

Thirty-third Sunday of Ordinary Time

November 16, 2025

Welcome to the Parish Communities of:

St. Anthony of Padua

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Iberia, MO 65486

St. Lawrence

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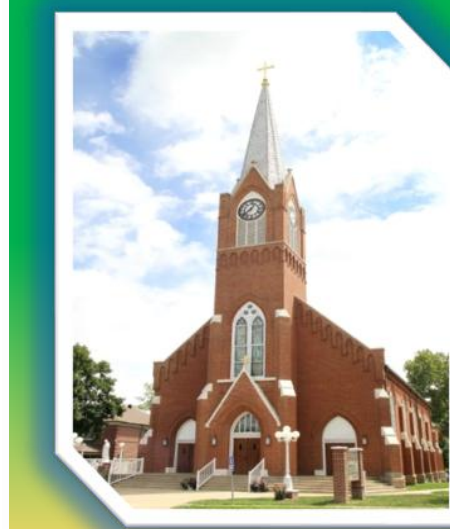
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POPE LEO'S NOVEMBER PRAYER INTENTION



FOR SUICIDE PREVENTION

Let us pray that those who are struggling with suicidal thoughts might find the support, care, and love they need in their community, and be open to the beauty of life.

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WEEKLY HOLY MASS SCHEDULE: November 18 – 23, 2025 & Thanksgiving

ST. LAWRENCE				ST. ANTHONY	
Tuesday	Nov 18	6:00 PM 7:00 PM	Eucharistic Adoration / Confessions † Joel Holtmeyer		
Wednesday	Nov 19	7:15 AM 6:30 PM	Ray & Rosetta Doerhoff CCD Eucharistic Adoration/Rosary Ministries: Grade 6	6:30 PM	CCD Mass / † Vincent & Carol Schaffer Ministries & Confessions: Grades 5 & 6
Thursday	Nov 20	7:15 AM	† Leonard & Louise Beck	5:30 PM 6:00 PM	Confessions † John & Mathilda Rehagen
Friday	Nov 21	7:15 AM	† Wilfred Hoecker		
Saturday	Nov 22	4:00 PM 5:00 PM	Confessions † Cletus & Florentine Schwartz	6:30 PM 7:00 PM	Confessions † Charlie & Mary Ann Voss
Sunday	Nov 23	9:30 AM 10:00 PM	Confessions † Bill & Carmen Luetkemeyer	7:30 AM 8:00 AM	Confessions Parishioners of St. Anthony & St. Lawrence
Thanksgiving Thursday	Nov 27	7:30 AM 8:00 AM	Confessions † Alfred & Mary Ann Doerhoff		

Sunday, November 16, 2025 – Daily Reflection: In today's Gospel, Jesus provides a warning to his disciples. A time will come when there will be not only "earthquakes, famines, and plagues," but even the magnificent Temple will be destroyed. (Luke 21:11). Their adversaries will hand them over to prison, their own family members will betray them, and some of them will even be put to death on account of His name! And yet, as frightening as his words are, Jesus assures them that "not a hair" on their heads would be destroyed. How is this possible? Jesus' words make sense, both then and now, only if we look beyond life to the next. He is promising we will "secure" our lives for Heaven if we persevere through hardship and struggle and trust in his grace no matter what comes. Then, when our life here on earth ends, we can look forward to the promise of living forever with our Lord. If earthquakes, famines, and plagues fall upon us tomorrow, will you be His witness, no matter the cost!? The faithful will be saved because Jesus is with them in every circumstance. He will give us all the grace needed here and now, along with the sure and certain hope of eternal life in Heaven.

Jesus, with you by my side, I have nothing to fear no matter what my future holds!

Stewardship Schedule Nov 22 – 23 Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe	St. Lawrence Saturday, Nov 22 5:00 PM † Cletus & Florentine Schwartz	St. Anthony (Deer Season) Saturday, Nov 22, 7:00 PM † Charlie & Mary Ann Voss	St. Anthony Sunday, Nov 23, 8:00 AM Parishioners' Mass	St. Lawrence Sunday, Nov 23 10:00 AM † Bill & Carmen Luetkemeyer
LECTORS	Cathy Reinkemeyer	Emma Musick	Donna Dickneite	Kristi Green
SERVERS	Preston & Emmalyn Plassmeyer Augusta Schanzmeyer	Alyssa Perkins Leo & Rita Wieberg	FOUR SERVERS Knox & Beau Buechter Lillian & Nick Wieberg	FOUR SERVERS Alayna & Mya Oligschlaeger Austin & Beckett O'Neil
GIFT BEARERS	Dean & Denise Luetkemeyer	Darla Kliethermes Family	David & Del Kliethermes	Brice & Marylyn Luetkemeyer
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	Janet Weckenborg Mike Verhoff	Catherine Kliethermes Lynette Otto	PRECIOUS BODY & BLOOD Deacon Steve Mary Schulte & Liz Voss	PRECIOUS BODY & BLOOD Deacon Steve, Chad Green, Joe Human Jennifer Oligschlaeger
SACRISTAN	Stan Struemp	Mary Schulte	Margie Wilson	Lora Luetkemeyer
PRAYER HOSPITALITY SERVICE	Rosary: Rose Buechter Greeters: Frank & June Bax	Rosary: Dorothy Buechter Greeters: Frank & Mary Schulte Ushers: Ryan & Kyler Cochran & Scott Davis, John Deardeuff	Rosary: Rosetta Holtmeyer Greeters: Stanley & Sandy Wieberg Ushers: Kenneth Dickneite, Chris & Trayton Dye, Ben Engelmeyer	Rosary: Mary Ann Fennewald Greeter: Nick & Kelli Green

