

# Catholic Church

Camdenton, MO  
November 27, 2011

## Sunday of Advent

Isaiah 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7 (2B); 1 Corinthians 1:3-9; Mark 13:33-37



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### Weekend Mass Times

Sat. 3:00 pm—Our Lady of Snows-Climax Springs  
Saturday 5:30 p.m.  
Sunday 7:30 & 9:00 a.m.  
11:00 am—St. Bernadette—Hermitage

Weekday Masses 8:30 a.m. Tues. thru Fri.  
11:00 am Wed. & Fri. - Hermitage

### Parish Office Hours:

Monday 10:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
Tues. thru Thurs. 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
Friday 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
Bulletin Deadline: Wed., 12:00 p.m.

### **PARISH MISSION STATEMENT**

St. Anthony's Catholic Church is a parish family following the footsteps of Christ. We are a community of faith committed to worship, education and service to others while making God's love real to those in need here in the lake area. (Newly revised by Parish Council)

### **SPANISH MASS & DEVOTIONS**

Rosary Novena for Our Lady of Guadalupe  
travel to homes and then to Church

Dec. 4 - 5:30 pm Rosary - 6:30 pm Mass

Dec. 11 - 5:30 pm Rosary - 6:30 pm Mass  
Vigiling & Prayers at Midnight *Mananitas*

Dec. 18 - 6:30 pm Mass



### **FROM OUR BISHOP ...**

My Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ! It is with great expectation and hope that the Lord Jesus again gathers us together as His People this Advent, 2011. During this coming season of grace, we are first asked to reflect and pray about Christ's first coming in history so many years ago. Secondly, we are asked to prepare our hearts and lives for His final coming in glory. And this year, as we wholeheartedly embrace the revised translation of the Mass in English, we have the particular gift of discovering anew how the Lord Jesus continues to come into our lives through the sacramental life of His Church.

My sincere hope and prayer for all of you is that this coming Advent season may truly be a time of rejuvenated prayerfulness, renewed charity, and revitalized faith. May all of the prayers offered in private, and all the Liturgies celebrated publically through our Diocese, continue to give us the resolve to run forth to meet the Lord, that we may be worthy to possess the heavenly Kingdom.

With my best wishes and personal regards, I remain

Sincerely yours in Christ,  
Most Reverend John R. Gaydos  
Bishop of Jefferson City



**STEWARDSHIP** - The season of Advent is upon us, and in today's Gospel Jesus delivers a simple message through the pen of St. Mark: *Be watchful! Be alert!* Christian stewards understand what Jesus meant when he said, *like a man going away: He leaves his house and puts his servants in charge, each with his assigned task.* God's stewards realize that to each one a task is assigned by God. They have been set in a particular place and station in life, and have been gifted with unique relationships. How do we respond to the tasks or honor our relationships in a way that keeps us alert for the return of Christ?

### **ADVENT/CHRISTMAS**

This Sunday we begin our new church year. This year also we begin praying with the Third-Revised Edition of Roman Missal-New English Translation. We have many aides to assist you with your prayer responses. We have the New Heritage Missalettes in the pews, as usual. Also, prayer cards for the main responses and prayers of the Mass, plus continue to use the music cards. Bishop Gaydos has asked all parishes in the Diocese to learn and use the chant settings so at all Diocesan celebrations we sign together. We will use them Advent and Lent. With Christmas, we will learn some newly composed Mass settings with the New Translations. I hope you have been reading all of the bulletin inserts about the full and rich traditions expressed in this great prayer of the church. Prepare for the Coming of the Lord!



# KNIGHT KNEWS



Thursday, December 1 at 6:45 p.m. - K of C Hall  
Come and play and help support the Knights of Columbus.

## From Our Ladies

### DEPLOYED FAMILY MEMBERS

Please call Estelle (346-4590) with the name and address of family members who deployed overseas. The Ladies Sodality would like to send them a Christmas card with our thanks and prayers for their safe return.

### LADIES SODALITY CHRISTMAS DINNER-

The Ladies Sodality Christmas Dinner will be on Tuesday, Dec. 6 at Der Essen Platz on Bridal Cave Rd (Old Rt. 5-88). Cocktails will be at 6:30 p.m., with dinner at 7 p.m. Cost is \$23.00 (tax & gratuity included) with a choice of Baked Grouper, Farmer's Combo (Pork Schnitzel & Brat) and Baked Chicken Breast. All dinners will include mashed potatoes, German bread & butter, coffee, tea, soda and apple strudel. AS PARKING IS LIMITED, WE WILL CARPOOL FROM CHURCH AT 6 P.M. Sign-up sheets are in the Gathering Area or you can call Betty at 434-0896 or Joyce at 317-0121.

