

SAINT ANTHONY OF PADUA A MEMBER OF ST. GEORGE DEANERY 27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 4TH, 2015



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St. Anthony Parish Website: www.cgstanthony.org St. Anthony School Website: www.stanthonyschool.info

Welcome Bishop Daniel Thomas!

Mass Schedule Weekday ~ {Elmer Ellerbrock} October 06 Tuesday 6:30 p.m. Mass October 07 Wednesday 8:00 a.m. Mass Our Lady of the Rosary ~ {Rosemary Hoffman - (CLC)} October 08 Thursday 8:00 a.m. Mass Weekday ~ {For The Parish} October 09 Friday 8:00 a.m. Mass Weekday ~ {Deceased Members of the Robert Kohls Family} October 10 Saturday 8:00 a.m. Rosary 4:30 p.m. Mass October 10 Saturday Vigil~28th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ {Paul Best ~ Deceased Members of the Allan Kissell & Sylvester Ellerbrock Families ~ 50th Wedding Anniversary of Bob & Shirley Kissell} 8:30 a.m. Mass 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ {Dan Blankemeyer ~ 11 Sunday October Betty Schumacher ~ Harry, Sr. & Clara Schumacher} 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ {James Verhoff} October 11 Sunday 11:00 a.m. Mass Life Teen Mass ~ {Alvin Best} October 11 Sunday 6:00 p.m. Mass **************************** Servers October 06 Tuesday 6:30 p.m. Mass **Tayte Langhals** Saturday 4:30 p.m. Mass Zeke Halker, Garrett Langhals, Evan Hopkins October 10 October 11 Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass Roy Langhals, Rob Langhals, Caleb Langhals October Sunday 11:00 a.m. Mass Clay Bonnell, Caleb Morman, Ryan Bogart **Commentators** October 10 Saturday 4:30 p.m. Mass Special ~ 50th Wedding Anniversary October 11 Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass Carl Warnecke October 11 11:00 a.m. Mass Judy Schroeder Sunday **Eucharistic Ministers** October 10 Saturday 4:30 p.m. Mass Sue Knott, Beth Birkemeier, Teresa Brubaker, Sue McDowell

October 11 Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass Doug Langhals, Kate Morman, Louann Wood,

Lisa Langhals, Amy Brinkman

October 11 Sunday 11:00 a.m. Mass Stephanie Moore, Pam Hummel, Sue Schroeder,

Connie Bonnell, Bob Maag

October 11 Sunday ~ Hilty Home ~ Louann Wood

~ Hilty Home Residents ~

Wilbert Roof-Room 103B; Nolan Diller-Room 108B; Mary Maag-Room 119; Bill Alt-Room 121; Jan Kiene-Room 200; Libby Schmenk-Room 204B; Dorothy Geiger-Room 211A; Beatrice Inkrott-Room 212B; Dolores Daniels-Room 215A; Mary Rita Fischbach-Room 215B; Betty Meyer-Room 303; Cathy Ruhe-Room 306

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October 10 Saturday 4:30 p.m. Mass Scott Hummel, Cody Wagner, Bill Roth, Nick Schroeder October 8:30 a.m. Mass Dan Maag, Brian Shafer, Dan Selhorst, Karl Verhoff Sunday

Sunday 11:00 a.m. Mass October 11 Al Schroeder, Dale Schroeder, Alan Stover, Dave Moore

Confessions ~ Saturday ~ 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Income For The Week of September 27th	
Adult ~ Sunday ~ 199	\$ 7,495.00
Children's ~ 25	<u>30.95</u>
	7,525.95
Tuition	2,645.64
School Donation	1,000.00
Miscellaneous	<u>2,451.16</u>
Total Income	\$ 13,622.75



Expenses For The Week of September 27th	
Ordinary Parish & School Expense	es \$ 1,117.86
<i>Payroll</i> ~ 9/30	16,398.64
Payroll Taxes & 403-B	8,599.63
Vision & Dental	<u>485.48</u>

Total Expenses \$ 26,601.61

300 Club Winner ~ October 3rd ~ Todd & Dee Dee Hoffman~ Ticket #151 ~ \$100.00

Marriage Bans I ~ Alesha Glass & Philip Siefker Marriage Bans II~ Breanne Schroeder & Clayton Windau

Helps Along The Way ~ We have recently made available various books, DVD's and CD's which give information we can use to help us on our faith journey. Every week we will showcase one of the items to give you information on what the book, DVD or CD is all about.

