

ST. ANTHONY ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH, Atkinson
ST. PATRICK ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH, Sheffield
SHRINE OF ST. MARY OF THE FIELDS, Hooppole
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MASS SCHEDULE

Thirty-Third Sunday In Ordinary Time

Saturday, November 15
4:00 pm @ SA + Berniece Cathelyn
Sunday, November 16
8:00 am @ SA - For the Parishoners
10:00 am @ SP - Angie Cernovich
Monday, November 17 No Mass
Tuesday, November 18 *Ded. of the Basilicas to Sts. Peter & Paul*
5:30 pm @ SA + Bill & Tim Vanhyfte & Tracey Vanhyfte-Ward
Wednesday, November 19
5:30 pm @ SP + Members of St. Patrick Knights of Colmbus
Thursday, November 20
8:00 am @ SA + Father Thomas Donovan
Friday, November 21 *The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary*
8:00 am @ SA+ Mary Saylor

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Saturday, November 22
4:00 pm @ SA + Bill Rambo
Sunday, November 23
8:00 am @ SA - For the Parishoners
10:00 am @ SP - Don Andrews & Ray & Selma Coppejans

Serving at Our Lord’s Altar St. Anthony

4:00 pm @ St. Anthony – November 29
Lector: Jeanne Carton
Ushers: Ed Coble & Kevin Stafford
8:00 am @ St. Anthony – November 30
Lector: Eric Ufheil
Ushers: Rod Jackson & Gary Olson

Serving at Our Lord’s Altar - St. Patrick

10:00 am @ St. Patrick - November 30
Lector: Connie Hahne
Ushers: Ken Brummel & Marilyn Gray
Money Counters:: David & Connie Hahne & Mary Lanham

Please remember these parishioners who ask for your prayers.

Christine Sand Dunahee, Barry Miller, Mary Frank, Tom Morse, Abby Hahne Brokaw, Mike Curran, Jay DeBruyn, Driscoll Drew, Barb Wagner, Joan Miller, Joan Glubzinski, Kelly Hennigh, Joe Hoenschied, Chris Johnson, Elaine Kelm, Cleo Lanham, Dan Woods, Megan Lanham, Julie Marley, Hudson McCook, Aaron Stetson, Barb Wagner, Marietta Andrews, Nick Welgat, Spike Hubbs, Lorraine Happach. Shelley Church, Cindy Roseman, Alan Dietz, Gaye Abrhams, John & Wink Barry

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Diocese of Peoria

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Yesterday, Today, Forever

PILGRIMAGE SITES

CATHEDRAL OF ST. MARY

607 NE Madison Ave, Peoria, IL 61603
www.catholicpeoria.org | 309-3673-6317

CORPUS CHRISTI

273 S Prairie St, Galesburg, IL 61401
www.galesburgcatholic.com | 309-343-8256

St. JOHN NEWMAN CENTER CHAPEL

604 E Armory Ave, Champaign, IL 61820
www.sjcnc.org | 217-344-1266

ST. PETER AND PAUL

190 N Wells St, Nauvoo, IL 62345
hancockcountycatholic.org | 217-4532428

ST. MARY

412 10th St, Moline, IL 61265
www.stmarysmoline.com | 309-764-1562

ST. MARY

303 S Division St, Utica, IL 61373
www.stmarysutica.org | 815-667-4677

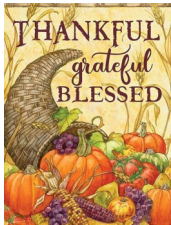
For visiting hours/information at each location: www.cdop150.org

Sharing in the Work of Christ Through Sacrificial Giving
(Weekly Sunday Contribution collected at Mass Nov. 9th)
St. Anthony Sunday Collection: \$1,499
St. Patrick Sunday Collection: \$868

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Sun. Nov 16th: CCD SP 8:30 –9:45 am SP Hall
Sun. Nov 16th: CCD SA 9:00 - 10:00 am SA Hall

For all Women attending St. Patrick’s Church
There will be an informational gathering at St. Patrick’s Hall following Mass Wednesday, November 19th. Soup and Dessert will be served! Please mark your calendar and We hope to see you there!!



Combined Church Family Thanksgiving Potluck

Sunday, November 23, 2025
5:00 pm at St. Anthony Hall

Parishioners of St. Anthony & St. Patrick Parishes are invited to join with each other for food & fellowship! Turkey will be provided. Each family is asked to bring a dish and a toy or winter clothing item to benefit local charities in Bureau and Henry Counties.

Due to needing a head count a sign up sheet will be available on the table in the entryway of St. Patrick, at the front doors at St. Anthony or in the parish office. Please sign up by Sunday, Nov. 16th. The Parish Dinner is free.



