



Saint Anthony's



4th Sunday of Easter - Good Shepherd

April 21st 2024

MESSAGE

Good Shepherd Sunday

I always remember the story that my friend Nathan Wagner tells about when he lived in Azerbaijan an Asian country where there are a lot of sheep.

The farmers were bringing their sheep to market one day so there were what seemed like thousands of sheep before his eyes. He got to talking with one of the shepherds and ended up asking him out of curiosity about how many sheep he had. The shepherd replied in a noncommittal way that he didn't know as if it didn't really matter to him.

Then when the sheep were supposed to run through their chutes he started calling each one by their name! To the shepherd it didn't matter what was the number of sheep he had because he knew each of them particularly and individually.

I believe it's the same way with God: he doesn't look out on the globe and see a 'mass of humanity', he sees each individual person and calls them by their name. He calls each of us into existence and into the existence of his love.

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

Silent Meditation Group - Wednesdays at 4pm

Second collection next week
Catholic Home Missions

Why our parishioners love St. Anthony's . . .

"Just as a clock needs to be wound once a week to keep good time, our time spent at Mass on Sundays rewinds us spiritually. Father Rob's sermons, inspire us to focus and rely on the Trinity of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit residing inside of us as we journey through the week.

St. Anthony's Catholic Church, led by Father Rob, offers all of its parishioners a real sense of community, fellowship and (most importantly) a strong and intimate connection with our Lord."

- Parishioners Larry and Sue Willard



" And there will be one flock and one shepherd " -From today's Gospel

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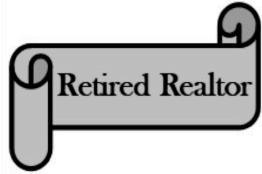
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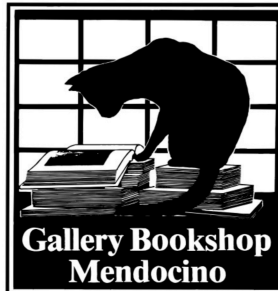


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