

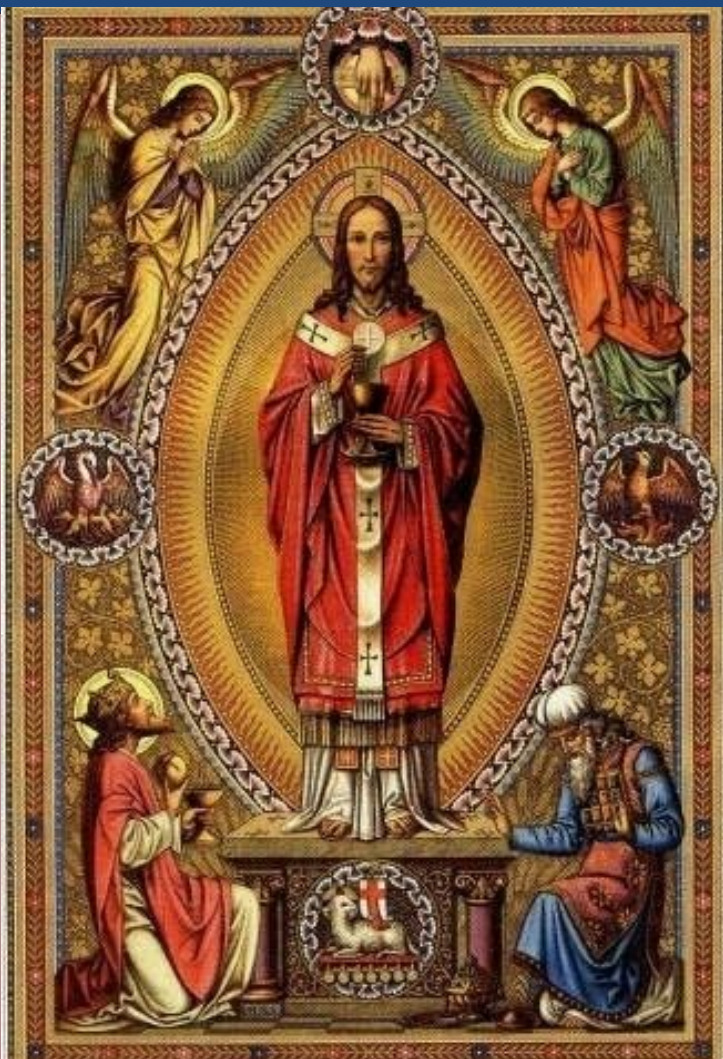
ST. ANTHONY CHURCH

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JUNE 2, 2024 | SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST

REFLECTIONS

My friends, sacrifice is a difficult thing. I don't have to tell you that. And the sacrifice of Jesus is, well, even more difficult to fathom. Love is what's really on display in Jesus' sacrifice. A love that doesn't count the cost. A love that doesn't take the easy path. A love that has no conditions. A love that doesn't yield in the face of disappointment and sorrow and rejection. A love that isn't doled out in small amounts --- as if it can run out --- but a love that overflows continually. And it's a love that conquers everything in its path --- even death itself. Today we gather on the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ --- Corpus Christi. And we use this special day to reflect on the miracle that takes place every time we gather around this holy table --- a miracle in which the sacrifice of Jesus is made present once again --- in this time and place. And the fruits of that sacrifice, the grace poured out through that holy act, is made available to us in this sacred meal. May the Body and Blood of Jesus help us be the people God wants us to be and be the people the world needs us to be.
Fr. Peter



THIS WEEK AT-A-GLANCE

Monday

5:00 pm
5:30 pm

St. Anthony's—Lakin

Rosary & Prayers
Mass

Tuesday

9:30 am
10:10 am

HPRV

Mass
Communion/Visiting
Homebound

Wednesday

7:30 am (MT)
8:00 am (MT)

St. Raphael's /Syracuse

Rosary
Mass

Thursday

11:00 am
11:45 am
12:15 pm

St. Anthony's —Lakin

Confessions
Rosary
Mass

Friday

7:00 am
7:30 am
8—10:00 am

St. Anthony's—Lakin

Rosary & Prayers
Mass
Eucharistic Adoration
& Confessions

Saturday

3—3:50 pm
4:00 pm
5:20 pm
6:00 pm

Lakin, Deerfield

Confessions
Mass (St. Anthony)
Confessions (Deerfield)
Mass (Christ the King)

Sunday

8:00 —8:50 am
9:00 am
9:50-10:25 am
10:30 am (MT)

Lakin & Syracuse

Confessions
Mass (St. Anthony)
Confessions
Mass (St. Raphael)

COLLECTION FOR 5-26-2024

Envelopes: \$985.00

Loose: \$ 318.00

Online Giving: \$343.60

Total: \$ 1646.60

Average Weekly Expense: \$1,761.17

Income over/under - \$114.57

Office Hours

Monday - Friday
8:30 am - 4:30 pm

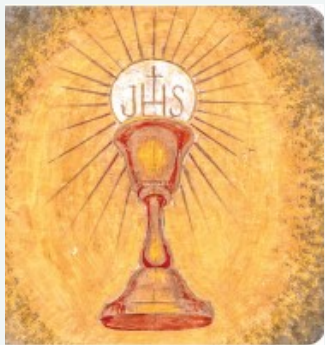
ST. ANTHONY CHURCH—600 SODERBERG STREET

JUNE 2, 2024—THE MOST HOLY BODY OF CHRIST

DEAR PADRE,

DO WE NEED BOTH BREAD AND WINE TO RECEIVE CHRIST'S BODY AND BLOOD? IF I RECEIVE ONLY THE HOST -NOT THE PRECIOUS BLOOD- AM I PARTICIPATING FULLY IN THE EUCHARIST?

