



THE CATHOLIC CHURCHES OF ST. ANTHONY *and* SEVEN DOLORS



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Cycle's of Faith

14th Sunday on Ordinary Time

In some parts of the world, irrigating fields to ensure a reasonable harvest has always been a difficult task. Water does not like to move uphill. It needs to be forced in that direction. By the second century BC, innovations in irrigation technology led to the widespread use of the Persian wheel, which employed animals-often oxen-to move water. Yoked to an arm that turned a wheel fitted to a cog that moved the lift buckets, the oxen could be made to walk around and around all day. If needed, anyone could be fitted to the yoke to ensure the flow of water for the survival of the crops.

The Gospel this weekend speaks of an easy yoke and a light burden. Jesus invites those who are burdened to come to him and to learn meekness and humbleness of heart. The followers of Jesus are lifelong learners as they uncover an ever deeper understanding of what it means to be a disciple. Jesus is the teacher who continuously reveals the Father to those who come to him. And the yoke that one accepts is not the burden of the law of the Pharisees, but the easy yoke of life in Christ.

This is the difference between those oxen who turn a Persian wheel and the disciple of Christ. The oxen go round and round all the day long. Their circular path is never ending and though they walk the whole day, they do not go anywhere. Their labor is productive, but not life-changing. The disciple who takes on the yoke of Christ accepts his invitation to walk with him. In doing so, we take on the burden of learning from Christ. Think back to the Eight Beatitudes we heard so many months ago. Those eight precepts are the law that Jesus expects his followers to live under, the yoke that we take on in our Christian lives. The beatitudes are the wellspring that nurtures our lives. ©2011 Liturgical Publications Inc



"Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am meek and humble of heart; and you will find rest for yourselves. For my yoke is easy, and my burden light." – **Mt 11:28-30**

Mass Schedule

Monday, July 4

7:30 am † Wallace Klimmek
† Marcella Traeger (SD)

Tuesday, July 5

7:30 am † Ted Silvers
† Jeanette Mader (SD)

Wednesday, July 6

7:30 am † Marie Lauer
† Ruth Klemmer (SD)

Thursday, July 7

8:30 am St. Anthony Christian Mothers &
Women and Men's Holy Name
Society (SA)

Friday, July 8

7:30 am † John Weivoda
Living & †† Deceased of Adam
& Catherine Mergen Family (SD)

Saturday, July 9

7:30 am † Florence Pauly
† Dolores Fischer (SD)
5:00 pm † William Schwinghammer Anniv.
† Wayne Schiffler &
† Shirlie Wensmann (SD)

Sunday, July 10

8:30 am † David Vogel
† Melvin Vos
For the Parishes of St. Anthony
& Seven Dolors (SA)
10:30 am † Veronica Gresser
† Jeremy Fieke Anniversary (SD)

Readings for the Week

Week of July 3, 2011

Sun: Zec 9:9-10/Rom 8:9, 11-13/Mt 11:25-30
Mon: Gn 28:10-22a/Mt 9:18-26
Tues: Gn 32:23-33/Mt 9:32-38
Wed: Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a/Mt 10:1-7
Thurs: Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5/Mt 10:7-15
Fri: Gn 46:1-7, 28-30/Mt 10:16-23
Sat: Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a/Mt 10:24-33
Sun: Is 55:10-11/Rom 8:18-23/Mt 13:1-23 or 13:1-9



Events Calendar

July

No Seven Dolors Parish Council Meeting in July
Mon. July 18: St. Joseph & St. Ann's Fish Fry @ North Lake Pk JC Shelter
No Knights of Columbus Meeting in July or August

August

Sat. Aug. 6th: Albany Heritage Day ~ Grand Parade at 7pm
Sun. Aug. 7th: Seven Dolors Bazaar. 10:30 Polka Mass, 11am Dinner



Wedding Banns

III Jeanette Gondringer & Andrew Nienaber
II Emily Moschkau & Christopher Utecht
I Shari Herzog & Preston Thom

Seven Dolers Parish Festival **Sunday, August 7**

\$10 DINNER DONATION

An envelope is in the "Third Quarter"—July 3rd donation envelope set for the \$10 bazaar dinner donation. Many area churches still ask for specific items to be donated for the bazaar dinner; this eliminates that method and allows the dinner chairladies to buy what is needed. Dinner donation envelopes will also be available in the gathering area.

To make things easier for our callers (and if you don't want to be interrupted by a reminder phone call) please return your dinner donation envelope by Monday, July 18th.