Knight of Columbus
Pancake & Sausage
Breakfast!

Sunday, November 16, 2025
8 am - 12 Noon

St. Patrick Church Parish Hall
Sheffield
Hope to see you there!



Angel Tree

This year our church family at St. Patrick & St. Anthony will combine to provide coats for families in need through the Angel Tree Project. This program will start November 15th and run through December 15th. Simply choose an angel off of the tree to provide a coat (hats/gloves) for a child in need. Please attach the angel to the coat when returned. You will NOT need to wrap the coat. All items should be returned by December 15th to be handed out. Your generosity lifts others and strengthens our own Christian purpose. Thank you! St. Patrick Angel Tree will be located inside the entrance doors of SP church; St. Anthony Angel Tree will be located in the SA parish hall entrance (some angels will be made available at the main entrance of the church).

2025 ADA

Thank you to those who have already made a pledge to the Annual Diocesan Appeal. Your support, in prayer and through your sacrificial gift to the ADA, makes it possible to provide services throughout the Diocese which support our parishes. If you have not made your pledge by mail please take a pledge card located at the entrances of both parishes. The goals for each parish are as follows: St. Anthony’s: \$46,563 St. Patrick’s: \$20,875 Please make all checks out to Diocese of Peoria and send donations directly to the Diocese. Thank you.

St. Anthony Goal: \$46,563	St. Patrick Goal: \$20,875
Pledged: \$18,765	Pledged: \$1,837
Balance: \$27,798	Balance: \$19,038

During this Thanksgiving season we want to help our local food pantries with donations for families in need. You can place an envelope containing your donation to the food pantry of your choice in our regular collections. Please indicate your choice of Geneseo/Atkinson, Annawan or Sheffield Food Pantries on your envelopes which will be delivered to them.

Pope Leo XIV will engage in a live digital dialogue with young people at the National Catholic Youth Conference (NCYC). The encounter will take place on Friday, Nov. 21st at 10:15 am ET at Lucas Oil Stadium in Indianapolis. The encounter will be livestreamed via EWTN, the exclusive multi-provider. A comprehensive digital experience will be available to all in preparation for the encounter! By registering for the digital experience, you will receive access to: A pre-event gathering on Nov. 11th at 9:00 pm ET, featuring special guests, prizes, exclusive content and more. You will receive instructions for accessing the livestream and you will receive post-event resources to bring the Pope's message into your home. Scan the QR code to register.



Geneseo/Atkinson Food Pantry needs for November: The clothing room is especially in need of: all sizes children's clothing, men's clothing all sizes, boys underwear in all sizes, sheet sets, bath towels and washcloths. Food Needs: Juice, coffee, chips, canned fruit, canned vegetables, spaghetti sauce and all kinds of soups. Toilet paper, paper towels, dish soap, laundry detergent, cleaning supplies, shampoo, conditioner, body wash, lotion, feminine hygiene products, deodorant, denture cleaner, and toothpaste are always needed.

Sheffield (Western Bureau County) Food Pantry * please note there is a basket in the entrance of SP for food donations. The pantry is in need of pancake mix and syrup. Items always needed: Mac & Cheese, Noodles, Peanut Butter, Soup, Tuna Fish, Cereal, Instant Potatoes, Rice, Canned Fruit, Jell-O, Canned Vegetables, Sugar, Spaghetti Sauce, Coffee, Hamburger Helper, Crackers. We also accept paper products (toilet paper, paper towels) and personal care products (toothpaste, shampoo, bar soap, deodorant, etc)

REBOOT~A Life-Changing Event This high-energy, 2-hour event with internationally acclaimed speaker Chris Stefanick will awaken your faith, reignite your joy, and equip you with tools to live the life God created you for: A life of JOY! It will help you rediscover the JOY you were created for, and is perfect for everyone...even friends, family, and children (12+) who may not be actively practicing their faith. Save the Date! Wednesday, November 19, 2025 from 7:00-9:00 pm. Sacred Heart Cathedral, 422 E. 10th St., Davenport, IA. Go to <https://buytickets.at/reallifecatholic/1663069>.

39th Country Village Christmas Bazaar, Marching to the Magic of Christmas. Saturday, November 22, 2025 at Visitation Goetzman Gymnasium, Kewanee. 9:00 am - 3:00 pm. Crafts, Vendors, Bakery, Raffle Items. Offering a breakfast and lunch menu. More information can be found at visitationcatholic.com/bazaar, on visitation catholic facebook page. You can purchase raffle tickets from any Visitation family, at the school office or via Venmo @Visitation-CatholicSchool

Come laugh with us on Wednesday, November 19, 2025! Richmond Hill Players in Geneseo presents "A Sherlock Carol" a benefit performance for Henry County Right to Life. Doors open at 6:30 and show starts at 7:30 pm. There is a \$15 donation. Tickets available from any Henry County Right to Life board member or by mail from Vicki Cooney (309)507-4125 or email vjg@mchsi.com.

