

ST. ANTHONY ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH, Atkinson
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MASS SCHEDULE
Celebrating Our Faith This Week

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, January 15
4:00 pm @ SA + Don & Betty Zapisek by Lynn, Pam & Family
Sunday, January 16
8:00 am @ SH – For the Parishoners by Fr. Engelbrecht
9:30 am @ SA + Janice & Earl DeFauw by Duain & Janice Wyffels

Monday, January 17
No Mass
Tuesday, January 18
5:30 pm @ SA + Ruth Gentry by Art & Cindy Ries
Wednesday, January 19
8:00 am @ SH + Bob DeSchepper by Dave & Bonnie VanDeVelde
Thursday, January 20 *St. Sebastian, Martyr*
8:00 am @ SA + Evelyn Rozycke by Mr & Mrs. Engelbrecht
Friday, January 21 *St. Agnes, Virgin & Martyr*
8:00 am @ SA + Deceased Members of SA Altar & Rosary by SA Altar & Rosary

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, January 22
4:00 pm @ SA + Neil Simon by Anita Park
Sunday, January 23
8:00 am @ SH + Ralph VanDeVoorde by Mary Jagers
9:30 am @ SA – For the Parishoners by Fr. Engelbrecht

Serving at Our Lord’s Altar

8:00 am @ Sacred Heart– January 23
Lector: Eric Ufheil
EMHC: Wayne Brau
Ushers: Rod Jackson & Tony Vanopdorp
Money Counters: Renee Jackson & Tara Gripp

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, Bruce Weidner

Prayer to the Blessed Virgin Mary

God our Father, may we always profit by the prayers of
The Virgin Mother Mary, for you bring us life and
Salvation through Jesus Christ her Son who live and
Reigns with you and the Holy Spirit

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• **There is good news if you have reached age 70 1/2** and you
• would like to help your parish. If you have an IRA, the govern-
• ment requires you to take out a certain amount each year and be
• subject to federal tax. However, the law allows you to donate this
• amount directly to your parish during 2021 and have it distribut-
• ed free of federal income tax! What a wonderful opportunity to
• help their parish.
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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.

St. Anthony and Sacred Heart Catholic Churches + Sunday January 16, 2022

MARK YOUR CALENDAR
Parish Updates

SA CCD Class Wednesday Jan. 19 at 6 pm
SH CCD Class Sunday Jan 23 at 9am

2021 annual contribution letters will be mailed out to Sacred Heart and St. Anthony’s parishioners at the end of January. Due to printing deadlines, any financial contribution received, at the office, after January 4th will be marked as a 2022 contribution.



Save the Date

Sunday, February 12, 2022
Marriage Mass and Date Night. Join Bishop Louis Tylka for the Marriage Mass at 4pm at St. Mary’s Cathedral.
After the Mass there will be a date night and special Dinner at the Spaulding Center. There will also be live Music by the Water Street Stompers from 6pm to 8pm. Wear your dancing shoes! Any questions contact Julie Enzenberger at Jenzenberger@cdop.org or sign up to: <https://cdop.weshareonline.org/wsopportunities>
Date Night 2022

9 Days for Life: January 19-27, 2022

9 Days for Life, the US. Bishops’ annual Respect Life Novena, will take place Wednesday, January 19-Thursday January 27
Receive the daily prayers by email
Or text message. Sign up at 9daysforlife.com



Thank you to the dedicated volunteers who helped to dismantle and store the Christmas decorations at both Churches. Your help was much appreciated!

Sharing in the Work of Christ
through sacrificial giving

St. Anthony Monthly Financial Support December

Sunday: \$12,718.37 Christmas: \$3,506.67
Holy Day: \$249 Candle: \$151 Flower: \$1,069
Cemetery: \$140

Sacred Heart Monthly Financial Support December

Sunday: \$5,686 Christmas \$634 Holy Day: \$11
Flowers: \$260 Fuel: \$275 Improvement \$885

St. Anthony’s ADA	Sacred Heart ADA
Goal: \$29,744	Goal: \$13,807
Pledged: \$22,115	Pledged: \$9,276
Paid: \$16,590	Paid: \$8,576
Balance: \$7,629	Balance: \$4,531
Families: 66	Families: 40

There will be a slight delay in the printing of the SA Circle lists. We will distribute them as soon as possible.