Volunteers needed: In a few weeks we will begin making reminder phone calls about the \$10 dinner donation. If you could help call a group of about 20 people please let Sheela Arceneau know 845-7082 or sheela@albanytel.com

We are in an ODD year, you will be asked to bring: A-L 1 cake (for the cake walk). M-Z 2 pies (for the dinner and pie & ice cream stand). Thank you!

RAFFLE CHANCEBOOKS ARE READY!

Raffle chancebooks are ready and in the gathering area. Additional books can be picked up at the parish office, Apollo Ins, or the Credit Union.

The RAFFLE is the main money maker for the bazaar, please pick up your book. Your sold book may be dropped off at the parish office, put in the Sunday collection or on the day of the bazaar dropped off at the chancebook stand by 6:00pm. In order to comply with "gambling regulations" each ticket is consecutively numbered, the cover & label must remain on the book and ALL unsold books MUST be returned. For those who like to return your books at the "last minute" remember the drawing will be held at 6:00pm.

HELP NEEDED, please call Edna at 845-2343

* Co-chair(s) for the parish center kitchen, please call Edna.

Ordering your Pies & Cakes

The Albany Home Bakery and Amby's are now taking orders for your bazaar pies and cakes; and they will deliver them that Sunday morning too. Please call them or stop in at the store to pre-order. Thank you.

ADVERTISING—THANK YOU

We would like to THANK the following people for volunteering to hanging up the bazaar posters in a few weeks: Tom & Laurel Enneking, George & Cordella Meier, Julie Kleve, Jack & Char Petermeier, Charlene Ohmann, Tony & Geri Lenneman and Ray & Karleen Tomsche Extra bazaar posters are on the table in the gathering area. Please feel free to take and hang up a few posters if you are traveling! Thanks again, Jim & Joyce Wimmer

COUNTRY STORE:

Cash donations and miscellaneous items are now being accepted for the Country Store. Food items, girl and boy toys, school supplies, pencil boxes, knick knacks, Avon & Mary Kay products, jewelry, kitchen supplies, craft and snack items, beanie babies, new and lightly used stuffed toys/animals, jams & jellies, etc. Items may be dropped off at "Amps" in Albany until July 30th. Fresh garden produce & plants may be dropped off at the Country Store the morning of the bazaar. For more information please call the Country Store Chairperson—Kelly Spanier. 320-293-4335

FANCY WORK / CRAFT STAND:

Items needed: Any homemade craft item, baby quilts, crocheted items, doilies, rugs, pillows, any hand-made item. Please call Shirley 845-4533, Florentine 845-2634 or Betty 845-2903.

CHILDREN'S GAMES / STAND:

We are looking for workers – Students completing 4th grade and older are encouraged to call Lisa at 845-4828. If you have new stuffed animals (or gently used) or small toys (like Happy Meal toys) the Children's stand could use those too! Please drop toys off at the parish office.



“Life is a Circus”

Looking for some fun this summer? Come join us planning & building a float (or two) for the Albany Heritage Day Parade! The theme this year is “Life is a Circus”. All ages are welcome to help in the planning, decorating and/or be on the float, too. This is a service hour opportunity :) Please call Joan at the parish office 845-2705.

Golden Jubilee Invitation

Celebrating 50 years as a Benedictine Sister; Sister Marlene Schwinghammer will celebrate her Golden Jubilee on Sunday, July 24, 2011. She is a member of the Sisters of the Order of Saint Benedict in St. Joseph. There is an open house reception provided by her family at Pelican Lake Ballroom, 18419 County Road 154, Avon, Minn., between 2 and 5 p.m. A Eucharistic celebration will be held at Sacred Heart Chapel at the monastery on Sunday, July 17, at 10:30 a.m. for all sisters celebrating their golden jubilee. We hope you can join us at the open house in celebrating Sister Marlene's 50 years of religious life.

SCRIP @ Holy Family School

Scrip will be available to purchase this summer on Wednesday mornings from the school office. Orders can also be placed by e-mailing the school office at hfamils@albanytel.com leaving a phone message or placing your order in the church collection.

Fatima Pilgrim Statue

The traveling Fatima Pilgrim statue of our Blessed Mother is at the home of Clarence & Jean Enneking. To reserve the statue in your home, please call 845-4092.

Please Pray For...

.... all who are sick in our community, especially Tony Cherne, Noah Stich, Conrad Locnikar, Duane Eiynek, Laurel Enneking, Ken Gaebel, Tom Hoeschen and Delores Rolfes.

