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**WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE**  
**St. Anthony~NT Saturday 7:30 PM**  
**St. Anthony~NT Sunday 8:30 AM**  
**St. Anthony~M Sunday 11:00 AM**  
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# 26TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

## MASS TIME

Weekend Schedule (See Header)

### WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sept 28 - Oct 4

Live streaming of daily and weekend Mass

**No Daily Mass Monday**

St. Anthony NT Tue 11:00AM

**Adoration to follow**

St. Anthony NT Wed 11:00AM

St. Anthony NT Thu 11:00AM

St. Anthony NT Fri 11:00AM

St. Anthony NT Sat 7:30PM

St. Anthony NT Sun 8:30AM

St. Anthony M Sun 11:00AM

**Sunday Masses and Daily Mass**

**will be live streamed and posted to St. Anthony's Facebook page at the following site....**

[www.facebook.com/stanthonynewtown](http://www.facebook.com/stanthonynewtown)

**Recorded Mass will be posted on our webpage [saintanthonypadua.com](http://saintanthonypadua.com)**



# TODAY IS THE DAY!

## ST. ANTHONY NT FALL DINNER

**SEPT 27 4:00PM~7:00PM**

**Turkey Dinner all the trimmings, \$12.00 per plate**

**Curbside Only**

Fall Dinner proceeds will go towards the completion of the carpet fund and what is not used for the carpet will go towards a new project, overhead lighting in the church. We have raised to date \$18,696.81.



## PRIESTHOOD SUNDAY

September 27 is Priesthood Sunday, a special day set aside to honor the holy priesthood. On this day we are asked to reflect upon and affirm the essential role of the priesthood in the life of the Church. Without priests, the Mass could not be offered and Sacraments could not be celebrated. Today, or within the next week, please make time to thank Father Synek, and the other priests in your life for saying yes to Christ, and yes to our One, Holy, Catholic and Apostolic Church.

[serraus.org/priesthood-sunday](http://serraus.org/priesthood-sunday)

## 63rd GOD SHARE APPEAL

**ST. ANTHONY NEW TOWN:** Our parish goal is **\$17,571.00** (without the 33% reduction) and 100% participation.

To date we have pledges totaling **\$11,445.00** which represents **65%** of our parish goal. We have received **15 out 72** gift envelopes which represents **0.20%** of our families participating.

**ST. ANTHONY MANDAREE:** Our parish goal is **\$11,896.00** (without the 33% reduction) and 100% participation.

To date we have pledges totaling **\$400.00** which represents **.03%** of our parish goal. We have received **4 out 24** gift envelopes which represents **0.16%** of our families participating.

Each and every gift is important. If you have not made your gift yet, we ask that you make your commitment today in order to provide the resources needed to continue the vital diocesan programs and ministries that benefit every parish and every parishioner. No gift is too small and every gift is sincerely appreciated.

## YOUR FAITH, YOUR VOTE

A resource from the North Dakota Catholic Conference The [North Dakota Catholic Conference](http://www.northdakotacatholic.org) acts on behalf of the Roman Catholic bishops of North Dakota to respond to public policy issues of concern to the Catholic Church and to educate Catholics and the general public about Catholic social doctrine. You can find multiple resources such as parish guidelines, letter from Bishop Kagan, questions for candidates etc. See attachments for letter from Bishop Kagan.

<http://www.yourfaithyourvote.org/>

## PRAY THE MEMORARE

Bishop Kagan has asked us to pray the Memorare during this time of pandemic asking for our Blessed Mother to intercede for us.

### MEMORARE

Remember O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy 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. Amen.

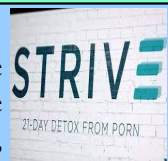


## RIGHT TO LIFE SPEECH CONTEST

Attention Students in 7th—12th Grade—McKenzie County Right to Life invites you to enter its inaugural speech contest to be held on May 2 in Watford City. First Place wins \$1,500, Second Place wins \$750, and Third Place wins \$500. Trophies or medals for places 1-8. Contestants must write a 5-8 minute original persuasive pro-life speech. Complete details and registration can be found at [McKenzieCoRTL.org/speechcontest](http://McKenzieCoRTL.org/speechcontest).

## STRIVE

The program provides an effective seven-step recovery plan to overcome addiction to pornography: 1. Honesty, self-knowledge and commitment 2. Purifying your life. 3. Support and accountability 4. Counseling 5. Spiritual Plan 6. Education 7. Virtue



**HANNAH'S HOPE SUPPORT GROUP:** Are you and your spouse, or someone you know, struggling with infertility? The Diocese of Bismarck Office of Respect Life facilitates a support group for couples suffering with infertility. The group is made up of other couples also walking the infertility path and is based on the teachings of the Church regarding infertility. The focus is on spiritual healing and moral support. Daily prayers are offered for all members by an appointed chaplain. For more information or to sign up, go to [bismarckdiocese.com/hope](http://bismarckdiocese.com/hope) or call Amanda at 701-204-7205.

