

**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**

**The Ascension of the Lord**

**Saturday, May 11**

4:00 pm @ SA + Jim McNeil by Sharon Sturtewagen

**Sunday, May 12**

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

9:30 am @ SA + Jean Causemaker by Jim & Carol Croegaert

**Monday, May 13 No Mass**

**Tuesday, May 14 St. Matthias, Apostle**

5:30 pm @ SA + Gene Decker by Marie & Family.

**Wednesday, May 15 St. Isidore**

8:00 am @ SH + Gene & Mary Ann Girtin by Delores

**Thursday, May 16**

8:00 am @ SA + Ann Sturtewagen by SA Altar & Rosary

**Friday, May 17**

8:00 am @ SA + Paul Pryzbyla by Family

**Pentecost Sunday**

**Saturday, May 18**

4:00 pm @ SA + Peggy King by Family

**Sunday, May 19**

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

9:30 am @ SA + Marshall Plumley 7th Anniversary of Ordination By Valerie

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

**8:00 am @ Sacred Heart - May 19**

Lector: Rod Jackson

EMHC: Sue Ann Wells

Ushers: Damien De May, Vern Griffiths

Money: Eldon & Deb Croegaert

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

**4:00 pm @ St. Anthony - May 18**

Lector:

EMHC: David VanDeVelde

Ushers: Lynn Cathelyn & Steve Clementz

**9:30 am @ St. Anthony - May 19**

Lector: Terence Patton

EMHC: Valerie Plumley

Ushers: Stephen Mapes & Mark Murphy

Please remember these parishioners who ask for your prayers.

Katelyn DeRycke, Christine Sand Dunaher, Barry Miller, Berniece Cathelyn, Mary Frank, Tom Morse

**St. Anthony's Annual Spring Raffle Winners:**

Stanley Causemaker -\$10,000, Bettina Van Opdorpe: \$2000  
 Louise Wildemuth, Bonnie Obrecht, Todd Maertens: \$1000.  
 Scott Verscheure, Father Engelbrecht,  
 Norma Gilbraith, Dylan Buckley: \$500.  
 Bobby Burton, Jan Wyffels, Julie DeFauw, Maurice  
 Atwell, Bill Wyffels, Janette Dwyer, Renee Hamer: \$250.

Thank you to all who donated and purchased tickets for a successful raffle!

**Upcoming Cursillo Weekends**

Men's: October 17-20, 2024

Women's: March 21-24, 2024

Men's: Nov. 14-17, 2024

**Upcoming TEC Weekends**

June 22-24, 2024 (G)

August 3-5, 2024 (B)

October 5-7, 2024 (G)

Dec. 7-9, 2024 (B)

For information visit [www.northwest-tec.com](http://www.northwest-tec.com)

Circle 1 will be cleaning SA Church on Monday, May 20th at 5:30 pm. All circle help would be greatly appreciated!

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR**

Tuesday, May 14: SA parish council/finance 6:30 pm.

Wednesday, May 15 SA CCD

Tuesday, May 21 SA A&R meeting 6:30pm

**St. Mary of the Fields Shrine**

**2024 Monthly Holy Hour Schedule**

June 2nd at 2pm Our Lady of Knock

July 7th at 2pm: Our Lady of the Imm. Conc.

August 4th at 2 pm: Our Lady of La Salette

Sept. 1st at 2pm: Our Lady of Vailankanni

October 6th at 2pm: Our Lady of La Vang

Sunday - October 13th: Mass & Holy Hour

107th Anniversary of the Miracle of the Sun at Fatima

A Potluck will be held after the June 2nd Holy Hour

**Butter Braid Fundraiser**

St. Anthony's Altar & Rosary Society would like to thank those who donated, bought or sold to help support the Butter Braid Fundraiser. If you have not picked up your Butter Braid please do so before or after Mass this weekend. .



**Memorial Day Mass**

**May 27th, 9:00 am**

**St. Anthony's Cemetery**

Please join us in remembering our fallen soldiers. Because Father Engelbrecht will be saying Memorial Day Mass in his hometown, we welcome Monsignor Wellman who will celebrate the Mass in Atkinson. Please bring your own lawn chairs. There will be coffee and doughnuts at the St. Anthony Hall following Mass. All are welcome! In the event of rain, Mass will be held at St. Anthony Church.

