

SAINT ANTHONY • SAINT PATRICK APRIL 21, 2024



**SAINT ANTHONY OF PADUA
CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL**
253 N. Franklin St., Oconto Falls, WI
54154

Masses

Saturday . . . 4:00 PM
Sunday . . . 9:30 AM
Tuesday . . . 8:30 AM
Wednesday. 7:00 PM
1st Friday . . 8:30 AM

Confession

Saturday 3:00 PM
Wednesday.6:00 PM
1st Friday 9:00 AM



**SAINT PATRICK OF IRELAND
CATHOLIC CHURCH**
5246 St. Patrick Rd., Lena, WI 54139

Masses

Sunday 8:00 AM
Thursday ... 8:30 AM
1st Saturday 8:30 AM

Confession

Thursday. 9:00 AM
1st Saturday 9:00 AM

Father Walter Stumpf, Pastor

Parish Office Hours

Monday-Thursday 7:30 AM to 4:00 PM
Friday closed

Office located in Oconto Falls.
920-846-2276
www.holy3.org

Mission Statement

As friends and followers of Jesus, we are devoted to fostering households and communities of discipleship through the mission and ministry of the Catholic Church.

Trustees Needed

Notice is hereby given that the annual election of parish trustees will take place at Mass on May 18th and 19th for the following positions:

Saint Anthony: **Treasurer Trustee**

Saint Patrick: **Secretary Trustee**

To express interest call the office or submit your nomination in writing.

Nominations are due May 1st. Nomination forms are located in the back of church. **Election Committee Members** are Father Walter Stumpf, Lynn Beaumier, Tammy Decker & Lori Scanlan. Trustees are elected to serve 2-year terms (renewable up to 2 times), are responsible to attend either Pastoral Council or Finance Council Meetings, and for signing checks. The ideal candidate has leadership skills, experience with business and a willingness to ask questions.

Jesus said: "I am the good shepherd. A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. A hired man, who is not a shepherd and whose sheep are not his own, sees a wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away, and the wolf catches and scatters them. This is because he works for pay and has no concern for the sheep. I am the good shepherd, and I know mine and mine know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I will lay down my life for the sheep.

John 10:11-16

Illustrated by: Adalee, 1st Grade



Call the parish office:

To join the parish: Individuals and new families are always welcome

Baptism: 60 days before desired date

Marriage: One year in advance

Ministry to the Sick: Whenever someone is shut-in or in the hospital

Vision

We are missionary disciples striving to lead all people to the Kingdom of God.

The Sacrifice of the Mass is offered for the People of the Parish and for the special intention listed.

Saturday, April 20th

3:00 PM Confession, Saint Anthony

4:00 PM Mass, Saint Anthony, offered for the People of the Parish

Sunday, April 21st

4th Sunday of Easter

World Day of Prayer for Vocations

8:00 AM Mass, Saint Patrick, offered for Jeanne Follett

9:00 AM Rosary, Saint Anthony

9:30 AM Mass, Saint Anthony, offered for Verna Jakubenas

7:00 PM Praise His Holy Name Prayer Meeting, Saint Anthony

Monday, April 22nd

Earth Day

6:00 PM Rosary, Saint Anthony

7:00 PM KOC Meeting, Msgr. Looze Council 4869, Saint Anthony

Tuesday, April 23rd

8:30 AM Mass, Saint Anthony, offered for the Saari Family

10:00 AM Saint Patrick Cemetery Meeting

4:00 PM Church Beautification Committee Meeting, Saint Anthony

Wednesday, April 24th

Administrative Professionals Day

11:00 AM Liturgy / Worship Meeting, Saint Anthony

6:30 PM Confirmation Mass, Saint Anthony,

offered for the Youth of our Parishes

Thursday, April 25th

Feast of Saint Mark, Evangelist

8:00 AM Rosary, Saint Patrick

8:30 AM Mass, Saint Patrick, offered for the People of the Parish

9:00 AM Confession, Saint Patrick

7:00 PM Guided Holy Hour, Saint Anthony

Friday, April 26th

Saturday, April 27th

3:00 PM Confession, Saint Anthony

4:00 PM Mass, Saint Anthony, offered for Jay Monette

Sunday, April 28th

5th Sunday of Easter

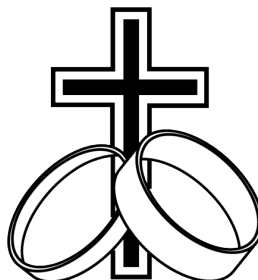
8:00 AM Mass, Saint Patrick, offered for Benjamin Keutzer

9:00 AM Rosary, Saint Anthony

9:30 AM Mass, Saint Anthony, offered for the People of the Parish



**Congratulations to
Roy and JoAnn Wilcox
on their 52nd Wedding
Anniversary on April 22nd!**



Who can we Pray for?

