

**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**

**Fifth Sunday of Easter**

**Saturday, May 6**

4:00 pm @ SA + Wilbur Cathelyn by Ron & Carolyn VanOpdorp

**Sunday, May 7**

8:00 am @ SH – For the Parishoners by Fr. Engelbrecht  
 9:30 am @ SA + Mickey VanDeRostyne by Her Family

**Monday, May 8**

No Mass

**Tuesday, May 9**

5:30 pm @ SA + Juan Puentes by Doug & Juliette Carter

**Wednesday, May 10 St. Damien de Veuster, Priest**

8:00 am @ SH + Elaine VanHyfte by Marilyn Verdick

**Thursday, May 11**

8:00 am @ SA + Loretta Simon by Deacon Nick & Norma Simon

**Friday, May 12 St. Pancras, Martyr**

8:00 am @ SA + Bill, Celina & Louis Teerlinck by Bob & Helen

**Sixth Sunday of Easter**

**Saturday, May 13**

4:00 pm @ SA + Tiffany Cathelyn by Lynn & Pam Cathelyn

**Sunday, May 14**

8:00 am @ SH + Sharon Gripp by Jack & Cathy Andersen  
 9:30 am @ SA – For the Parishoners by Fr. Engelbrecht

**Serving at Our Lord's Altar - Sacred Heart**

**8:00 am @ Sacred Heart - May 14**

Lector: Wayne Brau  
 EMHC: Wayne Brau  
 Ushers: Marvin VanKeulen & Vern Griffiths  
 Money: Renee Jackson & Jolene Sierens

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

**4:00 pm @ St. Anthony – May 13**

Lector: Jeanne Carton  
 Ushers: Lynn Cathelyn & Ben Raschke

**9:30 am @ St. Anthony – May 14**

Lector: Gary Olson  
 Ushers: John Cauwels & Steve Mapes

Please remember these parishioners who ask for your prayers.

Katelyn DeRycke, Christine Sand Dunahee, Barry Miller,  
 Alice Van Kerrebroeck, Berniece Cathelyn, Bill Rambo,

Memorial Day Mass will be held on Monday, May 29th at St. Anthony's Cemetery at 9:00 am. In Case of rain Mass will be held at the church.

**Upcoming Cursillo Weekends**

Men's: October 19-22, 2023  
 Women's: November 16-19, 2023  
 For more information visit: <https://nwcursillo.com>

**Upcoming TEC Weekends**

June 24-26, 2023 (Girls)  
 August 5-7, 2023 (Boys)  
 October 7-9, 2023 (Girls)  
 Visit: [www.northwest-tec.com](http://www.northwest-tec.com)

**Annual Diocesan Appeal**

Your gifts to Annual Diocesan Appeal help to reflect Christ's love to many people and are a sign of gratitude for your many blessings. Countless lives in our parish, our community and the Diocese of Peoria are touched by the ministries and programs supported by the ADA. To date, we have received 66 gifts totaling \$23,970.03 towards our goal of \$34,206 for St. Anthony's. To date we have received 35 gifts totaling \$8,760 towards our goal of \$12,796 for Sacred Heart. We are grateful to all those who have already pledged gifts. As you can see we have not reached our goal. It is not too late to contribute, as the appeal runs until the end of August. A gift to the ADA, no matter how great or small can go a long way. Remember, all funds received over our goal are returned to our parish.

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

Sunday, May 7 SH CCD 9 am Last Class  
 Tuesday May 9, SA Parish/Financial Council 6:30pm  
 Sunday May 14, SH May Crowning 8 am Mass

**St. Anthony's Annual Spring Raffle 2023**

**Main Event Drawing - Sunday May 7th after 9:30 Mass**

**Proceeds from raffle will be used for repairs to Church Bell Tower**

Congratulations to our second graders as they make their First Holy Communion this weekend. We would like to congratulate Katie Carton, Harper Hasbrook, Gabriella Specht, Kinley Wells and Dannah Wilson from Sacred Heart. From St. Anthony's Drake Mueller. Please pray for these children as they have the joy of receiving Jesus for the first time in Holy Communion.



On May 14th Sacred Heart will have May Crowning of the Blessed Mother. Girls of Sacred Heart wishing to participate should be at the back of the church by 7:45 a.m.