### THE SHARING CHRISTMAS TREE -

Part of the Christmas season is giving and sharing. To that end, the Ladies Sodality has adopted 20 families from the parish and the community for whom we provide food and gifts. The ornaments on the Giving Tree in the Gathering Area list the gender and age of the recipient as well as gift ideas. The wrapped gift, with ornament attached, can be placed under the tree by Dec. 18. There are also grocery bags in the gathering that need to be filled. For those unable to shop, there will be a donations box in the Gathering Area marked "Christmas is Sharing" for your monetary contributions. We thank you all for your past generosity and look forward to your support for this project again this year. If you have any questions, call 346-2183

**THE WORD AMONG US** - With Advent starting up, please take a few minutes a day and use *The Word Among Us*. Daily readings and reflections help to grow closer to the Lord before Christmas. Spending a few minutes a day will dramatically change your experience during Advent from one of commercialization to spiritual openness. Copies are located in the gathering area. You can also use them as a Missalette for the home-bound watching Mass on EWTN. Please pick one up for your family and start a new Christmas tradition.

Thursday	01	7:00 a.m.	St. Ann - Ann Durfey
Friday	02	8:30 a.m.	St. Ann Durfey
Saturday	03	5:30 p.m.	St. Glennon Humm
Sunday	04	7:30 a.m.	People of the Parish
		9:00 a.m.	St. Charles Rassel
Tuesday ~ Novena Our Mother of Perpetual Help		8:15 a.m.	
Saturday ~ Reconciliation (Confession)		4:30 - 5:00 p.m.	
(or by appointment)			

### Weekly Financial Report

Weekly Operating Budget	11,000.00	Monthly required	44,000.00
11/20/2011 Collection	7,383.61	Month to date collected	21,929.69
Difference (over)	- 3,616.39		- 22,070.31

Y-T-D Collected \$178,858.49

**Second Collection** - Human Development \$1,182.30

### Catholic Stewardship Appeal (CSA)

Goal	\$12,266		
Pledges to Date	\$ 8,037		
Percent of Givers	66%	Number of Givers	47

### Youth

Youth Monthly Budget Required	\$ 1,500.00		
NCYC Budget	\$ 5,000.00	NCYC Y-T-D	\$6,408.18
Activities Budget	\$11,570.00	Activities Y-T-D	\$6,601.25
Yearly Budget	\$16,570.00	Youth Y-T-D Collected	\$13,009.43

**CURSILLO/ ULTREYA** - Have you attended a Cursillo weekend? Remember the inspiration? the enthusiasm/ the joy? Come to a reunion on **Monday, November 28th at 7:00 PM** in the lower level of the Church. Anyone who has ever participated in a Cursillo retreat is WELCOME! Any questions please contact Keith or Cheryl Schuster at 346-4416 or 480-0324.

**LAMB HOUSE** - December 5th we will be sorting coupons. The food pantry could use canned fruit and jelly (not large jars), and any non-perishable food items. The Burn Closet is need of blankets and pillows. Lamb House would like to thank you for all your recent donations. God bless you all.

**DATE CHANGE FOR MAKE UP DATE FOR PICTURE DIRECTORY** - If have not had your picture taken but would still like to be included in the directory, there is still time to e-mail your picture or drop it by the office, OR you can sign up to have your picture taken on Friday, December 2. To make an appointment, call 1-800-866-2263.

**LECTOR WORKBOOKS** - The new lector workbooks are now available in the Servers Vestment Room. Please pick-up and sign out your copy.

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tary, and those who are shut in and unable to attend Mass. Prayers will be held, but the Prayer Line continues to pray for all individuals until we hear other names listed in the bulletin.

### WEEK AT A GLANCE

Please let Office know of any events and meetings so we can post it in this calendar.

