

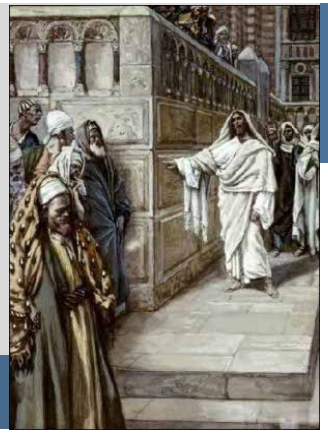
ST. ANTHONY ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH, Atkinson  
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 SHRINE OF ST. MARY, Hooppole

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**MASS SCHEDULE**  
**Celebrating Our Faith This Week**

**Twenty - Sixth Sunday In Ordinary Time**

**Saturday, September 30**

4:00 pm @ SA + Ron DeFauw by Jim & Shirley McNeil

**Sunday, October 1**

8:00 am @ SH + Chuck DeMay by Doris Brieser

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

**Monday, October 2**

No Mass

**Tuesday, October 3**

5:30 pm @ SA + Marlene Minnaert by Herb, Maribeth, Lisa & Brenda

**Wednesday, October 4** *St. Francis of Assisi*

8:00 am @ SH + Philip Cunniff by Mary Jagers

**Thursday, October 5** *St. Faustina Kowalska, Virgin*

8:00 am @ SA – VanDeVoorde Reunion by Reunion Committee

**Friday, October 6** *St. Bruno, Priest*

8:00 am @ SA + Richard Martens by Pat DeReu

**Twenty - Seventh Sunday In Ordinary Time**

**Saturday, October 7**

4:00 pm @ SA + Jean Causemaker by Jim & Carol Croegaert

**Sunday, October 8**

8:00 am @ SH + Donovan Kleckner by Adrianna

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

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

**8:00 am @ Sacred Heart - October 8**

Lector: Wayne Brau

EMHC: Wayne Brau

Ushers: Mark Crosby & Jerry DeSmith

Money: Renee Jackson & Jolene Sierens

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

**4:00 pm @ St. Anthony - October 7**

Lector:

Ushers: Lynn Cathelyn, Steve Clementz

**9:30 am @ St. Anthony - October 8**

Lector:

Ushers: Stephen Mapes, Kevin Stafford

Please remember these parishioners who ask for your prayers.

Katelyn DeRycke, Christine Sand Dunahee, Barry Miller,  
 Berniece Cathelyn, Mary Frank, Bernie Weidner

**Upcoming Cursillo Weekends**

Men's: October 19-22, 2023

Women's: Nov. 16-19, 2023

Men's: February 22-25, 2024

Women's: March 21-24, 2024

For more information visit:

<https://nwcursillo.com>

**Upcoming TEC Weekends**

October 7-9, 2023 (Girls)

December 9-11, 2023 (Boys)

February 17-19, 2024 (Girls)

Visit: [www.northwest-tec.com](http://www.northwest-tec.com)

**Pennies For Life**

Throughout the month of October, Respect Life Month, Pennies for Life cans will be at the entrances of each church. Suggested donation is one cent for each year of your life, in thanksgiving to God for the life God has given you. This collection supports the Family Resources Center, devoted to providing pro-life/pro-family resources free of charge to individuals, CCD programs, youth groups, etc. Any and all donations are greatly appreciated. Please encourage your entire family to participate and continue to pray that everyone will come to respect ALL life from conception until natural death!

St. Anthony's Cemetery Clean Up  
 St. Anthony's Cemetery clean up day,  
 October 7th at 9 a.m. All help would be  
 greatly appreciated.

