholic Church. If giving a donation by check, please make it payable to St. Mary Magdalen Court117.  
Thanks!!!



## St. Paul's Corner

“Behold, the lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world.” St. John the Baptist is the last of the great prophets pointing all of humanity in the direction of Jesus Christ. He declares three things: (1) Jesus is the lamb of God (2) He takes away the sin of the world and (3) He exists before John.

Pay attention for the imagery of lambs in Sacred Scripture. Lambs were offered as sacrifice. Jesus is the Lamb who will be sacrificed in atonement for sin. What is sin?

Sin is a failure to love. It is humanities failure at loving God, neighbor, and self. Many Christians now days speak of God's mercy but do not acknowledge the reality of sin nor their own personal sinfulness. It is not a bit ironic to speak of God's mercy if we do not believe in the reality of sin?

John the Baptist was a man of humility not arrogance. He knew that Jesus, the Word of God, existed long before he was born into this world. We too would be wise in praying for humility, rooting out arrogance, and acknowledging with John the Baptist, Jesus ranks ahead of us because he has existed before us.

## Know your Faith

Archbishop Fulton Sheen once said, “There are not one hundred people in the United States who hate The Catholic Church, but there are millions who hate what they wrongly perceive the Catholic Church to be.”

**Father, are Catholics Christian?** Yes, Catholics are Christian. Many people falsely claim now days that Catholics are not Christian. We can in a sense do a “spiritual” genealogy of where we have come from and know who we are.

Early Jewish and Gentile converts were known as disciples or students of Jesus Christ. They were followers of “The way.” Hence, Jesus said, “I am the Way, the Truth, and the Life.

Later in the Sacred Scriptures the Acts of the Apostles chapter 11:26, “...And in Antioch the disciples were first time called Christians.” This would have been roughly in the 30s A.D. Christians were more formally called Catholic or *kataholos in Greek* by St. Ignatius of Antioch in his writings about 107-110 A.D. The word Catholic simply means “universal.” Jesus gives the great commission at the end of Matthew's Gospel: “Go therefore and make disciples of all nations...”