Please keep Marcy Lemke and Family in your prayers—Marcy passed away on Thursday, June 23rd. Her Funeral Mass was on Monday, June 27th. To add a name to the prayer line, please call the office 845-2705.

Rosary Leaders

July

4-9: Georine Andersen & Donna Schneider
11-16: Mary Ann Groetsch & Millie Ebensteiner
18-23: Rollie & Tillie Gilk
25-30: Ralph Lauer & Andy Blenker

Friday Eucharistic Adoration

Every Friday at Seven Dolers Church. You are welcome any time Friday from 8am-6pm.

Current Funeral Group: #7

Happy Independence
Day!



Sacrament of Baptism

Our parish community of faith welcomes its newest members and congratulates the parents & families of: the newly baptized.

After all the people had been baptized and Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, heaven was opened and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. - Luke 3:21-22a



Devon Keith Bueckers, Son of Rodney & Krista
Logan Austin Hanson, Son of Cory & Lori
Aubrey Ann Ramler, Daughter of Christopher & Amy
Kaiser Josef Ramseyer, Son of Christopher & Betti
Caiden Kyle Rheame, Son of Kyle & Jessica
Nathen Clyde Gahlon-Sand, Son of Scott & Danielle
Savannah Rose Schiffler, Daughter of Robby & Judith
Dakota Jo Schneider Son of Billy & Rachel
Chloe Mae Silbernack, Daughter of Eric & Brianna
Issac Kenneth Smith, Son of Jeremiah & Rebecca
Lola Mae Spsychala, Daughter of Jason & Cassandra



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Saint Anthony Liturgical Roles

Sunday, July 10

Servers

8:30 am Tanya Rehkamp & Travis Rehkamp



Lector

8:30 am David Stueve

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

8:30 am Dean Goebel, Jeff Goebel, Matt Jensen & Mary Stich

Sacristan

8:30 am Matt/Lisa Jensen

Gift Bearers

8:30 am John & Marie Klasen

Ushers

8:30 am Jim Rehkamp & Chris Breth

Please Pray For...

all who are sick in our parish especially Tony Cherne, Mary Geise, Joe Gerads and Lindsey Karki.

Thank You!

Thank you to the Albany Mutual Telephone Foundation for awarding St. Anthony Church a grant in the amount of \$14,146.50.

Current Funeral Group: #5

Religious Ed. Coordinator for St. Anthony Parish

Marlene Ramacher has decided to step down as Religious Education Coordinator for St. Anthony Parish. I sincerely thank Marlene for being the coordinator for the last five years; she will continue to teach in the program. St. Anthony Parish is in need of a Religious Education Coordinator. The job is, for the most part, organizational (recruiting teachers, choosing textbooks, coordinating schedules and some activities with Seven Dolors Parish, keeping attendance, etc). There is a small stipend connected with the work.

The religious education of our young people is a vital ministry of the parish. It would be desirable, but not necessary, that the Coordinator be a member of the parish. Please contact Fr. Michael if you are interested in doing this important work.

reduce stress, support others and find support and friendship. This class is free unless you want to keep the book or the relaxation CD. The suggested donation is \$10 each. Call 746-9960 to register.

Madonna Statue

At the Melrose/Sauk Centre Deanery meeting St. Anthony Parish was chosen to receive the traveling Madonna Statue. This statue moves to a different parish in the deanery every 6 months. If any parishioner would like to have it in their home for private devotion, call Sue at 845-2821.



Vacation and Early Bulletin Deadline

Kim will be out of the office July 19th-25th. Bulletin announcements for the July 24th bulletin need to be in by 8AM on Monday, July 18th.



C O M M U N I T Y N E W S & I N T E R E S T S

Parish Festival

Sunday, July 10: Saint Benedict in Avon. Masses at 8 & 10AM. Family fun, live music, games and food. Quilt Auction at 2:30PM, followed by Mark Kurtz Chain-saw Sculptures Auction. Raffle drawing at 7PM, grand prize \$1,000.



Joe Rieland Benefit Friday, July 8th

Benefit for Joe is Friday, July 8th from 4pm-8:30pm at Paul's Par-A-Dice. Joe is from New Munich and was diagnosed with brain cancer in June of 2006.