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

Sunday, October 1 SH CCD 9:00 am  
 SM Holy Hour Sunday, Oct. 1st at 2 pm  
 Wednesday, Oct 4, SA CCD 3:30 & 5:30 pm

**St. Mary of the Fields Shrine**

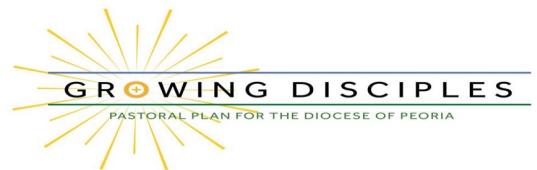
**2023 Monthly Holy Hour Schedule**

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

St. Anthony's Circle Three church cleaning  
 will be held Wednesday, October 4 at 5:30  
 pm. All help would be greatly appreciated!



The Diocese of Peoria will release the second, and more detailed set of draft models for Growing Disciples for the Kewanee Vicariate and our planning area online the evening of October 1 at [cdop.org](http://cdop.org). This "round two" includes updated groupings (showing which parishes will be joined under one pastor), suggested church usage, and initial ideas on how many priests will serve each newly formed pastorate. **It is important to note that no decisions have been made concerning the final plan.** Since your feedback and the feedback of all our parishioners on these parish models is welcomed and needed, Bishop Tyka is asking every parish in the diocese to organize a parish meeting during the month of October. These meetings will allow us to share this updated information with our parishioners and gather your thoughts. **Our Parish meetings will be held after 4 pm. Mass on Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup> at St. Anthony's hall and at Sacred Heart Church, Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup> after 8 am Mass.** Those with a connection to the Shrine of St. Mary of the Fields in Hooppole are welcome to attend either meeting.

**2023 ADA**

**Ready To Bring The Love Of Jesus**

The 2023 Annual Diocesan Appeal is now underway in both parishes. Thank you to all who have already pledged to the appeal. No gift is too small and the parish is trying to reach 100% participation. If you received your pledge card in the mail, please complete it and mail it back. If you have not, there are pledge cards in the pews. Every dollar raised over the goal will be returned to both parishes to help with parish needs.

St. Anthony's 2023 goal: \$33,621

Sacred Heart 2023 goal: \$12,161

Both parishes will need to pay the full amount of the goal that is not met. Please help your parish by reaching it's goal.

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

**St. Anthony Monthly Financial Support August**  
 Sunday: \$9,414.57 Candle: \$242.20 Cemetery: \$20  
 Holy Day: \$177

**Sacred Heart Monthly Financial Support August**

Sunday: \$3,205 Cemetery \$240 Holy Day \$95  
 Improvement: \$1,595

**OCIA - Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is now The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults. Are you interested in learning more about the Catholic faith or do you know someone who has mentioned joining us at the Lord's altar? Please sign up now for OCIA. OCIA is the process by which those who are not baptized or who are baptized in other Christian faiths come to full communion with the Catholic Church. For more information please call Father Engelbrecht at 936-7900.**

**EMMAUS PROCESSION:** October 7th in the Quad Cities. Walk with Jesus in the Eucharist alongside hundreds of faithful in the beautiful procession just as on the first road to Emmaus. 6:30—7:30 am. Park at Our Lady of Lourdes, Bettendorf. Shuttles will be available to Moline. 8:00 am—Mass at Sacred Heart Moline. 9:00 am—Begin Eucharistic Procession with stops at St. Mary, Moline along the route. Cross the I-74 bridge and end at Our Lady of Lourdes. Route is about 3/75 miles. 12:00 pm (estimated) - Benediction. For more details and updates go to EmmausQC.com or find us on Facebook and Instagram.

**Project Pride Food Pantry,** Annawan, wants to remind you that winter is coming! Cool, crisp temperatures are on the way. These reveal a real need in our community. Coats,

hats, and gloves are a must for all ages! If you can donate items please contact the pantry, 309-945-2337 by October 4th. Your generosity will help supply a warm, cozy winter for all in our area. Thank you for all you do and God bless.


**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. Any residents of Geneseo or Atkinson may shop once a week in the clothing room on Mon., Tues., and Thurs. The Geneseo Food Pantry is in need of Tuna, Low sodium chunky-style soups, pasta sauce, pasta and baked beans. Non-food needs are Kleenex, toilet paper, food storage bags, dish soap, shampoo and conditioner. Clothing needs are king size sheets,, plus size comfortable clothing, and new or like new underwear.

