



St. Anthony Catholic Church

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Pastor • Fr. Charles Klamut



3RD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

*Go and tell John
what you hear and see*

December 14, 2025 • Third Sunday of Advent

Mass Intentions

Saturday, December 13

4:30 pm Marilyn Sullivan
By Bud Sullivan

Sunday, December 14

9:00 am Mike Cobratti
By Sue Cobratti

11:30 am The People of the Parish

Monday, December 15

No Mass

Tuesday, December 16

5:00 pm Tina Duke
By Bud Sullivan

Wednesday, December 17

7:30am Dave Fisher
By Rick & Jan Martindale

Thursday, December 18

7:30 am Jeff Langfels
By Kevin Cassidy

Friday, December 19

7:30 am Nadia Tysban
By Cam & Mike Lahart

Saturday, December 20

4:30 pm Bill Rogers
By Mary Rogers

Sunday, December 21

9:00 am Diane Willis
By the Ladies of St. Ann's

11:30 am The People of the Parish

Advent Prayer

Third Week of Advent: Joy

Prayer to Light the Candle

God of Goodness, we ask you to bless our Advent Wreath, and that the sharing of our gifts at this time may be a source of joy. Amen.

Closing Prayer

Lord, your angel announced to the shepherds that the Messiah had been born and gave them as a "sign" to find him: "an infant wrapped in swaddling clothes and lying in a manger." Filled with joy, they went to seek you. Today, you give us as a sign of your presence our sisters and brothers who are hungry, thirsty and seeking refuge. Help us to reach them with the joy of shepherds. Amen

Stretch & Pray

Meets every Monday at 10am Parish Center.

Knights of Columbus

Monday, December 22nd 6:00pm Parish Center.

Church Decorating

This weekend

Sunday, December 14, following the 11:30 Mass

Mary Ann's Chili, goodies and refreshments follow.

55+ Club

Meeting and lunch

Monday, Dec. 15th at 11:30am Parish Center.

Caregiver Support

Tuesday, December 16th, 1:00pm in the Center.

Sacrament of Healing Mass

Anointing offered after the Homily at all

Masses this weekend.

Men's Group

Saturday, December 20th, 7:00am, Rectory

Save Around Books

These coupon books make wonderful

Christmas gifts and Stocking stuffers!

See Bev Stender or stop in the office.

First Friday Adoration

Friday, January 2, 2026 after 7:30 am Mass

Anima Christi

Communion Antiphon for Advent/Christmas

Translation of Anima Christi found in Breaking Bread, page 326

Anima Christi, sanctifica me; Corpus Christi,
salva me;
Sanguis Christi, inebria me; Aqua lateris
Christi, salva me.



ST. ANTHONYS

YOUTH GROUP

*Christmas
Party*

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STARTING ON DEC 7TH



December 14, 2025 •

DEC 20TH

2:30PM - 4:30PM



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TO 4:30 MASS AFTER!!
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FUN,
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&
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Questions Call Carolyn
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Simbang Gabi Mass: Day 8

Sunday, December 21

5pm

St. Anthony, Bartonville

Father Charles Klamut

This Novena of Masses before Christmas is one of the oldest Christmas traditions in the Philippines, and has been practiced by Filipino Communities here in the U.S.

This year, 2025, is the fourth year of Simbang Gabi in Peoria, thanks in large part to Peoria's Bishop Louis Tylka (who participated in this religious custom at his former parish in Chicago) and the Franciscan Apostolic Sisters (reviving a tradition which was last observed in Peoria in 2007).

Since there are Filipinos who belong to the different parishes in the Peoria area, Bishop Lou wanted the Masses to be celebrated in different churches to mobilize the community and invite other parishioners.

The Simbang Gabi Novena will begin at the Cathedral of St. Mary with the first Mass (Sunday, December 14).



Goodies from the Women's Club

Cones...

The Women's Club is selling hot chocolate cones (\$3 each) and cheese spread (\$7 per container) after all weekend Masses, while supplies last. The cones make great stocking stuffers and the cheese spread adds to any holiday table. Look for us in the gathering space!

AND...

Cookies...

It wouldn't be Christmas without cookies! The Women's Club is selling plates of cookies for \$5 each at all Masses this weekend, while they last. We know you'll enjoy the treats, all donated by our generous parishioners! Stop by the gathering space after Mass to purchase yours. The Women's Club appreciates your support and generosity!

Our happiest times are those in which we forget ourselves, usually in being kind to someone else.

That tiny moment of self-abdication is an act of true humility: the man who loses himself finds himself and finds his happiness.

Fulton J. Sheen

Youth Faith Formation Updates

December 14 Classes (Teacher meeting 11:30)
December 21 Family Christmas Celebration
December 28 No Classes

Register for 2025-2026 Faith Formation classes at vbspro.events/p/ffsta25-26 OR scan the QR code.



Parish Contributions

11/24/2025 Through 11/30/2025

Sunday **\$4058.00**
Capital Improvements **\$5.00**
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Building on Hope • Capital Campaign Update

We are over 80% of the way to our goal! If you have not yet made a pledge, we ask that you prayerfully consider supporting these two worthy projects. Please remember that all contributions, including one-time gifts, bring us closer to meeting our goal. If you are unable to contribute financially at this time, we ask for your prayers for the success of the campaign.

As of November 25th

Amount Pledged **\$441,210**
Pledge Payments/Donations Received **\$259,887**
Number of Donors **85**

Sacraments and Worship

Mass Times

Saturday 4:30 pm
Sunday 9:00 am & 11:30 am
Monday No Mass
Tuesday 5:00 pm
Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 7:30 am
Holy Days of Obligation 7:00 am & 7:00 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:30 - 4:15 pm

Infant Baptism

At weekend liturgies or by appointment.

Sacrament of Matrimony

By Appointment Six Months in Advance.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Available at the Parish prior to elective surgery by request.

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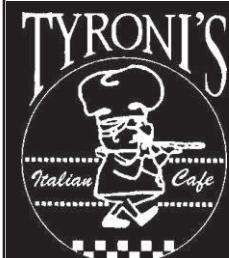
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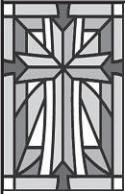
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