Stewardship Schedule Thanksgiving Nov 29 - 30	THANKSGIVING DAY St. Lawrence Thursday, Nov 27, 5:00 PM † Alfred & Mary Ann Doerhoff	St. Lawrence Saturday, Nov 29, 5:00 PM † Urban Wieberg	FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT St. Anthony (5 th Sunday) Sunday, Nov 30, 8:00 AM † Keith Pigg	FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT St. Lawrence Sunday, Nov 30, 10:00 AM † Parishioners' Mass
LECTORS	Leroy Heckemeyer	Paul Beck	Knights of Columbus	Abby Kemna
SERVERS	Kiptyn Green Benton & Lucy Heckemeyer	Daisy & Paisley Bax Cooper Lueckenotto	Christina & Rachel Bax Bryan Chipman	Evelyn Buechter Brennan & Layla Doerhoff
GIFT BEARERS	Steve & Kim Luetkemeyer	Mary Luetkemeyer Family	Knights of Columbus	John & Lora Luetkemeyer
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	Deacon Steve Dale Holtmeyer	Deacon Steve Jim Plassmeyer	Deacon Steve	Deacon Steve Ashley Buechter
SACRISTAN	Sharon Kemna / Lindsey Holtmeyer	Mike Verhoff	Linda Volmert	Jennifer Oligschlaeger
PRAYER HOSPITALITY SERVICE	Rosary: Syl & Mary Kesel Greeters: Leroy & Sheila Heckemeyer	Rosary: Kenny & Alice Oligschlaeger Greeters: Jim & Teresa Plassmeyer	Rosary, Greeters, Ushers: Knights of Columbus	Rosary: Albert & Dolores Frey Greeter: Jim & Elaine Kesel



Fred Grellaur	Cathy Thompson
Donna Hoeller	Grant Lamb
Barb Brison	Deidra Buechter
Fred Schaffer	Emberlee, Josie, &
John Schaefer	Brody Boeckman
Helen Davis	Joel Gares
Travis Tomson	Jerry Herx
Larry Buckley	Mike Kesel
Clinton Luebbering	Louis Toebben
Dylan Nichols	Vicki Cox Bullock
Terry Yates	Ramona Bax
Dakota Clarkston	Bruce Berendzen
Lorraine Hoecker	Christopher Thompson
Bryan Hoecker	Nic Gilardi
Bryleigh Wulff	Patrick Holtmeyer
Sherry Johnson	Treyton Kemna
Sister Vicki Ewers	Joseph Volmert
Nolan Kesel	Gene Wilde

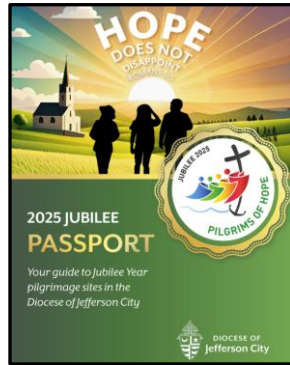
2025 JUBILEE YEAR!

There's still time and lots you can do!

You may have heard Father Aubuchon talk about "**Plenary Indulgence**". If not, you can learn all about this magnificent grace through the Jubilee Passport OR just ask Father. Reconciliation is one of his favorite subjects. Following is the link to the complete Jubilee Passport.

<https://diojeffcity.org/jubilee-year/passport/>

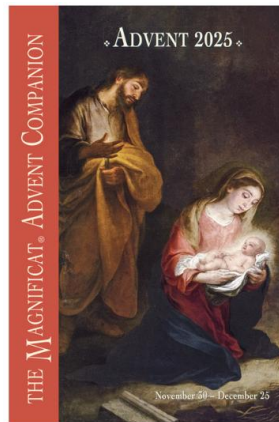
This holy year of Jubilee invites the faithful to embrace the spirit of hope. A Jubilee Year is an important occasion in the tradition of our Church, focused on promoting spiritual renewal through reconciliation and unity among believers. The Jubilee Year of 2025 will provide opportunities to experience grace, including by participating in special Jubilee Masses or joining a pilgrimage.



ADVENT IS ALMOST HERE

Advent is the name of the season in which Christians prepare for the celebration that commemorates The Birth of Jesus Christ. The word Advent comes from the Latin phrase "Adventus Domini", meaning arrival of the Lord. The Advent Season is of variable length and the start date changes every year. This year, the First Sunday of Advent falls on Sunday, November 30 and the Last Sunday of Advent is on December 21, 2025. Common customs observed in churches and at home during Advent are the decoration of the house with an Advent wreath adorned with candles and the keeping of an Advent calendar.

The Magnificat Advent Companion Booklet is coming next week. SUPPLIES ARE LIMITED!



ADVENT PENANCE SERVICES

*St. Anthony Church
Thursday, Dec 11, 6:30 PM*

*St. Lawrence Church
Sunday, Dec 14, 5:30 PM*

MONDAY, DEC 8, 2025 - HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

*Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception
of the Blessed Virgin Mary
6:00 AM Mass - St. Lawrence / 7:00 PM Mass - St. Anthony
(The early 6 AM Mass is to accommodate our working world.)*

2025 CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

CHRISTMAS EVE		CHRISTMAS DAY	
4:00 pm	St. Lawrence	8:00 am	St. Anthony
6:30 pm	St. Anthony	10:00 am	St. Lawrence



COME ALL AND ENJOY THE TRADITION!