



## SAINT ANTHONY

*Our Mission: May Christ's grace renew us to exercise His gifts. (see Rom 12:4-6)*

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### Holy Mass

Saturday Vigil .....5:00 p.m.  
Sunday.....7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m.  
Domingo (en Español).....12:00 p.m.  
Mon., Wed., Thu., Fri.....12:00 p.m.  
Tue.....5:30 p.m.  
Saturday.....8:00 a.m.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday..... 3:30 p.m.  
and 30 minutes before scheduled Masses

### First Friday—Eucharistic Exposition



## SACRED HEART

Physical Address: 621 Logan St., Peetz, CO

### Eucharistic Celebrations:

1st, 3rd, and 5th Sunday .....8:00 a.m.  
2nd and 4th Sunday.....10:00 a.m.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

1st, 3rd, and 5th Sunday .....7:30 a.m.



## SAINT CATHERINE OF SIENA

Physical Address: 111 S. 5th St., Iliff, CO

### Eucharistic Celebrations:

1st, 3rd, and 5th Sunday.....10:00 a.m.  
2nd and 4th Sunday .....8:00 a.m.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

2nd and 4th Sunday .....7:30 a.m.

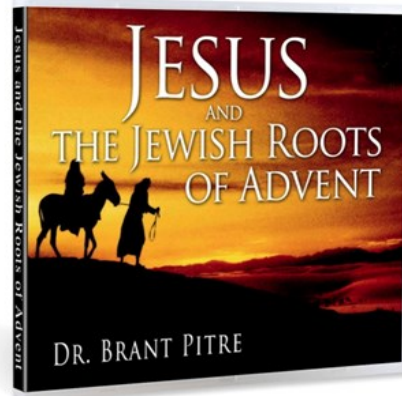
# November 3, 2024 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

## In Preparation for Advent

For the last several years we've offered brief autumn and spring study courses at St. Anthony. Most of these have touched upon different books of the Bible. I am late in starting a study this year because, instead of focusing on one of the books of the Bible, I've wanted to find a series to help us better prepare for the rapidly approaching holy season of Advent, and then do likewise in February for Lent in 3-4 months.

Why choose an Advent study? I have to admit that I have not paid nearly enough attention to this holy season in the course of my life. Perhaps it's the same for you too. I've always given in to distractions: shopping, decorating, listening to Christmas music, in effect hopping over the 3-4 weeks of Advent. Advent is a season of preparation, preparing our hearts, our minds, and our souls, to welcome our long-awaited Savior on Christmas Day. I have consistently dropped the ball over the years. I want to do much better now.

So, with Advent being a mere 4 weeks away, I am happy to announce that I have (**finally**) found what I believe to be a fruitful course for us for Advent.



Although I have not watched this series, I am familiar with Dr. Pitre's work, and I have learned much from him. In fact I doubt that this will be the last series from him that we will watch.

The series consists of only 3 classes, 3 videos. However, I have no doubt that they will be packed with helpful insights because each video is 90-minutes in length. So, *please be aware that each class will last from 90-120 minutes*, video + discussion, longer than previous classes have lasted. With that heads up, I will state that I have no doubt that these few hours will help us pass a very fruitful Advent season as we focus on one part of God's plan for our salvation as it unfolds. We call this part of His plan for our salvation "Advent."

We do have enough time to complete this brief course before the start of Advent. With that goal in mind, let us meet on 3 Tuesdays, November 12, November 19, and November 26 at 6:30 PM in St. Anthony's Parish Center in the center cafeteria.

There is a signup sheet at the main entrance at St. Anthony Church and another signup sheet in the parish office. You may also sign up by phoning the parish office. And as always for these courses here, there's no cost for this. It's a privilege to be able to offer these courses for the care, the strengthening of our mind and our soul.