Mass intentions are available.
Please call the office or stop by to
have a Mass said for a loved one.

Kingdom Come

Donations of salt & pepper are
requested for the month of April.

Lost

A Knights of Columbus medallion
(jewel) was lost in Saint Anthony
Church or its parking lot. If found,
please call the office. Thank you!

Food Truck Event

Monday, May 6th
4:00PM to 7:30PM
Saint Anthony parking lot
More information to follow!

Thrivent

Excited to share that a deposit of
\$561 was received from Thrivent
Choice! we are thankful for the 3
individuals who directed this gift to
us.

Pastor: Father Walter Stumpf
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920-841-0898

School Principal: Sue Beschta
sbeschta@holy3.org

Business Manager: Lori Scanlan
lscanlan@holy3.org

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Theresa Blazer
tblazer@holy3.org

Parish Secretary: Tammy Decker
secretary@holy3.org

Care Ministry: Brenda Knaus
bknaus47+church@gmail.com

Cemetery: Kevin Wirtz
kvwof@hotmail.com
715- 853-6163

Saint Anthony's Trustees:

Treasurer: Joyce Monfort
joycemonfort74@gmail.com

Secretary: Zach Hahn
pzhahn@aol.com

Saint Patrick's Trustees:

Treasurer: Gary Truckey
garytruckey@gmail.com

Secretary: Marge Wicinski
gwicinski@centurylink.net

Saint Anthony Parish Support April 14th

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| Support Envelopes ----- | \$4,325 |
| Loose ----- | 189 |
| Care Ministries----- | 47 |
| Easter Flowers ----- | 45 |
| Holy Day (Easter) ----- | 219 |
| Maintenance ----- | 127 |
| Saint Vincent de Paul----- | 10 |
| School ----- | 50 |

Saint Patrick Parish Support April 14th

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| Support Envelopes ----- | \$1,231 |
| Loose Envelopes ----- | 197 |
| Care Ministries----- | 30 |
| Maintenance ----- | 80 |

Fee Structure Update

After remaining the same for over 30 years, the following changes will go into effect July 1st.

- Mass Stipend \$20 (was \$10)
- Funeral Stole fee \$75 (was \$50)
- Wedding Stole fee \$100 (was \$75)
- Quinceanera Stole fee \$100



Serving at School

Tuesdays at Saint Anthony School include attending Mass.

Congratulations to Tobias Nowak who served alongside his fellow schoolmates for the first time.

We appreciate all of our students and the opportunities they have to learn about what we Catholics celebrate during Mass.



Serving Others

Congratulations to Elaina Finger. She celebrated the sacrament of First Communion and started being an altar server the next Sunday.

Thank you so much, Elaina, for sharing your time and talent with the church. We are so glad to have you as part of our church family.

Please Pray for our Confirmation Students

As our youth receive an outpouring of the Holy Spirit through the sacrament of Confirmation may they continue to grow in their faith and find joy and fulfillment in their spiritual journey.

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| Cole Bozile | Orion Posusta |
| Hunter Bozile | Hailyn St. Louis |
| Chase Carriveau | Nicholas Trepanier |
| Josie Holtz | Conner Wilquet |
| Griffin Kopke | Evan Yuma |
| Parker Peterson | |

Confirmation Hospitality Opportunity

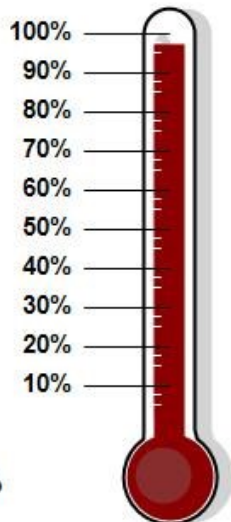
This Wednesday, **April 24th**, 11 of our youth along with 25 youth from area parishes will receive an outpouring of the Holy Spirit in the sacrament of Confirmation. They will be given special graces, the same graces that were granted to the Apostles on Pentecost.

