

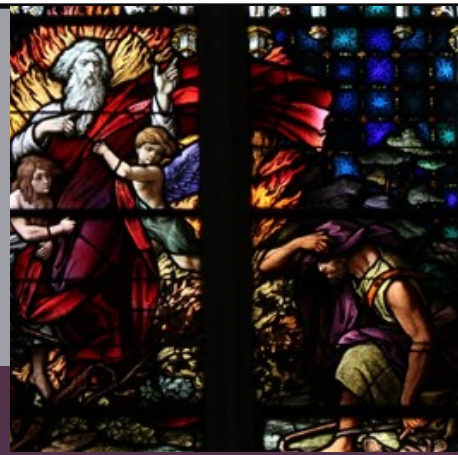
**ST. ANTHONY ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH, Atkinson**  
**SACRED HEART ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH, Annawan**  
**SHRINE OF ST. MARY, Hooppole**

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**MASS SCHEDULE . . .**  
**Celebrating Our Faith This Week**

**The Third Sunday of Lent**

**Saturday, March 23**

4:00 pm @ SA + Albert Boelens by his Family

**Sunday, March 24**

8:00 am @ SH + Cliff Verdick by Marilyn

9:30 am @ SA + Annabelle Sturtewagen by Dave & Chris Dekezel

4:00 pm @ SM - For the Parishioners by Fr. Engelbrecht

**Monday, March 25**

No Mass

**Tuesday, March 26**

5:30 pm @ SA + Emma Goethals by Bill & Bev Freddy

**Wednesday, March 27**

8:00 am @ SH + Barbara Haverback by Sharon Sturtewagen

**Thursday, March 28**

8:00 am @ SA + Shirley Enyeart Nelson by her Family

**Friday, March 29**

8:00 am @ SA + Marjorie Wirth by Virginia Wirth

**The Fourth Sunday of Lent**

**Saturday, March 30**

4:00 pm @ SA + Eloise VanDeVelde by Dave & Bonnie VanDeVelde

**Sunday, March 31**

8:00 am @ SH - For the Parishioners by Fr. Engelbrecht

9:30 am @ SA + Arthur (Babe) Vandersnick & Regina Vandersnick Dejaeger by Herb & Maribeth Vandersnick

**Serving at Our Lord's Altar**

**4:00 pm @ SA - March 30**

Lector: Patricia DeReu

EMHC: David VanDeVelde

Altar: **Two Volunteers Needed**

Ushers: Bobby Burton, Donald Buysse, Gerald Buysse, Lynn Cathelyn

**8:00 am @ Sacred Heart - March 31**

Lector: Tara Gripp

EMHC: Gene VanDeVoorde

Ushers: Don Sierens & Dave DeSplinter, **Two Volunteers Needed**

Collection Counters: Eldon Croegaert & Brenda Smith

**9:30 am @ St. Anthony - March 31**

Lector: Jon Hamer

EMHC: Norma Simon

Altar Servers: **Two Volunteers Needed**

Ushers: John Cauwels, Stephen Mapes, Ken Taber, Herb Vandersnick

Please remember these parishioners who ask for your prayers.

Connie Altman, Mary Frank, Dean Lewis, Katelyn DeRycke, Evelyn DeSplinter, Mary Ellen Hoogerwerf, Dan Longeville, Barry Miller, Vera Minnaert, Loretta Minnaert, Gia Samuels, Susan Stontz, Alice Van Kerrebroeck, Mary Lou Moens, Dick Martens, Barb DeRew, Millie Loncka, Carol Taets Bogner, Berniece Cathelyn, Mary Ann Reiling, Elsie Van Vooren, Ashley Egan, Jane Dolieslager, Bill Rambo, Gene & Mary Ann Girten, Denise Haverback, Rosella Vandersnick

**AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOODMOBILE**

Annawan Community Center  
 April 11, 2019 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm.

Donors are needed. Please contact Mary Jagers at 935-6711 for more info

**Saint Anthony's Altar & Rosary News**

Maribeth Vandersnick is our Volunteer of the Year. We will be traveling to Peoria on Friday, April 26, for the Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon. If you would like to attend please call Carolyn Cauwels at 945-2337. The cost of the luncheon is \$25.00. We hope to see you there.