-Fr. Michael

## WEEKLY SCHEDULE

### Sunday, November 3

**THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Dt 6:2-6 / Heb 7:23-28 / Mk 12:28b-34

Vocation Intention - Spirituality Year Seminarians

7:00 a.m. St. Anthony Mass Holy Souls

8:00 a.m. Sacred Heart Mass +Morgan Burns

9:00 a.m. St. Anthony Mass Deceased members of  
Legion of Mary

10:00 a.m. St. Catherine Mass +Peggy Zink

12:00 p.m. St. Anthony Sp Mass Parishioners of all 3  
Parishes

### Monday, November 4 – Office Closed

**Saint Charles Borromeo, Bishop**

Phil 2:1-4 / Lk 14:12-14

Vocational Intention - 1st & 2nd Year Philosophy Seminarians

12:00 p.m. St. Anthony Mass Archbishop Chaput

### Tuesday, November 5

Phil 2:5-11 / Lk 14:15-24

Vocational Intention - 1st & 2nd Year Theology Seminarian Pts

5:00 p.m. Liturgy of the Hours—Associates of the Sisters  
of St. Francis-All welcome (lift door - Parish Center)

5:30 p.m. St. Anthony Mass +Bill, +Jody, +Dan Etl

7:00 p.m. Bingo - Knights of Columbus Hall

### Wednesday, November 6

Phil 2:12-18 / Lk 14:25-33

Vocational Intention - 3rd & 4th Year Theology Seminarians

9:00 a.m. Legion of Mary (lift door - Parish Center)

12:00 p.m. St. Anthony Mass +Anita Kiolbasa

### Thursday, November 7

Phil 3:3-8a / Lk 15:1-10

Vocation Intention – Vocations Ministry

12:00 p.m. St. Anthony Mass +Harold Unrein

### Friday, November 8

Phil 3:17—4:1 / Lk 16:1-8

Vocation Intention - Pastoral Year Seminarians

12:00 p.m. St. Anthony Mass +Vera Samber

### Saturday, November 9

**The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica**

Phil 3:17—4:1 / Lk 16:1-8

Vocation Intention - 1st & 2nd Year College Seminarians

8:00 a.m. St. Anthony Mass +Merrie Armstrong

5:00 p.m. St. Anthony Mass +Marge McDonnell

### Sunday, November 10

**THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

1 Kgs 17:10-16 / Heb 9:24-28 / Mk 12:38-44

Vocation Intention - Spirituality Year Seminarians

7:00 a.m. St. Anthony Mass +Bill Manuella

8:00 a.m. St. Catherine Mass +Albert & +Angie  
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9:00 a.m. St. Anthony Mass Deceased members of  
Catholic Daughters

10:00 a.m. Sacred Heart Mass +Jack Hume

12:00 p.m. St. Anthony Sp Mass Parishioners of all 3  
parishes



If you or someone you know is struggling & would like to talk to a counselor, St. Raphael Counseling is there to help. They are in Denver, at (720)377-1359, and can schedule a free consultation.

**Baptism:** Baptism forms are available online at our website: [saintanthonyssterling.org](http://saintanthonyssterling.org). Please complete all forms, including the godparent forms, and return them to the parish office.

**Sacrament of Marriage:** Notify the Parish office eight months in advance of proposed marriage date to allow for adequate preparation.

**Anointing of the Sick:** Please notify the Parish office if someone is ill, homebound, or in need of the sacrament.

**Quinceañera Ministry:** Please call Caroline Lopez 970-522-9438 for any questions or interest in celebration. Notify at least one year in advance of proposed date for adequate preparation.

**St. Anthony Pastoral Council Members:** Eddie Baughman, Cyler Beeson, Mike Ehrmann, Bernice Reed, Mark Unrein, and Bobbi Zen.

**St. Anthony Finance Council Members:** Les Archuleta, David Lorenzo, Ron Marostica, Kristin Nichols, & Adam Rose.

#### Parish Office Hours:

Monday - Friday 8:00 am – Noon, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

**CLOSED 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm**

(970)522-6422

#### Let us remember these sick and suffering:

Card Drury, Margaret Lorie Frick, John & Karen Ertle, Raquel L Serrano, Lisa Ballendir, Sara Wiggitt, Becky Reyes, Jan Cristello, Bill Johnson, Dorothy Dabson, John Loos Sr., Sue Whited

To add someone to the prayer list please contact the parish office at (970)522-6422. Names will remain on the list a minimum of two weeks.