**Respect Life Sunday:** On October 1st from 2:30 - 3:30 pm the Knights of Columbus is looking for volunteers to give witness in support of life, by holding up pro-life signs on State street in Geneseo. Volunteers will meet at St. Malachy Church in the narthex at 2 pm for prayer and to hand out the signs, assemble on State street, then return to the church. It's a powerful way to support babies, their Mothers and Fathers and the pro-life cause. Refreshments will be available before

and after the assembly.

**HEALING MASS:** Save the dates: Thursday, Oct 5th, Nov 3rd and Dec 7th 2023 the monthly **Healing Mass at Sacred Heart, Rock Island,** will begin at 6:30 p.m. Confessions will still begin at 5:30 p.m. and be held until Mass time, as well as after Mass if needed. Also following Mass will be Adoration, with prayer teams available for those who would like individual healing prayer opportunities. Sacred Heart Church is located at 2810 5th Ave., Rock Island.

St. Malachy's is hosting a **Woman at the Well.** "God Wants Me To Do What?!" Thursday, October 5, 2023 Jennifer Temple, owner of Harvest Bakery & More in Erie, IL, was living a very comfortable, normal life when God placed it on her heart to step out of that comfort zone and do something different. Navigating the challenges of starting a new business along with the upheaval of her family life were things she never saw coming—but God had a plan. He not only blessed her and her family, but also her community. Reservations requested by October 2 GreggMarcia@gmail.com or 309/269-6897 \$8.00 donation at the door Mass at 5:00 pm. Doors open at 6:00 pm. Dinner 6:30 pm.



**BOX OF JOY**  
The Box Of Joy program is an opportunity for you to provide a Christmas gift to a child less fortunate, in poverty stricken nations, through Cross Catholic Outreach. You can choose the gender and age of the child you would like to help. You will receive a list of items you can include. Each box will be sent with a rosary and "The Story of Jesus" in their native language. Please pick up boxes, at St. Anthony's, after Mass starting this weekend. Boxes can be returned to the Church vestibule no later than October 28-29th or to Lynette Causemaker. Please help a child receive a Christmas gift this season.

#### Teacher Needed

Visitation Catholic School in Kewanee, Illinois is looking to hire a full time, 5th grade self contained teacher. Please send all inquires to Mr. Wayne Brau at wbrau@visitationcatholic.com or call 309-856-7451




**ROSARY RALLY #1** The National Rosary Coast to Coast rally will be held this year on Oct. 7th, the actual Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary. We are fortunate that this feast also falls on the First Saturday of the month. We can gather in prayer on the actual feast day of Our Lady of the Rosary, as well as to help fulfill Our Lady of Fatima's request to offer our prayer in reparation on first Saturdays. Please join us as we unite with the National Rosary Rally being held simultaneously at our nation's capitol. Saturday October 7, 2023 at 3 pm. Central time - Mary's Rosary Garden, St. Malachy's Geneseo. Sponsored by St. Malachy's Rosary Makers.

**ROSARY RALLY #2** St. Malachy's Rosary Makers Annual Rosary Rally in honor of Our Lady of Fatima's Miracle of the Sun will take place on Saturday, October 14, 2023 at noon. This event takes place outdoors as we gather at the main entrance to St. Malachy's church, near Ogden Street sidewalk. Bring lawn chairs. In case of inclement weather, rosary will be prayed in the church.

**ROSARY (ONLINE ONLY)** Through the Avila Foundation: Rosary Crusade - For Our Future Priests & Seminarians on Sunday Oct. 1, 2023 at 6:30 pm Central time. Join thousands around the world, to honor Our Lady and ask for her prayers and protection. Seminarians from around the United States will lead us in the mysteries of the Holy Rosary. Event Link: Register here: <https://www.tickettailor.com/events/avilafoundation/781476>

For more information about these events contact Jolene Thompson at 309-269-8944

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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