Please remember St. Anthony Catholic Church in your Will and Testament. Thank you, Father George

Good Samaritan Milk Donations

Please consider donating boxes of 10 packets of dry milk to Good Samaritan. Donations can be put in the baskets in the vestibule. Thank you for assisting those in need in Lincoln County.

Altar Flowers

Fresh altar flowers may be donated in memory of a loved one or to celebrate a special occasion.

Altar flower arrangements are \$40.

Please contact the Church Office.

St. Anthony Families Helping Families

Contact one of the volunteer coordinators: Lettie Buchanan or Cathy Berger

New Giving Platform at St. Anthony

As part of a new software change throughout the Diocese, St. Anthony Church now has a secure online Giving Page. You can donate by scanning the QR code or visiting our website (stanthonyfayetteville.org) and clicking on the Giving tab at the top of the page. Both will take you to our secure Giving Link through PushPay to make a one-time or recurring donation. With this change, St. Anthony now has 3 options for

- 1. Cash, Check and Envelope donations
- 2. QR Code via Mobile phone
- 3. Online via the St. Anthony website (stanthonyfayetteville.org)

If you have any questions, please contact the church office at 931-433-6525.



Our Parish Council Needs You

In case you don't know, I am Olin Yancey, the current President of your Parish Council. Nothing much, save the passing of another year, has changed in your Council since I spoke to you last year.

Our Parish Council needs you. Many of the same faces have been chairs of the same committees for several years.

Mostly because no one will step forward to take a turn. We must have new blood, younger folks to step up and help with the operation of the parish. If not voluntarily, it will eventually be necessary as attrition thins our ranks. Or the parish will wither away. You younger members with more vigor and a fresh outlook are the future of St Anthony.

You can start slow. Visit the church website, click on "More", then "Organizations" at the top of the page, contact one of the current committee chairs and volunteer your time. They all need help. Being involved in the operation of the parish makes you more connected to the community.

If you want a bigger challenge, volunteer to chair one of the standing committees. That should not mean you assume the entire workload. A good chair is a manager. He or she divides responsibility among the members and empowers them to do great things.

Council Chairs: if someone comes to you to volunteer, find something for them to do. Please do not push them away. Make extra effort to call on them with every opportunity to contribute. They may be busy that day or that week but call them next time and the time after, and be sure to invite them to every meeting of your committee

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2025 Bishop's Annual Appeal

2025 Goal \$19,000.00

2025 Total Raised as of 08/12/2025 \$5,365.00

Parish Pastoral Council— August 19

The Parish Council will meet Tuesday, August 19 at 6:30pm in the Memorial Hall.

Women's Altar & Rosary Society

Women's Altar & Rosary Society will meet **Wednesday**, **August 20, 2025 at 2:00pm** in the Memorial Hall Come pray with us.

Ladies Bunco Night—August 21

The Ladies Bunco Night is **Thursday**, **August 21 at 6:00pm** in the Memorial Hall. Bring a snack to share and your own drink. All women of the parish are welcome!

Pray n' Talk Bible Study for Women

We invite you to embark on Fr. Mike Schmitz's "The Bible in a Year" series with us! We meet every other Friday in Memorial Hall, right after morning Mass 9:30 AM -11:00 AM. We have started but it's not too late to join in! Our next meeting is August 22nd. Come for spiritual growth, prayer, and fellowship! For questions, contact Pattie Brown.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jud 2:11-19 (419), Psm 106:34-35,

36-37, 39-40, 43ab & 44, Mt 19:16-22

Tuesday: Jud 6:11-24a (420), Psm 85:9, 11-12,

13-14, Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday: Jud 9:6-15 (421), Psm 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7,

Mt 20:1-16

Thursday: Jud 11:29-39a (422), Psm 40:5, 7-8a,

8b-9, 10, Mt 22:1-14

Friday: Rth 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22 (423), Psm

146:5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10, Mt 22:

