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Palm Sunday

Saturday, April 13
4:00 pm @ SA + Barbara Haverback by Blake & Denise

Sunday, April 14
8:00 am @ SH + Donovan Kleckner by Ralph & Mary Ann Blackert
9:30 am @ SA – For the Parishioners by Fr. Engelbrecht

Monday, April 15
No Mass

Tuesday, April 16
8:00am @ SA + Paul Claeys by Deacon Nick & Norma Simon

Wednesday, April 17
8:00 am @ SH + Abigail Krizan by Gt. Grandparents Jim & Carol Crogaert

Thursday, April 18 Holy Thursday
7:00 pm @ SA + Bev Freddy by Duain & Janice Wyffels

Friday, April 19 Good Friday
3:00 pm @ SA Liturgy of the Passion
6:00 pm @ SH Stations with Veneration of the Cross

Easter Sunday

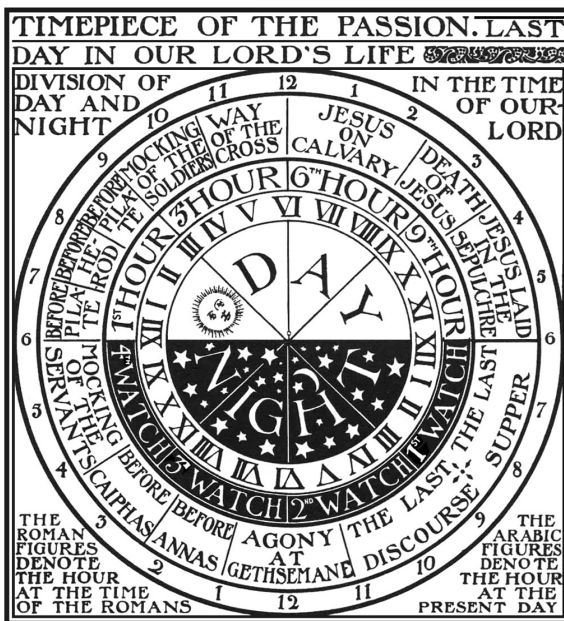
Saturday, April 20
8:00 pm @ SA + Esther DeSplinter by Deacon Marshall & Valerie Plumley

Sunday, April 21
6:30 am @ SM + Paul Holevoet by Jim & Donna Holevoet
8:00 am @ SH + Robert Marchand by the Children
9:30 am @ SA – For the Parishioners by Fr. Engelbrecht

9:30 am @ St. Anthony - April 21 Easter Sunday
 Lector: Terence Patton
 EMHC: Norma Simon & Bonnie Obrecht
 Altar Servers: **Two Volunteers Needed**
 Ushers: Keith Causemaker, Ed Coble, Mark Murphy, Shane Sturtewagen

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, Lorraine Happach

[Christ Jesus] humbled himself, becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.
-Philippians 2:8



Sunday April 14, 2019
8:30 until 11:30 am
Church Hall
Egg Casseroles, Biscuits &
Sausage Gravy
Pancakes, Sweet Rolls
Fruit, Coffee and Juice
Chicago Cubs Items Raffle!

Flowers: \$20

Improv. Fund \$365 Easter Flowers: \$50 Easter: \$25

Please Note Tuesday April 16th, Mass at St. Anthony's will be at 8:00 am due to all the priests celebrating the Chrism Mass with the Bishop at the Cathedral. At this Mass the Bishop blesses the holy oils that are used in each parish throughout the year.

Today we celebrate Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion. Therefore, we begin Holy Week Concluding with the Sacred Triduum, the holiest days of the Christian Calendar. So let us take advantage of the deep significance, beauty and meaning of these days and enter into them with an open spirit. On the front of the bulletin you will find a Timepiece of our Lord's Passion to recall the hours before His death. Palm Sunday begins by recalling Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem. However, the mood quickly changes to a focus on our Lord's Passion.