By only taking the host you are participating fully. And if you only drink from the chalice, you also are participating fully. Christ is always fully present in each form.



Many times, it is not possible to offer the chalice to a large congregation. There are also times when one cannot receive the host, especially a person who is very ill, and consuming the Precious Blood is easier.

In the Church's teaching on the Eucharist, we are invited to receive both. The *Eucharistic Mystery* says it is especially fitting to receive Christ in both forms during the celebration of the Eucharist. This allows the Eucharist to appear more perfectly as a banquet, a feast that is a foretaste of the banquet that will be celebrated with Christ at the end of time when the kingdom of God is established in its fullness. In John 6, Jesus invites us to both eat and drink, so it is good to do both if you are able. If you aren't able, or if the chalice isn't offered at your church, you still participate fully by taking the host. Both forms are always present, because the priest must always receive both.

The Redemptorists/DearPadre.org

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

How does the Eucharist transform me? Thinking back to a time when it was not possible for me to receive the Eucharist, for instance during the pandemic, how did its absence affect me?

PRAYER OF THE WEEK Lo! the angel's food is given To the pilgrim who has striven; see the children's bread from heaven, which on dogs may not be spent. Truth the ancient types fulfilling, Isaac bound, a victim willing, Paschal lamb, its lifeblood spilling, manna to the fathers sent. Very bread, good shepherd, tend us, Jesu, of your love befriend us, You refresh us, you defend us, Your eternal goodness send us In the land of life to see. You who all things can and know, Who on earth such food bestow, Grant us with your saints, though lowest, Where the heavenly feast you show, Fellow heirs and guests to be. Amen. Alleluia! sometimes we close our ears to his word. Work miracles in us, so that we

FOOD FOR THE JOURNEY

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

As the story is told, two men were talking about why they go or do not go to church every weekend. One argued why he no longer comes to Mass: "I went every Sunday for almost thirty years and I can't remember a single sermon from all those years that I sat in a pew." The other thought about that and then replied, "You know, my wife and I have been married for more than twenty-five years. Just about every day during those years my wife and I sat down and shared a meal at least twice a day. Now I can't say that I remember more than one or two of those meals, but if we hadn't sat down to share those meals every day, I don't think we would still be married today."

Surely there are many reasons why Catholics come to the Eucharist each weekend. Some come for the homily, some for receiving holy Communion, others for the singing, and still others to be part of a faith community. For most, it is probably some of each. Yet behind all of it, though most might not think of saying so, is a commitment to be people of faith, to believe in the Lord Jesus, and to live as his disciples. It is the same commitment the Hebrews made in the desert in Exodus 24:3: "We will do everything that the Lord has told us." Indeed, how long would we be believers and disciples of Jesus without being fed at his table?



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
June 3 St. Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs 2 Pt 1:2-7 Mk 12:1-12	June 4 Weekday 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18 Mk 12:13-17	June 5 St. Boniface, Bishop and Martyr 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12 Mk 12:18-27	June 6 Weekday 2 Tm 2:8-15 Mk 12:28-34	June 7 Most Sacred Heart of Jesus Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9 Eph 3:8-12, 14-19 Jn 19:31-37	June 8 Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary 2 Tm 4:1-8 Lk 2:41-51	June 9 Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Gn 3:9-15 2 Cor 4:13-5:1 Mk 3:20-35



A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

As we are nourished by the Body and Blood of Christ... we receive his love within us, not to hold it back selfishly, but rather to share it with others. This logic is inscribed in the Eucharist: we receive his love within us and we share it with others. This is the eucharistic logic.

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JUNE 2, 2024—THE MOST HOLY BODY OF CHRIST

Alejandro & Nansy Navarrete-Valde May God bless the two of you abundantly in love, joy, and happiness. Wishing you all the best as you begin your new life together. May God's love be the bond that holds our marriage together.



St. Anthony of Padua Feast Day Celebration and Parish Picnic

Please come to celebrate our Patron Saint's Feast Day on Saturday, June 15th, beginning with the Holy Mass at 4:00 p.m. followed by a picnic meal with hamburgers and hotdogs provided by our K of C. Please bring a side dish or dessert to go along with the meal. Games and activities will be provided for both youth and adults.

