ST. ANTHONY ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH, Atkinson

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MASS SCHEDULE Celebrating Our Faith This Week

The Solemnity of Christ the King

Saturday, November 20

 $4{:}00~\mathrm{pm}$ @ SA + Henrietta Dedecker by Dave & Bonnie Vandevelde

Sunday, November 21

 $8{:}00$ am @ SH + Francis Vermeire by Donna & Family

9:30 am @ SA – For the Parishoners by Fr. Engelbrecht

Monday, November 22

No Mass

Tuesday, November 23 St. Clement, Pope & Martyr. 5:30 pm @ SA + Mary Ellen Hoogerwerf by Jim & Lori Hamer

Wednesday, November 24 St. Andrew Dung Lac, Pr. & Martyr

8:00 am @ SH + Kenny Sierens by Knights of Columbus

Thursday, November 25 St. Catherine of Alexandris, Vir & Martyr

8:00 am @ SA+ Bill Plunkett by Jean Causemaker

Friday, November 26

No Mass

First Sunday of Advent

Saturday, November 27

4:00 pm @ SA + Pat Gentry by Duain & Janice Wyffels

Sunday, November 28

8:00 am @ SH – For the Parishoners by Fr. Engelbrecht

9:30 am @ SA + Gerald & Craig Thompson by Family

Serving at Our Lord's Altar

8:00 am @ Sacred Heart- November 28

Lector: Marvin VanKeulen EMHC: Wayne Brau

Ushers: Dick VanKerrebroeck and Mark Crosby Money Counters: Sharon Sturtewagen & Jolene Sierens



Sacred Heart Church Cleaning

Thursday, December 2 from 4-6 pm

All are welcome to come and help!!



2022 Calendars

Thank you to Vandemore Funeral Home for providing the beautiful calendars for 2022.

Calendars may be picked up at the entrances of both churches.

Please remember these parishioners who ask for your prayers.

Connie Altman, Katelyn DeRycke, Christine Sand Dunahee, Barry Miller, Alice Van Kerrebroeck, Dick Martens, Berniece Cathelyn, Elsie Van Vooren, Bill Rambo, Rosella Vandersnick, Mary Frank, Julie Fiers



SH CCD classes November 21 at 9 am **SA CCD no class November 24th**



Peoria Symphony Orchestra presents Bach at the Cathedral on December 17 & 18 at 8 p.m. Tickets and information are available at peoriasymphony.org

WREATH PICK UP

SA Circle Four wreath order pick up will be the weekend of November 20 and 21 after 4 pm mass or Sunday after 9:30 am Mass. Please make arrangements for pick up. Any wreaths not picked up will be at the office on Tuesday Nov. 23rd from 11-3pm



Sharing in the Work of Christ through sacrificial giving

St. Anthony Monthly Financial Support October

Sunday Collections: \$6,693.00 Candle \$91.75 Holy Day: \$15.00 Cemetery: \$210.00

Sacred Heart Monthly Financial Support September

Sunday Collections: \$3339.00 Improvement: \$480.00

Fuel: \$230.00

St. Anthony's ADA Goal: \$29.744 Pledged: \$16,340 Balance: \$13,404

Families: 49

Sacred Heart ADA Goal: \$13.807 Pledged: \$5,526

Balance: \$8,281 Families: 30

WARNING ABOUT RISK ASSUMED BY PARISHIONERS

While our parish staff will attempt to take appropriate precautions consistent with the advice of public health authorities, parishioners and guests should understand that they assume the risk of contracting COVID-19 anytime they enter a public space since such precautions do not eliminate the risk of infection. Updated June 12, 2021.

If you have a fever or flu-like symptoms, recently traveled out of the country or have been exposed to someone with COVID-19, you should stay home. We rejoice that we can come together as members of Christ's Body to worship and help each other get to heaven. May God continue to Bless our parishes and all the faithful of St. Anthony and Sacred Heart Parishes.

Due to the Thanksgiving Holiday Church office hours will be Tuesday, November 23rd from 11:00 am until 3:00 pm.

The 2021 Annual Diocesan Appeal (ADA)- "All in the name of Jesus" —began recently! The ADA pledge card, a self addressed envelope and an instructional letter from Father Engelbrecht was mailed to every household for each parish. Each family is asked to fill out the card and mail your pledge card to the parish office or return it in the collection basket. For those who wish to view the video for the 2021 campaign visit www.cdop.org/ada2021. The 2021 parish goals are St. Anthony's \$29,744 and Sacred Heart \$13, 807. Please prayerfully consider your contribution in helping our parishes reach our goals.

If you would be available to be on a list of volunteers to help shovel snow at St. Anthony's this winter, please call Gerry Franks at 945-8502.

Did you know that St. Anthony's & Sacred Heart parishes are offering Online Giving?

Visit our website to sign up and to begin contributing automatically to our parishes bank accounts. Go to our website at theheartandthelily.org or search for St. Anthony's Atkinson or Sacred Heart, Annawan and click on the heartandthelily web page. Under St. Anthony's parishioners should see a link titled St. Anthony's Online giving. Under Sacred Heart, parishioners should see a link titled Sacred Heart Online Giving. Click on the link you would like to enter. There is help available to you 24 hours a day for any questions you might have. You will note a question mark on the right bottom corner of the page, once you are in the portal. Click on that for any question you might have. If you cannot find an answer in the automatic browser please contact 1-800-348-2886 or email envservice@osv.com.

If you chose to give yearly online and are no longer in need of receiving envelopes please contact Valerie, via email at office@stanthonysatkinson.org or leave a message at 309-936-7900. Thank you.

