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**WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE**  
**No Mass Until Further Notice**  
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# 4th SUNDAY OF EASTER May 3, 2020

## MASS TIME

Weekend Schedule (See Header)

### WEEKLY SCHEDULE

May 3 - 10

Live streaming of daily Mass

**Monday 11:00am**  
**Tuesday 11:00am**  
**Wednesday 11:00a,**  
**Thursday 11:00am**  
**Friday 11:00am**  
**Saturday 11:00am**  
**Sunday 11:00am**



Sunday Mass and Daily Mass will be recorded or live streamed to our St. Anthony Facebook page...facebook.com/pg/stanthonynewtown

And can be viewed on our webpage: saintanthonypadua.com

**STAY IN TOUCH:** Please watch our Website: www.saintanthonypadua.com or our Facebook Page Facebook.com/ for updates on any cancellations or postponements as this will change on a day to day basis as we receive directives from the Diocese of Bismarck. The health and safety of our parishioners and employees is our top priority as we try to be available for the spiritual needs of our community.

**BULLETIN:** We will post an updated bulletin every week on the St. Anthony website and Facebook page.

**LIVESTREAMING:** We will be livestreaming our Sunday Mass and daily Mass at 11:00am. We are offering 2 different options to watch our 11:00am Mass. Facebook Live, or direct link from our webpage. You can go to our website at: www.saintanthonypadua.com and/or facebook.com/pg/stanthonynewtown



### PRAY TO SAINT ROCH

Blessed St Roch, Patron of the sick, have pity on those who lie upon a bed of suffering. Your power was so great when you were in this world, that by the sign of the Cross, many were healed of their diseases. sww.daily-prayers.org/novenas

**Bishop Kagan implores us to,**  
**above all else, pray.**  
**“O, Mother of Perpetual Help,**  
**pray for us who have recourse to Thee!”**

### PUBLIC MASSES TO RESUME MAY 6

To this end and first, the dispensation from the obligation to attend and participate at Mass on Sundays and Holy Days remains in effect until further notice for all who may be hesitant or afraid at this time to be in larger gatherings. Parishes will continue to provide the opportunity to view Mass online. If you or anyone in your household is sick in any way or is in one of the more vulnerable groups of persons at a higher risk of contracting the COVID-19, please stay at home until such time as you or that person is able to return to Church for Mass. “social distancing” must be strictly kept by all priests, deacons and lay faithful at all times in all liturgical and sacramental settings. Therefore, I make the following modifications to some of the directives of March 19, 2020. Bishop Kagan. See Diocesan website for more detailed information, <https://bismarckdiocese.com/>.

### THE SPIRITUAL WORKS OF MERCY

**Instruct the ignorant** – The very presence of Christians at the Rockford mill instructs the ignorant to the dignity of every human life.

**Counsel the doubtful** – The humble prayers of pro-lifers bring grace to the doubting hearts and minds of mothers in need.

**Admonish sinners** – The holding of pro-life signs in public is a call to truth, conversion, and repentance. These signs have changed lives.

**Bear wrongs patiently** – The humility of Christians bearing the evil attacks of the Rockford mill show the true face of the forgiving Lord.

**Forgive offences willingly** – Pro-life counselors at Rockford’s mill have offered real healing to many broken women when they leave the mill.

**Comfort the afflicted** – The presence of death and hatred hangs over Rockford’s abortion mill like a shroud. Pro-lifers bring the comforting love of Christ.

**Pray for the living and the dead** – When Christians pray at Rockford’s abortion mill, the result can be that a child scheduled for death is given a chance at life.



### CONSECRATION OF PARISHES

Fr. Roger will consecrate St. Anthony of Mandaree and St. Anthony of New Town on Sunday, May 3rd to the Blessed Virgin Mary, asking the intercession and protection of our Blessed Mother at this and at all times on our Parish and our homes.



### CATHOLIC CONGRESS “2020”

Catholic Congress to be hosted this year by Church of Sacred Heart in White Shield on June 6th and 7th as been cancelled.

**PRAY:** Pray the rosary daily for an end to the spreading of the Coronavirus, healing for those who have the virus and for everyone effected by the virus.

**FREE SUBSCRIPTION:** Magnificat is a spiritual guide to help you develop your prayer life, grow in spiritual life, find a way to a more profound love for Christ, and participate in the Holy Mass with greater fervor. The MAGNIFICAT will be temporarily available to everyone for free along with the MagnifiKid for children between the ages of 6 and 12. Go to [www.magnificat.com/free](http://www.magnificat.com/free) to view your free subscription.

