



# 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent February 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2026

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## Mass Schedule

### **Sun. Feb. 22<sup>nd</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent**

8:30a.m. Sts. P&P: People of the Parish  
10:30a.m. St. A: Marlene Brandenburger+

### **Mon. Feb. 23<sup>rd</sup> No daily Mass**

### **Tue. Feb 24<sup>th</sup> Lenten Weekday**

5:30p.m. Sts. P&P: Mark Underberg+

### **Wed. Feb. 25<sup>th</sup> Lenten Weekday**

8:30a.m. Sts. A: Int. of Katherine Vidger

### **Thu. Feb. 26<sup>th</sup> Lenten Weekday**

8:30a.m. St. P&P: Al Jirele+

### **Fri. Feb. 27<sup>th</sup> Lenten Weekday**

8:30a.m. St. A: Yvonne Ward

### **Sat. Feb. 28<sup>th</sup> Lenten Weekday**

8:30am St. A: Loretta Althoff+

5:00pm St. A: Dennis Poppen+

### **Sun. Mar. 1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent**

8:30am Sts. P&P: People of the Parish

10:30am St. A: Christian Mothers

7:00p.m. St.A/Sts. P&P Lent Penance Service at St. Anthonys

### Confession Times

Saturdays 3:45pm-

4:45pm St. A

Sundays 7:45am-8:15am

Sts. P&P

Anytime by request

### Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesdays 9am-1pm at

St. Anthony's

### Stations of the Cross

Tuesdays 5:00-5:30p.m.

at Sts. Peter & Paul

Fridays 5:00-5:30p.m. at

St. Anthony's

### Financial Updates

#### St. Anthony

Plate: \$205.00  
Envelopes: \$780.00  
Other: \$1,749.92

#### Sts. Peter & Paul

Plate: \$102.00  
Envelopes: \$190.00  
Other: \$0.00

### 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, Connie Brandt, Joe Breker, Kevin Frank, Norm Williams, Bob Poss

### Schedule of Ministries

#### **Saturday, Feb. 28<sup>th</sup>**

Lector: Neil Hipp  
Servers: Volunteers  
Ushers: Neil Hipp

#### **Sunday, Mar. 1<sup>st</sup>**

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

Lector: Cindy Reiland  
Servers: Volunteers  
Ushers: Nick Foertsch  
Gifts: Don & Donna Thiel

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

Lector: Danica O. & Hannah M.  
Servers: Levi A., Hallie M., Evan O.  
Ushers: Jaxon K. & Xavier M.  
Gifts:

### Anniversaries & Birthdays

Joe & Dawn Storbakken

Aarika Orth, Mason Mauch, Yvonne Ward, Bev Waxweiler, Linda Haberman, Joanne Althoff, Ava Krier, Megan Lingen

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

**St. Anthony:** Brett & Michell Johnson, Troy & Brenda Klosterman, \*Dave & Shirley Breuer, Derek & Ashton Mauch Family, Bryce & Aarika Orth Family, Yoney & Renata Fobb Family

**Sts. Peter & Paul:** Jeanne Lugert, Sue Mauch, Tammi Althoff, Vanessa Haberman

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

### **Upcoming events and reminders**

- **St. Anthony's/Sts. Peter & Paul:** Lenten Penance service Sunday, March 1<sup>st</sup> 3:00p.m. in Hankinson at the Franciscan Convent or 7:00p.m. at St. Anthony's in Mooreton--Four priests will be available to hear confessions.
- **Sts. Peter & Paul:** Lenten Secret Prayer Partners sign up is at SPP this Sunday 15th. If you would like to participate, please put your name and address on the purple slip, put it in the basket, draw another person's name out of the basket as you leave church and then pray for that person during Lent. As Easter nears, please send the person a note, card, phone call or notify the person that you were praying for him/her. It has come to the attention that some of the Advent Secret Prayer Partners did not follow through and notify their Prayer Partner....please do so!!
- **St. Anthony's/Sts. Peter & Paul Music Ministry Meeting:** A meeting will be held at St. Anthony's Social Hall on Sunday, March 22<sup>nd</sup> at 3:00p.m. Anyone who would like to assist as a cantor, playing piano/organ, pushing a button to start music, etc. is invited to attend.
- **St. Anthony:** Parish fish fry will be Friday, March 20<sup>th</sup> from 5:00p.m. to 8:00p.m. More details in future bulletins.
- **St. Anthony Lenten schedule change:** Daily Mass on Fridays will be at 5:30p.m. following Stations of the Cross at 5:00p.m. Please note Friday, March 8<sup>th</sup> and March 20<sup>th</sup> there will be no daily Mass/Stations due to prior commitments in the evening hours.
- In certain matters of health, weather, or other extraordinary circumstances the obligation to attend Sunday Mass is or may be dispensed.
  - **Please see the main page of the parish website** for cancellation of Sunday Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul, if necessary, due to Winter Weather. A decision will be made between 10:00p.m.-10:30p.m. the night before.

## **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, what is concupiscence? What is triple concupiscence?**

Concupiscence refers to the human appetites or desires which remain disordered due to the temporal consequences of original sin, which remain even after Baptism, and which produce an inclination to sin.

Triple concupiscence refers to Jesus’ three-fold battle in the desert. He faces three temptations that are common to each of us unto our own day: Lust of the flesh, Lust of the eyes, and Pride of life.

## **St. Paul’s Corner**

In the spiritual life we speak of the seven deadly sins: Pride, Envy, Gluttony, Wrath, Sloth, Lust, and Greed. In some way all seven deadly sins can be traced back to the Triple Concupiscence. Remember sin, is a failure to love God, neighbor and self in a rightly ordered manner.

We pray this weekend, ‘Be merciful O Lord for we have sinned.’ Now, change the ‘we’ to an I. Do I acknowledge my own Christian dignity as a beloved son or daughter of God the Father? Do I recognize my own personal need for God’s mercy and forgiveness in the Sacrament of Penance? Do I run into the arms of our Heavenly Father as a little child seeking his and forgiveness?

Do we seek God’s Mercy and forgiveness in the Sacrament of Reconciliation, or do we withhold our sins from God thinking we can’t be forgiven or out of fear of being punished? God loves to forgive. One of the greatest gifts we can give God is our sins. He wants us to receive healing and love. He wants us to be reconciled with Him and one another. He longs for each of us to be united with him. Let us turn our heart back to him, in the moments of temptation, trusting that God will strengthen and help us to persevere in difficult moments. Read Psalm 51 or Romans 6