



SAINT ANTHONY OF PADUA
A MEMBER OF ST. GEORGE DEANERY
6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER
MAY 1ST 2016



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**Today Jesus gives this advice: "Do not let your hearts be troubled."
Worry and anxiety can consume our lives preventing us from seeing the love which
surrounds us and binds us to one another.
Don't miss the forest for the trees. We are living today what we worried about yesterday.**

Mass Schedule

May 03	Tuesday		No Mass
May 04	Wednesday	8:00 a.m. Mass	Easter Weekday ~ {Clete Schumacher}
May 05	Thursday	8:00 a.m. Mass	The Ascension of the Lord ~ {Helen Nussbaum}
May 06	Friday	8:00 a.m. Mass	Easter Weekday ~ {Alphonse Schroeder ~ Father Keith McCormack ~ Deceased Members of the Raymond & Madeleine Duval Family}
May 06	Friday		First Friday Exposition & Adoration Until Noon
May 07	Saturday	8:00 a.m. Rosary	
May 07	Saturday	4:30 p.m. Mass	Vigil ~ 7th Sunday of Easter ~{Carl & Edna Mae McCrate}
May 08	Sunday	8:30 a.m. Mass	7th Sunday of Easter ~ {Maria Aguirre ~ Margaret & Wilfred Warnecke}
May 08	Sunday	11:00 a.m. Mass	7th Sunday of Easter ~ {Rosemary Hoffman ~ Virgil & Virginia Hoffman}

Servers

May 07	Saturday	4:30 p.m. Mass	Quinton Langhals, Eric Warnecke, Garrett Langhals
May 08	Sunday	8:30 a.m. Mass	Mike Morman, Renee Schroeder, James Schroeder
May 08	Sunday	11:00 a.m. Mass	Bryce King, Kurt Griffith, Kyle Schroeder

Commentators

May 07	Saturday	4:30 p.m. Mass	Marge Tabler
May 08	Sunday	8:30 a.m. Mass	Sarah Schroeder
May 08	Sunday	11:00 a.m. Mass	Diana Johnson

Eucharistic Ministers

May 07	Saturday	4:30 p.m. Mass	Norm & Rose Schnipke, Teresa Brubaker, Deb Siefker, Pat Birnesser
May 08	Sunday	8:30 a.m. Mass	Diana Kaufman, Dan Maag, Judy Schroeder, Louann Wood, Marilyn Siefker
May 08	Sunday	11:00 a.m. Mass	Pam Hummel, Deb Reed, Karl Schroeder, Hannah Warren, Harold Gerten

May 08 Hilty Home ~ Denny Ricker

~ Hilty Home Residents ~

*Wilbert Roof-Room 103B; Mary Maag-Room 119; Bill Alt-Room 121; Ed Schulte-Room 125;
Jan Kiene-Room 201A; Agnes Friedel-Room 203A; Margaret Rosenbauer-Room 208B; Dolores Daniels-Room 209B;
Beatrice Inkrott-Room 212B; Dorothy Geiger-Room 215A; Mary Rita Fischbach-Room 215B;
Betty Meyer-Room 303; Cathy Ruhe-Room 306; Jim Fischbach-Room 314; Edward Unterbrink-Room 506;
Elizabeth Karhoff-Room 507; Dolores Meyer-Room 510; Maria Flores-Room 513*

Ushers

May 07	Saturday	4:30 p.m. Mass	Aaron Siefker, Mike Recker, Tim Reimund, Jon Diller
May 08	Sunday	8:30 a.m. Mass	Bruce Schroeder, Phil Stechschulte, Gib Kaufman, Craig Kaufman
May 08	Sunday	11:00 a.m. Mass	Dave Ellerbrock, Terry Giesige, Duane Vorst, Pat Vorst

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

Income For The Week of April 24th

Sunday ~ 152	\$ 6,254.25
Children's ~ 14	<u>10.55</u>
	6,264.80
Festival ~ Vehicle	550.00
Mandated Services	17,474.77
Miscellaneous	<u>1,470.95</u>
Total Income	\$ 25,760.52



Expenses For The Week of April 24th

Ordinary Parish & School Expenses	\$ 5,528.68
Payroll ~ 4/30	16,053.14
Taxes & 403-B	7,399.69
Health, Vision & Dental	<u>5,942.03</u>
Total Expenses	\$ 34,923.54

Thank you to the family of Alvin "Dick" Schroeder who made donations to St. Anthony Parish and St. Anthony School in Dick's memory.

