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The Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 16, 2024

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Religious Education:

OCIA/RCIA For more info please call one of the church office(s).

Youth Faith Formation Classes: Call CRE - Dan Robben at (618) 604-3792 or the parish office for more information.

Youth Ministry Moderators:

Erin Etheridge (618)604-7640 Paris Hempen (618)910-4551

Angie Pollmann (618)604-3116 Rhonda Pulver (248) 840-1857

Diane Klostermann (618)910-9266 Cheryl Loepker (618)526-7594

Parish Partnership Weekend Worship Schedule

Eucharist: Sat. 4:00 pm St. Augustine

5:30 pm St. Dominic

Sun. 8:00 am St. Augustine

9:30 am St. Anthony

11:00 am St. Dominic

Baptism: Celebrated after the weekend Liturgies by appointment. Baptismal preparation class required. Contact the parish office to register. **Set baptismal date at least two months in advance.**

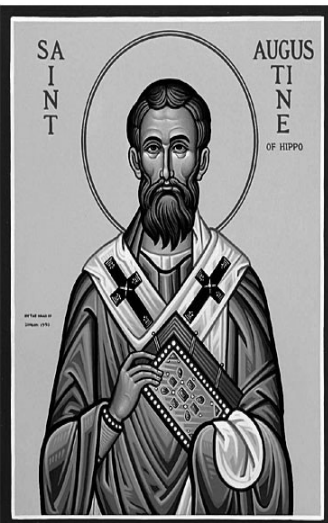
Reconciliation: Saturday at 3:30 pm at St. Augustine Church or by appointment. Seasonal penance services offered during Advent & Lent with dates to be announced.

Marriage: Call the parish office **at least six months in advance.**

Anointing of the Sick : Offered annually. Call the **parish office** or (618)-791-0069 for more information or to schedule an anointing.

Welcome

We encourage everyone 18 or older to register at the office as an adult parishioner.



Parish Staff

Pastor: Fr. Chuck Tuttle (618)526-2566

Pastoral Associate/DRE: Phyllis Berndsen (618)791-0069

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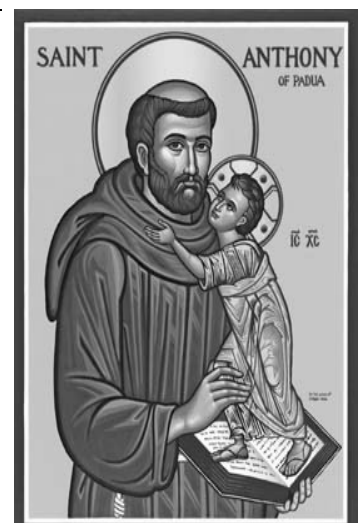
Office Hours

Breese: Mon., Wed & Fri. 8:30am - 4:30pm

Thurs. 2:00pm - 5:00pm

Beckemeyer: Tues. & Thurs. 8:00am-12:00pm

Bulletin deadline: Wednesday at 10:00am



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The Catholic Communities of

St. Augustine

06/16 Sun 8:00am Thanksgiving for all Fathers
Living & Deceased

06/17 Mon No Service

06/18 Tues Noon -1pm Adoration

06/19 Wed 7:25am Rosary/Perpetual Help
Devotions

8:00am Vocations to the Priesthood &
Religious Life

06/20 Thurs No Service

06/21 Fri 8:00am Parish Faith Community of St.
Augustine

06/22 Sat 4:00pm Don Thomas †

06/23 Sun 8:00am Paul Meier †
Anthony & Gertrude Voss †

St. Anthony

06/16 Sun 9:30am Thanksgiving for all Fathers
Living & Deceased

06/17 Mon No Service

06/18 Tues 7:30am Vocations to the Priesthood &
Religious Life

06/19 Wed No Service

06/20 Thurs **8:30am** 100th Jubilee Pilgrimage – Sisters
of St. Francis of the Martyr St. George

06/21 Fri No Service

06/22 Sat No Mass

06/23 Sun 9:30am Edward Holthaus †
Veronica Mensing †
Ed & Rose Miller †
Edward & Marilyn Miller †

I want to take this opportunity to thank the parishes and parishioners of St. Anthony and St. Augustine for all the remembrances and warm wishes of congratulations on the occasion of my 50th Anniversary of Ordination to the Priesthood. As I mentioned, it is a joy to minister among you and I look forward to continuing to serve, as long as God permits me. God bless you all, Fr. Chuck