"Sexuality and Love"

"Sexuality and Love" by Father Andrea Gasparino tells us sex is holy and a gift from God. He also reminds us we are to protect ourselves from websites, movies, TV programs, talk and reading materials that do not respect God's gifts. For more helpful information, this booklet is available for \$2.00 on the Deepen Your Faith display at the Sycamore Street entrances of the church. "Recycle" by passing this booklet on to others!



Father Tom will be celebrating his birthday on Wednesday, October 7th.

Happy Birthday, Father Tom!

Scrip ~ Scrip will be available this weekend, **October 3rd and 4th**, after Mass in the church basement. The helpers are: Ken & Connie Kruse, Ann Selhorst, Marge Tabler, Joyce Kaufman, Anne Schroeder and Carla Kohls.

Christian Formation News ~ CCD classes will be held this **Sunday**, **October 4th**, 9:30 to 10:45 a.m. in the school. The next CCD classes will be next **Sunday**, **October 11th**.

Adult Study ~ Will be held on Tuesday, October 6th at 7:00 p.m. in the Enrichment Center.

K of C Trash Pickup ~ The K of C will conduct their fall trash pick-up on **Tuesday, October 6th,** at 6:00 p.m. Please meet at the old livestock parking lot on State Route 12 east of Columbus Grove. Any questions, please call Gary Hermiller at 419-642-2645. Thanks for helping your council.

 $K \ of \ C$ ~ The K of C will be meeting on **Tuesday, October 6th,** at 8:00 p.m. in the church basement. The Rosary will be recited at 7:45 p.m.

Altar Rosary Meeting ~ On Wednesday, October 7th, the annual "BABY SHOWER FOR MARY/HEARTBEAT" will be held at the October meeting of the Altar Rosary at 6:30 p.m. Members are asked to bring an item for Heartbeat. (Suggested donations are listed below.) Dinner is being provided at no charge by *The Meadows of Kalida*. No reservations are needed. Just come and enjoy! The co-chairladies are Sue Schroeder & April Schroeder. Their committee is Lori ((Troy) Schroeder, Elaine (Al) Schroeder, Julia (Mark) Schroeder, Dorothy (Ron) Schroeder, Mandie (Ryan) Schroeder, Barb (Tom) Schroeder, Wendy (Mike) Schroeder and Jennifer (Kevin) Siefker.

During the month of October, we will continue to collect baby items. A box will be under the table at the top of the steps (parking lot & Sycamore Street entrances). Suggested items: Baby diapers of all sizes, baby shampoos, baby nail clippers, onesies. Again this year, we will have baby bottles available to fill with your loose change to go along with our October "Baby Shower for Mary/Heartbeat" theme. There are boxes of baby bottles at the entrances that you can take home and return by the end of October. We appreciate your participation in this very worthwhile project.

Who Are CRHP Women? ~ Have you ever wondered where your faith journey might take you? Participating in CRHP last year was a boost for me in my faith journey. Not only was my faith reinforced, I became involved with an amazing group of women who make the journey more fun! Consider experiencing CRHP this fall to enhance your faith journey!

Dorothy Mershman, CRHP III

Server Training ~ Letters went home recently to our St. Anthony and CCD students in regard to serving at Mass. This training is for students in 5th grade through adult. The second training session will be held on **Sunday**, **October 11th** after the 11:00 a.m. Mass. The training will take approximately 1 1/2 hours. If anyone did not receive a form and is interested in being a server, please contact the parish office at 419-659-2263. If you can't make our second training session, call Norm Schnipke at 419-659-2878 to set up a more convenient time.

Cemetery ~ We will be cleaning up the cemetery in preparation for winter. Please remove any items that you would like to use again next spring by **Monday, October 12th.** Thank you

Life Teen ~ Our next Life Night will be **Sunday, October 11th**. This will be our first night on *Theology of the Body*. The Theme is called "Death," and we will discuss original sin.

Our first Edge night for the year will be **Sunday, October 11th**. Edge is a program for the Junior High of the parish that coordinates with the High School Life Teen program. It does not matter if the Junior High student attends St Anthony's or CCD. All Junior High students are welcome. Mass is at 6:00 p.m., and is followed by a meal and then faith based activities.

Life Teen is excited to announce that we have a new Kitchen Coordinator. Vonda Nemire is willing to step up and help the teens by feeding them. If you are willing to donate desserts, drinks, or your time, please contact Vonda at 419-659-2632. Thank you, Vonda!!!

