



# ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH

201 West Springfield Avenue - Sullivan, MO 63080 • (573)468-6101

December 8, 2024  
Second Sunday of Advent

### The Parish Staff

Father Noah Waldman, Pastor  
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Deacon Kevin Miller  
Mrs. Shelly Tolliver, Principal  
Mrs. Tammy Hutchison, School Secretary  
Mrs. Robin Kaufman, Finance and Rectory Secretary  
Mrs. Marcia McKay, Bulletin Editor and Rectory Secretary,  
PSR & RCIA. If you are a new family, please call the rectory  
office at 573-468-6101 for more information.

### Organization Presidents

Home & School	573-468-4423
Liturgy, Joan Koebbe, Contact	573-468-8671
St. Vincent de Paul Society	1-877-238-3228 #3365
Parish Center & Old School Hall Rental	573-468-6101
Knights of Columbus Hall	573-860-2458

### Counseling or Help with an unwanted Pregnancy

BirthRight	1-800-550-4900
LifeLine	573-885-3040
Pregnancy Assistance Center	636-239-1840

**CHILD ABUSE Hotline 1-800-392-3738**  
**Adult Abuse & Neglect 1-800-392-0210**

### Thank you all so very much!

Thank you to the following people who helped with the Advent decorations.:

Judy Koch, Judy Kestler, Mary Edwards, JoAnn Klinger  
Gene & Joan Koebbe.

### Holiday Early Bulletin Submission Dates

**December 22nd is due Wednesday, December 11th**

**December 29th is due Wednesday, December 18th**

**January 5th is due Monday, December 23rd**

**All bulletins are due to the publisher on the above dates by 9:00 AM. If you are wishing to place something in the bulletin please get it to the office PRIOR to the submission dates.**

### Mass Schedule

Saturday Evening	4:00 p.m.
Sunday Morning	11:00 a.m.-(Children's Liturgy)
Weekdays Thursday & Friday	8:00 a.m.

### Confessions

**Saturdays-3:00 PM – 3:45 PM**  
**Thursdays after Mass**

### Eucharistic Adoration

***Eucharistic Adoration is at 8:30 a.m. Thursday morning until 5:00 p.m. Thursday evening***

### **Sacramental Preparation for Marriage**

Please contact the rectory **at least 6 months prior** to your marriage. Attending "Preparing for Christian Marriage" lectures or an alternate approved program is required. No Weddings will be performed after 1:00p.m. on Saturdays.

### **Sacrament of Baptism**

Arrangements are to be made to attend Baptismal Classes for Parents prior to the baptism. Contact the rectory office to make arrangements, at 573-468-6101.



### **Adoration Sub Volunteers Needed!**

We desperately need someone to fill in on an as needed basis. If you think you would like to be a Sub for Adoration, call the rectory.



### **St. Vincent de Paul Society**

In today's Gospel, John the Baptist urges us to "Prepare the way of the Lord." This is what Advent is all about, for we are called to help prepare the way of the Lord by making the real meaning of Christmas come alive in our own hearts, in our family and to reach out to those in need.

Your gifts to the Society of St. Vincent DePaul helps those who are poor and suffering to find Emmanuel and they also can come to know that "God is with us."

## WELCOME

A warm welcome to all of you who have come to worship with us. If you are visiting, we are honored by your presence. If you are interested in becoming a member, please call the rectory at 573-468-6101.

Parish Website: [www.stanthonyssullivan.com](http://www.stanthonyssullivan.com)



*Sunday Connection*



## Seven Sisters Apostolate



Seeking a quietness in the day, in the midst of your usual routines, you steal away to pray for your beloved Pastor - unbeknownst by most - effecting eternal affairs.

May God richly reward you - now and later - for your fidelity and sacrifices.

Nothing in all creation is hidden from God's sight... Heb 4:13a

**A Seven Sisters Team is in formation for Fr. Noah Waldman, & you are invited to prayerfully discern if God is calling you to join this apostolate!**

**A Seven Sisters Team consists of 7 women, who will each pray a Holy Hour in front of the Blessed Sacrament or the Tabernacle on a distinct day of the week, thus covering a complete week of prayer for Fr. Waldman & for his prayer intentions.**

**Please visit the Seven Sisters website to read more of what this apostolate entails:**

**[www.sevensistersapostolate.org](http://www.sevensistersapostolate.org)**

**If you are a woman who God is calling to pray a Holy Hour each week for Fr. Waldman & for his prayer intentions, please visit:**

**[bit.ly/frwaldman7sisters](https://bit.ly/frwaldman7sisters)**

**or scan the QR code to the right to submit your interest & to commit to being one of the 7 women or to be a substitute.**



