

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE: Week of March 14 - 19

St. Lawrence				St. Anthony	
Tuesday	03/14	6:00 pm 7:00 pm	Adoration † William & Carmen Luetkemeyer		
Wednesday	03/15	7:15 am 6:30 pm	Special Intention Penance Services	6:40 pm	Stations
Thursday	03/16	7:15 am	† Norma Beck	6:00 pm	† Alice Stroyick
Friday	03/17	7:15 am	† Ray Doerhoff		
Saturday	03/18	4:00 pm 5:00 pm	Confessions Parishioners		
Sunday	03/19	9:30 am 10:00 am	Confessions † Louis & Donna Hendricks	7:30 am 8:00 am	Confessions † Dean McDowell

Stewardship Schedule	St. Lawrence – Saturday March 18, 2023 – 5:00 PM	St. Anthony – Sunday March 19, 2023 – 8:00 AM	St. Lawrence – Sunday March 19, 2023 – 10:00 AM
LECTOR	Janet Beck	5 th , 6 th , 7 th CCD	Dale Holtmeyer
SERVERS	Cameron Kesel Cooper Lueckenotte Austin O’Neil	5 th , 6 th , 7 th CCD	Hudson Kemna Kane Kemna Alayna Oligschlaeger
GIFT BEARER	Derek & Heather Bax	5 th , 6 th , 7 th CCD	Frank & June Bax
COMMUNION MINISTERS	Paul Beck	Jenna Wieberg	Leroy Heckemeyer
SACRISTAN	Kathleen Schwartze	Margie Wilson	Jennifer Oligschlaeger
ROSARY	Cathy Reinkemeyer	Patsy Voss	Albert & Dolores Frey
GREETERS	GREETER Carla Otto	GREETER: Margie Chipman	GREETER Ben Scheulen
USHERS		USHERS: 5 th , 6 th , 7 th CCD	

Sunday, March 12, 2023 – Third Sunday of Lent

Today and for the next two Sundays, we will meet three fascinating Gospel characters; the Samaritan woman, the man born blind, and Lazarus. They will show us, those of us already baptized and those preparing for baptism at the Easter Vigil (the elect), how Jesus is constantly transforming us. All the Scriptures on these days present images of baptism and conversion. Specifically in today’s Gospel, Jesus talks to the Samaritan woman. Although the story begins with Jesus’ thirst, it is the woman who is refreshed! She enters the story as a catechumen and becomes an evangelist, bearer of Good News!

Creating a SAFE Environment: It’s OUR responsibility. As Parents, Grandparents, Guardians, Teachers, Aunts, Uncles, Brothers, Sisters, Clergy, Parishioners, Friends, Neighbors, and Community Members, we must understand sexual abuse and abuse in general is a present reality in society. This requires watchful eyes and the necessity to follow through with safe environment protocols to ensure our children and youth grow and flourish in a healthy Church environment and a societal culture that protects. This is a Diocesan requirement and applies to all volunteers who work at any parish events (Ex: Spring/Fall Suppers) or ministry, or assist at Mass in any way. **Virtus Training** is educational and only needs to be done ONCE. Just go to the Diocesan website at: <https://diojeffcity.org/safe-environment>. Look for Safe Environment Training at www.virtus.org and create your account (use Jefferson City MO Diocese) & follow the instructions. You will be able to register & complete training. Please contact Michele if you have any questions about Virtus training or need assistance.

MASS COUNTS for March 4-5, 2023

St. Lawrence Saturday 5 PM 165
St. Anthony Sunday 8 AM 192
St. Lawrence Saturday 10 AM 210

CCD - For Wednesday, March 15

* St. Anthony begins with Stations at 6:40 PM (Led by 10th, 11th, 12th); followed by Class at 7:00 PM.
* St. Lawrence begins with Penance Services at 6:30 PM (all students may attend); followed by Class at 7 PM.