300 Club Winner ~ April 30th ~ Al & Elaine Schroeder ~ Ticket #77 ~ \$100.00
Second 300 Club Winner ~ April 30th ~ Judy Blankemeyer ~ Ticket #155 ~ \$100.00



The St. Anthony family extends our sincere sympathy to the family and friends of Cletus Schroeder who died on Sunday, April 24th. Mass of Resurrection for Clete was celebrated on Wednesday, April 27th, here at St. Anthony's. May the grace of God see you through this very difficult time.



Carmen Marie, daughter of Ben & Cassie Troyer, was baptized this past weekend here at St. Anthony's. May the new gift of God's Spirit be with you always.

Help Needed ~ Father Tom will be out and about, **Tuesday May 3rd**, so we thought it would be a great time to spruce up the rectory! We will be meeting for a fun morning of cleaning at 8:30 a.m. Please bring a bucket and some rags. If anyone has a couple hours to spare, call Blanche at 419-659-5275. Thank you!

Scrip ~ The next Scrip weekend will be **May 7th and May 8th**. The helpers are: Ken & Connie Kruse, Joy Stechschulte, Shirley Goedde, Kay Koch, Anne Schroeder and Trina Rode.

Adult Study ~ Will be held on **Tuesday, May 3rd** at 7:00 p.m. in the Enrichment Center.

K of C ~ Will be meeting on **Tuesday, May 3rd** at 8:00 p.m. in the church basement. The Rosary will be recited at 7:45 p.m. There will be election of officers.

K of C Ticket Info ~ Final ticket turn in is **May 13th**. Please have all sold tickets turned in by May 12th. Someone will be in the basement that evening from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. Tickets can also be dropped in the collection, turned in to the parish office, or mailed. We received 688 tickets in the 1st turn in. Thanks for all your efforts in getting those tickets turned in early.

Attention Choir Members ~ The choir will be singing on Mother's Day, **May 8th** at the 11:00 a.m. Mass. There will be no more practices this choir season.

St. Anthony High School Graduates ~ A Mass in honor of our St. Anthony graduates along with a breakfast following the 8:30 a.m. Mass will be held on **Sunday, May 15th**. Please make your reservation for the Senior Mass & Breakfast by **Wednesday, May 11th** by calling the parish office at 419-659-2263.

The Baccalaureate Service to honor all Columbus Grove High School graduates will also be held on **Sunday, May 15th** at the Columbus Grove Christian Church, 105 South Broadway at 3:00 p.m.

Children's Festival ~ The Children's Festival is **Friday, May 6th**. It is a wonderful day filled with games, food, prizes and lots of FUN. There will be a novelty booth with many items for purchase and a Big Raffle drawing at 1:45 p.m. Some items that have been raffled off in the past are: Vera Bradley purses, cookbooks, movie passes, hanging flower baskets, landscape ornaments from *A Touch of Glass*, and various gift cards from local businesses. Please come join in the fun, have lunch at 11:30 a.m. and then enjoy the games which will start at 12:10 p.m. Bingo will be played in the Enrichment Center in school from 12:30-1:30 p.m. for anyone interested in playing. Any donations for the festival can be dropped off at St. Anthony School or the parish office. The festival committee would like to thank all the generous parents, grandparents and parishioners who supported our Children's Festival in any way to make it an exciting day for all. Thank you for your continued support of St. Anthony School, staff, and students.

