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Year A:

4th Sunday in Advent

December 21, 2025

"They shall name him Emmanuel, which means 'God is with us'."

WEEKEND MASSES

St. Margaret

Saturday at 4:00pm

St. Anthony

Sunday at 9:00am

Sacred Heart

Sunday at 11:00am

Christmas Eve

4pm St. Anthony

(Children's Pageant before Mass)

7pm St. Margaret "Midnight Mass"

Christmas Day

9am Sacred Heart

WEEKDAY MASSES

No weekday Masses or
adoration this week.

See Christmas
schedule

Only if people change will the world change; and in order to change, people need the light that comes from God, the light which so unexpectedly (on the night of Christmas) entered into our night.

Benedict XVI - Homily at Mass for the solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord, December 25, 2008

Calendar of Events & Mass Intentions:

Saturday, December 20th

8:30-9:30am Confessions at St. Anthony
3:30pm St. Margaret Confession
4pm St. Margaret Mass, Int: Mary Wnuk

Sunday, December 21st

8:30am St. Anthony Confession
9:00am St. Anthony Mass, Int: Bob Beauchamp
10:00am rehearsal for Christmas Pageant

Please stay to help decorate for Christmas

11:00am Sacred Heart Mass, Int: For the people

Monday, December 22nd

Tuesday, December 23rd

12-3pm Dawn's office hours

Wednesday, December 24th

3:30pm Children's Christmas Pageant
4pm St. A Christmas Eve Mass Int: Bill Moreau Family
7pm St. Margaret "Midnight Mass" Int:

Thursday, December 25th (office closed)

9am Sacred Heart Christmas Mass, Int: For the People

Friday, December 26th

Saturday, December 27th

8:30-9:30am Confessions at St. Anthony
3:30pm St. Margaret Confession
4pm St. Margaret Mass, Int: Sandy Grandaw

Sunday, December 28th

8:30am St. Anthony Confession
9:00am St. Anthony Mass, Int: Choppers Moreau
11:00am Sacred Heart Mass, Int: For the People

Monday, December 29th

Tuesday, December 30th

12-3pm Dawn's office hours
12:30pm St. Anthony Mass, Int: Corey Brinkman

Wednesday, December 31st - Vigil to Holy Day

4:30pm Adoration, 5pm Confession
5:30pm St. Anthony Mass Int: For the People

Thurs, January 1st - Holy Day: Mary, Mother of God

9:00am St. Margaret Mass, Int:

Friday, January 2nd - Welcome Fr. Mark

8:30am Confessions
9:00am St. Margaret Mass, Int:

Candle Intentions for St. Anthony

Infant Prague - Special Intention
Infant Prague - Earl Rugg Sr.
Sacred Heart - Don Gunville
Mary - Leola Sweig, Eunice Glaser, & Doris
Nabbefelt

Candle Intentions for St. Margaret

Child of Prague candles lit for the Walters family ^(3/28)
Blessed Virgin Mary Candles lit in memory of
Mary Wnuk

STAFF

Pastor: Fr. Joe Dorner
Accountant: Cain Accounting
Secretary & RE Coord: Dawn Johnson, 251-1773
RE Assistant: Donna Henrichs
St A Maintenance: Ken Walenski
St A cleaning person: Veronica Church
St Margaret Secretary: Jenn Cofta
St Margaret Maintenance: Don Cofta
St M Trustees: Andy VandenBush & Ed Nowland
SH Trustees: Jim Carncross & Elise Neuens
St A Trustees: Tony Noska & Judy Parent

GROUP MINISTRIES

- Karen's Pantry Contact Teresa: 906.239.4662
- Prayer Shawl Ministry - 1st Wed at 10am
(SUMMERS OFF) Call Cindy Pilon 920.851.7316
SACCW - Pres. Laura Brinkman 906.869.8868.
Next meeting is March 2nd 2026 at 5:30pm Weather permitting. Mass intention for Jo Nordell is 3/22/25
- K of C - 2nd Monday of month @ 7pm in rectory.
Use the southwest entrance of the church
- Councils - next mtg: January 6th 1:30pm St.
Margaret and 6pm at St. Anthony (for ST A and Sacred Heart)

Pray for those in need

Mary Mitchem, Shirley Geiser, Barry R,
Christopher C, Andy Vanden Bush, Butch Rugg,
Richard Rugg, Myles Rugg, Jimmy Harper, John
Berry, Myah Hood, Jim Butzler, Laurie Morin,
Roberta Vondall, Jimmy Farrington, Donna
Moreau, Mike Michaud, Kim Geib, Kaydence
Gilbert, June Anderson, Nick DalSanto, Mary
Stewart, Blake Fleury, Mark Endres, John Geib,
Peter N., Lucinda Simone, Diane Rock, David
Rock Sr., Geri Scheidt, Nathan Glime & family,
Elias Zarate, Riley Lestrud, Elijah, Duke family,
Neil Anderson, Christopher Schoon, Jenna Erno,
Dan Wetzler, Eric Frantz, Keri Rugg, Steve Keeley,
Debbie Ziebert, Kelly Jean Rose-Lehto, Trish
Gardiner, Robin Rugg, June Uren, Marcie & Jim
Crandall, Dick Doucette, Bonnie Nowland, Tom
Balthazor, Jana Wood, Kathy Martin, Connor
Wallace, Bob Butler, Robert Walters, Jody Wall,
Roger Karban, Dan Hughes, Eric Kellings, Barb
Schultz

Nursing home: Terry & Cheri Sweig; Kathy &
Gerald Kallenbach, Gail Prudhomme, Donna
Weber, Helen Kuchinski

Please keep our soldiers in your prayers: Sarah
Mills, David Phillips, Emily Phillips, Ben Garvaglia
Please call Rose for intentions 715-251-3249

Weekly Bible Reading for Mass:

Sun the 22nd: Psalter IV, Advent Week 4.