SHADOW STATIONS will be presented by the St. Anthony Confirmation Class AT St. Lawrence Church on Wednesday, March 22 @ 6:30 PM. **ALL ARE WELCOME!**

ST. LAWRENCE PARISH STATISTICS

For 2022: Number of Registered Households 274		
Number of Contribution Statements 163 (59%)		
ST. LAWRENCE OFFERINGS	Previous Week March 4-5	Fiscal Year to Date Totals 07/01/22 – 03/08/23
Adult Envelopes	\$ 3,380.18	\$ 138,468.84 (Offertory Contributions)
Loose	104.00	
Youth	4.00	
Other	357.07	89,403.90
Total	3,845.25	227,872.74
Budget	\$ 3,450.00	124,200.00
Expenses Fiscal YTD		\$ 152,062.24
As of 02/21/2023: Catholic Stewardship Appeal (CSA)		
Goal: \$18,727 Committed: \$16,965 Received: \$15,415		

ST. ANTHONY PARISH STATISTICS

For 2022: Number of Registered Households 136		
Number of Contribution Statements 92 (68%)		
ST. ANTHONY OFFERINGS	Previous Week March 4-5	Fiscal Year to Date Totals 07/01/22 – 03/08/23
Adult Envelopes	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 67,143.65 (Offertory Contributions)
Loose	73.00	
Youth	-	
Other	55.00	17,328.22
Total	1,328.00	84,471.87
Budget	\$ 1,900.00	66,400.00
Expenses Fiscal YTD		\$ 82,268.55
As of 02/21/2023: Catholic Stewardship Appeal (CSA)		
Goal: \$7,283 Committed: \$5,630 Received: \$5,010		

PARISH SERVICES & Devotions

STATIONS – Every Friday at BOTH Parishes @ 6:30 PM
Friday, February 24 – Friday, March 31

Lenten Penance Services

March 15, 6:30 PM, St. Lawrence



THANK YOU to an anonymous donor for the generous donation of “Holy Moments” books by Matthew Kelly. Everywhere you will see opportunities to participate in Holy Moments. This book can quite possibly change the rest of your life. Copies are located in church foyers.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Elliott Jayde Luetkemeyer
Child of Russell & Karley Luetkemeyer
Who was Baptized
Saturday, March 11, 2023

Every year, the Diocese requires our CCD students to take Virtus Training – Empowering God’s Children. In March, all CCD students will be presented with the program, Teaching Boundaries and Safety. Lesson Leaders will present information about safety and healthy boundaries to students, in a grade appropriate manner, which may include a video and/or an activity. The Teaching Boundaries and Safety Guide can be found on both church websites or through the link (Teaching-Boundaries-and-Safety-Guide-English.pdf or email Kara (kscheulen96@gmail.com) or Lauren (Laurenckliethermes@yahoo.com) for a copy of the guide. The Guide will help parents to learn more about the material to be presented and provides information on how to talk to your children about boundaries and teaching touching safety. In the event, you wish for your child **NOT** to have this training, a parent **MUST** complete the Opt-Out form (also on both church websites) by **Friday, March 17, 2023 AND provide to either Lauren or Kara.** Both St. Anthony and St. Lawrence CCD Programs will receive training on Wednesday, March 29, 2023.

ST. ANTHONY COMMUNITY NEWS, EVENTS, & MEETINGS

March 13-17, 8:00 AM: Parishioners will be quilting the 2023 Spring and Fall Supper quilts. Everyone is welcome! If anyone wants to quilt in the evening, please contact Lisa Otto or Catherine Kliethermes. **Quilt Donations:** Accepting quilt donations for thread, needles, backing, and batting. Anyone wanting to donate towards the 2023 Spring and Fall Supper quilts, mark an envelope QUILTS and put in Offertory or give to Catherine Kliethermes or Lisa Otto.

Saturday, March 18, 8:30 – 11:30 PM: K of C is hosting the St. Patrick’s Dance! Music by Morgan County Line. \$10 per person. St. Anthony Parish Hall. Concessions for Purchase: Ham/Cheeseburgers, Hot Dogs, Chips, & Soda! Ice provided.