Calling all High School Juniors, Seniors, and College Freshmen; Consider TEC! TEC, or Teens Encounter Christ, is a dynamic, life-giving experience based on the Paschal Mystery: the life, death, resurrection, and mission of Jesus Christ. This is a retreat held in our diocese for the last 50 years and has led thousands of young men and women to a deeper faith and a greater relationship with Christ. It is held in Carey, Ohio at Our Lady of Conciliation Shrine and Pilgrim House. All forms can be downloaded online at www.toledodiocese.org/page/youthministry, are located at the church exits, or can be obtained from Hannah Warren (419-303-5476). The first Guys TEC 422 is October 17-19, 2015, and the first Girls TEC 423 is December 5-7, 2015.

Columbus Grove Community Senior Lunch & Bingo ~ The Columbus Grove Community Senior Lunch will be held on Tuesday, October 13th at 11:30 a.m. at the Columbus Grove Christian Church, 105 South Broadway in Columbus Grove. The menu is baked spaghetti, green beans, garlic bread, apple dumpling with ice cream, coffee and water. Bingo will be played immediately following the luncheon. The lunch is sponsored by the Hilty Home of Pandora and the Columbus Grove Christian Church.

Hilty Home Flu Shot Clinic ~ The Hilty Home will be sponsoring a Flu Shot Clinic on **Thursday, October 8th** from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. This clinic is free for Medicare Part B recipients. (Need to bring your Medicare card with you.) There is a charge of \$35.00 for anyone 16 years and older without Medicare Part B insurance. If you have any questions, call the Hilty Home at 419-384-3218.

Carey Healing Mass ~ The Basilica and National Shrine of Our Lady of Consolation in Carey will be having a healing Mass on Friday, October 16th at 7:00 p.m. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, individual prayer and the anointing of the sick will take place after Mass. The next healing Mass is November 20th - 7:00 p.m. More information can be found on the bulletin board at the Sycamore Street entrance of church.

Putnam County Catholic Young Adults ~ Come join us every other Monday night at 7:30 p.m. as we seek to grow deeper into our faith. Our next meeting dates are: October 12th, October 26th, November 9th and November 23rd. Also come and join us for our Men's and Women's group who will meet once a month on October 5th and November 2nd. We will be gathering at Neil & Brooke Cassidy's house: 13299 Road 10-L, Ottawa. Contacts: Neil: 419-302-4959, Brooke: 419-233-4312 or email at brookemariecassidy@gmail.com.

The Friends of the Putnam County District Library in Ottawa ~ The Friends of the Putnam County District Library are now accepting applications for the 8th Annual Autumn Harvest of Crafts Show. This will be held **Saturday**, **October 31st** at Ottawa-Glandorf High School, 630 Glendale Avenue, Ottawa, from 9:00 am - 3:00 p.m. Please note that this show is one week later than last year. For more information e-mail <u>friendscraftshow@yahoo.com</u> or phone Judy at 419-659-5478. Proceeds benefit all locations of the Putnam County District Library.

Human Trafficking ~ Join us on **Thursday, October 8th** at Serra Club of Lima to learn more on this serious issue. Mass begins at 5:45 p.m. in the Lima Central Catholic High School Chapel, followed by dinner in the Quatman Room at 6:30 p.m. Sr. Frances Marie Penwell, SND, will educate club members and guests on Human Trafficking. For reservations, call Marilyn Schmerge at 419-738-2255.

Every Life Deserves A Lifetime ~ Heartbeat of Lima invites you to their 6th annual fundraising banquet on Thursday, October 15th at the Veterans Memorial Civic & Convention Center, 7 Town Square in Lima. Social hour begins at 6:00 p.m. with the dinner and program from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. The dinner is complimentary with an opportunity to make a financial gift. The keynote speaker is Eileen Smith. If you are interested in hosting a table or attending the banquet, please call Heartbeat of Lima at 419-222-7945.

Eileen Smith received a "Baptism of Fire" and became a crusader for the Pro-Life movement almost overnight when her 22 yr old adopted daughter, Laura, died during an abortion procedure on Sept. 13th, 2007. Laura was raised in a Christian, pro-life home and was pro-life throughout her life. The moment Eileen heard of her death, she prayed that the Lord would bring something good out of her death so she could bear it. Faithful to answer prayer, the Lord set about giving Eileen opportunity to speak about Laura's story all over the country almost immediately and with amazing results.

Eileen has said the rest of her life will be spent for LIFE as she tirelessly travels with her message. "Every time I speak, I believe I put another nail in the coffin of the abortion industry. Abortion can end in our lifetime."

Laura's story is one that will move you as you hear the "beauty from ashes" as told from a mother's heart. Eileen's desire is to speak to pastors, parents, educators and adolescents with her message. Even those already active in the Pro-life movement have told her they have been energized and recommit themselves with new fervor to the cause after hearing her speak.

