



ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH

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November 16, 2025
Thirty Third Sunday
Ordinary Time

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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 Rental	573-468-6101
Knights of Columbus Hall	573-860-2458
Grand Knight, Dean Grus	573-578-5756

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

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 & Friday after Mass at 8:30 AM
Confessions at Holy Martyrs at 6:00 PM on Thursday's

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.

Religious Article Room

Stop by and see all of our new merchandise!

You may also pick up your Advent calendars and Advent candles.

If you are also looking for a Religious gift we have many to choose with great prices!

Get Connected!

Welcome! If you are a St. Louis-area young adult in your 20s or 30s—you belong here!

New to St. Louis or returning? Interested in diving deeper into your faith or the St. Louis community?

Welcome home- we would love to have you - let's get you plugged in!

Website: <https://stlyoungadults.com>
Instagram: @stlyoungadults
Facebook: St. Louis Young Adults



St. Vincent de Paul Society

Corporal works of mercy:

These are immediate actions to help those in need:

- Feeding the hungry
- Giving drink to the thirsty
- Clothing the naked
- Sheltering the homeless
- Visiting the sick and imprisoned
- What better way than to donate to St. Vincent de Paul?

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



Sunday Connection



In the context of Luke, today's Gospel appears near the end of Jesus' teaching in Jerusalem, just prior to the events that will lead to his crucifixion. His warnings and predictions are ominous but can be read in many ways.

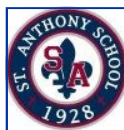
To those who first heard Luke's Gospel, those may have been words of encouragement. The destruction of the Temple in Jerusalem by the Romans was history (70 A.D.); Luke's Gospel, Catholic scholars propose, was written between 80 and 90 A.D. His audience was probably Gentile Christians. Luke here tries to interpret the fall of Jerusalem for them and to locate it in God's plans for humankind (salvation history). At the same time, Luke is suggesting to his audience that there will be a considerable elapse of time before Jesus' final coming. Luke's listeners have likely seen much upheaval and are anxious to know if these are the signs of Jesus' coming. Luke is urging greater patience.

In the second part of today's Gospel, Jesus warns that his followers will face persecution for their beliefs. Luke presents persecution as an opportunity for the followers of Jesus for "It will lead to your giving testimony" (Luke 21:13). In persecution God's wisdom and power will be shown in the example of followers of Jesus. Perseverance in the face of persecution will lead to their salvation.

Here Jesus is assuring his followers that God is present to all believers, even in times of trouble. Ultimately, Jesus will witness to this with his own death. As disciples of Jesus, we try to follow his example, trusting in God's mercy and protection, even when we are facing difficulties.

PLEASE NOTE:

Mass on Thanksgiving day, November 27th will be at 9:00 AM. Thank you.



School News

The school & parish collected food for the local Mission this past week. We are thankful to all of the school families and parishioners who donated food or cash donations. This will certainly help our community in need.

Reminder: There will be no school from November 26th through November 28th for Thanksgiving break. We hope you enjoy your time with your family.



***Save the Date:
Ladies Advent
by Candlelight***

Sunday, November 30th-begining at 5:00 PM
If you wish to be a hostess for a table, please call the rectory to get on the list. If possible, please give a head count for your table.

The hostess will be responsible for getting the ladies for their table and the paper goods and any decorations etc. for the table.

You will need to bring a dish to share for the meal. There will also be a guest speaker that evening.

Mass Intentions

Monday,	Nov 17	8:00 a.m.	NO MASS
Tuesday,	Nov 18		Communion Service Perpetual Help Devotions
Wednesday,	Nov 19	8:00 a. m.	NO MASS
Thursday,	Nov 20	8:00 a. m.	Priest Purgatorial Society
Friday,	Nov 21	8:00 a.m.	John Eftink
Saturday,	Nov 22	4:00 p. m.	Needs of Scott & Laura Staufenbiel
Sunday	Nov 23	11:00 a. m.	Our Parish Family

Lector and Minister Schedule

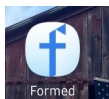
Saturday,	Nov 22	4:00 p. m.	J Marquart Ministers K Braun, J Chlipala
Sunday,	Nov 23	11:00 a. m.	Peregoy Ministers J Brendel, B Stegeman

Servers

Saturday,	Nov 22	4:00 p. m.	Ben Smith & Jocelyn Roberts
Sunday,	Nov 23	11:00 a. m.	Sean Stack & Briley Dunne

Gift Bearers

The Ushers



The Formed subscription is from Eternal Family Network in partnership with the Missionaries of Joy Initiative. Formed is a revolutionary tool to help your parishioners understand, live & share our Catholic Faith. This is a complimentary subscription for one year.

You are invited to visit the website & sign up at:
Formed.org/signup. Click on "Continue to Signup/Login." (skip this step if the page says "Join your Parish") Near the bottom, click "Sign up". Enter your zip code. Select your parish and then click Submit.

Faith & Fellowship

Faith & fellowship began again this Sunday.

We will meet in the school cafeteria. Faith and Fellowship will be held from 9:45-10:30 AM every Sunday.

All are welcome to join us when you can.

Altar Flowers & Altar Candles



Altar Flowers can be purchased in memory or honor of a loved for \$55.00.
Candles can be purchased for \$10.00.
Call the rectory to set up 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.

Christina Lambing	Harvey Richards	John Cooper
Chuck Caltry	Ronnie Schliefer	Jason Blankenship
Patti Day	Aiofe Smith	Jess Holland
David Jost	Don Heidenfelder	Richard Lambing
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	Joan Prater
Noah Ayers	Dan Carey	Evalyn Day
Doyle Stack	Kevin Bruecker	Angie Biel
Deanya Breeden	Dolores Farrell	Dave Moore
Judy Hartzell	Sophie Bartle	Kay Sanders
Ron Harman	Myrna Parker	Gary Wyatt
Jason Blankenship	Steve Lambing	Carleen Flanagin
Shelby Courtouise		

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.

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	
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 Nov 8th & 9th, 2025

Adult Envelopes	\$ 3,285.00
Envelopes: (98)	
Electronic.....	\$ 1,085.00
Loose.....	\$ 371.00
	4,741.00

General Fund Offertory

St. Vincent de Paul.....	\$ 690.00
School Support.....	\$ 1,070.00
Military Services.....	\$ 38.00
Priests Retirement Fund.....	\$ 70.00
All Saints.....	\$ 4.00
Assessment.....	\$ 90.00
Electronic Special Collections.....	\$ 50.00
	2,012.00