

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

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, August 20

4:00 pm @ SA + Russell & Gladys Buysse by Jerry & Mary Buysse

Sunday, August 21

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

9:30 am @ SA + Warren Carton Sr. & Jr. by Lorraine Carton

Monday, August 22

No Mass

Tuesday, August 23 *St. Rose of Lima, Virgin*

5:30 pm @ SA + Lorraine Wancket by Jim Golby

Wednesday, August 24 *St. Bartholomew, Apostle*

8:00 am @ SH + Marilyn VandeVoorde by Marilyn Verdick

Thursday, August 25 *St. Louis, King*

8:00 am @ SA + Clarence & Evelyn Greenwood by Marie

Friday, August 26

8:00 am @ SA + Glenn DeSmith by Ron & Julie DeFauw

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, August 27

4:00 pm @ SA + Neil Simon by Marie Hoffman

Sunday, August 28

8:00 am @ SH + Ralph VandeVoorde by Darwin & Tammy

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

Serving at Our Lord's Altar-Sacred Heart

8:00 am @ Sacred Heart — August 28

Lector: Marv VanKeulen

EMHC: Marcie VanKeulen

Ushers: Dick McKibbon & Jerry DeSmith

Money Counters: Jolene Sierens & Sharon Sturtewagen

Serving at Our Lord's Altar-St. Anthony's

4:00 pm @ St. Anthony - August 27

Lector:

Ushers: Lynn Cathelyn, Ken DeSmith

9:30 am @ St. Anthony - August 28

Lector: Dustin Specht

Ushers: Keith Causemaker; John Cauwels

Please remember these parishioners who ask for your prayers.

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

Switch to 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.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

SH CCD CLASSES SUNDAY AUG. 21 AT 9 AM

SA CCD CLASSES WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 7 AT 6 PM IN PARISH HALL

St. Mary of the Fields Shrine

2022 Monthly Holy Hour Schedule

Sept. 4th at 2pm: Our Lady of Vailankanni

October 2nd at 2pm: Our Lady of La Vang

October 13th: at 2pm Mass & Holy Hour 105th

Anniversary of the Miracle of the Sun at Fatima

Potlucks after the services will

resume in September and October

St. Anthony's Circle Four

Atkinson Heritage Days Pie Stand

Saturday, August 27th at City Park



Join us for some Delicious Pie and Ice Cream!!

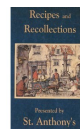
The American Red Cross Bloodmobile will be held at the Annawan Community Center on Wednesday, August 24th from 1:00pm-6:00pm. **Donors and workers are needed.** Please call Mary Jagers at 935-6711 with any questions.

St. Anthony's Church would like to extend our sincere appreciation and gratitude to the outgoing Altar & Rosary officers who have faithfully served And led us for the past few years. We thank you for your dedication!

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.



Sharing in the Work of Christ
through sacrificial giving

St. Anthony Monthly Financial Support July

Sunday: \$8,237 Candle: \$238.70

Sacred Heart Monthly Financial Support July

Sunday: \$3,540 Improvement \$1615 Candle: \$104

St. Anthony's ADA	Sacred Heart ADA
Goal: \$29,744	Goal: \$13,807
Pledged: \$26,415	Pledged: \$11,876
Paid: \$25,240	Paid: \$11,826
Balance: \$3,329	Balance: \$1,931
Families: 72	Families: 41

Job Openings at St. Malachy Parish, Geneseo, Illinois

Director of Youth and Young Adult Discipleship a full time position
Parish Music Director a part-time position
Complete job descriptions available at www.saintmalachy.org
If interested, please send cover letter and resume to Fr. Gifford at frdgifford@stmalgeneseo.org. Please reply by September 1, 2022

Mum Sale Seton School is taking orders for Red, Yellow, Orange or purple mums for \$10.00 each. Drive thru pick up will be held September 22 & 23 from 2-4 pm outside the Seton Middle School Gym in Moline. Order by September 2nd by calling 309-764-5418

A story of conversion..... Kendra VonEsh will be held on Monday, August 29 Kendra thought she was living the dream — executive career, houses, boats, great family, friends and indulging in every comfort she could find. But she constantly compared herself to others and tried to “find something more” in alcohol, drugs, food and other destructive behaviors which made her feel even worse. Then God found her in 2013 when she least expected it and He flipped her reality upside down. Kendra left her executive career to share the joy, peace and love she found with God and the beautiful Catholic Church. Kendra uses all forms of media to help others deepen their

relationship with God. She is a speaker, author, faith coach, radio host, podcaster and social media enthusiast. Find out more about her faith services, podcasts, events and media appearances at www.kendravonesh.com. Doors open: 6pm
Rosary: 6:30 pm Talk: 7pm Kendra’s books

will be available for purchase Our Lady of Guadalupe Church, 800-17th St., Silvis, IL 61282 No cost to attend, however, donations are greatly appreciated and a free will offering will be taken up.