Cemetery Footers ~ If anyone purchased a cemetery plot and their headstone and would like their foundation poured, please contact Dan Maag at 419-659-2969 or Jerry Dickman at 419-659-5385 by **May 10th**. Please let them know the size of your headstone. Also, if anyone would like to purchase a cemetery plot, please call Dan Maag. Footers will be poured again in September.

Angel's Explained ~ Check out the latest CD additions on the Deepen Your Faith display at the Sycamore Street entrances of the church. *Angel's Explained* by Dr. Mark Miravalle talks about the nine choirs of angels. He also helps us to understand the need to ask your guardian angel and the other angels for help. There is one guardian angel for each person for eternity. We should talk to our guardian angel and learn to know the angel that helps us on our journey to heaven. The CD is available for \$3.00.

"2016" Summer Festival

Cash or Car! With the success we had last year and the many positive comments, we will again be raffling off up to \$20,000 toward the purchase of a new vehicle or \$15,000 in cash at the summer festival this year. The advantage of this approach has been that the winner can purchase any new vehicle of any color. It also gives the winner the option of taking cash and not having the hassle of selling the vehicle. H & K Chevrolet from Continental has again offered to showcase their new vehicles for our festival. Ticket sales will begin the first weekend of May. If you would like to purchase tickets or if you have any questions, call Mike Birkemeier at 419-659-2954 or Mark Edelbrock at 419-659-2269. If you can help sell tickets before and after weekend Masses, please contact Harold Gerten at 419-659-5914.

Festival Workers ~ It's not even summer yet but it is time to start thinking about our summer festival, **Saturday, August 6th and Sunday, August 7th**. If anyone would like to help at the festival, change your job or will not be able to help, please call Dee Griffith at 419-646-3449. If you are not able to work on Sunday but could help out on Saturday, please keep that in mind when sign-up sheets for volunteers for Saturday evening are put out in the back of church. Deadline for job change is **June 15th** so the volunteers have time to compile and complete the workers' list before the list needs to be posted in the church.

Garage Sale ~ Having a Garage Sale? Don't store the unsold items for another year, but instead consider donating them for the Festival Garage Sale. Special drop off times will be **Saturday, May 7th**, from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. and **Sunday, May 8th**, from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. Unfortunately, we do not accept clothing, TVs, or computer electronics.

Vacation Bible School News ~ Hey Kids, join us for VBS, June 6-10, where you will become one of God's own special Angel troopers and you will meet your co-pilot, your very own guardian angel and how he protects, guides, and comforts you! You'll learn some exciting characters from the Bible whose lives were transformed by angels. You'll meet Mary, the Queen of Angels and St. Catherine Laboure who received a vision of the Miraculous Medal and the promises of grace and protection to those who believe. On top of that, you'll enjoy delicious snacks, make some nice crafts, learn some great songs, and have a lot of fun with your friends!

Registration forms are located at the entrances of the church and will be sent home with the school children. Vacation Bible School runs from 9:00-12:00 Monday-Thursday and Friday 6:00-7:30 and is for kids age 4 through those entering 6th grade. Forms need to be returned by May 16 to be guaranteed a t-shirt.

Take the One Hour Fatima Challenge! ~ Next **Saturday, May 7th**, St Mary Church in Leipsic will begin a series of **5 First Saturdays**. Beginning at 8:00 a.m., with Rosary followed by Mass, it will be completed in **one hour**. As requested by the Blessed Virgin in her apparitions at Fatima, the challenge is to repeat this on the First Saturday of **5 consecutive months** (*June 5, July 2, Aug 5th, Sept 3, Oct 1*). That only involves a total of 5 hours over the course of 5 months to receive all of the blessings promised by heaven for yourself, your family and the whole world. Coffee and refreshments will be served afterwards as well for those who are not on the move right away. We invite you to think of making *the Fatima Challenge* as a **Spiritual Triathlon** that involves *three* main elements: ***Rosary Meditation, Holy Communion*** and ***Confession*** each month. These are all done with the intention of making an ***act of Reparation*** for sins and blasphemies committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary. "In the end my Immaculate Heart will Triumph."