"Please Let Me Live" Life Chain ~ The Right to Life Society of Lima and Allen County is once again sponsoring the "Please Let Me Live" Life Chain on **Sunday, October 4th**, in Delphos. This is to be a silent, prayerful witness that is scheduled in hundreds of cities across the United States. It will last from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m. regardless of the weather. Participants are asked to gather near the First Federal Bank on the corner of East Second and Franklin Streets. The actual chain will be on the sidewalks of East Second Street. Each person will be issued a sign with the message, **ABORTION KILLS CHILDREN.** This event is open to all concerned citizens. Lawn chairs and strollers are welcome. We thank you in advance for caring for the most helpless among us.



Public Square Rosary Rally ~ You are invited to participate in the Public Square Rosary Rally campaign with your friends and family on Saturday, October 10th at 12:00 noon in front of Five Angle Construction which is just south of Columbus Grove on State Route 65. We will be praying the Rosary, singing, and offering up devotional prayers asking God through the intercession of His Blessed Mother, Mary most Holy, for His blessings on our nation and the world and offering up reparation for the sins of the world. Just bring your rosary and a lawn chair. It lasts only about 40 minutes. If there is really bad weather, this will take place in the church. Please come out and join us. Tell your friends! Your time and prayers can make a huge difference! Thank you.

Thank you to Jeff & Louann Schroeder and Five Angle Construction for the use of their property for the Rosary Rally.

America Needs Fatima! Come, pray with us! Public Square Rosary Crusade at the Our Lord's Park, Main St., Ottawa (across from Schnipke Inn) on Saturday, October 10th, 12:00 Noon. The Mother of God called the World to conversion at Fatima 96 years ago. The Rosary Crusade will be a public act of reparation for those sins hurled against the Immaculate Heart of Mary, and the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Please join us in the display of your faith! Bring a rosary, a friend, and a chair if you need one. PRAY FOR AMERICA! "America needs Fatima".

Putnam County Right to Life ~ Will be meeting on **Tuesday, October 6th**, at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mary Jane Stechschulte (next to Kalida fire station). All are invited to attend.

Attention – Girls in Grades 5-12 ~ All Putnam County Girls - in grades 5th thru 12th, are invited to the Challenge Club Kick-Off Meeting on Friday, October 16th in St. Michael's, Kalida, church basement from 3:30 p.m.-5:00 p.m. Come learn more about joining Challenge. We will have a meeting schedule for the year available that day. Just \$50 / girl for the whole year, or \$20 / session. Any Questions? Please call Julie Siebeneck 419-532-2572, Becky Lucke 419-532-2223 or Jill Zeller 419-532-2511. Download registration and emergency medical forms at stmichaelskalida.org under "Recent Bulletins".

Challenge is for young ladies in grades 5-8, led by high school team leaders where the girls explore their faith, deepen friendships and serve their parish and community in an atmosphere of Christian charity. In addition to learning more about this personal relationship with Christ, the girls spread that love to others through apostolic projects.

Set a Date with Your Spouse ~ 3rd Session ~ Sunday October 11th, from 1:00 – 4:30 p.m. Enjoy wine, beer, and hors d'oeuvres. As we enter into the meaning of Marriage at St. John the Baptist Parish Center. Register by calling 419-538-6740, or email jmschroeder51@gmail.com. Couple Workbooks are \$20.00 each - Babysitting will be provided. Save the Date. Come be refreshed and spend some quality time with your Spouse.

A Note from Fr. Tom

ONE HUNDRED YEARS! More than 100 years ago, our first pastor, Father John Theis had the foresight to erect a building that could house a Catholic school. The original parishioners shared his vision and generously supported it. After a few years of existence without a Catholic school, Saint Anthony Parish obtained the services of the Sisters of the Precious Blood who then for many years constituted the Saint Anthony faculty. These generous, faith-filled women undertook the hardship of beginning a school "from scratch" in a community that did not always support Catholic institutions. Over the years, the original building was demolished and new buildings were built. Lay principals and lay faculty members continued the tradition of generous service. Parishioners over the years have matched the support that their ancestors gave the school. Children of four generations have brought life and joy to our community as they strove to learn the Three R's, as well as the all-important fourth R, religion. Happy birthday to all of you; let's resolve that we will do our part to make sure that one day there will be a strong Saint Anthony School celebrating its bicentennial.

THE POPE'S TRIP: The Pope's recent visit to the United States brought joy and encouragement to almost everyone, Catholic or not. We'll have an opportunity on November 11 to get feedback on the World Meeting of Families and the papal visit from the Leipsic family who received a diocesan scholarship to attend. That gathering will take place in the evening in Kalida. More details are coming.

