

16th Sunday of Ordinary Time

July 19 - 20, 2025

# ST. JOAN OF ARC PARISH

Immaculate Conception in Danville

Sacred Heart in Anthony

St. Patrick in Harper

## Our Clergy

Fr. Bhaskar Mendan  
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## Adoration

Tuesday 5:00-6:00pm Danville  
Wednesday: 4:30-5:30pm Anthony  
Thursday: 7:00-8:00am Harper

## New to the Parish

*Welcome to St. Joan of Arc! If you are new to our Parish, we are glad you are here. Please contact the Parish office to fill out a parishioner registration form.*

## Mass Schedule

Spanish Mass: 4:00pm Harper  
Saturday Vigil: 6:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am & 11:00am  
Tuesday: 6:00pm Danville  
Wednesday: 8:00am Harper  
5:30pm Anthony  
Thursday: 8:00am Harper  
Friday: 10:00am see bulletin

## Reconciliation

**30 minutes before Mass**



**St. Patrick in Harper**



**Sacred Heart in Anthony**



**Immaculate Conception Church Danville**

**1023 W Main PO Box 218 – HARPER, KS – 67058 620-896-7886**

## Upcoming Mass Schedules & Events:

### **Saturday 4/19/2025**

4:00pm Spanish Mass Harper +Jon Drouhard

6:00 Anthony: +Tyge Walker

*Duran Family*

### **Sunday 7/20/2025**

8:00am Danville: +Ryan McCaslin

*Pam & Steve McCaslin*

11:00am Harper: People of the Parish

### **Monday 7/21/2025**

Private Mass: +Whitney Drouhard

*Janet Lowrey*

### **Tuesday 7/22/2025**

5:00pm Adoration Danville

6:00pm Mass Danville: +Bill Johnson

*Francis & Lori Drouhard*

### **Wednesday 7/23/2025**

8:00am Harper: +Jackie McPhail

*Ellen Olivier*

4:30pm Adoration Anthony

5:30pm Mass Anthony: +Sue Moyer

*Michael & Sheryl Francis*

### **Thursday 7/24/2025**

7:00am Adoration Harper

8:00am Mass Harper: +Pat Coady

*Larry & Maxine Olivier*

### **Friday 7/25/2025**

10:00am Mass Attica LTC: +Charlotte Meyers

*Marilyn & Cecilie Downing*

### **Saturday 7/26/2025**

8:45am Danville: Rosary

4:00pm Spanish Mass People of the Parish

6:00pm Harper: +Jo Ann Tihen Trupo

*Mary Johnson*

### **Sunday 7/27/2025**

8:00am Anthony: +Norma Wasinger

*Gary & Phyllis Misak*

11:00am Danville: +Carlos LaGrange

*Debbie LaGrange*

## Liturgical Ministries:

### **Saturday 7/26/2025:**

#### **6:00pm Harper:**

Greeters: Max Shippy & Mike Mackey

Rosary Leader: Yvonne Shippy

Lector: Kim Konkel

EMHC: Mary Ellen Konkel

Servers: Volunteers

### **Sunday 7/27/2025:**

#### **8:00am Anthony:**

Greeters: Nancy Carmichael & Sherry Warner

Rosary Leader: Volunteer

Lector: Virginia Downing

EMHC: Amanda Goebel

Servers: Lexi & Heath Goebel

#### **11:00am Danville:**

Greeters: Roger & Jill Drouhard

Rosary Leader: Francis Drouhard

Lectors: Sam & Susan Drouhard

EMHC: Lori Drouhard

Servers: Willa & Marshall Hall

Money Counters: Lori Drouhard & volunteer

### **Saturday 8/02/2025:**

#### **6:00pm Danville:**

Greeters: Francis & Lori Drouhard

Rosary Leader: Ellen Olivier

Lectors: Wayne & Diane Drouhard

EMHC: Francis Drouhard

Servers: Chloe Cannon & Quinten Ballard

Money Counters: Wayne & Diane Drouhard &  
Carolyn Moore

### **Sunday 8/03/2025:**

#### **8:00am Harper:**

Greeters: Brenda Easter & Karen Oller

Rosary Leader: Irene Martin

Lectors: Keith Depenbusch

EMHC: Pat Kerschen

Servers: Ayelet Reyes & Lilly Bello

#### **11:00am Anthony:**

Greeters: Michelle Bergman & Rosie Walker

Rosary Leader: Marilyn Downing

Lectors: Michelle Bergman

EMHC: Kathtyn Duran

Servers: Brielle Deaver & Emma Goebel

## Father Bhaskar Mendam

Fr. Bhaskar Mendam, belonging to the Congregation of the Missionaries of St. Francis de Sales, his first assignment in the United States was at St. Francis of Assisi as parochial vicar, beginning October 30, 2022.

