

ST. ANTHONY

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

THURSDAY: May 20, 7:00 pm † Henry Blomberg
SUNDAY: May 23, 8:00 am Parishioners of St. Anthony
& St. Lawrence

SERVERS

LECTOR

SUNDAY: Lisa Otto

GIFT BEARER

COMMUNION MINISTERS

SUNDAY: Jenna Wieberg

SACRISTAN

ROSARY

SUN: Delphine Dickneite

USHERS

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION

SUNDAY, MAY 9

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| Envelopes: | \$ | 630.00 |
| Youth: | \$ | 0.00 |
| Loose Cash: | \$ | 25.00 |
| Other: | \$ | 136.00 |
| TOTAL: | \$ | 791.00 |
| YTD ACH Contributions: | \$ | 8,090.00 |
| YTD 7/1-5/9 | \$ | 63,122.33 |

WEEKLY BUDGET: \$1,600 YTD BUDGET: \$70,700

CARE CENTER MASS SCHEDULE

NO CARE CENTER MASS UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

If you have an emergency situation regarding a matter of grave illness or death, please call or send text message to Father Joby @ 573-578-6154 or Ann Wieberg @ 573-291-6638

ST. LAWRENCE

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

TUESDAY: May 18, 7:00 pm † Leonard & Marie Schanzmeyer
WEDNESDAY: May 19, 7:30 am † Alfred Doerhoff
THURSDAY: May 20, 7:30 am † Gerald Luetkemeyer
FRIDAY: May 21, 7:30 am † John & Lorraine Luebbert
SATURDAY: May 22, 5:00 pm † Wayne Bax
SUNDAY: May 23, 10:00 am † Deceased members of the Henry & Marie Fennewald family

SERVERS

LECTOR

SATURDAY: Cathy Reinkemeyer
SUNDAY: Leroy Heckemeyer

GIFT BEARER

COMMUNION MINISTERS

SATURDAY: Kathleen Schwartze & Janet Weckenborg
SUNDAY: Doug Holtmeyer & Karla Holtmeyer

SACRISTAN

ROSARY SAT: Cathy Reinkemeyer
SUN: Albert & Dolores Frey

**ST. LAWRENCE
LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION**

SUNDAY, MAY 9

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|------------------------|----|------------|
| Envelopes: | \$ | 1700.72 |
| Youth: | \$ | 10.00 |
| Loose Cash: | \$ | 15.00 |
| Other: | \$ | 2270.66 |
| TOTAL: | \$ | 3996.38 |
| YTD ACH Contributions: | \$ | 26,545.00 |
| YTD 7/1-5/9 | \$ | 144,073.97 |

WEEKLY BUDGET: \$3,300 YTD BUDGET: \$ 148,300

SOLEMNITY OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Jesus Christ is Lord of heaven and earth. While no longer physically here on earth, Christ is with us through the power and presence of the Holy Spirit. The Risen Christ taught his disciples how his life, death and Resurrection fulfilled what had been written in Scripture. As he prepared to ascend, he instructed them to wait together for the descent of the Holy Spirit upon them.

Bishop McKnight has updated the Decree on pastoral activities during the COVID-19 pandemic dated May 7, 2021. You can find the full decree in the bulletin, on the parish Facebook page, as well as the parish website. These changes will take effect June 1, 2021. More specific details of how this will impact St. Lawrence and St. Anthony will be published in the coming weeks.

Fr. Joby P. Thomas

St. Lawrence Parish Council meeting Wednesday, May 19th at 7:00 pm.

St. Anthony Parish Council meeting Thursday, May 20 after the 7:00 pm Mass.

Congratulations to all graduates!

In preparation for the return of Sacristans, Servers and Ushers, please notify the Church Office if you no longer wish to participate. It will be assumed that if you do not notify the office that you will continue to be scheduled.

We ask that each family fill out a Parish Registration form that is included with this bulletin and on the Parish websites. Many of the phone numbers and email addresses that we have on file are no longer correct. Please place completed forms in the baskets in the foyer of the Churches.

We are still in need of a Faith Formation Coordinator to oversee CCD and RCIA. Please take a moment and think about this position and if you would be willing to fulfill this need in our Parishes. Contact the Parish Office.

St. Lawrence is in need of a part time custodian/cleaning person (approximately 5 hours per week). Must be able to climb a ladder and lift up to 50 pounds. To apply contact the Parish office.