**REAL PRESENCE RADIO FUND DRIVE:** The Real Presence Radio network serves almost 1,000 parishes throughout ten dioceses. Tune in to Real Presence Radio October 6-9 from 7:00 AM to 7:00 PM to hear more about these incredible parishes, inspirational stories of faith and hope, and your chance to win one of the daily drawings including books, gift cards, RPR gear, and a few surprises.

**MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER:** A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is a private weekend away from the distractions of daily life for couples in good marriages. Give your marriage this gift. The next available weekends are Sept. 25~27 in Windom, MN and Nov. 13-15 in Medora, ND. Early registration is highly recommended. For more information, visit [ndwwme.org](http://ndwwme.org) or contact Rob and Angie at [applications@ndwwme.org](mailto:applications@ndwwme.org) or 701-347-1998.

**RIGHT TO LIFE:** Join Bismarck/Mandan Right to Life for their annual nation wide Life Chain on Sunday, October 4th at 1:30 pm at the State Capitol at 6th St. and Boulevard Ave. Signs will be provided, or you may bring your own. They will observe one hour of peaceful, prayerful presence. Children are welcome. For further info, call Virginia at 258-5379.

**STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT:** If we accept the challenge of putting God first in our time and treasure, our attitudes, priorities, and spiritual lives will definitely change. Does your husband have a Will? If not, you as wife and mother may be risking a great loss of financial security. Get his Will prepared today and write one for yourself. (Diocese of Bismarck)

**STEWARDSHIP SUMMARY:** The first son in today's Gospel said he would do his father's bidding, but did not. The second son balked at first, but then repented and did as he was asked. What service is God calling me to do? Which son am I more like? (Diocese of Bismarck)

**PARENTING POINTERS:** When life seems to go wrong for your child, reflect on the problems you've faced in your own life. Often it is the mistakes or failures that form us into the person we are. How have you grown from a mistake? ([www.SusanVogt.net](http://www.SusanVogt.net))

**MARRIAGE MOMENTS:** When you were baptized, confirmed, married, you probably had positive expectations about how this commitment would work out. And then one learns that faith and marriage can be challenging, even disappointing at times. It's not all bliss and beauty. But still we hang on because underneath it all is someone who loves us

**COMMUNICATION RESOURCES**

**STAY IN TOUCH:** Please watch our Website or our Facebook Page 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.

**LIVESTREAMING:** We will live stream our weekend and daily Masses at the scheduled time on facebook.

**RECORDINGS:** If you missed Mass live, it will be posted on facebook as well as on our webpage.

**WEBPAGE ADDRESS:** [www.saintanthonypadua.com](http://www.saintanthonypadua.com)

**FACEBOOK LINK:** [facebook.com/stanthonynewtown](https://facebook.com/stanthonynewtown).

**FEAST OF THE ARCHANGELS**

This week, October 2 we celebrate the Feast of the Guardian Angels. Each person on earth has been blessed with a guardian angel who is tasked with watching over them and helping them to attain their salvation. Our guardian angel accompanies our soul to purgatory or heaven, and they become our coheir in Heaven. Angels are servants and messengers from God who help us on our earthly pilgrimage by helping us in our daily life, work, and study, and they help protect us from temptation and physical danger. From our birth until our death, each one of us is surrounded by the protection and intercession of many angels, but especially by our guardian angel: "Beside each believer stands an angel as protector and shepherd leading him to life" (CCC 336).

*Angel of God, my guardian dear, to whom God's love commits me here, ever this day be at my side to light, to guard, to rule, and guide. Amen.*

[www.catholiccompany.com](http://www.catholiccompany.com)

**VOCATION VIEWS:** Actions speak louder than words. What are your actions saying? Can your words be trusted? Turning from evil and doing good is what God wants. (Matthew 21: 28-32) (Diocese of Bismarck)

**QUOTE:** "Do not be afraid, then, when love makes demands. Do not be afraid when love requires sacrifice." Pope John Paul II

**THE POPE'S MONTHLY INTENTION**

**The Laity's Mission in the Church**

We pray that by the virtue of baptism, the laity, especially women, may participate more in areas of responsibility in the Church.

25th Sunday of Ordinary Time 09-20-2020		Financial Offerings	
		St. Anthony New Town	St. Anthony Mandaree
Parish Income Applied to Expenses	Envelopes	\$ 1,057.00	\$ 15.00
	Loose	\$ 188.00	\$ 130.00
	On line Donat	\$ 25.00	\$ 50.00
	Stole Fees	\$ 20.00	
	<b>Total</b>	\$1,290.00	\$195.00
Diocesan Collections Non-Parish Income NOT Applied to Fiscal YTD	Holy Land	\$ 103.00	\$ 124.00
	Cath Home	\$ 110.00	\$ 10.00
	God Share	\$ 2,250.00	\$ 100.00
	<b>Total</b>	\$ 24,987.27	\$ 3,601.82
YTD Need	Week 12	\$23,688.00	\$29,088.00

**Financial C©mer:** The monthly and YTD totals do not include special collections such as God's Share since that money is forwarded to the Diocese. "YTD Need" is based on slightly increased 2019-20 total expenses and calculated on a weekly basis (SA-NT \$1974/wk, SA-M \$2424/wk). Thank you for your continued time, talent, and finances that you share with your parishes.