Fr. Mendam was born at C. N. Kota, Andhra Pradesh, India on 5th of April, 1972 in a very devout Catholic family, as the fifth child of the eight siblings. Attending daily Mass and praying the family rosary was a common practice that he grew up with. As he was studying in a catholic school run by the Missionaries of St. Francis De Sales, the seed of his vocation to priesthood was planted in his heart. After completing his 10th grade he expressed his desire to become a priest to his parents and to his parish priest, who encouraged and supported him to discern his vocation to the priesthood.

He entered seminary in 1990 and made his first religious profession in 1994. After finishing his philosophical and theological studies he was ordained as deacon on the 7th of January 2001 and after serving as deacon for a year, was then ordained as priest on the 9th of February, 2002.

In the 20 years of his priesthood he has served as an associate pastor, pastor, finance officer at a major seminary, provincial Bursar, in charge of a printing press, and then he was sent to serve in the Archdiocese of Sydney, Australia from 2018 to 2022.

As a Priest, he enjoys meeting with parishioners, interacting with them and assisting them on their faith journey. He hopes and prays that he continues to live his vocation to the priesthood, always relying on the grace and strength that comes from God.

## St. Mary Magdalene “Apostle to the Apostles” Feast July 22nd

The feast of St. Mary Magdalene is considered one of the most mystical of feasts, and it is said that of all the songs of the saints, that of Mary Magdalene is the sweetest and strongest because her love was so great. That love was praised by Jesus Himself who said that because much was forgiven her, she loved much. Where she is buried, no one knows. Legend has her dying in Provence, France, in a cavern where she spent her last days, and her body resting in the chapel of St. Maximin in the Maritime Alps. Another has her buried in Ephesus where she went with St. John after the Resurrection. This latter view is more likely, and St. Willibald, the English pilgrim to the Holy Land in the eighth century, was shown her tomb there.

She was the first recorded witness to the resurrection of Jesus, His most ardent and loving follower. She had stood with Mary at the foot of the Cross on that brutal Good Friday afternoon and had been by the side of Mary during these difficult hours. On Easter morning, she went with the other women to the tomb and it was there, in the garden near the tomb, that Jesus appeared to her. It was she who brought the news of the Resurrection to the Apostles, and Peter and John raced to the tomb to see what had happened.

She was from Magadala, a small fishing town on the Sea of Galilee, between Capernaum and Tiberias. She was known to be a “great sinner,” a woman of the streets who heard Jesus speak of the mercy and forgiveness of God and changed her life completely. Her matter-of-fact witness to the Resurrection moved Peter and John to go and see for themselves: “I have seen the Lord and these things he said to me.” Jesus had chosen her to bring the news to them and she simply told them what had happened.

She has always been the example of great love and great forgiveness, one of those close to Jesus who grasped the truth of God’s love for human beings and spent her life bearing witness to that love.

—Excerpted from *The One Year Book of Saints* by Rev. Clifford Stevens

# WELCOME TO OUR PARISH

## PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Take time to be a Martha this week:

Make sure you prepare to welcome the Lord in the Sunday celebration of the Eucharist by dressing for the occasion, arriving early to mentally prepare yourself, and reflect on the readings beforehand.

Take time to be a Mary this week:

Quiet yourself in your room or pay a visit to church for some quiet and contemplative time. Try to make an hour of rest with your God.

