



Saint Anthony's



34th Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 23rd, 2025

MESSAGE

CHRIST THE KING

Our God never ceases to amaze us with His upside down logic!
While Pilate presents Jesus before the people - after his garments had been ripped from him, after he had been flagellated and crowned with thorns - he says to the crowd: *Ecce homo - Behold the man - Behold your king!*

What Pilate presents before the people is a mockery of a king - the soldiers had even thrown an old purple robe over his mangled shoulders - rather than what we would consider a real king in all his royal finery!

And shouldn't this make us question ourselves about what impresses us most from others - especially our leaders? Is it because they 'look important'? 'Sound intelligent'?

Or 'play the part' well?

The Lord chose David because of his heart. He had the heart of a loyal servant who put others before themselves.

Pray that our leaders may always have the heart of a servant and seek what is truly best for all.

May God bless you all!

Fr Rob.

Mass Schedule

Weekdays: Daily 9am

Saturday: 5:30 pm

Sunday: 10am

In Elk: Saturday at 4pm

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EVENTS

7@7 Prayer Group
with Fr Rob - Mondays at 7pm
on Zoom7

Bible Study - Tuesdays at 10am

Men's Lunch at Patterson's
Thursdays at Noon

Rosary in Church -
Weekdays at 8:30am

Knights of Columbus Meeting -
1st Wednesday of the Month
At 6:30 pm

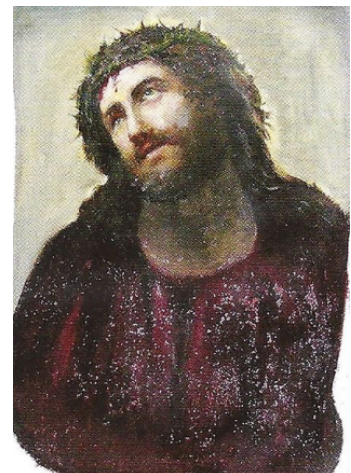
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2nd Sunday of the Month
8am - Noon

Games and Ping Pong Night
Thursdays at 6:30pm

Silent Meditation Group -
Wednesdays at 4pm

Holiday Events at St Anthony's

- **Advent Service - Wednesday December 10th at 6:30pm** - We have a wonderful musical lineup for this year's Advent Service! Several local churches go together to put on Advent Services on successive Wednesdays during the Advent.
- **Christmas Dinner - Saturday December 13th at 6:30pm** - Our wonderful annual Christmas dinner put on by the Knights of Columbus will take place again this year! Tickets will be available after this weekend's Masses for \$30 each.
- **Children's Christmas Pageant - after weekend Masses on December 19th and 20th** - once again the children of our Parish will put on their annual Christmas play. Always a great event!



"He is the head of the body, the church" From today's reading

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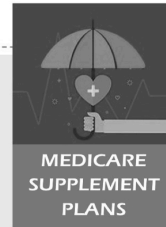


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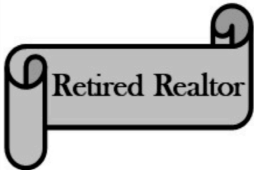
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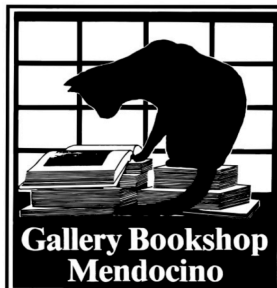
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