ST. ANTHONY MINISTRY SCHEDULES

Ministry:	Greeters	Lectors	Ushers	Gift Bearers
Sun., June 23 9:30am	Kelly Pollmann Diane Winkeler	Karri Kampwerth	Mike & Sharon Peppenhorst Dennis Pollmann, Gary Winkeler	Mensing Family

Sunday, June 23 at 9:30am

Extra-ordinary Ministers: Steve & Carol Hilmes, Geri Pollmann, Linda Mensing

Altar Servers: Grace Etheridge, Caden Holtgrave

Sacristans: June 16 - 22 Pauline Albers June 23 - 29 Annette Burkhardt

ST. AUGUSTINE MINISTRY SCHEDULES

Ministry:	Altar Servers	Lectors	June Ushers	Gift Bearers	Extra-ordinary Ministers
Sat., June 22 4:00pm	Jake Buller Bennette Deien Evan Deien	Craig Revermann	Aggie Becker, Gerard & Rose Huelskamp, Mark Kruep	To be Announced	Karen Huelskamp Ralph Kuhl +2 T.B.A.
Sun., June 23 8:00am		Jay Schneider	Jerry Korte, John Rakers Jamie Voss, Tony Voss	Voss Family	Rachel Maue Katie Siefker Jerry & Judy Korte

Sacristan: June 16 - 22 Phyllis Berndsen

June 23 - 29

Katie Siefker

Extraordinary Minister to the Home Bound: June 16 Nancy Renschen

June 23 Julie Hummert

SAVE THE DATES: The Sisters of St Francis of the Martyr St George will be continuing their 100th Anniversary Pilgrimage to St Anthony's with two more masses. Jun 20 at 8:30am with a social to follow. Jul 25 at 8:30am with a social to follow. Bishop McGovern will be presiding at the mass on Jul 25. Therefore, we encourage all to attend this mass to show our support for the Sisters and the Bishop.

Dear Friends,

Today's readings are especially timely at this point of the year. Two of the passages concern nature, specifically the growth of large trees and plants. As we head into summer, we can appreciate the shade from an expansive, leafy tree. On this Father's Day, a sturdy tree that provides shelter and comfort may remind us of our own father or fathers we know. Like trees and plants during the summer, like fathers who love us and care for us, the seeds we sow and nurture grow slowly and steadily, producing fruit that builds the kingdom of God in our midst.

THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE LESSON: Ezekiel sets the tone for today's selections from God's word when he relates God's promise to grow a majestic tree that will stand out among all the rest. In the Gospel, Jesus tells the well known parable of the mustard seed, a tiny seed that produces a huge plant. The fruit of the natural world of God's wondrous creation, continues to provide for us, even as its miraculous growth entralls and delights us.

STEWARDSHIP: Even though we may feel unimportant or very small at times, just like the mustard seed, we must never lose sight of the importance of our individual participation in bringing about the Kingdom of God.

A REMINDER: Thanks to the St. Monica Altar Sodality and ladies of the parish who gave of their time and commitment to make the St. Augustine Rummage Sale another success. On this Father's Day weekend let us keep our fathers and grandfathers, living and deceased, in our prayers and ask St. Joseph to always be their source of guidance and strength.

A QUESTION FOR THE WEEK: How do I walk by faith, showing my trust in God and things I cannot see? Can I recall a recent occasion in which I chose to put my trust in God?

God bless,
Fr. Chuck

St. Augustine News...

Upcoming Meetings:

Rummage Sale News:

A special thank you to everyone who helped out with the rummage sale in anyway, from set-up to donating items to organizing to tear down & haul away, your participation is what makes our rummage sale such a success!

Thank you!

Baby Bottle Fundraiser for Pregnancy Care Clinic. This weekend is the final weekend to drop-off your baby bottle bank. Please place your bottle in the basket provided on the table in the Gathering Area. If you missed Mass this weekend, you can still drop-off your bottle at the church office. If writing a check, please make it out to The Pregnancy Care Clinic. Thank you for your generosity.



Please check out Rachel's Corner. A big THANK YOU to Katie & Craig Siefker for their donation of Rachel's books to the children's library in the Gathering Area.

Youth Ministry News:

- Next Youth Ministry Meeting will be 7/7/24 at St. Dominic Annex.

