



21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 23rd, 2026

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St. Anthony's

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Sts. Peter & Paul

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Mass Schedule

Sun. Aug. 23rd 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

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

7:00p.m. St. A: Al Jirele+

Mon. Aug. 24th No Daily Mass

Tue. Aug. 25th St. Joseph Calasanz

6:00p.m. Sts. P&P: Mike Kutter+

Wed. Aug. 26th weekday

8:30a.m. St. A: Fr. Jerry Finnestad+

Thu. Aug. 27th St. Monica

8:30a.m. Sts. P&P: Ronald Mertes+

Fri. Aug. 28th St. Augustine

8:30a.m. St. A: Ron Mauch+

Sat. Aug. 29th The Passion of John the Baptist

8:30a.m. St. A: Fr. Will Ovask+

5:00p.m. St. A: Margo Sauer+

Sun. Aug. 30th 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30a.m. Sts. P&P: Jim & Marilyn Lingen+

7:00p.m. St. A: People of the Parishes

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

Financial Updates

St. Anthony

Plate: \$138.00
Envelopes: \$375.00
Other: \$0.00

Sts. Peter & Paul

Plate: \$218.00
Envelopes: \$300.00
Other: \$10,000.00

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, Cindy Braun, Randy Lugert, Randy Kolstad, Pete Lingen, Joe Breker, Kevin Frank, Bob Poss, LaVonne Althoff, Eric Dimmer, Carson, James Uriell, Don Moffet, Dave & Kerri, Thomas Breuer, Jackie Migler, Wayne & Denise.

Schedule of Ministries

Saturday, Aug. 29th

5:00p.m. at St. Anthony

Lector: Yvonne Ward
Servers: Volunteers
Ushers: Jim Griffith

Sunday, Aug. 30th

8:30a.m. at St's. Peter & Paul

Lector: Jo Mertes
Servers: Volunteers
Ushers: Kevin Lingen
Gifts: Dan & Trudi Glynn
Family

7:00p.m. at St. Anthony

Lector: Alyson Krier
Servers: Volunteers
Ushers: Jaxon Krier
Gifts: Volunteers

Anniversaries & Birthdays

Steve & Lisa Mauch

Ronna Althoff, Theresa Link, Luke Mauch,
Cindy Reiland, Allen Mauch, Allen Lingen,
Amanda Lingen, Cindy Spellerberg

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

St. Anthony: *Gary & Audrey Andel, Curt & Sue Berg, Richard & Cindy Spellerberg, Todd & Caryn Klosterman, Don & Claire Althoff

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

St. Anthony and St's. Peter & Paul

Upcoming events and reminders

- **St. Anthony's & St's. Peter & Paul:** Thank you to everyone who helped in anyway with the 70th annual Carmelite Pilgrimage. It was a beautiful day to be outside for Mass with Bishop Folda followed by a good meal and fellowship with the Carmelite Sisters and other parishioners from across the Fargo Diocese.
- **St. Anthony's:** The regular scheduled 10:30a.m. Mass time will resume Sunday, September 13th.
- **Sts. Peter & Paul:** All are welcome to join for the parish picnic to follow hosted by Joel Lingen & Dan Lugert.
- **Bundle up your Baby Bump Event:** Information sheets for what can and cannot be donated are in the back of the Church. Please drop off items in the back church. Donations will be collected and dropped off in Wahpeton.
- **St. Anthony's & Sts. Peter & Paul:** Religious Education will begin Wednesday, September 9th 6:00p.m. to 8:00p.m.

Religious Education Pizza Fundraiser

Our Religious Education students are kicking off the year with a **Bernatello's Pizza Fundraiser!** Each Religious Education family is asked to sell **at least one pizza for \$12**. This fundraiser helps support our Religious Education program and allows us to **waive the \$25 registration fee per child**.



Order Forms Due: September 20



Pizza Pickup/Delivery: October 4, after the 10:30 AM Mass

Thank you for supporting our Religious Education program and helping our students grow in faith! We truly appreciate your generosity and support.

From a sermon by a Saint Augustine, Bishop

He who perseveres to the end will be saved

“Whenever we suffer some affliction, we should regard it both as punishment and as a correction. Our holy Scriptures themselves do not promise us peace, security and rest. On the contrary, the Gospel makes no secret of the troubles and temptations that await us, but it also says *he who perseveres to the end will be saved*. What good has there ever been in this life since the time when the first man received the just sentence of death and the curse from which Christ our Lord has delivered us?

So we must not grumble, my brothers, for as the Apostle says: *Some of them murmured and were destroyed by serpents*. Is there any affliction now endured by our fathers before us? What sufferings of ours even bear comparison with what we know of their sufferings? And yet you hear people complaining about this present age because things were so much better in former times. I wonder what would happen if they could be taken back to the days of their ancestors—would we not still hear them complaining? You may think past ages were good, but it is only because you are not living in them.

It amazes me that you who have now been freed from the curse, who have believed in the son of God, who have been instructed in the holy Scriptures—that you can think the days of Adam were good. And your ancestors bore the curse of Adam, of that Adam to whom the words were addressed: *With sweat on your brow you shall eat your bread; you shall till the earth from which you were taken, and it will yield you thorns and thistles*. This is what he deserved and what he had to suffer; this is the punishment meted out to him by the just judgement of God. How then can you think that past ages were better than your own? From the time of that first Adam to the time of his descendants today, man’s lot has been labor and sweat, thorns and thistles. Have we forgotten the flood and the calamitous times of famine and war whose history has been recorded precisely in order to keep us from complaining to God on account of our own times? Just think what those past ages were like! Is there one of us who does not shudder to hear or read of them? Far from justifying complaints about our own time, they teach us how much we have to be thankful for.”