#### St. Anthony of Padua, Sterling

Last week's offertory: \$4,772.48

Maintenance collection: \$995.00

We ask that you PLEASE use a separate check for Maintenance donations as those contributions go into a different bank account. Thank you



CYC-CYB Program

During the fall time change, Sterling firefighters will change batteries in all working smoke and carbon monoxide detectors. They will also test all detectors to ensure they are working correctly. This is a free service provided by SFD for the elderly and disabled residents within the Sterling city limits. If you are interested in this service, please call (970)522-3823.



Remember to turn your clocks back one hour before you go to bed Saturday night. The time falls back one hour at 2:00am Sunday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>.



The church doors of St. Anthony's will be locked no later than 5:00pm daily, except for Tuesday evening Mass.



The parish office will be closed Monday, November 4. We will reopen Tuesday, November 5, at 8:00am.



There's still to buy tickets for the Soup/Chili Supper, Spaghetti Dinner, & drawing tickets. Tickets for all 3 events can be purchased at the door starting Saturday, November 2, after the 5:00pm Mass, in the parish center.



**PARENTS, BRING YOUR KIDS, and BRING THE NEIGHBOR'S KIDS! HAVE YOUR FACE PAINTED, JUMP IN A BOUNCY HOUSE SHAPED LIKE A GUMBALL MACHINE, & PLAY BOUNCY PUTT-PUTT GOLF. ALL FREE! STARTING 10:00am SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3, AT ST. ANTHONY'S ANNUAL BAZAAR.**



Please join us for Holy Hour and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Sunday, November 3, at 3:00pm in Saint Anthony Church.



The Knights of Columbus would like to invite everyone to their Annual Memorial Mass **Thursday, November 7, at 5:30 pm**, in St. Anthony's church. This

Mass is to recognize those members of all 3 parishes who have departed in the last year. A Soup Dinner will be served following the Mass in Hagus Hall. Everyone is welcome & encouraged to attend this beautiful Mass. Please call (970)580-8522 if you would like to attend the supper.



#### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Spend an hour in adoration of Our Lord Jesus. **Beginning after noon Mass at St. Anthony's Friday, November 8, & ending with the start of 8:00 am**

**Mass Saturday, November 9.** To ensure each hourly period is covered, please sign the sheet located at the back of the church.



### St. Catherine of Siena, Iliff

[www.saintcatherinesiliff.org](http://www.saintcatherinesiliff.org)

Last week's collection: \$553.00

Sunday, November 10, 2024 8:00am

Sacristan: Tim

Lector: Pam

Servers: Austin, Bailey, and Ethan

EMHC: Jonna, Naomi, and Peggy

Gift Bearers: Jim and Peggy Lueck

Coffee and Rolls 4th Sunday of the month after Mass

St. Catherine Finance Council: Tim Anderson, Randy Cerk, & Tom Hiss



### Sacred Heart, Deetz

[www.sacredheartpeetz.org](http://www.sacredheartpeetz.org)

Last week's collection: \$2072.00

Sunday, November 10, 2024 10:00 am

Servers: Parker Reker, Colton Sintler, and

Grayson Sintler

Lector: Religious Ed. Students

Gift Bearers: Religious Ed. Students

Sacristan: Melinda

EMHC: Kevin

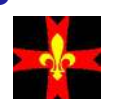
Coffee & Donuts 1st Sunday of the month after Mass

Church Potluck 4th Sunday of the month after Mass

Sacred Heart Fin. Council: R Fehringer, E Gardiner, & P. Schunracher



### Annual Catholic Scouting Retreat



Saturday, November 9, 2024

9:00a to 2:00p

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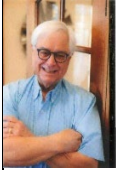
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