**Mother's Day Prayer**

God our creator, we come before You and lift up in prayer all mothers, grandmothers, stepmothers and mothers-to-be who gave the gift of life. We give you thanks for their presence, talents and gifts which they share in our church, society and world. May all mothers know of Your loving and gentle presence and may they always turn towards You in times of joy, sorrow and glory. We ask this in Your Name. Amen.



Thank you to those who have graciously given their time & talents to recent events at St. Anthony's, Sacred Heart & St. Mary's. The Spring Raffle, Butter-Braid fundraiser, both May Crownings, CCD & Sacramental preparation and Holy Hour were successful & fruitful due to your commitment & dedication to the parishes. Your efforts are greatly appreciated. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

**Growing Disciples** We want to provide you an update regarding Bishop Tylka's discernment process as part of the Growing Disciples initiative, the multi-year pastoral planning process for the Catholic Diocese of Peoria to renew discipleship and enhance relationships with Jesus Christ in every corner of our region. Next weekend - Pentecost weekend, each pastor will read a letter from the Bishop at every weekend Mass. The letter will include information specific to each parish and will be shared at all the Masses that weekend.

Between 5 pm and 6 pm on Saturday, May 18, the Diocese will be making the information public regarding all parish changes and priest announcements on its website ([growingdisciplescdop.org](http://growingdisciplescdop.org)). That website will also include a glossary of terms, a section of Frequently Asked Questions and a personal message from the Bishop. Starting on May 10th all are asked to join us in praying a Novena for the nine days leading up to Pentecost for the people of the Diocese of Peoria. Through these prayers, we will reflect on our history and legacy in the region. Through the outpouring of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost, the faithful will be empowered to go make disciples in our new, mission-driven, sustainable structure of parishes. The **Novena** can be found at the doors of both parishes as well as on the St. Anthony's Facebook page. If you were unable to start on May 10th, please combine days/prayers leading up to Pentecost.

All ladies of St. Anthony's parish are invited to the next **Altar & Rosary Society meeting** on May 21, 2024 at 6:30 pm at the hall. There will be discussion & planning of socials, programs & fundraiser for the 2024-2025 year. All ideas & help are greatly welcome & appreciated. New officers are also being sought. The positions are President, Vice President, Treasurer & Secretary. If you would like to help in ensuring a vibrant & fruitful future for the parish through the Altar & Rosary Society please contact the office or attend the meeting in May.

**St. Anthony's Cemetery will no longer have trash bins for public use. All items to be**

**discarded should be taken off site for disposal. Thank you.**

**In June, St. Anthony's will be collecting Newborn & Baby items** to be donated to the Christ Child Society of the Quad Cities & Foster Hope, Atkinson. Items collected will be diapers, wipes, 1 piece footed pajamas, baby socks, bibs, sleep sacks and board/cloth books and other baby toys. Please keep this in mind in the next couple of weeks. Baskets will be at the doors starting the first week of June.

**The Geneseo-Atkinson Food Pantry** Food needs: Tea, low sodium soup, cereal, crackers, 100% juice. Non-food needs: shampoo, conditioner, body wash, household cleaners, and dish soap. Clothing room needs: Smaller sizes men's and women's clothing.

**Emmaus Days 2024.** Registration for Emmaus Days 2024 is now open. Sessions I and II will be held at St. John's Catholic Newman Center in Champaign, IL. Participants deepen their faith and focus on discerning God's will through prayer and the sacraments. By listening to and spending time with priests and seminarians, participants get a glimpse into their lives. Session I is for those who are in college, as well as single men in their 20's and 30's who are discerning their vocation and will be held June 7-9, 2024. Session II is for Juniors and Seniors in High School and will be held June 21-24, 2024. Sessions III and IV will be held at Peoria Notre Dame High School. Led by seminarians, participants engage in masculine fraternity and learn to become real Christian men. The experience includes prayer, talks and activities like basketball, soccer, ultimate Frisbee, card games and a pool! Session III is for Freshman and Sophomores in High School and will be held July 7-10, 2024. Session IV is for 7th and 8th Grade and will be held July 10-12, 2024. To register go to: <https://www.wesharegiving.org/App/Form/3629e5b1-c111-4ff1-9e85-639e5c1beb7a>