Senior Citizen Day ~ The Putnam County Council on Aging will be hosting a Senior Citizen Day Celebration on **Wednesday, May 18th** at the Leipsic Fogle Center from noon to 2:00 p.m. The celebration will include a sit down lunch followed by a performance from the Ottawa-Glandorf Show Choir. Ticket price is \$8.00. Tickets may be reserved by calling 419-523-4121 or by visiting the Council on Aging office at 1425 East Fourth Street in Ottawa. Invite your family, friends and neighbors and come celebrate Senior Citizens Day with the Council on Aging. If you need transportation to this event, please call 419-523-4121.

Putnam County Right to Life ~ Putnam County Right to Life will be meeting on **Tuesday, May 3rd**, at 7:30 p.m., in the home of Mary Jane Stechschulte (next to Kalida fire station). All are invited to attend.

LOOK GOOD, FEEL BETTER ~ Is being held on **Monday, May 16th** at the Putnam County Ambulatory Care from 3:00-4:00 p.m. Registration is required for this FREE program by calling 888-227-6446 (press #2). A woman undergoing cancer treatment may lose her hair or suffer other appearance-related side effects making a difficult time even harder. Specially trained volunteer beauty consultants work with women to learn about makeup, skin & nail care and ways to deal with hair loss. Each woman receives a free makeup kit and shares laughter with others going through the cancer journey.

2016 Kiwanis Health Fair ~ This year, the 30th annual health fair will be held on **Saturday, May 14th** from 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. at the Ottawa-Glandorf High School. This year's testing will include expanded optional testing for A1C (Blood sugar testing), TSH (thyroid test), and for men the PSA (Prostate Cancer Test). As always, the main test, the Chemistry Profile will test 39 different items, including electrolytes, renal function, blood counts, and good and bad cholesterol to name a few. A fee is charged for the optional testing. No one will wait more than 15 minutes to go through the blood testing area. Your test results will be sent to your family physician for interpretation. If further testing is required, you will be contacted by your physician for a follow-up appointment. A copy of your tests will be available free of charge from your doctor. A 12-hour fast is required before any test can be taken. A delicious breakfast buffet will be served in the cafeteria.

Travel With Father Charles! ~ You are invited to join Fr. Charles Obinwa on an elite tour planned just for you. ~ Trip Name: Holy Land Pilgrimage ~ Dates: **September 12-22, 2016** ~ Cost: \$3,900. This elite tour includes airfare, 4-5 star accommodations, taxes, tips, fees, transportation, breakfast, and dinners. Places you'll visit: Jerusalem, Bethlehem, Nazareth, Galilee, Capernaum, & more. This all-inclusive trip is being arranged by Pro Catholic Tours. Please register through their website at www.procatholictours.com or by calling 769-233-6515 or 769-220-2702.

Opening For Youth Director ~ St. Michael Church, Kalida, is seeking the services of a Youth Director. We are looking for someone with good communication skills to work with youth, parents, staff and volunteers. The applicant must be energetic, creative and able to work with the parish staff and Youth Directors from the St. George Deanery. Youth from grades 7-12 are to be served from a Catholic perspective for 20 hours per week. All interested applicants should send their resume to Fr. Mark Hoying, St. Michael Church, P.O. Box 387, Kalida, Ohio, 45853, or call the parish office at 419 532 3474.

Mass For Healing ~ Our Lady of Consolation Shrine, Carey, Ohio, will offer a Mass for victims of cancer, their families, friends and caregivers on **Friday, May 6th** at 7:00 p.m. We welcome all to come and pray together. Following Mass, visitors are invited to participate in special prayers for healing.