Bishop McKnight's Decree of May 7, 2021

Whereas the number of COVID-19 positive cases has reportedly stabilized at low numbers throughout our region, and that there are reportedly sufficient medical resources to treat patients who become sick; and

Whereas the availability of government-approved vaccines for the novel coronavirus are reportedly sufficient to inoculate those desiring it; and

Whereas the State of Missouri and the officials of the various counties throughout the diocese have lifted or sharply reduced their requirements and restrictions with regard to the COVID-19 pandemic; and

Whereas the importance of the celebration of the Eucharist, the source and summit of the Christian life, demands in-person attendance on days of precept whenever possible (cf. canon 1248 §1); and

Whereas having consulted the Bishops of the St. Louis Province on this matter at our meeting of 4 May 2021;

I therefore declare, as the Diocesan Bishop, the following:

1. The general dispensation of previous decrees from the obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and other days of precept is hereby abrogated. Individuals who are symptomatic, or who have been advised by medical doctors to avoid public gatherings, or who are otherwise ill or homebound, as well as their caregivers, are already dispensed from the obligation to attend Mass (cf. canon 1248 §2).
2. Those who are symptomatic for COVID-19 should not be permitted to enter church properties, in accordance with national, state and local health guidance.
3. The continuance of certain special protocols during the pandemic should be continued at the discretion of the pastor (the daily cleaning of high-contact surfaces and holy water fonts; the availability of hand sanitizer and use by ministers of Holy Communion; the observance of social distancing whenever possible; etc.). The wearing of facemasks is still encouraged, especially for those who have not been fully vaccinated.
4. Livestreaming of parish Masses and other important events has proven to be an effective pastoral means of keeping homebound and ill parishioners in contact with their parish community. Parishes are highly encouraged to continue this service in the future.

May 16, 2021

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St. Lawrence

246 Main Street, St. Elizabeth, MO 65075

- The offertory procession, the taking up of the collection during Mass, the sign of peace, and the offering of the Precious Blood to the faithful may resume at the discretion of the pastor, administrator, or parish life collaborator, effective immediately.
- All legitimate national, state or local health directives must be observed. Parishes and Catholic institutions in the diocese must stand ready to adopt previous pandemic protocols in the event of a surge of infections.

All other requirements, restrictions, or special allowances contained in previous decrees regarding the pandemic are hereby abrogated.

This decree is effective from 1 June 2021, unless otherwise indicated.

Anything to the contrary notwithstanding.

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, Viola Lepper, Wanda Clark, Gene Wilde, David Boessen, Danielle Beck, Alvin (June) Koetting, Therese Fick

Welcome to the Parish Communities of:

St. Anthony of Padua

132 Main Street, Iberia, MO 65486



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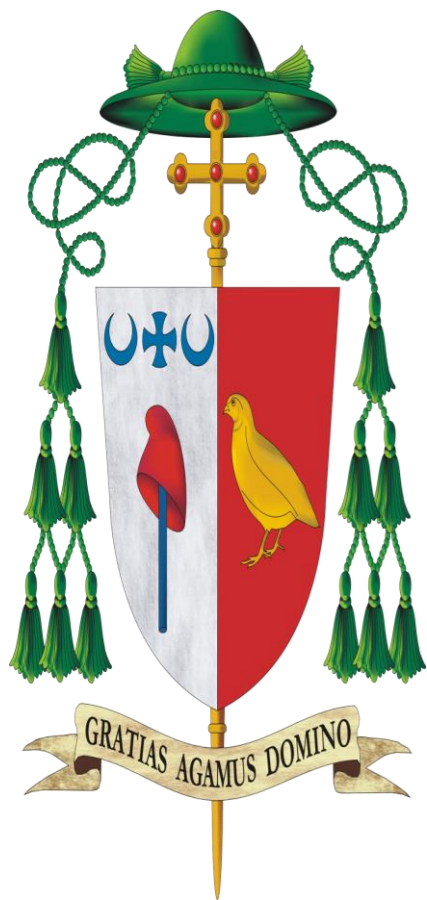
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COMMUNITY NEWS/PARISH EVENTS

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

May we honor the Blessed Virgin Mary, our spiritual mother, this month by our support in charity for all mothers who struggle in poverty to raise their children.

Most Rev. W. Shawn McKnight
Bishop of Jefferson City