The **Geneseo-Atkinson food pantry** is open: Mondays 9:00am to 7:00 pm: Tuesdays 9:00am to 4:00 pm; and Fridays 9:00am to 12:00pm. We have collection boxes in the vestibule at Fareway and at Inspire Continuing Care for food and personal care items. Any residents of Geneseo or Atkinson may shop once a week in the clothing room on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays. The food pantry distributed school supplies to 109 students in the Geneseo School District. This number of students was more than twice as many as last year. Food pantry is accepting empty egg cartons and clean plastic or paper bags. We also need children’s clothing and small appliances. Food needs: sugar, oil, vinegar, cereal and salad dressing. Non food needs are Laundry soap, shampoo, conditioner, dish soap, and Kleenex. If your family, business or organization would like to donate ingredients for a Thanksgiving basket for our guests we have a list of items available that can be donated. Thanksgiving baskets will be packed on November 15th.

13th of the Month Prayer Group. All are invited to come to Our Lady of Guadalupe Church, Silvis on the 13th of each month to pray all 4 Mysteries of the Holy Rosary for the intentions of Our Lady. The Rosary will start at twelve noon and will end about 1:15 pm. All are invited to this special event. Come and join us to pray the rosary, one of the most powerful prayers available to us. Questions? Call Ana Neptune at 792-9545.

If you are celebrating your 25th or 50th wedding anniversary in 2022, notify the parish office. Each couple will receive a personal invitation from the Bishop to attend a Mass in your honor on September 25th at 3:30pm at the Cathedral.

Rachel’s Vineyard Retreat in English: September 23-25, 2022.

Has the abortion experience that has left you feeling empty and alone? Rachel’s Vineyard Retreat is available in our diocese for any man or woman who has struggles 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 effect 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 September 23-25, 2022 retreat by calling 309-264-1489 or emailing rivrpeoria@gmail.com. All communications are strictly confidential.

St Malachy is planning a 6-week Circle of Healing grief support group for anyone who has lost a loved one. However, we need at least 6 participants to have the program. So, if you are interested in attending please contact the office. If we do not get enough participants we will postpone until a later date to have the program. The session will be starting Tuesday, August 16th at 6:30pm. If you are interested or want more information please contact: Deacon Art Ries or Cindy Ries at 309-945-2734/309-945-2733 email 47ries@gmail.com, or Cathie Stinson at 309-945-5393 email cstinson@stmalgeneseo.org or leave a message at the St Malachy parish office at 309-944-5393. All are welcome to come.

Readings for the Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time: Isaiah 66:18-21, Psalm 117:1,2, Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13, Luke 13:22-30

Jesus doesn’t answer the question put to Him in this Sunday’s Gospel. It profits us nothing to speculate on how many will be saved. What we need to know is what He tells us today—how to enter into salvation and how urgent it is to strive now, before the Master closes the door. Jesus is “the narrow gate,” the only way of salvation, the path by which all must travel to enter the kingdom of the Father (see [John 14:6](#)). In Jesus, God has come—as He promises in this week’s First Reading—to gather nations of every language, to reveal to them His glory. Eating and drinking with them, teaching in their streets, Jesus in the Gospel is slowly making His way to Jerusalem. There, Isaiah’s vision will be fulfilled: On the holy mountain He will be lifted up (see [John 3:14](#)), and He will draw to Himself brethren from among all the nations to worship in the heavenly Jerusalem, to glorify Him for His kindness, as we sing in today’s Psalm. In God’s plan, the kingdom was proclaimed first to the Israelites and last to the Gentiles (see [Romans 1:16](#); [Acts 3:25-26](#)), who in the Church have come from the earth’s four corners to make up the new people of God (see [Isaiah 43:5-6](#); [Psalm 107:2-3](#)). Many, however, will lose their place at the heavenly table, Jesus warns. Refusing to accept His narrow way they will weaken, rendering themselves unknown to the Father (see [Isaiah 63:15-16](#)). We don’t want to be numbered among those of drooping hands and weak knees (see [Isaiah 35:3](#)). So, we must strive for that narrow gate, a way of hardship and suffering—the way of the beloved Son. As this week’s Epistle reminds us, by our trials we know we are truly God’s sons and daughters. We are being disciplined by our afflictions, strengthened to walk that straight and narrow path—that we may enter the gate and take our place at the banquet of the righteous.

Dr. Scott Hahn

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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