

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

Second Sunday of Lent

Saturday, March 12

4:00 pm @ SA + Rex Carter by Doug & Juliette Carter

Sunday, March 13

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

9:30 am @ SA + Jack Minnaert by Donna Holevoet

Monday, March 14

No Mass

Tuesday, March 15

5:30 pm @ SA + Neil Simon by Keith & Lynette Causemaker

Wednesday, March 16

8:00 am @ SH + Rita Koren by Delores Nanninga

Thursday, March 17 St. Patrick, Bishop

8:00 am @ SA + Elsie Minnaert by Jolene Thompson

Friday, March 18 St. Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop & Dr. of Church

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

Saturday, March 19 St. Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9:00 am @ SH + Ralph Vandevoorde by Brett Seger

Third Sunday of Lent

Saturday, March 19

4:00 pm @ SA + Abigail Krizan by GG & Papa Croegaert

Sunday, March 20

8:00 am @ SH + Marlene Minnaert by SH A&R Society

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

Serving at Our Lord's Altar

8:00 am @ Sacred Heart– March 20

Lector: Rod Jackson

EMHC: Gene Vandevoorde

Ushers: Don Sierens & Dave DeSplinter

Money Counters: Jolene Sierens & Sharon Sturtewagen

Please remember these parishioners who ask for your prayers.

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

Rice Bowls are available at the doors of both churches during Lent. Parishioners can also Put a donation in an envelope marked Rice Bowl .All donations go towards helping Catholic Relief Services to continue to provide life-saving assistance in nearly 100 countries. CRS works on our behalf to care for the poorest in our world and to end global poverty. Envelopes and rice bowls can be placed in the collection basket or mailed to the church office. Thank you!



Carry Out Fish Fry

Visitation Fish Fry, 107 S. Lexington Ave, Kewanee, Il. Friday: March 18 & 25th. **Carryout only.** Picked up at drive thru line by entering from S. Lexington and exiting on West 1st. St. You may preorder up until 4pm on the day of the event at visitationfishfry@gmail.com Include number of meals and preferred sides. \$10 per person served 5-7 pm.. Meal includes fish and choice of 2 sides: roll, desert : coleslaw, mac & cheese or baked potato.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR
Parish Updates

SA A&R meeting Tuesday, March 15 at 6:30pm in the church hall
SA CCD Class Wednesday March 16 at 6 pm
SH & SA Stations of the Cross 5:30 pm
Fridays During Lent
SH CCD Class Sunday March 20 at 9 am

St. Anthony's Annual Spring Raffle 2022

Only 500 Tickets Will Be Sold *The odds of winning are an incredible 1 in 32*

Main Event Drawing - Sunday, May 1st, 11:00 am
Grand Prize \$10,000

Seller of Grand Prize Ticket Wins \$1,000

2nd Prize \$2,000

3rd – 5th Prizes \$1,000 Each

6th – 9th Prizes \$500 Each

10th – 16th Prizes \$250

Ticket Price \$100.00

(\$1,500 Early Bird Drawing will be on April 16th 2022)

Tickets are also available at the Parish Office or at the doors of the church. Tickets and money can be put in an envelope marked RAF-FLE and put in the collection basket or mailed to the parish office. We ask that tickets be turned in by the end of April. Visit the heartandthelily.org for official rules sheet and additional information. Early Bird Winner is eligible for Main Event drawing. Main drawing and Early Bird drawing will be held at St. Anthony Parish Center. Anyone who sells 5 tickets will have one entry in a drawing for a \$200 prize. Anyone who sells 10 tickets will be entered into a special drawing for a \$300 prize. There will be a "super-pool" drawing for those selling 20 or more tickets. For every 10 tickets sold over 10, the seller's name will also be entered into a drawing for an additional \$300. Non-parishioners are allowed to sell tickets and would also qualify for this special drawing. Must be 21 years old to purchase tickets. Need not be present to win.

St. Anthony's Spring Church Cleaning

Thursday, March 31 at 5:30 pm. This will be for all four circles. Please bring your own buckets and rags. Many hands make light work. See you there!!



Sharing in the Work of Christ
through sacrificial giving

St. Anthony Monthly Financial Support February

Sunday: \$5,210.00 Candle: \$152.00

Sacred Heart Monthly Financial Support February

Sunday: \$2,954.00 Candle: \$109.00
 Initial Offering: \$5.00 Improvement \$300.00

St. Anthony's ADA	Sacred Heart ADA
Goal: \$29,744	Goal: \$13,807
Pledged: \$24,340	Pledged: \$10,376
Paid: \$20,180	Paid: \$9,726
Balance: \$5,404	Balance: \$3,431
Families: 69	Families: 41

WARNING ABOUT RISK ASSUMED BY PARISHIONERS

While our parish staff will attempt to take appropriate precautions consistent with the advice of public health authorities, parishioners and guests should understand that they assume the risk of contracting COVID-19 anytime they enter a public space since such precautions do not eliminate the risk of infection. Updated June 12, 2021.

If you have a fever or flu-like symptoms, recently traveled out of the country or have been exposed to someone with COVID-19, you should stay home. We rejoice that we can come together as members of Christ's Body to worship and help each other get to heaven. May God continue to Bless our parishes and all the faithful of St. Anthony and Sacred Heart Parishes.

One of the many treasures of the Church down through the centuries is the marking of time. From a Catholic perspective you do not really know how to feast when Easter comes until you have fasted during Lent. So let us enter into the holy season of Lent with an open heart to what our Lord wants to teach us. The 40 days of Lent remind us of the 40 days that Jesus fasted in the wilderness.

We participate in Lent through our prayers, fasting (giving up food, sweets, television etc.) and alms giving (doing good for another). So as we approach Lent, let us consider how the Lord is calling us to keep the season holy so as to have the best ever Easter. Please consider some of the following opportunities to make this a good Lenten season.

