

ST. ANTHONY

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

SUNDAY: Jan 9, 8:00 am Flavian Volmert

CONFESSION: Immediately following Mass Sunday

LECTOR

SUNDAY: Lynette Otto

SERVERS

SUNDAY: Ben, Sidney & Harley Engelmeyer

GIFT BEARER

SUNDAY: Jim & Jane Humphrey

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

SUNDAY: Jenna Wieberg

SACRISTAN

SUNDAY: Margie Wilson

ROSARY

SUNDAY: Rose Gudeman

USHERS

SUNDAY: David Kliethermes, Dennis Kliethermes, Ethan Musick and Quentin Neuman

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION

SUNDAY, December 26

Envelopes:	\$	1223.00
Youth:	\$	0.00
Loose Cash:	\$	511.00
Other:	\$	5.00
Christmas	\$	1970.00
TOTAL:	\$	3709.00
YTD ACH Contributions:	\$	5195.00
YTD 7/1-12/26	\$	48,490.00

WEEKLY BUDGET: \$1,900 **YTD BUDGET:** \$47,500 (+990.00)

St. Anthony Parish Office will be open Friday, January 8 from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm.

ST. LAWRENCE

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY: Jan 3, 7:30 am † Joseph Struempf

TUESDAY: Jan 4, 7:00 pm † Cletus & Florentine Schwartze

WEDNESDAY: Jan 5, 7:30 am † Alfred Doerhoff

THURSDAY: Jan 6, 7:30 am † Richard & Marilyn Korte
Adoration following Mass until 11:00 am

FRIDAY: Jan 7, 7:15 am † Gerald Luetkemeyer

SATURDAY: Jan 8, 8:00 am Parishioner of St. Lawrence
5:00 pm † Leonard & Louise Beck

SUNDAY: Jan 9, 10:00 am † Virgil Kemna

CONFESSION: 30 minutes prior to each Mass

LECTOR

SATURDAY: Richard Juergensmeyer

SUNDAY: Leroy Heckemeyer

GIFT BEARER

SATURDAY: Dale & Andrea Holtmeyer

SUNDAY: Brett & Lindsey Holtmeyer

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

SATURDAY: Theresa Plassmeyer

SUNDAY: Joe Huhman

SACRISTAN

SATURDAY: Deacon Steve Schwartze

SUNDAY: Deacon Steve Schwartze

ROSARY

SATURDAY: Dorothy Heckemeyer

SUNDAY: Syl & Mary Kesel

ST. LAWRENCE LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION

SUNDAY, December 26

Envelopes:	\$	3794.46
Youth:	\$	20.00
Loose Cash:	\$	379.00
Other:	\$	65.00
Christmas	\$	1577.40
TOTAL:	\$	5835.86
YTD ACH Contributions:	\$	14,345.00
YTD 7/1-12/26	\$	84,124.91

WEEKLY BUDGET: \$3,450 **YTD BUDGET:** \$86,250 (-2125.09)

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

While the word *epiphany* means "manifestation" or "showing forth", Isaiah reminds us that this solemnity is all about light, for without light, nothing can be made manifest or revealed.

The story of the Epiphany is one of love and honor. The Magi, wise people on their way to visit Christ, are told by King Herod to tell him where the Christ child lives. The Magi are warned about Herod's harmful intentions and head home another way.

Each time we gather together to celebrate the eucharist, we pay homage to our Savior Jesus Christ just like the Magi all those years ago. Today's feast honors the act of worship.

Catholic Stewardship Appeal			
Parish	Goal	Pledged	Received
St. Lawrence	\$18,360	\$10,705	\$8,905
St. Anthony	\$7,140	\$5,395	\$4,595

St. Anthony CCD will begin CCD this Wednesday following a Communion Service at 6:30 pm. Training for servers will follow the service.

St. Lawrence CCD will have class this Wednesday following the Rosary at 6:40 pm.

St. Lawrence Patriotic Rosary Monday, January 3rd at 7:00 pm

St. Lawrence Knights of Columbus meeting January 5th at 7:00 pm at the Community Center.

St. Anthony Knights of Columbus will be meeting on January 3rd at 7:30 pm.

St. Lawrence Coffee and donuts after the First Friday Mass

Congratulations to Rosalie Carole Wieberg and her parents, Troy and Jenna Wieberg, on her baptism at St. Anthony of Padua last Sunday.

Pray for the Unborn

January 5th is the first Wednesday of the month. Each first Wednesday, all students from St. Elizabeth R-4 are invited to meet at the Holy Family across from school at 7:55 am to pray the Life Runners Creed. The Life Runners Creed is a prayer to protect children in the womb. Community members are welcome to attend and pray with the students. Also, please remember to wear your jersey. All in Christ for Pro-Life.

Father Nimwesiga has been hacked. Text messages are being sent in his name asking for money. THIS IS NOT HIM! Please do not respond or send money.