Marriage Encounter Weekend

Are you looking to enrich your relationship with your spouse? Put life back into your loving relationship by attending a Marriage Encounter weekend at the St. Francis Center in Little Falls! For over 30 years St. Cloud Marriage Encounter has enriched thousands of marriages in Minnesota. The next weekend will be held on October 15-16, 2011 this fall. To get further information please call 320-252-3220 or on the internet: <http://stcloudme.org>

Seven Dolors Liturgical Roles
Saturday, July 9 & Sunday, July 10



Servers

5:00 pm Nicole Sabrowsky & Lauren Seibert
 10:30 am Andrew & Samuel Scherping

Lectors

5:00 pm David Schneider
 10:30 am Mike & Diane Noll

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

5:00 pm Fr. Michael OSB, Team 3 Leader: Tillie Gilk, Rollie Gilk, Carol Bloch, Sue Shay, Lois Reber, Larry Mareck Hank & Beth Springer
 10:30 am Fr. Michael OSB, Team 4 Leader: Diane Noll, Bev Lieser, JoAnne Ricker, Keith, Roxane & Holly Pundsack, Lowell Rushmeyer, Stephanie Loecken

Sacristans

5:00 pm Lois Reber
 10:30 am Linda Toenies
 Candles Larry Mareck

Gift Bearers

5:00 pm Glen & Stacy Birr Family
 10:30 am Leon & Linda Toenies Family

Ushers

5:00 pm Dan Weber, Judy Weitalla, Gerald Sand, Mark Klemmer
 10:30 am Rick Tamm, Loren Pelzer, Steve & Josh Pelzer

Seven Dolors Shut-in Eucharistic Ministers

Tillie Gilk and Carol Bloch
 Jean Enneking—Hospital and Rosie Zimmerman—Mercy Manor

Pastor Fr. Michael Naughton, OSB

St. Anthony Church

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Parish Secretary,

Kim Fish (M, T, W) 9:00 am

Bookkeeper

Janice Wuebkers Tuesdays 2:00 pm

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 Website www.sevendolors-stanthony.org

Holy Family School Principal,

Bonnie Massmann.....845-2011

Faith Formation Coordinator,

Sister Alice Imdieke, OSB.....Office 845-4335
 Home 845-2454

Bookkeeper/Parish Secretary,

Joan Sand.....845-2705

Shut-In Eucharistic Ministry Coordinator

Carol Schwinghamer.....845-7310
 Rosie Zimmerman845-2366

Parish Nurse,

Cindy Nienaber845-4046

Parish Accompanist/

Director of Music Ministries,

Karen Heitzman.....845-2755

St. Cloud Diocese

WebSite..... www.stclouddiocese.org

Rosary Schedule

Seven Dolors: Monday-Saturday (prior to 7:30 am Mass);
 Tuesday 10:00 am (Scripture)

St. Anthony: Thursday (prior to 8:30 am Mass)

Confessions

St. Anthony: Sunday before 8:30 am Mass

Seven Dolors: Saturday 4:00 pm
 Thursday (before 1st Friday) 4:00 pm

Baptism

St. Anthony: Contact the Parish Office

Seven Dolors: 1st & 3rd Sunday; contact the Parish Office

Marriage

Six months preparation required; contact the Pastor.

Anointing of the Sick

Please have a family member contact the Pastor or Parish Office.

Shut-Ins

Communion, Sacrament of the Sick, Pastoral Visitation:
 We want to know your pastoral needs. Please have a family member contact the parish office.

Bulletin Deadline

Wednesday 8:00 am. Please send your announcement to the St. Anthony office 845-2416, (fax) 845-2414 or stanthony@albanytel.com. *Thank you!*

New Parishioners

If you would like to become a member of one of our parishes please call the Parish Office at 320-845-2416 or 320-845-2705.

St. Anthony Stewardship

Due to an early bulletin deadline, stewardship for July 26th will be posted in next Sunday's bulletin.

Seven Dolors Stewardship

June 25 & 26

Adult (182 envelopes) \$4,439.25
 Youth (11 envelopes) \$9.18
 Plate \$243.89
 TOTAL \$4,692.32

\$5,754 is needed weekly to help balance our budget. We ask all of our 800+ families to be generous. Thank you for your support. Our fiscal year ended June 30, 2011. Average for this fiscal year was \$5,105.73 a difference of \$648.27. It doesn't seem like a lot, but when multiplied by 52 weeks that is a difference of \$33,710.04.

Special Collections

Preserving Our Past-Securing Our Future
 Pledges..... \$1,847,416.60
 Actual Income.. \$1,808,578.76 + 1,674.00 = \$1,810,252.76
 POP/SOF Loan (\$476,410.16)
 Maintenance & Repair \$2,300
 Cemetery Fund Balance \$360
 St. Cloud Visitor (188 subscriptions) \$3,525

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