- **Confessions**

Saturdays 3:00- 3:45 pm at St. Anthony's
Sundays 7:30 - 7:50 am at Sacred Heart
Tuesday 5:00pm at St. Anthony's
Fridays 5:00 - 5:20 pm (before stations) at Sacred Heart

- **Attend Mass during the week**

- **Stations of the Cross**

Fridays at 5:30 pm at Sacred Heart and St. Anthony's

- **Rice Bowls to help the poor world wide by Catholic Relief Services. Available at the vestibules of both churches.**

- **Food Pantry to help the poor locally.**

Regulations for Lent and the Easter Triduum

1) Lent is the principal season of penance in the Christian year. Priests, religious and laity are strongly urged to develop and follow a program of voluntary self-denial, attentiveness to prayer, and especially to works of charity and mercy.

2) Everyone of 14 years of age or over is bound to **abstain from meat** on Ash Wednesday, March 2, 2022 and all the Fridays of Lent. (That includes Good Friday) Once you reach age 14 you are obligated to **abstain from meat the rest of your life! - on Ash Wednesdays**

and Fridays of Lent!

3) Everyone 18 years of age and under 59 years of age is bound to **fast** on Ash Wednesday, March 2, 2022 and Good Friday, April 15, 2022.

4) On these two days of fast and abstinence, Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, only one full meatless meal is allowed. Two other meatless meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to each one's needs, but liquids including milk and fruit juices are allowed. When health or ability to work would be seriously affected, the law does not oblige.

5) To disregard completely the law of fast and abstinence is a serious matter.

Dynamic Catholic Speaker, Jesse Romero will be at Our Lady of Guadalupe, 800 17th St., Silvis, Ill. On April 3,4,5. Doors open at 6:30pm Rosary and 7pm Talk, Q & A. Jesse will have his books and more for sale. These events are free, however, donations are greatly appreciated and a free will offering will be taken up.

Fish Fry Hosted by: St. Ambrose/St. Catherine St. Ambrose Parish Hall 435 Main Street Erie, Illinois Fridays during Lent: March 18 & 25, April 1 & 8 4:00-7:00 pm ALL YOU CAN EAT Cost: Donation Menu: Alaskan Pollock with Polish Seasoning, Coleslaw, Baked Potato, Roll, Dessert Coffee, Lemonade.

The Catholic Post's 2022 Delivering Unity Campaign on the theme "Spread the Word" has begun. We strongly encourage support and readership of our diocesan newspaper, **The Catholic Post**. We hope all members of our parish will use this valuable resource for Catholic living and unity in our diocese. Follow The Catholic Post on Facebook to get breaking news first and to share stories and images of faith with your friends and family. The subscription price is \$30, but larger gifts in support of the mission are welcome. Subscribe online at thecatholicpost.com; call 309-671-1550 during business hours; or send a check

made out to The Catholic Post to POB 1722, Peoria, Il. 61656.

Did you know that St. Anthony's & Sacred Heart parishes are offering 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.

Padre Pio of Pietrelcina Monday, March 14 5:30 pm ~ Adoration; 6:30 pm ~ Mass; 7:00 pm ~ Veneration of St. Pio's Glove at St. Ambrose Catholic Church 312 1st Street, Milan IL

Upcoming TEC Weekends

April 2-4, 2022 (Boys)
June 25-27, 2022 (Girls)
August 6-8, 2022(Boys)
December 3-5, 2022 (Girls) For more info, visit www.northwest-tec.com

Upcoming Cursillo Weekends

Men's: New Date: June 9-12, 2022
Women's: New Date: July 7-10, 2022
For more information visit: <https://nwcursillo.com>

Readings for the Second Sunday of Lent: Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18, Psalm 27:7-9.,13-14, Philippians 3:17-4:1, Luke 9: 28-36

In today's Gospel, we go up to the mountain with Peter, John, and James. There we see Jesus "transfigured," speaking with Moses and Elijah about His "exodus." The Greek word "exodus" means "departure." But the word is chosen deliberately here to stir our remembrance of the Israelites' flight from Egypt. By His death and resurrection, Jesus will lead a new Exodus—liberating not only Israel but every race and people; not from bondage to Pharaoh, but from slavery to sin and death. He will lead all mankind, not to the territory promised to Abraham in today's First Reading, but to the heavenly commonwealth that Paul describes in today's Epistle. Moses, the giver of God's law, and the great prophet Elijah, were the only Old Testament figures to hear the voice and see the glory of God atop a mountain (see [Exodus 24:15-18](#); [1 Kings 19:8-18](#)). Today's scene closely resembles God's revelation to Moses, who also brought along three companions and whose face also shone brilliantly (see [Exodus 24:1](#); [34:29](#)). But when the divine cloud departs in today's Gospel, Moses and Elijah are gone. Only Jesus remains. He has revealed the glory of the Trinity—the voice of the Father, the glorified Son, and the Spirit in the shining cloud. Jesus fulfills all that Moses and the prophets had come to teach and show us about God (see [Luke 24:27](#)). He is the "chosen One" promised by Isaiah (see [Isaiah 42:1](#); [Luke 23:35](#)), the "prophet like me" that Moses had promised (see [Deuteronomy 18:15](#); [Acts 3:22-23](#); [7:37](#)). Far and above that, He is the Son of God (see [Psalm 2:7](#); [Luke 3:21-23](#)). "Listen to Him," the Voice tells us from the cloud. If, like Abraham, we put our faith in His words, one day we too will be delivered into "the land of the living" that we sing of in today's Psalm. We will share in His resurrection, as Paul promises, our lowly bodies glorified like His

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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