Holy Thursday we celebrate the institution of the Priesthood and Holy Eucharist. This is a wonderful occasion to celebrate Jesus' most Blessed Gift to the church—the Gift of Himself in the Blessed Sacrament. At the conclusion of Mass, there will be the solemn transfer of the Eucharist to the Altar of Repose. This reminds us of how our Lord, after the Last Supper, went to the Garden of Gethsemane and prayed and suffered. At the end of the Mass, the congregation departs in silence and the church will be open until 12 midnight for you to come and keep watch with our Lord. A sign-up sheet will be at the back of the church should you be able to make a Eucharistic visit. Another moving moment after the Holy Thursday Mass is the stripping of the altars, which points to poignancy of His agony and the betrayal by Judas Iscariot.

Good Friday is called "Good" because it is the day that our Lord laid down His life for us

sinner. The Passion is proclaimed and we venerate the "Wood of the Cross, on which hung the Savior of the world."

Holy Saturday at the Easter Vigil, which begins at sunset, recalls the glorious Resurrection of Our Lord. Our paschal joy carries us through Easter Sunday, the Octave of Easter and the fifty days of the Easter Season.

On Good Friday, our parish will take up the annual **collection for the Holy Land**. Your financial contribution will support the works of the Catholic Community in the Middle East and to protect the Holy Places and Christian shrines. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

Sacred Heart & St. Anthony's Volunteers of the Year! Nancy Clementz and Maribeth Vandersnick are our volunteers of the year. The Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon is Friday, April 26th in Peoria. Reservations can be made by calling Sue Ann Wells at 945-6004 or Carolyn Cauwels at 945-2337 as soon as possible. Cost is \$25.00. Our Congratulations to both ladies!

Easter Flowers: If you would like to donate towards Easter Flowers, please do so by Tuesday April 16. The church office is open Tuesday from 9 am to 1 pm to drop off your envelope in order to be on the Easter Flower Memorial List.

CRS Rice Bowls should be returned by Sunday, April 28th. Please put your rice bowl in the collection basket. Thank you!

Thank you to everyone who helped make our **Annual Trivia Night . Total money raised is \$2,468.85**

St. Anthony's Altar and Rosary will meet Tuesday April 16th at 6:30pm.

Help Needed: Saint Anthony's is looking for 4-5 people to help prepare egg casseroles on Saturday, May 4th for the Raffle Breakfast. Should only take a few hours. Please call Sue Mochel at 944-7289 if you can help.

Man Of The Shroud Touring Exhibit. Saint Catherine Church in Aledo will be hosting this exhibit April 12th-14th from 10 am - 8 pm. It is a free exhibit of a full-scale photographic image, front and back, of the Shroud made by the Eastman Kodak Company.

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, march at 9:30 am and Mass at 10:30 am. Fellowship and lunch will be available following Mass at the Spalding Center. The theme is Fighting for Faith & Family.

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

Mark your Calendars for SA Mother daughter banquet Tuesday May 21. More details coming soon.

Western Illinois Catholic order of Foresters Awards Dinner will be held Sunday May 5th at 6:00 pm at the Geneseo Moose Lodge. Reservations must be made no later than April 18th by calling Jerry Buysse at 945-7904

Annual Diocesan Appeal

The 2019 ADA is now underway! Your support ensures that essential charitable, educational and pastoral ministries of the Diocese of Peoria are continued and carried forward. Thank you to all who made a pledge during the first week of the ADA! No gift is too small, and our parish is trying to reach 100% participation. If you have not yet made a gift to the ADA, we invite you to do so today. There are collection envelopes and cards in the pews of both Sacred Heart and St. Anthony's. Every dollar raised to make our goal supports important diocesan services and every dollar raised over our goal will be returned to the parish. Thank you!

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| <u>St. Anthony</u> | <u>Sacred Heart</u> |
| Total Goal: \$36,641 | Total Goal: \$16,163 |
| Total Pledged: \$7,630 | Total Pledged: \$715.00 |
| Balance: \$29,011 | Balance: \$15,448 |
| Families: 20 | Families: 7 |

St. Anthony's Music Ministry

Thursday April 18: Choir sings at 7 pm
Friday April 19: Choir sings at 3 pm
Saturday April 20: Choir sings at 8:00 pm Mass
Sunday April 21: 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

**383
Tickets
Sold**

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 board or visit our website.

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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.

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