**Totus Tuus "Totally Yours"** is a unique summer Catholic youth program dedicated to sharing the Gospel. The mission of Totus Tuus is to bring young people into a relationship with Christ and His Church for lifelong discipleship. Emphasis is placed on dynamic sharing of the faith, the sacraments, and a whole lot of joyful fun. All students entering grades 1-12 are welcome. Totus Tuus will be held at St. Malachy's Church, Geneseo from: 9:00 am - 2:30 pm beginning July 8 for students entering grades 1-6. 6:30 pm - 8:15 pm beginning July 7 for students entering grades 7-12. Cost is \$40 per student and includes a t-shirt. Registrations due: June 14 to guarantee a t-shirt. Teen and adult volunteers are needed as well as other donations. Please contact Kimberly at [ksouba@stmalgeneseo.org](mailto:ksouba@stmalgeneseo.org) or by calling the parish office to see how you can help.

**Come to the Hall** Where: Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish Hall 800 17th St., Silvis. When: Every 3rd Thursday (except August is 4th Thursday). Time: 6:15 pm for light dinner & social time. 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm Speaker. Cost: \$10 per person for light dinner, MUST RSVP for dinner. Call Katrina in the office during regular business hours to RSVP for dinner no later than the Friday prior to the event so we have enough food. 309-793867, ext. 3. May 16 Fr. Peter Zorjan Marian Apparitions of our Lady. June 20 Sr. Subha Clare Is Your Relationship with God Interactive? July 18 Fr. Peter Zorjan Spiritual Warfare: Demons, Angels, New Age, Manifestations... Aug. 22 Fr. Charles Kamut Lord of the Rings, Part 2.

The Christ Child Society of the Quad Cities is hosting a fundraiser at Playcrafters Theater. **Charlotte's Web** is based on the book by E.B. White and is Adapted by Joseph Robinetto. Playcrafters Theater is at 4950 35th Ave, Moline. go to [playcrafters.com](http://playcrafters.com) for more information. \$25 Adults \$15 Children Children 17 & under. July 25, 2024 7:30 pm. Doors Open 7:00 pm

## OVER THE TOP!!

St. Anthony's & Sacred Heart are trying to get to the top & make our goal for the Annual Diocesan Appeal! Boards have been put in the back of the church & will remain until we have reached our goal. Please help so that the parishes do not have to pay the remaining amount. Monopoly money with the matching contribution can be put in a marked envelope (make sure your name & parish are on the envelope) and placed in the collection basket. Thank you to all who have already pledged to the appeal as we appreciate your generosity. No gift is too small. For those who need a pledge card there are some in the vestibule of both parishes. Please send them in the mail to the Diocese of Peoria along with your contribution. Every dollar raised over the goal will be returned to both parishes to help with parish needs.

St. Anthony's 2023 goal: \$33,621 Pledged: \$25,628

Sacred Heart 2023 goal: \$12,161 Pledged: \$6,611

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

## Sharing in the Work of Christ through sacrificial giving

### Purchase a St. Anthony's Cookbook

Recipes and Recollections is a 444 page cookbook with nearly 1000 recipes! It is a perfect gift for weddings, birthdays or any special occasion! For more information contact Ardith Burton at 936-7975 or Norma Gilbraith at 936-7583.



### St. Anthony Monthly Financial Support March

Sunday: \$9,941 Candle: \$201  
Easter: \$1,317 Holy Land: \$135  
Catholic Relief: \$185  
Memorials: \$46,891

### Sacred Heart Monthly Financial Support March

Sunday: \$4,700 Easter: \$440  
Holy Land: \$10 Flowers: 165  
Cemetery: \$50  
Initial Offering: \$10  
Improvement \$2,025

### 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

### Parish Staff

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Office Hours: Thursday 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

### 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.