# PRAY FOR PROTECTION AGAINST THE CORONAVIRUS

**SEMINARIANS:** Let us pray for the seminarians of the Diocese of Bismarck during this time of transition: Rev. Mr. Mark Aune, Rev. Mr. Christian Smith (will be ordained to priesthood in June 11, 2020), Greg Hilzendegeer, Ben Franchuk, Jacob Degele, Nick Vetter, Paul Gardner, Logan Obrigewitch, Grant Dvorak, Jake Magnuson, Ben Wanner, Josh Hill, Dustin Johns, Steven Vetter, John Windsor, Ryan Martire, Konnor Peterson, Isaiah Fischer, Eric Artz, Colton Steiner, and Isaiah Jilek.

**VOCATION VIEWS:** Whose voice will you follow – the Good Shepherd’s or a stranger’s? Pray for all vocations in life that they may hear the word of the Lord. Pray for a listening heart. (John 10:1-10)

**YOU CAN HELP US DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC:** During this challenging time, we depend on online donations to continue our ministry. Use OnlineGiving from your computer, smartphone or tablet to set up a recurring donation or make a one-time gift. Go to: [www.saintanthonypadua.com](http://www.saintanthonypadua.com) and click on the "Online Giving Button" on the home page of the Parish Website. With Online Giving, you have options to give to different funds (Local Food Pantry, Building Fund, Weekly Collections.. You can set up one-time payments or recurring payments. This can be done with a credit or debit card or an automatic withdrawal from your bank account.



**TAKE SOME TIME:** To watch Bishop Kagan’s most recent Faith Matters video where he speaks beautifully about entering into deeper union with God and one another during this great season amid challenging times of isolation and crisis. It’s on the Diocese of Bismarck website under Bishop Kagan tab. [www.bismarckdiocese.com](http://www.bismarckdiocese.com).

**OPERATION RICE BOWL:** We prayed, fasted and gave alms - and now we celebrate the Risen Lord! Our Lenten journey with CRS Rice Bowl challenges us as we begin the Easter season to share what we have with our global family. You may continue to give by going to: [www.saintanthonypadua.com](http://www.saintanthonypadua.com) and click on the "Online Giving Button" on the home page of the Parish Website. You can drop off your Rice Bowls after we resume Mass in the collection basket.

**SPIRITUAL RESOURCES:** Looking for new online resources to support your spiritual life? Check out the newly updated “Spiritual Resources” page on the parish website for some options. Featured sites provide podcasts, prayers, devotionals, blogs, scripture studies, videos, Catholic news and more. There is something for everyone! <https://www.stjamesbasilica.org/spiritual-resources>

**EASTER SEASON:** The Easter Season Will Continue for 40 Days! “Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, ‘Peace be with you.’” John 20:19 Easter week, or Easter time, concluded on the 2nd Sunday of Easter, known since April 2000, as Divine Mercy Sunday. But the Easter season continues for another 40 days, through the Ascension to Pentecost Sunday, which celebrates the descent of the Holy Spirit which inaugurated the Christian church. Just as we are invited to do something special during Advent and Lent, you are invited to do something special this Easter season. While you are “sheltering in place” and binge watching your favorite movie or show, take just 30 minutes a week and watch one lesson in Bishop Robert Barron’s program, The Mass. In six lessons, you will discover the answer to the question, Why do I go to Mass? Through these engaging videos from Bishop Barron, you will come away with a deeper understanding of what the Mass is and why it matters; why it’s the most important thing you can do on Earth.  
[www.learnreligions.com/days-of-easter-season-](http://www.learnreligions.com/days-of-easter-season-)

**WEDDINGS:** Call the Pastor nine months prior to the wedding date to make arrangements.

**BAPTISMS:** Call the parish office for more information and set up a date.

**MARRIAGE MOMENTS:** Your marriage vow is a commitment to unconditional love. It’s not dependent upon your spouse’s perfection or likeability. With the exception of abuse, hang in there. With care, the feelings of love cycle in and out. Sometimes we just really get tired of, or annoyed with each other. Love anyway.:

**PARENTING POINTERS:** Remember, your children are not a reflection of you. They are souls placed on this earth by God with their own unique purpose. Our job, as parent and guide, is to help them identify this purpose .

**STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT:** It is important to measure our generosity not by what we give, but by what we have left. The Tax Reform Act makes a Will vital and essential for every American. To preserve your hard-earned estate for those you love and have supported in life, distribute that estate legally by a Will.

**STEWARDSHIP SUMMARY:** “The one who has faith in me will do the works I do, and far greater than these,” Jesus tells his disciples. That’s quite an assignment for us as Christian stewards!

**RACHEL’S VINEYARD:** Rachel’s Vineyard is a very confidential retreat for anyone struggling with the emotional or spiritual pain of an abortion. This is open to all individuals regardless of faith denominations. Register below or contact Carol at 605-374-5639 or [ckling@sdplains.com](mailto:ckling@sdplains.com) for more information and dates of retreats.

## PRAY THE MEMORARE

**Bishop Kagan asks of us to pray the Memorare at this time of the coronavirus.**

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thine intercession was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my mother; to thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me.