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR**  
**Parish Updates**

**Sunday March 24: SH CCD Classes 9 am**  
**Wednesday March 27: SA CCD ONLY CONFIRMATION**  
**Thursday March 28: Book Study 9 am SA Hall**  
**Friday March 29: SA & SH Stations 5:30 pm**

**St. Anthony's Music Ministry**

Sunday March 31: Choir sings at 9:30 am Mass  
 Sunday April 7: Choir sings at 9:30 am Mass

**St. Anthony's Annual Spring Raffle**  
**2019**

Only 500 Tickets Will Be Sold *The odds of winning are an incredible 1 in 39*

**Main Event Drawing - Sunday, May 5th, 12:30 p.m.**

**Grand Prize \$10,000**

**Seller of Grand Prize Ticket Wins \$1,000**

**2nd Prize \$2,000**

**3rd - 5th Prizes \$1,000 Each**

**6th - 8th Prizes \$500 Each**

**9th - 13th Prizes \$250**

**Ticket Price \$100.00**

**(\$1,500 Early Bird Drawing will be on March 16, 2019 at Trivia Night)**

*Two brunch tickets are included. Brunch will be served Sunday, May 5th from 9:30 am until Noon. Additional brunch tickets are available for \$20.00 each*

*For More Information please see the flyer on the bulletin*

Rice Bowls are available at all the entrances of the church. Please consider taking one and adding it to your Lenten season. All donations go towards helping Catholic Relief



Services to continue to provide life-saving assistance in nearly 100 countries. CRS works on our behalf to care for the poorest in our world and to end global poverty.

**Sharing in the Work of Christ**  
*through sacrificial giving*

**St. Anthony Parish Support**

Sunday Collection	Weekly	Year to Date (37 weeks)
Amount Needed:	\$2,442.31	\$87,923.16
Income:	\$1,719.25	\$79,603.33
Difference (+ or-):	<b>- \$723.06</b>	<b>- \$10,762.14</b>

**Sacred Heart Parish Support**

Sunday Collection	Weekly	Year to Date (37 weeks)
Amount Needed:	\$1,173.10	\$43,404.70
Income:	\$771.00	\$33,562.60
Difference (+ or-):	<b>-\$402.10</b>	<b>-\$9,842.10</b>

Improv. Fund \$125 Easter Flowers: \$30

Sunday March 31, 2019 Confirmation students at St. Anthony's will be receiving the Sacrament of **Confirmation at the Cathedral in Peoria** at 3:30 pm. We congratulate you as you grow in your Catholic faith. Those receiving the gifts of the Holy Spirit are Londen Fulks, Makayla Park, Abby Frank, Megan Plumley, Easton Hultman, Tessa Wilebski, Please pray for our confirmandi as they receive this Sacrament.

### Prayer for Confirmation Students

Holy Spirit, strengthen those to be confirmed with your gifts of Wisdom, Understanding, Counsel, Fortitude, Knowledge, Piety and Fear of the Lord, and serve as a disciple of Christ.

Grant that they may grow into the fullness of the stature of Christ. Fill them with the joy of your presence. Increase in them the fruit of your Spirit. Help them to experience and trust your dwelling within, so that they can count on your guidance today and every day.

Show the way to help one another become better disciples of Jesus Christ, sharing your love with our world and with each person we meet.

Come, Holy Spirit! Come!

### Please Note the following information for Lent

#### Confessions

Saturdays 3:00- 3:45 pm at St. Anthony's  
Sundays 7:30 - 7:50 am at Sacred Heart  
Fridays 5:00 - 5:20 pm (before stations) at Sacred Heart

#### Stations of the Cross

Fridays at 5:30 pm at Sacred Heart and St. Anthony's

This Thursday, March 28st we continue the **study No Greater Love**. The study is at 9 am at St. Anthony's Church Hall These classes will be held each Thursday until April 11. Anyone is welcome to attend any session.

**Annawan Alba Women's Club** will hold its 38th Annual Prayer Breakfast on Wed. April 10th at 9 am. The breakfast will be held at the Annawan Community Center. Refreshments will be served. A free will offering will be accepted with proceeds supporting the Annawan Food Pantry.

St. Ambrose/St. Catherine will be hosting their **Annual Fish Fry** during Lent. Please come for an all you can eat Fish Fry. Dinner includes wild caught Alaskan Pollock with Polish seasoning, coleslaw, baked potato, roll, dessert, coffee and lemonade. Cost is a donation. The last date is March 29th from 4-7 pm. Dinners will be held at St. Ambrose Parish Hall 435 Main Street, Erie Illinois

Do you know **Abilities Plus** has a wish list?! They are currently in need of board games, shredders, magazine subscriptions, gift cards to purchase new iPads, TracFone gift cards, computers and more. Please contact Julie Landwehr for detailed information and for other items needed at 309-852-4624 or Julie@abilitiesplus.org

**Scouting for Food** will take place on Saturday, April 6. The Scouts will distribute flyers prior to the pickup date. If you set out food and it is not picked up, please bring it to the Food Pantry at 620 W. Main St., Geneseo, IL. Our hours are Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday, 9am to noon and 1pm to 4pm and Friday 9am to noon.