Other Upcoming Events: - Summer Softball 6/23 at 7pm at North Side Park - Holiday World on 6/25 Please contact a moderator for more info - Cairo, Illinois Service Project/Trip
Permission slips are needed to participate in all listed events. All high school youth including graduating 8th graders & Seniors are invited to attend all listed events. Updates for Youth Ministry events will be posted on Groupme. High School youth wanting updates for youth ministry events, download the Groupme app and please contact Erin, Paris, Angie, Rhonda, Diane or Cheryl, to be added to the Groupme.

St. Augustine ATTENDANCE

June 8 4:00pm.....126 June 9 8:00am.....129

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

June 8 Loose: \$56.00 Envelopes: \$1,200.00(35)
June 9 Loose: \$72.00 Envelopes: \$850.00(16)

Other Envelopes: Building \$415.00(7), Education \$20.00(1), Sr. Parish \$109.00(10)

St. Anthony News...

Upcoming Meetings:



Ladies Sodality will be holding a Bunco and Dessert

Party on Monday, June 17 at 1:00 pm in the Parish Center.

Cost is \$5 per person. Be sure to join in the fun! This event is open to everyone from all area parishes.

Thank you Karen Beckemeyer

St Anthony's Banner was prepared by Karen Beckemeyer. A picture of the banner is displayed on the bulletin board at St Anthony's church entrance. The banner will be placed on the end of a pew for the Mass on July 8th at 10am Mass at St. Peters Cathedral.

Pro-Life Baby Shower:

Please remember to drop-off your "gifts" for the Pro-Life Baby shower on the table at the back of church. *Ideas: Diapers, Wipes, Diaper Bags, Bottles, Blankets, Baby Care items.* The items that you donate to the Pregnancy Care Clinic, will help to provide much needed support to someone who had the courage to say YES to Life! Last day to drop off items is Sunday, June 16.

Vocation Corner:

Today's parable of the sower invokes an image of how parents can "plant the seed" of a vocation in their own family. We are all called as the Church to spread the Word of God through our "sowing" the seed of our faith and sharing it with others. Hopefully, our personal mustard seed will blossom into the "largest of plants" as we live out our own vocations – Priest, sister, parent, single person.



St. Anthony ATTENDANCE

June 9 9:30am.....108

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

June 9 Loose: \$67.00 Envelopes: 1,091.00(25)

Other Envelopes: Building Fund \$135.00(4), Catholic Comm. Campaign \$10.00(1), Seminarian Education \$15.00(2)

Meals & Events:

Knights of Columbus Breese Council

(All are eat in or take-out and are served in the basement.):

Taco Tuesdays: 4:30pm - 7:00pm

Wing Thursdays: 4:30pm - 7:00pm

Chicken Fry Fridays: 4:00pm - 7:00pm

Father's Day Breakfast at Albers Legion Sunday, June 16th, 8:00am to NOON. Sausage, Ham, Pancakes, Eggs, Fried Potatoes and Biscuits & gravy. Adults \$13.00, Kids 5-12 \$6.00, Under 5 Free. Dine In or Carry Out.

St Rose Festival \$15,000 Raffle Saturday, August 10, 2024, only 300 tickets sold 6 chances to win; \$10,000 big prize \$1000 early bird drawing June 19, 2024. \$100 donation, other 5 drawings held at the festival. Purchase tickets cash, check or Venmo at RBar St Rose, Nathan Vice 618-806-6143 or Blake Benhoff 618-604-3113.



Knights of Columbus Breese Council is having a 5th Sunday Breakfast on Sunday, June 30th. More information to follow.

Eucharistic Pilgrimage:

In preparation of the Emmaus Days(Eucharistic Pilgrimage) at Our Lady of the Snows on July 7th, Bishop McGovern requested that all Diocesan parishes provide a small banner to be placed on the end of the pews at Mass on July 8th @ 10am Mass @ St. Peters Cathedral.

St. Anthony's banner was prepared by Karen Beckemeyer. A picture of the banner is displayed on the bulletin board by the main church entrance. Thank you Karen.

St. Augustine's banner was prepared by Connie Weisenfeld. A picture of which you will find on the bulletin board at St. Augustine in the gathering area. Thank you Connie.

Also all grade school children (YFF & ASA) were asked to create a "Tile" picture which will be displayed at the shrine On July 7 & 8....all are invited to attend this event.