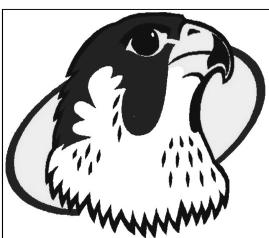
Unfortunately, the Pope's visit brought out the worst in the Letters to the Editor section of the Lima and Findlay newspapers. The Lima letter is hardly worth commenting on. In fact it may have been a satire, hauling out every cobweb-covered insult that has been used against Catholics for centuries. A lot of it seemed to be centered on the word "lucifer," the Latin word that means "morning star." The Easter Vigil at St. Peter's was celebrated in Latin, as you would expect in a church with a multi-national congregation. In the Easter proclamation, the deacon sang in Latin, "Christ, the morning star that never sets...." In Latin that was "Christus lucifer...," but definitely not a Satanic reference. Go buy a Latin dictionary, people. And it seems that in his homily, the Pope used the word "illuminati," which is Italian for "illuminated." I know almost no Italian, but I'm sure the Pope wasn't giving a shout-out to any secret Masonic group.

The letter also lambastes the Pope for forgiving abortion and homosexual acts. Well, sorry. In this Church we're all about forgiving people who repent. We got that way from reading the Gospels.

The letter to the editor in the Findlay paper wasn't as bad, but it had misconceptions of its own. It claims that the Pope in his younger days was schooled "by Jesuits in French universities" and learned liberation theology. I read three standard biographies of the Pope on line, and they agreed that his education took place in mainly in Argentina and Chile. He began PhD studies in Germany, but that only lasted a short time, and he never completed his doctorate. I'm sure the Pope is no liberation theologian, but as anti-Marxist as the Popes before him. You could pick that up from his speech in Cuba, where he said that we are not called to serve a system, but instead to serve people, especially the least ones. The same outlook is present in his encyclical on the environment.

The Findlay writer claims that the Pope is in favor of world government. It is true that in his recent encyclical on the environment, he calls for enforceable treaties on things like dumping pollutants in international waters, and for more research on causes of climate change with greater cooperation between nations. But interestingly enough, he opposes carbon exchanges. In this regard, the Pope is definitely not a conservative Republican, but then he's not supposed to be. He isn't saying that his view of the environment is the only possible Catholic view, but he is laying out some solid scholarship for us to consider.

Does the Pope call for the abolition of nation states in favor of world government? I think I've kept up on Papal statements pretty well ever since I got a computer, and I haven't seen the evidence yet. The Findlay writer will have to show me. By the way, I get most of my Catholic news at www.newadvent.org, and I can heartily recommend this service.



Saint Anthony Falcon News

THANKS!

A **BIG** Thank You to Bruce Schroeder and Doug Speer for stripping and waxing the church floor so it looks nice for our 100th Anniversary!





WUDON ADDITIONS AND ADDITIONS

Our seventh graders are working diligently on their 100th Anniversary Project—A model of the school!

GOLDEN FALCON AWARDS

Front: Daisy Stechschulte (Music 3), Audrey Keehn (Gr. 3), Joe Morman (Gr. 2) Wyatt Fuerst (Gr. 1), Becca Hoover (K) Back: Fr. Tom, Chadd Martin (P.E. 5), Kara Schmidt (Gr. 8), Cheyanne Mershman (Gr. 7), Kenzie King (Gr. 6), Josh Buescher (Gr. 5), Bo Birnesser (Gr. 4)

Congratulations and Well Done!

DAFFODIL PROJECT

Our fourth graders planted daffodils for their 100th Anniversary Project! One daffodil for each year the school has been in existence!

Lunch Recess Volunteers

Week of:

October 5th

MONDAY: Tammy Speer

TUESDAY: Pat Birnesser

WEDNESDAY: Sherry King

THURSDAY: Jen Siefker

FRIDAY: Denise Carder

Sarah Barto



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We could use some volunteers to help us with lunch recess duty please. Call the school office if you are able to help us with this important ministry. 419-659-2103 THANK YOU!



Calendar Items:

October 5 Falcon Spirit Day

Sloppy Joe Sandwiches

for Lunch

October 6 Kalahari

October 7 Happy Birthday Fr. Tom!

October 8 Prize Day
October 9 Picture Day

October 16

Lima Symphony Gr. 3-4

October 13 Hot Lunch \$2.50

Cookie Dough Delivery

October 14 Kids on the Block Gr. 3

7PM SAC Meeting 3rd Grade Rosary Realeyes Program

 \mathbf{Q} : Who keeps the ocean clean?

A: The mermaid!

This week's LIFE Skill is PRIDE

"One's pride will bring him low, but he who is lowly in spirit will obtain honor."

Proverbs 29:23