Mic 5:1-4; Ps 80:1-19; Heb 10:5-10; Lk 1:39-45

Mon the 23rd: (John of Kanty, priest.)

Mal 3:1-4:6; Ps 25:4-14; Lk 1:57-66

Tue the 24th: 2 Sam 7:1-16; Lk 1:67-79

Vig: Is62:1-5; Ps89:4-29; Act13:16-25; Mt1:1-25

Wed the 25th: Solemnity of Christmas.

Mdnt: Is9:1-6; Ps96:1-13; Tit 2:11-14; Lk 2:1-14

AM: Is62:11-12; Ps97:1-12; Tit 3:4-7; Lk2:15-20

Day: Is 52:7-10; Ps 98:1-6; Heb 1:1-6; Jn 1:1-18

Thu the 26th: Feast of Stephen, first martyr.

Acts 6:8-10, 7:54-59; Ps 31:3-17; Mt 10:17-22

Fri the 27th: John, apostle and evangelist.

1 John 1:1-4; Ps 97:1-12; Jn 20:1-8

Sat the 28th: Feast of Holy Innocents, martyrs.

1 John 1:5-2:2; Ps 124:1-8; Mt 2:13-18

SACCW wishes to thank everyone who participated in and purchased items from our Bake Sale. Thanks to all of you we raised \$750.00 towards the winter utilities for St Anthony. We will be looking to hold a spring Bake Sale after Easter. Thanks & God Bless!

HEATING at ST. ANTHONY: thank you SACCW for the help with our heating bills. It is greatly appreciated. On average St. Anthony Parish pays \$2,200 per month in heating bills over the 6 months of winter.

BULLETIN AD: If anyone would like an ad or remembrance in the bulletin, please contact Dawn or Jenn. The fee is \$200 for a dbl block, \$100 for a snl block, and \$50 for a ½ block

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will host a 9-pin bowling tournament on January 17th at Uptown Lanes. There will be 3 flights starting at 12 pm, 3pm and 6pm. For more information, please contact Bob Burton. In our annual Christmas giving meeting the Knights made monetary donations to Karen's Pantry, Pastor Fred's, St. Anthony's, St. Margaret's, Sacred Heart, St. Mary's, Maryhill Manor, The Caring House, and St. Vincent DePaul. The Knight of the month is Andy Herman and the family of the month is Fran and Andy Herman for all the work they do for the Knights' Christmas Party.

CHRISTMAS DECORATING at St. Anthony will take place after Mass on December 21st. Please stick around to help!

Check out St. Margaret's Christmas tree on the corner of Hwy 141 & 8. It is the most northern tree on Hwy 141, decorated in all green lights and with a North Star tree topper. You are welcome to pull in and take a walk around all the beautiful trees decorated by area businesses and churches.

Mother and Daughter Retreat 2026

When: Friday, January 23 - Saturday, January 24 for **Ages:** 5-8

When: Friday, March 6 - Saturday, March 7
Ages: 9-13

Where: Zechariah House in Kaukauna, WI

Cost: \$325 per Mother & Daughter team, which includes lodging, snacks, meals, project materials, and keepsakes.

Elizabeth Ministry offers these special retreats as one way to encourage Mothers and Daughters to invest their time, energy and focus on their relationship by creating a meaningful connection and making special memories. It's an amazing way to strengthen a beautiful relationship with fun and faith-filled experiences.

Sacrificial Giving

Fiscal Year to Date (as of 11/30/25)

Not including income for special projects

	Budgeted expenses	Actual Income	With grant	W/O grant
St. A	\$57,376.00	\$51,779.73	12%	-10%
SH	\$15,136.00	\$12,389.83	7%	-18%
St. M	\$29,592.54	\$27,841.70	20%	-6%

FAMILY CATECHESIS GRANT: St.

Anthony Parish was awarded \$3000 to help our families with young children raise these youngsters in the Faith and find a welcome home at St. Anthony. Part of this means you will be seeing some additional furniture and toys to help our young people experience Jesus at their level of understanding (and height). If you have any additional ideas to assist in this project, please let Dawn know.

**In Loving
Memory of:
Pat & Kathy
Recla**

**Deceased
Members
of the
Brinkman
Family**



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of:
Lyman &
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715-251-4714

**In Memory of the
Deceased Members
of
Kadulski Family**

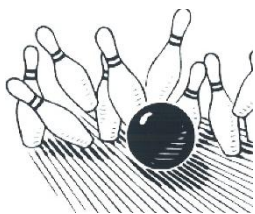
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Friday Fish Fry
700 IRON ST. NORWAY, MI 49870
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**In Loving Memory of
Phyllis Willis**



Knights of Columbus Fundraiser

At Uptown Lanes – Niagara, WI



9-pin Bowling
Tournament
4-person

Saturday, January 17th, 2026

12pm, 3pm, and 6pm

Sign up at Uptown Lanes
1202 Roosevelt Rd. Niagara, WI
715-251-1700

\$30 per bowler per event
(covers bowling & shoes)

*Cash Prizes *

All proceeds go to the Knights of Columbus #2847

AA Serenity Group Wednesday 7:30pm at St.
Margaret Parish Call Don 715-929-0011

**In loving memory of
George Bousley**

**In Loving Memory of
Jim & Mary
Parent**

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