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MASS SCHEDULE . . .

CELEBRATING OUR FAITH THIS WEEK

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, July 18

4:00 pm @ SA + Denise Van Opdorp by Ron & Carolyn Van Opdorp

Sunday, July 19

8:00 am @ SH + John Cessna Sr. & John Cessna Jr. by the Family

9:30 am @ SA + Ron De Reu by Patricia & Family

Monday, July 20

No Mass

Tuesday, July 21

5:30 pm @ SA + Royce VanVooren by Brother André

Wednesday, July 22 - St. Mary Magdalene

7:30 am @ SH + Donald Bradley by Stephen Bradley

Thursday, July 23

8:00 am @ SA + Elmer & Rita Mapes by the Family

Friday, July 24

8:00 am @ SA - For the Parishioners by Father Engelbrecht

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, July 25

4:00 pm @ SA + The Deceased Members of the Michael Vandernick Family

Sunday, July 26

8:00 am @ SH + Thomas, Barbara & Philip Cunniff by Mary Jagers & Family

9:30 am @ SA - For the Parishioners by Father Engelbrecht

Serving at Our Lord's Altar

(A new Lector/EMHC list for April-July is on the bulletin board at SH for Sacred Heart Servers)

Please arrive at least 15 minutes prior to mass.

Thank you.

4:00pm @ St. Anthony - July 25

Lector: Terence Patton

EMHC: Jeanne Carton, Jean Causemaker, Toot Causemaker

Altar Servers: Rebecca Clementz, **Need One Volunteer**

Ushers: Mark Boelens, Lynn Cathelyn, Bump De Decker, Ken De Smith

8:00 am @ Sacred Heart - July 26

Lector: Marv Van Keulen

EMHC: Wayne Brau

Altar Servers: **Need Two Volunteers**

Ushers for the Month of July : Vic Kluever and Chuck De May

Collection Counters for the Month of July: Marlene Minnaert and

Brenda Smith

9:30 am @ St. Anthony - July 26

Lector: Lin Van Opdorp

EMHC: Loren Jackson, **Need Two Volunteers**

Altar Servers: **Need Two Volunteers**

Ushers: Jon Hamer, Stephen Mapes, Gary Olson, Herb Vandernick

Please remember these members of our community who are sometimes unable to attend Mass with us on Sunday and those in nursing homes:

Connie Altman, Lucille Buysee, Aaron Crosby, Mary Lou DeCausemaker, Dick DeDecker, Katelyn DeRycke, Evelyn DeSplinter, Mary Dobbels, Joe DeGeeter, Annie Eastman, Mary Frank, Mary Ellen Hoogerwerf, Kris Kirkhove, Dean Lewis, Jack Marchand, Barry Miller, Vera Minnaert, Sue Saigh, Gia Samuels, Susan Stontz, Alice Van Kerrebroeck, Rosella Vandernick, Joann Vandemore, Rosalin Vandernick, Joann Verstraete

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

+ PARISH MEETINGS & EVENTS +

July 21st, 6:30 pm: SA Finance Council Meeting

July 26th, 9:00 AM: SH Circle 3 Fundraiser Begins

July 28th, 6:30 pm: SA Parish Hall Planning Committee Meeting

August 4th, 6:30 pm: SA Parish Council Meeting

St. Anthony Music Ministry Schedule

Saturday, July 18th - Choir sings at 4:00 pm

Sunday, July 26th - Choir sings at 9:30 am

Sunday, August 2nd - Choir sings at 9:30 am

Sunday, August 9th - Choir sings at 9:30 am

Saturday, August 15th - Choirs sings at 4:00pm

Sunday, August 24th - Choir sings at 9:30 am

Sunday, August 31st - Choirs sings at 9:30 am

Annual Diocesan Appeal

<u>St. Anthony</u>	<u>Sacred Heart</u>
Total Pledged: \$22,745	Total Pledged: \$11,010
Balance: \$12,430	Balance: \$4,144
Percentage: 64%	Percentage: 72%
Families: 91	Families: 55

Sharing in the Work of Christ through sacrificial giving

St. Anthony Parish Support

Sunday Collection	Weekly	Year to Date (2 weeks)
Amount Needed:	\$2,553.85	\$5,107.70
Income:	\$2,699.00	\$5,382.00
Difference (+ or-):	\$145.15	\$274.30

Sacred Heart Parish Support

July 5th: \$2,001.00
 Improvement Fund: \$50.00

Sunday Memo FROM OUR PASTOR

St. Anthony Altar & Rosary Society will again be sponsoring a meal for **Feeding the Homeless** on July 29, 2015. The meal is provided to guests attending the St. Joseph Evening Meal in the Quad Cities. Our needs are as follows:

- Financial Assistance
- Pies
- Help preparing the food in the afternoon of July 29th

- Assisting in serving the meal in the evening of July 29th

A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board in the back of church or you can email or call Jean Causemaker to assist. jeantoot@gmail.com or 309-781-0248.