Can you help? Please consider sharing your God given gifts and talents to make the reception a special event. Needed are finger food items (bars, cookies, cheese, sausage, crackers, veggies, fruit, chips, etc.) and your hospitality to serve and greet the families. If you can assist in any way, please sign up using the form in the back of the church or call/email Theresa at 920-846-2276 or tblazer@holy3.org. Please continue to pray for our candidates and for the success of our program. Your power of prayer is truly making a difference. Thank you.

Saint Anthony

\$27,186 GOAL

\$26,567 raised



Knights' Corner

Knights of Columbus Msgr. Looze Council #4869
Grand Knight: Rick Lemke

Bishop Bona Assembly #1217 Fourth Degree Meeting
May 16, 2024 @ 6:00 PM, Holy Trinity (Oconto)

Msgr. Looze Council #4869 Meeting
April 22, 2024, @ 7:00 PM, Saint Anthony (Oconto Falls)

**Holy Family Parish Altar Society
Spring Luncheon**

Wednesday, April 24, 2024 from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Cost: \$10 Hot and cold dishes plus from scratch desserts.

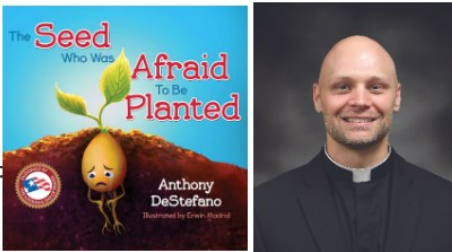
Call Nora LaPlant for reservations (715-735-3078).

Saint Vincent de Paul

Society of St. Vincent de Paul will meet at 5 pm on Wednesday, April 24th at the Holy Trinity Parish Hall. New members are welcomed!

Kid's Catholic Story Time - Free Event

May 4, 2024 starting at 11:00am. Come enjoy a great Catholic based story book and spiritual lesson read and taught by Father Adam Bradley. Cathedral Book and Gift is located at 131 S Madison St, Green Bay.



Styrofoam Container Ban

In consultation with Saint Anthony Pastoral Council at their October 17, 2023 meeting, Saint Anthony Church and School will no longer allow the use of polystyrene (Styrofoam) food and beverage cups, plates, or containers. This ban includes all on-site and off-site activities and guest and rental use of our facilities. Let's promote health and safety.

Over fifty chemical byproducts are released during the manufacturing of polystyrene, contaminating the air, water and communities that live near these facilities. Polystyrene is made up of multiple units of styrene. Styrene is believed to be a carcinogen. Exposure to styrene can cause irritation of the skin, eyes, the upper respiratory tract, and the gastrointestinal tract. Chronic exposure results in more severe effects including depression, headaches, fatigue, weakness, hearing loss, and disrupted kidney function.

The manufacturing of polystyrene requires the use of hydrocarbons such as styrene and benzene. These hydrocarbons are released into the air and react with Nitrogen oxides to produce ground-level ozone, a hazardous air pollutant. Ground-level ozone can impair lung function and lead to respiratory illness.

The disposal of polystyrene is also hazardous. Polystyrene does not break down and is often burned to be disposed of. However, burning polystyrene releases styrene gas into the air and produces a mix of toxicants that can impair the nervous system.

Children's Environmental Health Network <https://cehn.org/our-work/eco-healthy-child-care/ehcc-faqs/faqs-styrofoam/>

MOTHER'S DAY ROSE FUNDRAISER

Gift mom a rose this Mother's Day and thank her for her "YES" to life!

Roses will be offered after Masses for a suggested donation of \$3 each.

All proceeds benefit Pro-Life Wisconsin's efforts to assist Wisconsin moms, dads, and families in need.

For more information, visit us at

ProLifeWI.org.

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LOVE FOR LIFE. WI.

Bluey Family Social Night

As you can tell from the following photographs, a fun time was had at this free event at Saint Anthony School. There were approximately 100 children in attendance.