INC20YC25 National Catholic Youth Conference. November 20-23, 2025. Bishop Lou invites all high schoolers in the Diocese of Peoria to join him and 15,000 Catholic teens in Indianapolis! Scan the QR code for details and registration. Deadline is Oct. 20th or until full. Questions? Contact missionsupprt@cdop.org or call 309-671-1550

Harvest Mass: Under the Pastoral Care of Fr. Gifford, Vicar Forane, we are celebrating a Harvest Mass of Thanksgiving followed by a Potluck Meal. Thursday, November 20 Mass 6:00 pm ~ Potluck to follow Aalter Farms 7089 IL Rt. 17, Woodhull, IL A Potluck Meal will follow Mass with, meat, drinks, & table service provided. Please bring a dish to share. Please RSVP by November 17, 2025 On the sign up sheet in the Narthex or call the parish office. Your sign up is important to help us to approximate the number of altar breads for consecration.

Lagron Miller Company is hosting Emanuele Fontanini of the world-renowned House of Fontanini - makers of Italian nativities for more than 110 years on Nov. 28, 2025 from 1 pm - 3 pm. Lagron Miller is located at 4517 N. Sterling Ave, Peoria IL. 309-681-9171



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St. Elizabeth of Hungary | Littlest Saints

A group of kids stages a play about St. Elizabeth of Hungary, focusing on her love for the poor and her devotion to serving others. The episode highlights her life, including the Miracle of the Roses, where her hidden acts of charity are revealed.

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"Today" is the Day: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time **Readings:** Malachi 3:19-20; Psalm 98:5-9; 2 Thessalonians 3:7-12; Luke 21:5-19

It is the age between our Lord's first coming and His last. We live in the new world begun by His life, death, Resurrection, and Ascension, by the sending of His Spirit upon the Church. But we await the day when He will come again in glory.

"Lo, the day is coming," Malachi warns in today's First Reading. The prophets taught Israel to look for the Day of the Lord, when He would gather the nations for judgment (see Zephaniah 3:8; Isaiah 3:9; 2 Peter 3:7). Jesus anticipates this day in today's Gospel. He cautions us not to be deceived by those claiming "the time has come." Such deception is the background also for today's Epistle (see 2 Thessalonians 2:1-3). The signs Jesus gives His Apostles seem to already have come to pass in the New Testament. In Acts, the Epistles, and Revelation, we read of famines, earthquakes, and the Temple's desolation. We read of persecutions—believers imprisoned and put to death, testifying to their faith with wisdom in the Spirit. These "signs," then, show us the pattern for the Church's life—both in the New Testament and today. We too live in a world of nations and kingdoms at war. And we should take the Apostles as our "models," as today's Epistle counsels. Like them we must persevere in the face of unbelieving relatives, friends, forces, and authorities hostile to God.

As we do in today's Psalm, we should sing His praises and joyfully proclaim His coming as Lord and King. The Day of the Lord is always a day that has already come and a day still yet to come. It is the "today" of our Liturgy. The Apostles prayed *marana tha*—"O Lord come!" (see 1 Corinthians 16:22; Revelation 22:20). In the Eucharist He answers, coming again as the Lord of Hosts and the Sun of Justice with its healing rays. It is a mighty sign—and a pledge of that Day to come.

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Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:00 to 3:30 pm at St. Anthony
Sunday: 9:30 to 9:50 am at St. Patrick
or by appointment with priest.

Adoration

St. Patrick's, Sheffield
First Friday of every Month 5:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Area Parishes

St. Malachy (Geneseo)
Saturday 5:00pm, Sunday 8:15 and 10:30 am

St. John Paul II (Kewanee)
Saturday 4:30pm, Sunday: 8:30
11:15am Spanish

St. Louis (Princeton)
Sat. 4:00pm, Sunday 7:30, 9:00 & 10:30 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:
Sue Mochel at (309)944-7289.
Sacred Heart Cemetery:
Adam DeRycke at (309) 935-6080
St. Mary's of the Field Shrine Cemetery:
Steve Clementz at (309) 936-7142
St. Patrick's Cemetery:
Dave Hahne at (815) 252-2798

Parish Hall Rental

St. Anthony's parish hall, St. Patrick's parish
hall and St. Mary's of the Fields parish hall are
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 x 210, Atkinson, IL 61235