We as a church community are once again able to offer MCNH some services. Fr Korte, of St. Lawrence parish, has a Communion Service on the First Friday of the month and Fr Nimwesiga, of St. Anthony parish, has offered to have a Sunday mass at the MCNH the third Sunday of each month at 10:30 AM beginning January 16-2022. Until the covid restrictions are lifted this will be limited to residents only. For now, MCNH cannot transfer their residents between wards.

If you have a friend or loved one at MCNH; whether you are a member of St. Anthony or St. Lawrence parish we would appreciate your help to enable us to provide more services such as we were doing before covid. Currently there are eleven Catholics residing at the home. Call Delphine Dickneite at 573-619-7708 for more information.

PRAYER REQUESTS Remember the following in prayer: Alfred Kirkweg, Bernie Forck, Delores Schollmeyer, Raymond Nelson, Terry Bernskoetter, Claudia Beckstrom, Vernita Block, Ethel Doerhoff, Dorothy Juergensmeyer, Mark Hagenhoff, Michael Wansing, Connie Clarkston, Janice Teal, Roman Holtmeyer, Richard Loaiza, Easton Rustemeyer, Peyton Oligschlaeger, Ruth Graves, Ethan Chapin Kemna, Brennan Schulte, Michele Kempker, Wilfred Hoecker, Charlie Voss, Sharron Yoakum, Jane Kesel, Keith Tappel, Braydon O'Neil, Christopher Thompson, John Brandt, Judd Cox, Ericka Wieberg, Jeff Holder, Jake Cochran, Gene Heckemeyer, Genise Buechter, Sister Donna Marie Steinman, Betty Koetting Berendzen, Mike Herx, Bruce Kemna, Patti Trinklein, Wanda Clark, Gene Wilde, Danielle Beck, Alvin (June) Koetting, Donna Kirkweg, Rachel Woehr, Terry Fancher, Paige Bax, Joe Fuemmeler, Lorene Heckemeyer, Keith Pigg, Melody Welschmeyer, Milinda Hoecker, Jim Volmert, Susannah Heyer, Connie Brandt



COMMUNITY NEWS/PARISH EVENTS

•COMMUNITY CENTER NEWS

The 2022 St. Elizabeth Community Lanes Bowling Tournament is coming upon January 8th, 15th, & 22nd. Contact RJ Scheulen at 573-694-1858 to enter. Come have some fun and enjoy a day of bowling!

•Need an evening to relax after the busy holidays? Come join the friendly players at the St. Elizabeth Card club which meets the first Sunday of each month at 5:00 pm in the Community Center. Next meeting is January 2nd. No membership fee. A lite meal is provided. Bring a small snack to share. Hope to see you soon!

PERSONAL CONSECRATION TO ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

Glorious Saint Michael, Prince of the heavenly host, to whom God has given the power to vanquish the infernal enemies of our souls, and to rout the powers of darkness in every place where they conspire against us, thou art the invincible warrior of the Thrice—Holy God and the defender of his glory. Receive me now into thy care; take me under thy protection; deliver me from the snares of Satan. Open the path of repentance before my feet. Dispel the darkness that enshrouds my mind. Extinguish the flaming darts of temptation that fly at me from every side. By thy prayers, soften thou the hardness of my heart and obtain for me the gift of tears, that I may weep over the sins by which I have offended God and be restored to the joy of salvation. Saint Michael the Archangel, thou who shinest with heaven's purest light, let something of thy brightness reach my soul even now, that shielded and guarded by these in this valley of tears, I may join my voice to thine in the resounding cry of thy triumph over the Enemy of our souls—Who is like God! —and so give glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, now, and always, and unto the ages of ages. AMEN.

**Bishop McKnight's
January prayer intention
for our Local Church**

As we begin a new year, may the opportunities for the grace to clearly recognize the dignity of life, education and ecumenism allow us to better support our brothers and sisters who need the warmth of Christ's love and our compassion during this winter season.



Let Us Pray

Lord Jesus Christ, in your communion with Father Korte, Father Nimwesiga and all the priests throughout the world, I ask you to bless and sanctify them and make them holy. Strengthen and protect them against evil and temptation. Be a joy and a companion, a comfort and a consolation, and lead them forever on the narrow path that leads to Your Eternal Kingdom. Eternal Father, in your infinite mercy, overlook my sins and failings and hear my prayer.

May the splendor of your majesty, O Lord, we pray, shed its light upon our hearts, that we may pass through the shadows of this world and reach the brightness of our eternal home.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Collect Prayer for the Feast of the Epiphany

January 2, 2022
The Epiphany of the Lord
Welcome to the Parish Communities of:

St. Anthony of Padua
132 Main Street, Iberia MO 65486



Rev. Ignitius Nimwesiga, Parochial Administrator

ST. ANTHONY

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If you have an emergency situation regarding a matter of grave illness or death, please call or send a text message to

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