ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH 201 West Springfield Avenue - Sullivan, MO 63080 • (573)468-6101

July 14, 2024 Fifteenth Sunday in **Ordinary Time**

The Parish Staff

Father Noah Waldman, Pastor nwaldman@fastmail.fm

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 1-877-238-322 #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

Funeral Luncheon Volunteers



The volunteer list we made a few years ago needs updating. If you would like to help with funeral luncheons by working the luncheon, making a side dish or dessert please call the rectory office. We will need your name, phone number and what you would like to help with. Our current list is out dated.

Thank you!

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 6:00 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.



St. Vincent de Paul Society Would you be able to help?

St. Vincent de Paul is in need of 3 people to work the phone lines. Individuals would call in to the 877-238-322, ext. 3365 to leave a message,

then those that work the phone line would retrieve the message. We also need volunteers to meet with neighbors as needed to do the interviews.

If you would like more information, or would be willing to volunteer, please call the rectory office at 573-468-6101.



Gently Used Stuffed Animals Needed

We are looking for donations of "gently" used stuffed animals for the Festival Children's Games. There is a container in the vestibule of church where you can drop them off. You may also drop them at the school office or the rectory office.

Thank you!

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.stanthonysullivan.com



NO Pastor's Pen



This week's Gospel and the one for next week describe how Jesus sent the disciples to minister in his name and the disciples' return to Jesus afterward. These two passages, however, are not presented together in Mark's Gospel. Inserted between the two is the report of Herod's fears that Jesus is John the Baptist back from the dead. In Mark's Gospel, Jesus' ministry is presented in connection with the teaching of John the Baptist. Jesus' public ministry begins after John is arrested. John the Baptist prepared the way for Jesus, who preached the fulfillment of the Kingdom of God.

While we do not read these details about John the Baptist in our Gospel this week or next week, our Lectionary sequence stays consistent with Mark's theme. Recall that last week we heard how Jesus was rejected in his hometown of Nazareth. The insertion of the reminder about John the Baptist's ministry and his death at the hands of Herod in Mark's Gospel makes a similar point. Mark reminds his readers about this dangerous context for Jesus' ministry and that of his disciples. Preaching repentance and the Kingdom of God is dangerous business for Jesus and for his disciples. Mark wants his readers to remember that we, too, may find resistance as we choose to be disciples of Jesus.

Mark's Gospel tells us that Jesus sent out the Twelve. These twelve were selected from among Jesus' disciples and named by Mark in chapter 3. Mark notes that these twelve are also called "apostles." The word *apostle* means "one who is sent." The number twelve is also a symbolic number, representing the twelve tribes of Israel. By naming twelve apostles, Jesus shows his mission to be in continuity with the mission of God's people, Israel.

Jesus' instructions to the apostles are very specific. He repeats the mission that they are sent to preach and to share his authority to heal and to drive out demons. Jesus sends them in pairs, establishing his mission as a communal endeavor. Jesus also instructs them to travel lightly, without the customary food, money, and extra set of clothes. These instructions mean that the Twelve will be dependent on the hospitality of others, just as Jesus depended on others to provide for his needs.

Jesus continues to send us into the world as his disciples. But like the first disciples, we are not sent alone. Jesus has given us the community of the Church, which strengthens our life of discipleship. The Christian message can only authentically be proclaimed in and through the community of faith that is the Church. In our work with others, we build this community of faith and can invite others to share in it.

School Office Hours

Tammy will be in the school office on Wednesday's only from 7:00 AM-3:00 PM. You

may call and leave a message and she will return your call or stop by or call on Wednesday's. The office number is 573-468-4423.

If you know of anyone who is interested in learning about what our school has to offer, please let them know we are available to meet with them and show them our school.

Teachers Needed

School is need of a teacher for our Pre School Program, as well as a part time Math teacher for our 7th & 8th grade.

If you are interested in either position, or know of someone who might be, please contact our Principal, Shelly Tolliver at 573-468-4423 or email her at principal365@archstl.org.

Thank you!

Please feel free to share if you know of someone who may be interested!

Mass Intentions

Monday, July 15

8:00 a.m. **NO MASS**

Tuesday, July 16

8:00 a. m. Communion Service

Perpetual Help Devotions

Wednesday, July 17

8:00 a. m. **NO MASS**

Thursday, July 18

8:00 a.m. Jo

John Eftink

Friday, July 19

8:00 a.m.

Frank Chlipala

Saturday, July 20

4:00 p.m.

Calvin & Rita Horstmann

Sunday, July 21

11:00 a. m. Sr. Linda Cox

Lector and Minister Schedule

Saturday, July 20

4:00 p.m. J Klinger

Ministers K Braun, J Chlipala

Sunday, July 21

11:00 a. m. Marty de la Torre Ministers J Lock, J Childress

<u>Servers</u>

Saturday, July 20

4:00 p. m. Andy Prater

Sunday, July 21

11:00 a. m. Volunteers

Gift Bearers

Saturday, July 20

4:00 p.m.

Ushers

Sunday, July 21

11:00 a. m. Ushers

Early Bulletin Submission Dates

I will be on vacation beginning July 22nd, 2024, returning August 4th, 2024.

I will be submitting the bulletin for July 28th & August 4th no later than July 22nd, 2024.

If you are requesting anything for the bulletins for those dates please email me @

mmckay@stanthonysullivan.com

or call the rectory office at 468-6101

Thanks, Marcia Altar flowers are \$55.00 in memory or honor of a loved one.



Altar Candles are \$10.00.

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.

Angie Biehl Christina Lambing Harvey Richards Mike Fone Ronnie Schliefer Cindy Dill Fox Wanda Baxter Charlene Woodcock Patti Day Tricia Harris David Jost Donna Wolfe Dorothy Eftink David Columbo Scott Staufenbiel Kayden & Jayden Eftink Bella Matchell Warren Kaemmerlen Joan Barber George & Barb Epple Aoife Smith Sonny Lonning Vic Heidbrink

Pamela Libby
If someone has recovered or passed away, <u>please</u> 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.

Alec McCormick/Air Force

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

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 July 6 & 7th, 2024

Adult Envelopes.....\$ 4.410.00

Envelopes: (111)	.,
Electronic\$	
Loose\$	978.00
Total General Fund Offertory	5,388.00
St. Vincent de Paul\$	320.00
School Support\$	120.00
Can dles\$	1.00
Assessment\$	190.00
Electronic Special Collections\$	
	631.00