**St. Mary of the Fields Shrine**

**2023 Monthly Holy Hour Schedule**

May 7th at 2 pm Our Lady of Fatima  
 June 4th at 2pm Our Lady of Knock  
 July 2nd at 2pm: Our Lady of the Imm. Conc.  
 August 6th at 2 pm: Our Lady of La Salette  
 Sept. 3rd at 2pm: Our Lady of Vailankanni  
 October 1st at 2pm: Our Lady of La Vang  
 Friday - October 13th: Mass & Holy Hour  
 106th Anniversary of the Miracle of the Sun at Fatima

**No Potluck in May**

There will be an opportunity to have articles blessed by Father Engelbrecht on Tuesday, May 18th after Mass. The blessings will take place at St. Anthony's parish hall. All are welcome to bring articles you would like to have blessed.

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

**St. Anthony Monthly Financial Support March**

Sunday: \$9,391.85 Candle: \$110. Holy Day: \$30 Rice Bowl: \$20 Flowers: \$85 Cemetery: \$125 Catholic Aid: \$152 Memorial \$210

**Sacred Heart Monthly Financial Support March**

Sunday: \$8,006 Improvement Fund \$3100 Candles: \$233 Flowers: \$105 Cemetery: \$120 Catholic Aid: \$20 Initial: \$10

## VOLUNTEERS OF THE YEAR.

Congratulations to the St. Anthony's Altar & Rosary Society volunteers of the year. They're Bonnie Van De Velde and Valerie Plumley. Last Wednesday, Bonnie & Valerie were recognized at a luncheon in Peoria. Rosary, May Crowning, Mass and luncheon filled the day with fellowship, community and joy with other Diocesan volunteers. We thank Bonnie & Valerie for their service.

**THANK YOU!** Sacred Heart parish would like to thank Beth Haverback Medema for her many years of volunteering to teach for our CCD program. Beth will be retiring from teaching this year. We thank Beth for her time in teaching our faith to many children through the years.

St. Malachy's in Geneseo is hosting **Totus Tuus** July 9th—14th, 2023. Registration is now open. Grades 1st—6th meet Mon—Friday from 9 am until 3 pm. Grades 7th—12th grades meet Sunday-Thursday 7-9 pm. Registration forms can be found online or in the vestibule or office at St. Malchys parish. Cost is \$40 per student and includes a t-shirt. In order to receive a shirt please register by June 23rd. If you have questions please contact St. Malachys parish office and ask for Kimberly Souba.

All incoming 6th - 8th graders are invited to a **Ice Cream Party** hosted by the Rock. The Rock is the middle school youth ministry at St. Malachys in Geneseo. All area middle schoolers are invited. The ice cream party will be on Thursday, May 11th from 6:30 - 8 pm. We will also meet once a month over the Summer. Please join us!

The **Geneseo-Atkinson food pantry** is open: Mon. 9:00am to 7:00 pm, Tues. and Thurs. from 9:00am to 4:00 pm; and Fri. 9:00am to noon. We have collection boxes at Fareway and at Inspire Continuing Care. Any residents of Geneseo or Atkinson may shop once a week in the clothing room on Mon., Tues., and Thurs. Food needs: nuts, seafood and poultry, whole grain cereals. Non-food needs: dish soap, paper towels,

ziplock bags and bandaids.

Because of your generous support we have provided emergency assistance to 138 households in March. Combined food distributions in March were equivalent to 3, 938 meals. Thank you to our many donors who make this all possible!

The Catholic Messenger Presents a Pilgrimage to The Holy Land Walk Where Jesus Walked! Spiritual Director: Bishop Thomas Zinkula Group Leader: Deacon Matthew Levy September 22 - October 1, 2024 Make your way through the Holy Land to experience Him, follow in His footsteps, and see Him in the works He performed - your footsteps will become His. Celebrate Mass in the very places where these miraculous gifts became pages in the Gospel. See where He was back then, and feel how He is still there today! For more information & to register: <https://www.pilgrimimages.com/catholicmessenger/>