**Call/Text Denise Brickler with questions: 314-780-8898**



Seven Women



One Priest



One Hour, One Day



Holy Eucharist

**Mass Intentions**

- Monday,** December 9  
7:00 p.m. For the Sick of Our parish
- Tuesday,** December 10  
8:00 a. m. Communion Service  
Perpetual Help Devotions
- Wednesday,** December 11  
8:00 a. m. **NO MASS**
- Thursday,** December 12  
8:00 a.m. Mass of Thanksgiving
- Friday,** December 13  
8:00 a.m. Deceased Members of the  
Thomeczek Family
- Saturday,** December 14  
4:00 p.m. Calvin & Rita Horstmann
- Sunday,** December 15  
11:00 a. m. Dorothy Rivet

**Lector and Minister Schedule**

- Saturday,** December 14  
4:00 p.m. R Abel  
Ministers M Weiland, R Abel
- Sunday,** December 15  
11:00 a. m. A Branson  
Ministers W Tyree, G Rose

**Servers**

- Saturday,** December 14  
4:00 p. m. Andy Prater
- Sunday,** December 15  
11:00 a. m. Waylon & Shelby Stark

**Gift Bearers**

- Saturday,** December 14  
4:00 p.m. Ushers
- Sunday,** December 15  
11:00 a. m. Ushers

**Holy Mass Schedule**  
for special feasts until the end of the year

<b>Christmas</b>	<b>(Holy Day of Obligation)</b>	
Tues Dec 24	4 PM	St Anthony
Wed Dec 25	Midnight	Holy Martyrs of Japan
Wed Dec 25	8 AM	St Gerald
Wed Dec 25	11 AM	St Anthony
<b>New Year's</b>	<b>(Holy Day of Obligation)</b>	
Tues Dec 31	7 PM	St Gerald
Wed Jan 1	8 AM	Holy Martyrs of Japan
Wed Jan 1	7 PM	St. Anthony

Altar Flowers are \$55.00 and  
Altar Candles are \$10.00 in  
Memory or honor of a loved one.



Please call the rectory to schedule  
a date.

**SICK LIST May God grant them healing of soul and body**

If you have someone that you would like to add, please call the rectory. If they are well, please let us know.

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|------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Christina Lambing      | Angie Biehl       | Harvey Richards   |
| Cindy Dill Fox         | Mike Fone         | Ronnie Schliefer  |
| Charlene Woodcock      | Patti Day         | Kevin Ijames, Sr. |
| Tricia Harris          | David Jost        | Don Heidenfelder  |
| Scott Staufenbiel      | Dorothy Eftink    | David Columbo     |
| Kayden & Jayden Eftink | Ada Puhse         | Bella Matchell    |
| Warren Kaemmerlen      | Sr. JoAnn Kuchler | Joan Barber       |
| George & Barb Epple    | Joanie Klinger    | Aoife Smith       |
| Vic Heidbrink          | Myrna Parker      | Sonny Lonning     |
| Pamela Libby           | Scott Lambing     | Mark Woodring     |
| Noah Ayers             | Dan Carey         | John Cooper       |

If someone has recovered or passed away, please call and let us know. The bulletin for the weekend goes in for publication on Monday morning.

**Pray for our Service Personnel**

If you wish to add someone to the list please call the rectory.

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|-------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Alec McCormick/Air Force      | Chris Carter/Air Force  |
| Jonathan Cox/Army Reserves    | Cooper Sellars/Marines  |
| Jacob Cargill/Air Force       | Cory Garrus/Marines     |
| Mark Johnson/Marines          | Bradley Rigdon/ Marines |
| Ray Schoonveld/Marines        | Wyatt Seaton/Marines    |
| Mary Kate Wetzel/Marine       | Jordan Bodi, Army       |
| Kim Hurt/Air Force Reserves   |                         |
| Jaison Ronsick/National Guard | Timmy Kloos/ Air Force  |
| Ethan Kackley/Marines         | Oliva Price/Navy        |
| Luke D. Ryan/Marines          |                         |

If someone is no longer in the Military, please let us know. If you would like to add someone to list please call the rectory office. Thank you.

**Our Thanks Offering**

This is the offertory for Nov 30 & Dec 1, 2024

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| Adult Envelopes..... | \$ 4,687.00     |
| Envelopes: (98)      |                 |
| Electronic.....      | \$ 1,080.00     |
| Loose.....           | \$ 497.00       |
|                      | <b>6,264.00</b> |

**Total General Fund Offertory**

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|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| St. Vincent de Paul.....          | \$ 515.00       |
| Candles.....                      | \$ 6.00         |
| School Support.....               | \$ 198.00       |
| Assessment.....                   | \$ 150.00       |
| Thanksgiving.....                 | \$ 345.00       |
| Electric Special Collections..... | \$ 110.00       |
|                                   | <b>1,324.00</b> |