THE WORLD NEEDS JESUS

REGISTER FOR DIOCESAN EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS

The Church needs healing, and the world needs Jesus. The Holy Spirit is inviting us to return to the source and summit of our faith—the Eucharist. Learn more by attending our 40 Hours Diocesan Eucharistic Congress Sept. 13-15 at our Cathedral in Dodge City. Come and hear top Catholic speakers. Spend time in Eucharistic Adoration. Take part in an outdoor Eucharistic Procession. And all of it is free! Learn more and register at: dcdiocese.org/40hours.



REFLECT

Why do you come to Mass each week?

Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Remember those who must fast

Many faithful Catholics have been unable to approach the Eucharist in person for many months. Age and health, coupled with necessary protocols, have made this pandemic an unanticipated time of spiritual fasting. The words of the ancient sequence Laud, O Zion sung on this solemnity are especially poignant this year: "Thousands are, as one, receivers,/ One, as thousands of believers." Those with access to the sacraments receive them for all of us. Those who embrace a spiritual communion continue to find ways to be the grateful "receivers" of a wondrous mystery: Christ's life dwelling in us.

Corpus Christi Recordar a quienes tienen que ayunar
Muchos fieles católicos llevan muchos meses sin poder acercarse a la Eucaristía en persona. La edad y la salud, unidas a los protocolos necesarios, han hecho de esta pandemia un tiempo de ayuno espiritual imprevisto. Las palabras de la antigua secuencia Laud, oh Sión que se canta en esta solemnidad son especialmente conmovedoras este año: "Miles son, como uno, receptores,/ Uno, como miles de creyentes". Quienes tienen acceso a los sacramentos los reciben por todos nosotros. Los que abrazan una comunión espiritual siguen encontrando el modo de ser los "receptores" agradecidos de un misterio maravilloso: La vida de Cristo que habita en nosotros.

DECHANT FOUNDATION

GOLF CLASSIC

2024

BENEFITTING RETIRED PRIESTS

Mariah Hills Golf Course Dodge City

CHECK IN	6th September	TEAM
9:30 AM	FRIDAY	\$500

REGISTRATION : dcdiocese.org/dechant

KNIGHTS NEWS



Any Catholic men who would like to be a K of C member please contact Tom Bachman—640-8259.

We held meeting on every first Wednesday, except during Summer to build up brotherhood and help each other to grow in Catholic faith.

St. Anthony Church— 600 Soderberg Street

JUNE 2, 2024—SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHIRST



PARISH STAFF

Pastor: Fr. Peter Tran 355-6405
Rel.Edu. Committee: Karen Burden, 355-6388
DRE: Lisa Gannett 355-6611
Parish C. Chair: Gwen Waechter 272-1030
Finance C. Chair: Tressa Powers 355-6206
Altar S. President: Nanette Rice 355-7676
Grand Knight: Tom Bachman 640-8259
Prayer Line Starters: Allison Bushek 355-1696
& Nanette Rice 355-7676
Vocation Team: Nanette & Sandra 355-7676
Youth Director: Hannah Schauf

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon, June 3 No Mass † Liz Lang Baier
Tue, June 4 No Mass Sp.Int. Powers
Wed, June 5 No Mass † Dennis Flax
Thurs, June 6 No Mass † Dennis Flax
Fri, June 7 No Mass † Dennis Flax
Sat, June 8 4:00 pm † Johnnie Perez
Sun, June 9 9:00 am † John Perez

MINISTERS FOR THIS/NEXT WEEK

Solemnity—Corpus Christi

6/1/2024 - Saturday, 8:00 pm

Servers: Jason Velasco, Jonathan & Nathan Gannett

Reader: Karen Burden

E.O.HC: Rosemary & Tom Bachman

6/2/2024 - Sunday, 9:00 am

Servers: Kirbe & Kipton Koons, Joleigh Lohman -Fuller

Reader: Julie Kaps

E.O. HC: Toby & Jessica Lohman-Fuller

10th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

6/8/2024 - Saturday, 4:00 pm

Servers: Ryann & Brecken Bamberger, Rowen Simon

Reader: Tom Bachman

EO.HC: Debbie Frederick, Gwen Waechter

6/9/2024 - Sunday, 9:00 am

Servers: Haley, Cade & Jace Berning

Reader: Kyle Berning

E.O. HC: Maria Enriquez, Rosa Cardenas

"Then he took a cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them and they all drank from it." - Mark 14:23

Jesus, the perfect steward, gave thanks, just before He gave Himself up for us, completely for our salvation. He offers us the same chance to drink from His cup. In the bread and wine, we meet Christ personally. If we follow Him, drinking from His cup means we offer our own self-sacrifice, using all of our gifts for the benefit of others and to do His work on earth.

Reconciliation:

Confessions are heard every Saturday at 3:00 pm and every Sunday at 8:00. Parents who have children to be baptized must be registered. Please call the parish office for an appointment.

Baptism:

Parents who have children to be baptized must be registered. Please call the parish office for an appointment.

Marriage:

Please contact parish priest at least four months before the wedding.

Anointing the sick:

Celebrated anytime by calling a priest.