JP II Experience for teens 8-10th Grade:

March 5-6, 2022. Held at Believers Together Center, Moline, Il. 9 a.m. Saturday– 4 p.m. Sunday. Registration is open at www.olgsilvis.com and closes two weeks before each JP II Experience weekend. Cost is only \$30.00 for this amazing coed weekend experience. Questions: Mike Wilshusen at 309-269-7686 or email STJP2EXP@gmail.com Make Christ your friend.....5 amazing talks!! Come experience for yourself Fun, Faith, Food, and Friendship

The Geneseo -Atkinson Food Pantry is gratefully accepting food, clothing, and household item donations Mon, Tues, Thurs, 9:00-12:00 and 1:00 to 4:00 and Fridays 9-12. Our clothing room is open to residents of Geneseo and Atkinson on Mon, Tues, and Thurs. Food distribution is every Tues9:00-11:30.

Providing a family with the ingredients for a complete Thanksgiving dinner can bless those who find it challenging to add the cost of a Thanksgiving meal to their already stretched budgets. We will distribute Thanksgiving food baskets on November 18-19. Anyone wanting to sign up for a Thanksgiving basket should contact the Food Pantry at 944-3165 or geneseopantry1@gmail.com.

Donations for Thanksgiving could include turkey or ham as well as all the usual trimmings needed for a Thanksgiving dinner. Please bring items to the pantry by November

Teens Encounter Christ is back! Teens who are 16 and older are invited to attend this wonderful Catholic Retreat. Upcoming TEC weekends are Boys: Dec. 3-6, 2021. For more information visit www.northwest-tec.com

Save the Date: Join Bishop Louis Tylka for the Marriage Mass on Saturday, February 12, 2022 at 4:00pm at St. Mary's Cathedral. After the Mass there will be a date night special dinner at the Spaulding Center. There will also be live

music by the Water Street Stompers from 6-8pm. Wear your dancing shoes! Any questions contact Julie Enzenberger at Jenzenburger@cdop.org.

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat: February 25-17, 2022. Has the abortion experience left you feeling empty and alone? Rachel's Vineyard Retreat is available in our diocese for any man or woman wo has struggled with the emotional and spiritual pain of abortion. This healing weekend is for singles or married couples, mothers, fathers, grandparents, siblings, or anyone suffering the effects of an abortion loss. If you are searching for peace and inner healing from an abortion experience, this retreat is for you. Register now for the February 25-27, 2022 retreat by calling 309-264-1489 or e-mailing rvrpeoria@gmail.com. All communications are strictly confidential. For more information please visit https:// cdop.org/offices/respect-life/rl-programsresources/rachels-vineyard/or the national Rachel's Vineyard website at https:/ www.rachelsvineyard.org/

Do you have an artistic flair and an eye for decorating? We are looking for just that person to assist Mary Kay with decorating the altar. If you can spare your time and your talents please let us know. You may call the office and leave your name at 936-7900.

As you can see we have a newly blacktopped street in front of the church. We are grateful to the city for the much needed improvement. We would like to thank our faithful volunteers for restriping the parking spaces in front of the church and rectory. We are most grateful for the number of man hours provided for the care and upkeep of our beautiful church. God Bless you all!!

Readings for the Solemnity of Christ the King: Daniel 7:13-14, Psalm 93:1-2,5, Revelation 1:5-8, John 18: 33-37

What's the truth Jesus comes to bear witness to in this last Gospel of the Church's year? It's the truth that in Jesus God keeps the promise He made to David of an everlasting kingdom, of an heir who would be His Son, "the first born, highest of the kings of the earth" (see 2 Samuel 7:12–16; Psalm 89:27–38). Today's Second Reading, taken from the Book of Revelation, quotes these promises and celebrates Jesus as "the faithful witness." The reading hearkens back to Isaiah's prophecy that the Messiah would "witness to the peoples" that God is renewing His "everlasting covenant" with David (see Isaiah 55:3–5). But as Jesus tells Pilate, there's far more going on here than the restoration of a temporal monarchy. In the Revelation reading, Jesus calls Himself "the Alpha and the Omega," the first and last letters of the Greek alphabet. "He's applying to Himself a description that God uses to describe Himself in the Old Testament—the first and the last, the One who calls forth all generations (see Isaiah 41:4; 44:6; 48:12). He has made the world," today's Psalm cries, and His dominion is over all creation (see also John 1:3; Colossians 1:16–17). In the vision of Daniel we hear in today's First Reading, He comes on "the clouds of heaven"—another sign of His divinity—to be given "glory and kingship" forever over all nations and peoples. Christ is King and His kingdom, while not of this world, exists in this world in the Church. We are a royal people. We know we have been loved by Him and freed by His blood and transformed into "a kingdom, priests for his God and Father" (see also Exodus 19:6; 1 Peter 2:9). As a priestly people, we share in His sacrifice and in His witness to God's everlasting covenant. We belong to His truth and listen to His voice, waiting for Him to come again amid the clouds.

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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 5:00pm, Sunday 8:15 and 10:30 am St. John Paul II (Kewanee)

Saturday 5:30pm, Sunday: 7:30, 9:30 am; 12:00pm Spanish

St. John Vianney (Cambridge)
Sunday at 8:00 am

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 Sue Mochel, contact at (309)944-7289. Sacred Heart Cemetery: Contact Adam DeRycke at (309) 935-6080

Parish Hall Rental

St. Anthony's parish hall is 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