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.

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 : The Food Panty staff, board, volunteers and guests send wishes for a happy and healthy New Year! We would like to thank all of the churches, individuals, community organizations and area businesses for all they have done for our guests with donations of food, holiday gifts, toy drivea and monetary donations. With your help we were able to bless many families during the holidays and we would like to take this opportunity to pass on their sincere gratitude to all of you.

The food pantry distributed Thanksgiving food baskets to 93 households and 75 households received food in November. Eighty six households picked up food baskets for Christmas dinner. 29 families received gifts from donors. The joy in giving and the gratitude in receiving were prevalent throughout the holidays at the Food Pantry. Current needs include juice, coffee, creamer, chunky style soup, and tortillas. Non food needs include: garbage bags, childrens cold medicine, denture cleanser, paper plates, and gallon freezer bags. The Food Pantry will be closed on Monday, January 17 in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

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-programs-resources/rachels-vineyard/>or the national Rachel’s Vineyard website at <https://www.rachelsvineyard.org/>

Mass & Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of the Unborn: Friday January 28, 2022 at 10:30 am at the Cathedral of St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception, 607 NE Madison Avenue, Peoria, Illinois. For more information call 309-671-1550 or email:csone@ccdop.org

Purchase a St. Anthony’s Cookbook

Recipes and Recollections is a 444 page cookbook with nearly 1000 recipes! It is a perfect gift for weddings, birthdays or any special occasion!

For more information contact Ardith Burton at 936-7975 or Norma Gilbraith at 936-7583.



Readings for the Second Sunday in Ordinary Time: Isaiah 62:1-5, Psalm 96: 1-3,7-10, 1 Corinthians 12: 4-11, John 2: 1-12

Think of these first weeks after Christmas as a season of “epiphanies.” The liturgy is showing us who Jesus is and what He has revealed about our relationship with God. Last week and the week before, the imagery was royal and filial—Jesus is the newborn king of the Jews who makes us coheirs of Israel’s promise, beloved children of God. Last week in the liturgy we went to a baptism. This week we’re at a wedding. We’re being shown another dimension of our relationship with God. If we’re sons and daughters of God, it’s because we’ve married into the family. Have you ever wondered why the Bible begins and ends with a wedding—Adam and Eve’s in the garden and the marriage supper of the Lamb (compare [Genesis 2:23–24](#) and [Revelation 19:9; 21:9; 22:17](#))? Throughout the Bible, marriage is the symbol of the covenant relationship God desires with His chosen people. He is the groom, humanity His beloved and sought after bride. We see this reflected beautifully in today’s First Reading. When Israel breaks the covenant, she is compared to an unfaithful spouse (see [Jeremiah 2:20–36; 3:1–13](#)). But God promises to take her back, to “espouse” her to Him forever in an everlasting covenant (see [Hosea 2:18–22](#)). That’s why in today’s Gospel Jesus performs His first public “sign” at a wedding feast. Jesus is the divine bridegroom (see [John 3:29](#)), calling us to His royal wedding feast (see [Matthew 22:1–14](#)). By His New Covenant, He will become “one flesh” with all humanity in the Church (see [Ephesians 5:21–33](#)). By our baptism, each of us has been betrothed to Christ as a bride to a husband (see [2 Corinthians 11:2](#)). The new wine that Jesus pours out at today’s feast is the gift of the Holy Spirit given to His bride and body, as today’s Epistle says. This is the “salvation” announced to the “families of nations” in today’s Psalm.

Dr. Scott Hahn

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Office Hours: Thursday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

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