**Saturday, November 26**  
4:30 pm Confessions  
5:30 pm Mass

**Sunday, November 27**  
7:30am & 9:00am Mass  
NO PSR & Confirmation  
Classes

**Monday, November 28**  
7:00 pm Cursillo/Ultreya

**Tuesday, November 29**  
8:15 am Perpetual Help  
8:30 am Mass  
9:00 am Crafty Ladies  
9:30 am Cards

**Wednesday, November 30**  
8:30am Mass  
6:30 pm Youth

**Thursday, December 1**  
8:30 am Mass  
6:30 pm RCIA

**Friday, December 2**  
8:30 am Mass & Anointing

**Saturday, December 3**  
4:30 pm Confessions  
5:30 pm Mass

**Sunday, December 4**  
7:30am & 9:00am Mass  
10:15 am PSR and Confirmation  
Classes  
\*Pancake Breakfast for Pro-Life  
trip after the morning Masses  
4:00 pm First Reconciliation  
Retreat  
6:30 pm Spanish Mass



### PANCAKE & SAUSAGE BREAKFAST SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4 after the 7:30 & 9:00 am MASSES

This breakfast is to help offset the cost for the parishioners attending the Pro-Life March in Washington, DC in January.

**SIGN-UP NOW TO BEGIN SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION** - Anyone 3rd grade or above that needs Baptism, 1st Reconciliation or 1st Communion...classes will begin on Wednesday, December 7 from 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm. If you are not able to start in December, next session will begin after Easter. Call the office to register.

### CATHOLICS RETURNING HOME

St. Anthony Parish in Camdenton will offer a six week series entitled "Catholics Returning Home" beginning Tuesday, January 10, 2012 at 7:00 pm. The sessions are for non-practicing Catholics who are seeking answers to questions about returning to the Church. If you know someone who has left the Church, please invite them to join us. For more information, call Joyce at 573-317-0121 or Rene at St. Anthony's parish 573-346-2716.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Jack Martin, Jim Martin and Keith Schuster for being elected to the Parish Council. These 3 gentlemen are replacing 3 members whose terms have expired. Their 3 year term will begin in January. Congratulations again to Jack, Jim and Keith. Thank you to all candidates who ran and thank you to our parishioners for voting.

**CHRISTMAS CHOIR** - Practices are on Tuesday from 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm and will run through December 20th.

If you're interested in being part of our Music Ministry this year we would love to have you. Whether you're a new comer or old timer please call Barb Rogers at 346-4229 or 552-6174 so that we can make sure we have enough music prepared for everyone.

**HELP NEED TO CLEAN CHURCH** - If there is anyone who would like to help us clean church, we could really use you! One of our ladies on Team 6 will be leaving us. They clean on Wednesday after Mass. We have 8 Teams with, at least, 3 people. Most of them clean on Wednesday; some Thursday or Friday. It takes about an hour. The main thing to clean is dust mopping under pews and vacuuming the carpets. Anything else is at your discretion. For more information, please call Shirley Mudd 417-993-4626 or church office 573-346-2716.

**"ADVENT DARKNESS TO CHRISTMAS LIGHT"** - An Advent Day of Prayer will be held on Wednesday, November 30 from 9:30 am to 2:00 pm (lunch provided) at the Shrine of St. Patrick in Laurie. The presenter will be Jim Kemna, Director of Religious Education for the Jeff City Diocese. Please call St. Patrick's parish office at 573-374-7855 to sign-up.

**CHRISTMAS COOKIES FOR JAIL MINISTRY** - Its that time of the year when families and individuals from St. Anthony are baking cookies for the Annual Christmas Cookie Sale. Approximately 10 years ago, those in charge of this worthwhile project suggested we take the cookies left over from the sale to the jail and have the Kitchen Help at the jail pass them out at Christmas time. Then someone suggested, "Why don't we ask those families who are participating to bake an extra dozen or two to have Deacon Dick take to the jail in support of his ministry. This has turned into a beautiful support ministry to the Jail Ministry, and we usually end up with about 100 dozen cookies to be taken each year. A few cookies are placed on their plates at one or two meals during the Christmas Holidays. You cannot believe the response and the appreciation from those who receive. Store purchased cookies are acceptable. **CANDY IS UNACCEPTABLE - NO CANDY PLEASE.** To my knowledge this is the only gifts those incarcerated receive during the holidays except blank Christmas cards provided for by the Christmas Card Companies to the Diocese. We take in approximately 100 packets of 4 cards each to be distributed also. **Please have your generous gift of cookies in the lower hall of the Church by December 20th.** Santa and his helper(s) will take them to the jail on the 21st. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 346-2159. As always, "THANKS" for your generous support and May God Bless You. Deacon Dick



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