Attention! Strategic Planning Meeting Committee Meeting Times Update!

Sacred Heart Strategic Planning Meeting for July was held last week. There will be no meeting as previously stated in the bulletin on July 23rd. Sacred Heart's next meeting will be on **August 27th at 7:00 PM**

St. Anthony Strategic Planning Committee will have their next meeting on **August 20th at 6:30 PM.**



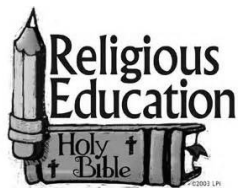
St. Mary of Fields Holy Hour Schedule 2 PM

August 2nd: Our Lady of Guadalupe
September 6th: Our Lady of Kibebo
October 4th: Our Lady of Fatima

Living God's Word...

Admittedly, there are those times when the way of Jesus can be just as frightening to us as no wisdom at all. Yet if you seek a way that offers light, test his way. In small pieces, one word at a time, one small slice of life at a time, try it out. If it does become light for you, stay with it and explore yet more of it. No one has ever come to all of holiness in a day.

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St. Anthony CCD Parents Meeting

August 5th, 6:00 pm

St. Anthony Parish Hall

The Annawan Red Cross Bloodmobile will be held at Sacred Heart Hall on August 10th from 2:00pm-6:30pm. Donors and workers are needed. Please call Mary Jagers at 935-6711.

Blood DRIVE

REFLECTING ON GOD'S WORD...

Often we are unable to identify the truth in our lives. Is our passion love or lust? Is our financial security greed or wise preparation? Is the raising of our children good discipline or carving them into our own image and likeness? Is our religiosity superstition or faithfulness to the tradition? Do our dreams nurture the Kingdom of God or the Tower of Babel? In other words, is it from God or is it from the Other Side? So we look about us, and because our neighbors' lives seem little different from our own, we put into any self-help harbor that seems able to shelter us from aimless drifting.

Most of us, I suspect, wonder if there is anyone who knows the deepest truths, whether they be all about life or about our world or even about ourselves. So we find ourselves gathering about Jesus, though even then some may do so half-heartedly - at times trusting that he will have some sort of answer and at other times wondering if he indeed does, yet not knowing where else to go. And so we gather, like sheep around a shepherd, simply because every other voice has been heard and found wanting.

- Rev. Joseph J. Juknialis

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Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday: 3:00 to 3:30 pm at St. Anthony
Sunday: 7:30 a.m. to 7:50 a.m. at Sacred Heart or by appointment with priest.

Area Parishes

St. Malachy (Geneseo)
Saturday 5pm, Sunday 8:15 and 10:30 am
St. John Paul II (Kewanee)
Saturday 4:30pm, Sunday: 7:30, 9:30 am;
1pm Spanish

Baptism for Infants

Please call for an appointment to schedule Baptism preparation for your family.

Holy Matrimony

Please arrange an appointment with a priest at least eight months before the proposed wedding date to allow time for all necessary marriage preparation.

Anointing of the Sick

Call the church anytime someone is dying. If you are unable to attend Mass (hospitalized or at home) please call so Holy Communion and pastoral care can be administered.

New Parishioners

Welcome to our parishes! Please call the church office to register or if you have questions about our community.

Parish Cemeteries

St. Anthony Cemetery: Contact Bill Carmichael, Jr., (309)936-7651. Sacred Heart Cemetery: Contact Ardy Clementz at (309) 935-6704

Parish Halls Rental

The halls of both parishes are available for receptions and other gatherings. Please contact the office for further details.

Bulletin Deadline

Copy must be submitted by Thursday at 9:00am to: office@stanthonysatkinson.org or mailing to PO Box 210, Atkinson, IL 61235