

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHAPEL † **Second Sunday after Pentecost**  
Requiescat in Pace, Father Paul Wickens  
May 25, 2008 – June 1, 2008

## Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

**Sunday, May 25**      **Corpus Christi**  
**(2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost)**

**7:30** ✠ Janet May

**9:00** ✠ William Bowers, 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

**11:00** *Poor Souls in Purgatory*

Monday, May 26      St. Philip Neri

9:00 am ✠ Charlotte Kiernan

10:30 am: Solemn High Mass

Tuesday, May 27      St. Bede the Venerable

7:00 pm The Tibaldo Family

Wednesday, May 28      St. Augustine of Canterbury

9:00 am The Tibaldo Family

Thursday, May 29      St. Mary Magdalene of Pazzi

9:00 am ✠ Anton Rathgeb

Friday, May 30      Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

9:00 am ✠ Anton Rathgeb

Saturday, May 31      Queenship of Mary

9:00 am ✠ Pasqualina Montagano

**Sunday, June 1**      **Sacred Heart of Jesus**  
**(3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost)**

**7:30** ✠ Fr. Paul Wickens

**9:00** ✠ *Poor Souls in Purgatory*

**11:00** Fr. Wickens, priests and faithful of St. Anthony



## Announcements

### **Visit of the Prior General of the Institute:**

We are very honored to receive for the first time the **visit of the founder and Prior General of the Institute** of Christ the King Sovereign Priest, Monsignor Gilles Wach, who will be coming to Saint Anthony's along with Monsignor Schmitz, the Vicar General and Superior of the American province, on Sunday, June 8. **Monsignor Wach will celebrate a Solemn High Mass at 11:00am, and a reception in his honor will follow downstairs** in Father Wickens' hall. All are invited to join us for refreshments and good company, as well as for the opportunity to greet Monsignor Wach and Monsignor Schmitz.

### **Sunday, June 15, St. Anthony's First**

**Annual Summer Picnic:** After the 11 o'clock Mass, we will have our **summer picnic** in honor of St. Anthony. We will gather at the pavilion **next to the Turtle Back Rock Softball field (South Mountain Reservation, about five minutes from the chapel).**

All are welcome!

Please bring whatever you might need for the picnic such as blanket, lawn chair, food, charcoal (if you wish to grill; grills are available on sight). Also bring your preferred games. **I hope to see you there!**

**Directions to the park:** LEFT onto Pleasant Valley Way- at first stoplight TURN LEFT onto Northfield Ave - at third stoplight turn RIGHT at Walker Rd - after 500 feet reach parking lot.

### **A Note from Father Talarico:**

Dear faithful of Saint Anthony's,

Best greetings to you from the Shrine of Christ the King in Chicago! Serving the spiritual needs of the growing number of faithful here at the Shrine, assuming the numerous duties in our community of oblates and seminarian candidates, assisting with the many administrative tasks for the American province of our Institute—these first days of my new assignment have already been quite full not only of important commitments, but also of priestly joy (I am sure the same is true for your new rector, Father Hellmann). Please allow me to thank you all wholeheartedly once again for the wonderful reception which followed the Solemn High Mass on Sunday, May 4<sup>th</sup>. I was very touched by all of your kind words and by the abundant spiritual bouquet presented by the children and the families of Saint Anthony. You cannot imagine how much your prayers mean to a young priest, who is so very grateful to God and to his Superiors for having been able to have served as a spiritual father for so many good and generous faithful. May God continue to bless you and your families under the exemplary spiritual leadership of Father Hellmann, and may He continue to grant to Saint Anthony's the peace and stability which are fruits of the spirituality of the Institute of Christ the King.

Daily remembering you and your families at God's holy altar, I remain always,

Gratefully yours in Christ the King,

Father Talarico

**We congratulate** Rev. Father Michael Barone on his priestly Ordination. He will offer a Solemn First High Mass (in the traditional Rite) here at St. Anthony's on Memorial Day, May 26<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 am. All are welcome to attend and also receive the First Blessing at the end of Mass. (The 9:00 am Mass will be maintained.)

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**Save the Date: July 5<sup>th</sup>, Day of Recollection at St. Anthony's:**

High Mass, Confessions, spiritual conferences and Eucharistic Adoration

Starts at 10:00 am and ends at 3:00 pm. No charge, all are welcome! Further details in a future bulletin.

**From the desk of the Rector**

My dear faithful,

Last Sunday we brought Flowers of the rarest before our Blessed Mother, to whom this month is dedicated. This Saturday, the feast of the Queenship of Mary will bring this month of Mary to a glorious end, reminding us that Mary's queenly role is not over: she continues to intercede on behalf of her spiritual children from her heavenly throne. There is another deep symbolism of the crown of flowers we now see her wear. We remember that she is not only the queen of the heart of God, the rose without thorns, the lily without equal amongst all the flowers of the garden of God, which is Holy Mother Church. We recognize that, it is she, who is glorified in the saints, her spiritual children, who are her living crown and glory.

Saint Therese of the Child Jesus, who understood herself to be nothing more than a little flower, will remain forever the teacher, example and patron of all the little flowers in God's garden of souls. She reminds us that there is not only the spotless queen of flowers, the Mystical rose and smaller ones of impressive majesty. God made flowers of different colors and size, who therefore have their legitimate place in the Church on earth and in Heaven. Every soul is unique, has a special, God-given vocation and ability to reflect some of His own perfection and beauty. Where would otherwise the variety be that expresses so well the superabundance of God's creative wisdom and generous creative power, if all flowers were just red roses?

The First Communicants, like so many little flowers, presented themselves before God's holy altar not too long ago, and for the first time their thirsty souls were filled with the heavenly dew, the precious blood of Christ. Today they walk even before the Blessed Sacrament in procession to cast flower pedals before the Eucharistic Lord: throughout their lives, they must always remember to make good use of all their talents, casting them at the feet of the Savior, esteeming everything less than God for whose only glory they use it. They too will get manifold opportunities to prepare the way for the Lord into the rebellious human heart.

Every soul is precious in the eyes of God and unique, but we know that Christ's heart is attracted by the humble and innocent, child-like souls. He who is simplicity itself is attracted by a soul without pretense or duplicity; He who is almighty is drawn toward the weak that do not set any boundaries to His almighty power by distrust; He who is purity itself communicates Himself to the pure of heart and divine humility cannot but dwell in a humble heart. Today, the divine physician bends over his patient, wounded mankind. Once more, the sun of justice rises high over the flower garden of souls of Holy Mother Church, when the most precious Body and Blood of Christ truly present under the Eucharistic veil are carried in a glorious procession.

As it was in the beginning, so it shall be again today: during the wonderful procession with the Eucharistic Lord. Nonetheless, as He passes by, we will not be upset and go hiding in the shame of our sins as Adam and Even did (Gen 3:8f), but open our hearts to Him with joyful confidence, whose divine presence will communicate to all new light and life.

Before long, this Friday, the very heart of Christ, the Sacred Heart, will be open for us that we may contemplate the treasures of divine mercy, enter therein, drink, be refreshed and find a safe refuge from our enemies and rest for our weary souls.

May we all enter, once and for all, into the joy, into the heart of Jesus Christ our Master and Savior.

Yours very truly in Christ the King and Mary Immaculate,

*Fr. Andreas Hellmann*