**PSR Parents** ~ Please remember to turn in your Totus Tuus registration soon. If Anna Ruth has your email you should have received the forms needed. There are also forms in the entry of each church. If you did not receive or know of someone who needs them, please contact Anna Ruth. 620 770 9699.

**St. Joan of Arc Parishioners** ~ If you would like to help make our parish Totus Tuus a success, here are some things we still need help with:

**Classroom helper** - We also need 1 adult classroom helper for 1st-2 nd grade classroom on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Does not have to be the same person.

The Altar Society would like to thank everyone who had a hand in making our Parish Picnic and Father Bob Appreciation Day fun! From the set up crew, the decorators, the watermelon cutters, potluck bringers, kitchen help, attendees, game organizers, and clean-up crew. We have something special!! For God's Greater Glory!

La Sociedad del Altar desea agradecer a todos los que contribuyeron a que nuestro Picnic Parroquial y el Día de Apreciación del Padre Bob fueran divertidos. Desde el equipo de montaje, los decoradores, los que cortaron sandías, los que trajeron platos para compartir, la ayuda en la cocina, los asistentes, los organizadores de juegos y el equipo de limpieza. ¡Tenemos algo especial! ¡Para la Mayor Gloria de Dios!

Join Sacred Heart Altar Guild after 8am mass  
**July 27th** for coffee/refreshments  
hosted by Barbara Conrady & Pam Harbin  
Donations are appreciated, thank you.

Serving us for 7 years Father Bob has put many miles on his car.

If you would like to donate to Father's car fund, checks may be made out to St Joan of Arc Parish. Please put in a  
Please note "**car fund**" in the memo.  
Thank you for your generosity.

## STAY CONNECTED

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St.Joan of Arc Facebook -

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1726999754081799>

## PARISH GIVING

Estimate Weekly Expense: \$5,192.31

Last Week Collection: \$5,096.00

As of week 2 of Fiscal year 2025/2026

YTD: \$2,475.49

Thank you for your  
Stewardship of Treasure!

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday- Friday: 9:00 am to 12:00 pm

## BULLETIN INFO

The Weekly Bulletin of St. Joan of Arc is published in house. All bulletin announcements, prayers for Parishioners need to be to the Parish office by Wednesday.

## PRAYERS FOR PARISHIONERS

Please remember in your daily prayers: *Members of our Parish and Parish family*: Sarah Andrews, Sharon Barton, Corky Befort, Justin Befort, Nicholas Blanchat, Joe Blubaugh, Dan Bonham, Kris Brewster, Ursula Cage, Shaily Calderon, Valerie Campbell, Diane Cashier, Michelle Coleman, Tim Coley, Barbara Conrady, Bob Coslett, Tracy Cox, Rob & Pattie Drake, Leon Drouhard, Suzanne Drouhard, Brian Ede, Mary Ann Elmore, David Esparza, Tyce Fagan, Harriette Fox, Alan Francis, Erick Francis, Linda Francis, Abe Gerber, Cora Gerber, Jeannine Goertz, Natalie Graves, Nancy Greve, Charlie Hageman, Kitty Happ, Frank Hargett, Angela Hemberger, Becky Wedman Hernandez, Terry Heuback, Bill Hoffmann, Jim Hoffmann, Kasey Hunter, Gary Jacobs, June Kastens, Justin Kelci, Westin Koehler, David Konkel, Gary Konkel, Lori Konkel, Kathy Lamb, Sue Mangless, Judy Mans, Anita Marstall, Shirley Martin, Pam McCaslin, Paula McMullin, Jen Miller, Gary G. Misak, Larry & Susan Moritz, Bill Muckenthaler, Lorraine Muckenthaler, Jeff Newsum, Debra Olds, Dick Olivier, Larry Oller, Karma Redgate, Steve Roberts, Cory Rodney, Marian Rottinghaus, Lawrence Schauvliege, Gary Shinliver, Fred Smith, Isabel, Alaia & Lincoln Townsend, Yvonne West, C.J. Wilson