St. Anthony Parish is accepting grass mowing bids; church and parish hall grounds. The contract is available in the foyer and is also posted on the Parish website. Bids may be emailed or mailed to St. Lawrence Church, PO Box 128, St. Elizabeth 65075. Sealed bids are due by March 21, 2023.

St. Anthony PARK is accepting grass mowing bids. Please contact Lisa Otto (573)375-0585 or Clinton Otto (573) 286-7080 for a copy of the contract. Sealed bids need to be received by March 31, 2023.

Saturday, April 22: Knights of Columbus Pitch Tournament! Registration at 6:30 PM; tournament at 7 PM. K of C Ladies Auxiliary to hold a DESSERT silent auction!

Saturday, April 29: 5K Color Run and Market at The Boutique in St Anthony. Proceeds go towards Eldon Special Olympics. Call 573-619-2331 for more information.

Spring Supper is Sunday, May 7: If anyone would like to make a food donation for the Supper, please contact Daphne Bennett at 573-280-4586 or Jeffrey Holtmeyer at 573-619-6234 by Friday, March 31st.

ST. LAWRENCE/ST. ELIZABETH COMMUNITY NEWS, EVENTS, & MEETINGS

Thursday, March 16, 5:30 PM: Picnic managers are invited to attend the next Community Center Board Meeting in the Community Center. Attendees will have opportunity to voice any concerns or suggestions regarding this year's annual picnic.

Friday, March 17, 4 – 7 PM: St. Elizabeth Anglers Fish Fry with ALL the fixings! Adults/Carry Outs - \$15; Ages 5–10, \$5, and Under 5 Free

Wednesday, March 15, 12:30 – 5:30 PM: Student Council is hosting a Blood Drive at the Community Center. Please visit www.redcross.org or email becky@ste.k12.mo.us to make an appointment.

DATE CHANGE: Now Friday, March 31st, 4:00 – 7:00 PM: K of C Fish Fry. Dine In or Carry Out. \$12 Adults, \$6 Kids. Proceeds in-part go to CYO/NCYC trips. Thursday night March 30th at 6:30, help will be needed to set tables up and thaw fish. Friday morning at 10:00, meal prep will begin. Knights Members to help fry at 2:30 and serve food at 4 pm.

St. Lawrence Parish is accepting grass mowing bids; church grounds, new and old cemeteries. The contract is available in the foyer of church and is also posted on the Parish website. Bids may be emailed or mailed to St. Lawrence Church, PO Box 128, St. Elizabeth 65075. Sealed bids are due by March 21, 2023.

The Park Board is accepting donations for infield upgrades to both diamonds. In order to do this, the Park Board is seeking the community's help to raise \$22,000 for upgrades (special dirt mixture to promote draining and safety, laser grading to fix the "lips" at the edge of the outfields, and mound work). Please consider & send donations to St. Elizabeth Park Board, PO Box 113, St. Elizabeth, venmo@steballpark, or send to St. Elizabeth R-IV School, Attention Becky Otto. Thank you in advance for your support.

March 12, 2023

Third Sunday of Lent

Welcome to the Parish Communities of:

St. Anthony of Padua

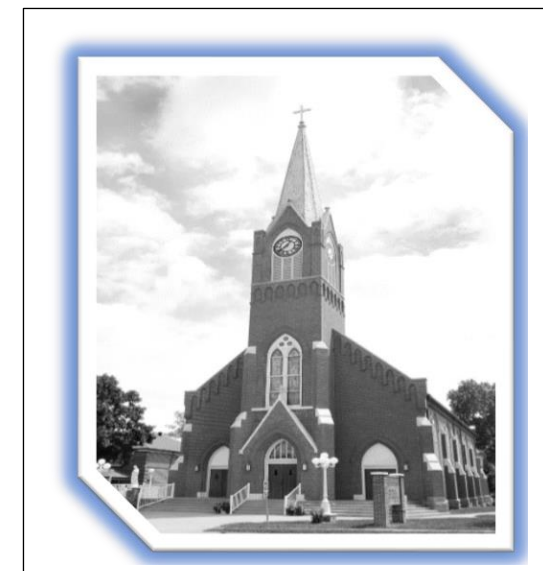
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St. Lawrence