**Women's Choice Center Hike For Life** will be held at Veterans Memorial Park, 1645 23rd Street, Bettendorf Iowa on Saturday May 13, 2023. Choose a one-half, 1, or 2-mile route Registration/check in 8:30 am Super Hero Kids Run (ages 10 and under) 9:00 am Hike Step Off and Breakfast 9:30 am Sign up at [//womenschoicecenter.org/hike-for-life](http://womenschoicecenter.org/hike-for-life) & share your fundraising page to collect pledges Or register by completing/returning a pledge form (download, or pick up from PRO LIFE BULLETIN BOARD in Vestibule). If you can't join us: register, take a hike on your favorite trail, and turn in pledges before May 27 to be eligible for prizes. Questions? Phone 563-332-0475 or email [life@womenschoicecenter.org](mailto:life@womenschoicecenter.org)

**COME TO THE TAP** is formerly known as Theology on Tap. Our Lady of Guadalupe Church in Silvis, IL beginning in April through September is hosting Come to the Tap. It will be held on the 4th Thursday of each month starting at 6:30 pm for social time and a light dinner (TBD for a minimal

fee of \$7-10 per person which would be optional and need an RSVP for dinner only). The presentation will start at 7 pm and ends at 8pm. This event will be held at the newly owned and renovated TRIANGLE Bar in Silvis, just below the hill from the church. Hope you can come out to the TAP and join us for some wonderful evenings. **SAVE THE DATES:** May 25th, 2023 Deacon Matt Levy and Lisa - "Mind, Body, and Soul" June 22nd, 2023 Father Gifford- TBA July 27th, 2023 TBD- TBA August 24th, 2023 Father Peter Zorjan - Heaven, Hell and Purgatory September 28th, 2023 Father Klamut - The Lord of the Rings. If you are planning on eating with us, please make a reservation by calling Parish Office at 309-792-3867 and let Katrina know how many .... APRIL dinner is PIZZA from Swanny's in Colona for \$7 per person. We only needs head count for the catered in food.

**THAT MAN IS YOU GROUP:** "The Light of Men" is this year's theme. There is but one source of all light - Jesus! He is the light shattering the darkness of our day. To be in the light is to allow God's light to shine through you. "In him was life, and the life was the light of men. ALL men age 18 and older, (from all parishes) are invited to join us every Friday morning, in Cleary Hall, 555 18th Avenue East Moline, IL. Doors open at 6:00 a.m. for fellowship and refreshments. Our program begins at 6:30 and ends by 7:30, for those who need to get to work. We look forward to meeting you!!

Sacred Heart Altar & Rosary would like to thank everyone for all their support the past 8 years. If anyone is interested in taking over the offices please call Sue Ann Wells at 309-945-6004. A special thank you to Sue Killelea, Brenda Smith and Renee Jackson for all their time.

Readings for the Fifth Sunday of Easter: Acts 6:1-7, Psalm 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19, 1 Peter 2:4-9, John 14:1-12

By His death, Resurrection, and Ascension, Jesus has gone ahead to prepare a place for us in His Father's house. His Father's house is no longer a temple made by human hands. It is the spiritual house of the Church, built on the living stone of Christ's body. As Peter interprets the Scriptures in today's Epistle, Jesus is the "stone" destined to be rejected by men but made the precious cornerstone of God's dwelling on earth (see [Psalm 118:22](#); [Isaiah 8:14](#); [28:16](#)). Each of us is called to be a living stone in God's building (see [1 Corinthians 3:9, 16](#)). In this edifice of the spirit, we are to be "Holy priests" offering up "spiritual sacrifices"—and our prayers, work and intentions—to God. This is our lofty calling as Christians. This is why Christ led us out of the darkness of sin and death as Moses led the Israelites from bondage in Egypt. God's covenant with Israel made them a royal and priestly people who were to announce His praises (see [Exodus 19:6](#)). By our faith in Christ's new covenant, we have been made heirs of this chosen race, called to glorify the Father in the temple of our bodies (see [1 Corinthians 6:19-20](#); [Romans 12:1](#)). In today's First Reading, we see the spiritual house of the Church being built up as the Apostles consecrate seven deacons so they can devote themselves more fully to the "ministry of the Word." The Lord's Word is upright and all His works trustworthy, we sing in today's Psalm. So we can trust Jesus when He tells us never to be troubled but to believe that His Word and works come from the Father. His Word continues its work in the world through the Church. We see its beginnings today in Jerusalem. It is destined to spread with influence and power (see [Acts 19:20](#)) and to become the imperishable seed by which every heart is born anew (see [1 Peter 1:23](#)).

- 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](mailto:office@stanthonysatkinson.org) or mailing to PO Box 210, Atkinson, IL 61235