

# Saint Anthony's



Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time

February 11th 2024

#### **MESSAGE**

We live in an interesting society where 'branding' is a phenomenon and where the 'brand' is essentially the individual's personality presented and developed in a certain way! 'Influencers' on social media can actually earn a healthy income simply by publicizing the clothes, shoes, cologne or cosmetics they wear! How far away from all that is Jesus in today's Gospel! Instead of publicizing His miracles, He orders those who were healed not to tell anyone about what just happened!

There were certainly pragmatic reasons why Jesus did not want his miracles to be known - at one point they wanted to drag him off and make Him a king!

But I think there's another underlying reason here: Jesus valued relationships more than 'things'. It wasn't the 'thing' of the miracle that could be held up as a sort of trophy - but the relationships He developed with the individuals and people He encountered.

Let us always value relationships more than things and especially the most important relationship we have: the one we have with our loving God! 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 Zoom

Bible Study - Tuesdays at 10am

Mens Lunch at Patterson's -Thursdays at Noon

Rosary in Church - Weekdays at 8:30am

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

K of C Pancake Breakfast -2nd Sunday of the Month 8am - Noon

Movie Sunday - 3rd Sunday of the month 11:30am

Games & Ping Pong Night -Thursdays at 7pm Second Collection, Wednesday 2/14

#### IMPORTANT EVENTS AT ST ANTHONY'S

- Ash Wednesday February 14th is Ash Wednesday. We will have Mass at 9am and 5:30pm. Second Collection on this day will be for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe.
- **Friday Stations of the Cross -** Starting Friday, February 16th we will have Stations at 5:30 followed by Soup and Salad in the Rectory. Confessions will be heard from 4:30pm to 5:15pm.
- Birthday Celebration At 6:30pm on Saturday February 17th we will have a major birthday celebration here. Jayne Bush (17th) and Alisia Ward (18th) Sally Wetterman (18th) and Fr Rob (18th) will all be celebrating their birthdays together. This is Fr Rob's 60th birthday. Many members of the community will be coming to help celebrate this occasion.



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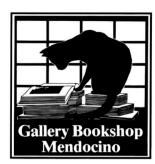
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