34-40

Saturday: Rth 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17 (424), Psm

128:1b-2, 3, 4, 5, Mt 23:1-12

Sunday: Isa 66:18-21 (123C), Psm 117:1,2, Heb

12:5-7, 11-13

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Do you know of persons interested in knowing more about the Catholic Church and what we believe and teach, or who may potentially be interested in the process of becoming a member of the Catholic Church? The RCIA is for those who are not Baptized, those Baptized in other Christian churches, as well as Catholics wishing to complete their initiation through Confirmation. or those Catholics just wishing to know more about their faith. It is not too soon to begin discussions with those who might potentially be interested, or would like additional information. Classes will begin in August. Have a talk with that friend who may have expressed an interest in the Catholic Faith. Remember, most RCIA participants come as a result of a direct invitation! Contact Richard Paladino, or the Church Office if you would like additional information concerning the

CCD Registration starts Sunday, August 10th and ends

Sunday, August 31st. All students attending CCD classes

must be registered each year. Registration forms are

available in the vestibule, at the office, on our parish

website.

CCD classes will start on Sunday, September 7th from

10:00-11:00am. Classes are available for students in

Kindergarten through High School.

Anyone interested in helping?

RCIA process at this time.

If you would like to co-teachers or substitute teach,

please contact Patty Wright.

Happy Birthday, God Bless You

August 17 Heath Jacks

August 18 Natalie Slater

August 19 Laura Stout

August 20 Samuel Ruiz-Sanchez, Sofia Solis

August 21 Grad Wright, Jasmin Ruiz

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AUGUST 17 TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Office Hours: Monday—Thursday, 9:00am—12:00pm

Mass Schedule

Tuesday—Friday: 9:00am Saturday: 5:30pm (Rosary at 5:00pm) Saturday: 7:00pm Spanish Sunday: 8:30am (Rosary at 8:00am)

Sacraments

Reconciliation: Saturday 5:00pm or By Appointment Marriage: Contact the Office 6 Months in Advance

Baptism: By Appointment

First Friday Adoration and Benediction 7:00pm

First Saturday Mass and Devotion

9:30am, Brunch to follow

Religious Education Classes:

Sunday: 10:00am—11:00am

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME **AUGUST 17, 2025**

Ministry Schedule

Saturday, August 16

Lector: Rose Loiacono

Eucharistic Minister: Larry Schaefer, Debra Schaefer,

Mike Loiacono Servers: Volunteer **Gifts:** Volunteer Family

Ushers: Julie West-Troy, Jim Anderson

Saturday Mass August 16 Spanish Mass

Sunday, August 17

Lector: Jordan Greene, Mary Krack

Eucharistic Minister: Sherrie Gill, Callie Caudle, Carrie

Servers: Jovany Ruiz, Christian Perez

Gifts: McCue Family Ushers: Jim Weir, Tony Gill

Altar Linens August Reva Heide

Saturday, August 23

Lector: Tommy Anderson

Eucharistic Minister: Julie West-Troy, Theresa Testin,

Donnie Keib Servers: Volunteer **Gifts:** Volunteer Family

Ushers: Dave Testin, Barry Yuhas

Saturday Mass August 23 Spanish Mass

Sunday, August 24

Lector: Rose Loiacono, Mike Loiacono Eucharistic Minister: Eli Wright, Jake Peavey,

Jimmie Caudle **Servers:** Luke Peavey **Gifts:** Crow Family

Ushers: Grad Wright, Bill Dunning







We cordially welcome all our visitors. Please join us in the hall after Sunday Mass for coffee and fellowship.



Prayer Intention Please pray for Wayne & Joyce Dunn and all the sick of our parish.

Mass Intentions



Saturday, August 16 Mass 5:30pm HM Sylvia Pace

† James & Betty Lambert

Saturday, Spanish Mass 7:00pm SI Mass for the People

Sunday, August 17 HB Heath Jacks

Tuesday, August 19 † Darlene Henley by Lewis & Sherry Winn

Wednesday, August 20 † Ronnie Leroy Daily by Lewis & Sherry Winn

Thursday, August 21 † The Holy Souls in Purgatory Friday, August 22 † Andrea Miller by Chris & Eva Smith † Juvencia Alvlrez by Chris & Eva Smith

> HB: Happy Birthday HM: Healing Mass

HA: Happy Anniversary

†: Repose

SI: Special Intention