246 Main Street, PO Box 128
St. Elizabeth, MO 65075

Father Christopher Aubuchon, Parochial Administrator

Deacon Steve Schwartze
Michele Renkemeyer, Parish Secretary
Donna Dickneite, St. Anthony Hall Rental
Lauren Kliethermes & Kara Scheulen, Faith Formation Coordinators



Please pray for the reposed soul of
Lorene Elizabeth Heckemeyer
August 14, 1934 - March 8, 2023



Eternal rest, grant to her O Lord,
and let Perpetual light shine upon her.
May she rest in peace. Amen.

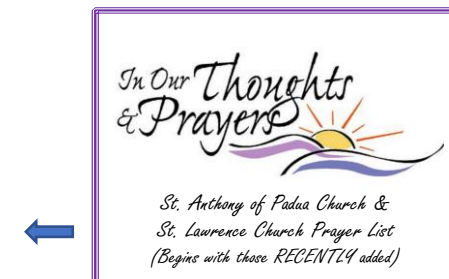
Other Community Events

March 26, Noon – 6:00 PM: Chicken Dinner/St. Louis of France Catholic Church at Bonnots Mill Parish Hall. Adults/To-Go Plates: \$15.00; Kids 5-10: \$8.00; and 4 & Under: Free.

March 17, 5 – 7 PM: Argyle Knights of Columbus Fish Fry. \$12 Adult Meal, \$6 (Ages 6 – 12). All Carry Outs are \$12.

April 2, 11 AM – 5:30 PM: Fried Chicken and Ham Dinner, VFW Hall, Argyle, MO. \$15 per meal

Treyton Kemna
Dane Steenburgen
Josie Boeckman
Joseph Volmert
Stacia Kimball
Robert (Bob) Kesel
Wilfred Hoecker
Darrin Tellman
Diane Bax
Ed Grellner
Frank Bax
Dale Reinkemeyer



Emma Rustemeyer
Pam Tipton
Michael Wansing
Henry Kemna
Maggie Dickneite
Milinda Hoecker
Melody Welschmeyer
Keith Pigg
Joe Fuemmeler

Paige Bax
Rachel Woehr
Bernie Forck
Gene Wilde
Wanda Clark
Patti Trinklein
Bruce Kemna
Mike Herx
Sister Donne Marie Steinman

Genise Buechter
Jack Cochran
Jeff Holder
Ericka Wieberg
John & Connie Brandt
Alfred Kirkweg
Braydon O'Neil
Keith Tappel
Sharron Yoakum
Charlie Voss
Michele Kempker
Brennan Schulte
Easton Rustemeyer

ST. ANTHONY PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Lisa Otto, President
Abe Faulkner
Ronnie Holtmeyer
Margie Chipman
Donna Dickneite
Jacob Kliethermes

ST. ANTHONY FINANCE COUNCIL

Richard Holtmeyer, President
Lynette Otto
Kevin Otto
Eva Voss
Mary Schulte

Bishop McKnight's March prayer intention for our Local Church

For a greater respect for the dignity of all human life; may our Catholic Faith inspire us to recognize all human beings — no matter their age, race, or condition — as our brothers and sisters in the Lord.



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Brett Holtmeyer, President
Carla Otto
Andrea Holtmeyer
Jennifer Oligschlaeger
Jane Doerhoff

ST. LAWRENCE FINANCE COUNCIL

Ben Scheulen, President
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Janet Beck
Jim Plassmeyer
Leroy Heckemeyer

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