**Men's March Rally and Diocesan Men's March** is going to be on Saturday, April 27, 2019 at 9 am at the Peoria Riverfront. More information is forthcoming.

The 24th annual Letter Carriers **"Stamp Out Hunger"** food drive will be held Saturday, May 11th. It is the largest one day food drive in the world and is made possible by thousands of letter carriers who volunteer their time to participate, countless volunteers who sort, collect and distribute much needed food to

pantries and food banks across the country. Some of the food needs are Chicken or beef broth, canned chili, baked beans, tomato paste, and pickles. Non food needs are dish soap, toilet paper, garbage bags, freezer bags, and bleach.

**Benet House Retreat Center** at St. Mary Monastery, Rock Island  
Centering Prayer: Wednesdays weekly; Apr. 3, 10, 17 and 24; 1-2:30 pm;  
Break-A-Way: Day of Prayer and Quiet: Wednesday, Apr. 3, 9 am-4 pm;  
The Word Among Us: Mondays, Apr. 8 and 22; 1-2:30 pm  
Taize Prayer: 2nd Thursday Apr. 11; 6:30-7:30 pm; at St. Mary Monastery Chapel;  
Contact Sr. Jackie Walsh, OSB at 309-283-2108, retreats@smmsisters.org or \*Sr. Stefanie MacDonald, OSB at 309-283-2300, vocation@smmsisters.org or online at <http://www.smmsisters.org/retreats/retreats-and-programs> to register for programs mentioned above.

If anyone is interested in attending the day of prayer and quiet retreat on April 3rd at the Benet house (information above) please contact Pat De Reu at 936-1315 for more information.

**Quad-Cities Pro Life Mass Schedule 2019**  
Mon., Apr. 15: St. Patrick's, Colona, IL—Mass at 7:45 am  
Sun., May 12: St. John Vianney, 4097—18th St., Bettendorf, IA Mass at 7:30 am

**Living Stations Of The Cross**, St. Malachy's, Geneseo is on Sunday April 7th at 8 pm. Please join us in a very moving and reverent presentation of the Passion of Christ. Our teens, from Geneseo and Atkinson, tell the story of Christ's passion in a visual freeze-frame presentation accompanied by corresponding reflections on each of the stations.

## 2019 ADA

In two weeks our parish will be participating in the Annual Diocesan Appeal for the Diocese of Peoria. As followers of Christ, we are called to respond to God's grace in our lives and to serve one another. The ADA is an opportunity to respond to His grace by sharing our gifts and so transform lives throughout the diocese. The Diocese is made up of 156 parishes and over 55,000 families. There are many ministries and apostolates that the Diocese can offer that we as a single parish cannot. Catechetical training for CCD teachers, recruitment and training of priests and deacons, medical care for retired priests, ministry to our students on college campuses and support to parish staff and programs. Your support, in prayer and through your sacrificial gift, make it possible to provide these services. Please give generously as God has given to you.

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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 5:00pm, Sunday: 7:00, 9:00 am;

11:30pm Spanish  
**St. John Vianney (Cambridge)**  
Sunday at 8:00 am and 4:00 pm

#### 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.

### PRAYER FOR AN END TO INFANTICIDE

The U.S Senate recently failed to pass the Born-Alive Abortion Survivors Protection Act-Legislation that prohibits infanticide by ensuring that a child born alive following an attempted abortion would receive the same degree of care to preserve her or his life and health as would be given to another child born alive at the same gestational age. Please join us in prayer to an end to infanticide.

**“Jesus, Lord of Life, transform the hearts of our elected leaders to Recognize that infanticide is wrong and must no be tolerated. We especially pray for our Senators Duckworth and Durbin. Open their hearts and minds to recognize and defend the precious gift of every Human Life”**

#### 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 Adam DeRycke at (309) 935-6080

#### 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 Wednesday at 4:00 pm to: office@stanthonysatkinson.org or mailing to PO Box 210, Atkinson, IL 61235