Pro-Life Corner: "Through our prayers and through the intercession of St. Joseph, patron of fathers, may fathers come to know the irreplaceable role they hold in the lives of their children, and the responsibility they share in welcoming God's gift of new life!" Most Reverend Shelton J. Fabre, Bishop of Houma-Thibodaux
<https://www.usccb.org/prolife/fathers-irreplaceable-role-welcoming-life>
<https://www.usccb.org/sites/default/files/2021-05/joseph-spiritual-bouquet-2.png>

Please remember in your prayers:

All those serving in the military and everyone listed:

Carl Aarns	Jackie Aarns	Edwin Albers
Norb Albers	Ruth Albers	Dolores Benhoff
Veronica Blumenstein	Sadie Bryan	Dave Deutsch
Christie Dust	Betty Erlinger	Roger Foppe
Joe Fragile	Carol Fritch	Jupe Gonzalez
JoAnn Gray	Carol Gwinn	Gerri Haar
Mary Haar	Mike Haar	Jim Haukup
Mary Heimann	Richard Hellige	Carlos Hill
Rich Holtgrave	Edna Holthaus	Gertrude Holthaus
Greg Jansen	Tony Jansen	Etta Kampwerth
Travis Knolhoff	Rose Kuhl	Evie Lammers
Gabrielle Ludwig	Theresa Luitjohan	Joann Maue
Dana Beckmann-Marks	Mary Ann Maue	Carol Meier
Doris Mueller	Mark Niemeyer	Rachel Peters
Kathy Pingsterhaus	Ken Porter	Jerome Ratermann
Pearl Richter	Joanie Rolfingsmeier	Pat Rollins
Fr. Ed Schaefer	Julie (Schlueter) Detmer	Marcel Thole
Clete Timmermann	Loretta Trame	Lucille Trame
Dottie Wellinghoff	Agnes White	Special Intentions

If you have anyone who needs to be added or removed from this list, please contact the Parish Office.

Invitation to Bishop Braxton's Celebration

His Excellency, The Most Reverend Edward K. Braxton, Ph.D., S.T.D., Bishop Emeritus of Belleville, invites you to join him for a Mass of Thanksgiving, on Sunday, July 14, 2024 at 5:00 PM O'clock in the Cathedral of St. Peter, 200 West Harrison Street, Belleville, Illinois commemorating the 54th Anniversary of his Ordination to the Priesthood the 29th Anniversary of his Consecration to the Episcopacy and the 80th Anniversary of his birth. The Intention of this Mass will be Prayers for Vocations to the Priesthood in our Diocese. You are invited to greet the Bishop and enjoy Refreshments at a Reception immediately after the Mass in the Undercroft of the Cathedral. **RSVP by Wednesday, June 26** to Mary Fleming, Chief of Staff, mfleming@diobelle.org 618-722-5031. **Please Note:** **Your prompt response is extremely important in order for us to prepare the refreshments for the Reception.**

Pregnancy Resource Spotlight: Our pregnancy resource highlight of the week is Pregnancy Resource Center in Harrisburg. They offer free pregnancy tests, diapers, wipes, and baby clothing. They are located at 204 N Main St, Harrisburg, IL 62946 and are open each Friday 9-11am. Their website can be found at <http://www.fbcharisburg.com/ministries/pregnancy-resource-center>

2024 ELEVENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME **Daily Scripture and Reflections during Ordinary Time**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
16 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time Even small works can bear fruit in growing the Kingdom. <i>Ezekiel 17:22-24</i> <i>2 Cor. 5:6-10</i> <i>Mark 4:26-34</i>	17 Weekday Love god and love your neighbor. <i>1 Kings 21:1-16</i> <i>Matthew 5:38-42</i>	18 Weekday We love our enemies best when we pray for them. <i>1 Kings 21:17-29</i> <i>Matthew 5:43-48</i>	19 St. Romuald, Abbot Strive to please God, not other people. <i>2 Kings 2:1; 6-14</i> <i>Matt. 6:1-6, 16-18</i>	20 Weekday Our Father knows what we heed before we ask. <i>Sirach 48:1-14</i> <i>Matthew 6:7-15</i>	21 St. Aloysius Gonzaga Seek the things of above and you will find peace. <i>2 Kings 11:1-4, 9-18, 20</i> <i>Matthew 6:19-23</i>	22 St. Paulinus of Nola Resolve not to worry, but place your cares in God's hands. <i>2 Chron. 24:17-25</i> <i>Matthew 6:24-34</i>