K of C Beef, Chicken & Ground Beef ~ If you are planning to use beef, chicken or ground beef for your family parties this spring, consider purchasing your supplies from our K of C. Below are the prices of the items available.

	Beef	Chicken	Ground Beef
Case of 24 cans ~ 28 ozs.	\$ 174.00	\$142.00	\$144.00
1/2 Case (12 Cans) ~ 28 ozs.	88.00	73.00	74.00
Price Per 28 oz. Can	7.50	6.25	6.25
Case of 24 Cans ~ 14.5 ozs.	105.00	90.00	90.00
1/2 Case (12 Cans) ~ 14.5 ozs.	53.00	47.00	47.00
Price Per 14.5 oz. can	4.50	4.00	4.00

Call Len Kruse at 419-659-5657, Gene Heitmeyer at 419-659-5574, Dave Ellerbrock at 419-659-5833 or Dan Maag at 419-659-2969 to place your order.

12th Annual Diocesan Homeschooling Mass ~ Are you a Catholic homeschooling family in the Toledo Diocese? Then please join us at 7:00 p.m. on **Tuesday, June 7th** at Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Cathedral in Toledo for our **12th Annual Diocesan Homeschooling Mass**. The Most Reverend Daniel E. Thomas, Bishop of Toledo, will be celebrating our Mass. It's a wonderful evening of prayer, fellowship, food and fun! Please bring a finger-food dish to share for the reception immediately following the Mass. If you have a student who will be graduating 8th grade or a graduating high school senior who would like to participate in the ceremony at the end of the Mass, please email Lisa-Ann Brickner at oyc81@yahoo.com by **May 25th**. Hope to see you there!

National Parks Tour ~ Jerry Bunn and Vicki Doty are planning a tour of the Canadian Rockies, Glacier National Park, and Yellowstone, from **July 27th to August 6th, 2017**. The trip is 11 days, 10 nights, and includes breakfast daily, 1 lunch, 5 three-course dinners, an expert tour director, a private motor coach, transportation to and from the airport, all tips, your flight, hotels, and selected entrance fees. In addition, you may select any of several optional excursions such as a Banff Photography tour, Ice Fields Parkway & Glacier Experience, Dude Ranch, or a Snake River Float, at additional costs. **The cost has dropped \$210 to \$3,659, based on double occupancy. For anyone who signs this month, they can get an additional \$100 off that price. We have 21 signed up and only have 14 seats left.** If we get over 25, the cost drops an additional \$160/person. There is a limit of 35 people and we anticipate filling that, so..... You can sign up here: <http://jerrybunn.grouptoursite.com/> Note: we are departing from Dayton (DAY) airport. For more information: contact Jerry Bunn 419-659-5702.

Carey Healing Mass ~ The Basilica and National Shrine of Our Lady of Consolation in Carey will be having a healing Mass on **Friday, May 13th, at 7:00 p.m.** Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, individual praying and the anointing of the sick will take place after Mass. The next healing Mass is **June 3rd.**

A Note from Fr. Tom

TAKE THAT, PRO-ABORTION PEOPLE! I've seen several articles lately about re-designing the \$5, \$10 and \$20 bills. I understand that this has to be done every so often in order to keep a few jumps ahead of the counterfeiters. There was a plan a while back to remove Alexander Hamilton from the \$10 bill, which would have been a disastrous decision to people who know American history. Now the word is that Alexander Hamilton stays, but Sojourner Truth, who led many slaves north to freedom in pre-Civil-War days, will be added to the back of the bill. Some prominent women from the suffragist movement of the 19th century will also be featured: Lucretia Mott, Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Alice Paul and Susan B. Anthony. Did you know that these four women were also passionately opposed to abortion? This decision by a pro-abortion administration gives pro-life people the last laugh, and please God, some hope for greater respect for life in the future.

I also found out that Alexander Hamilton was born illegitimately in total squalor. In our day, his mother probably would have been pressured to abort him, but by God's grace, study and hard work, he became the financier of the Revolution and the founding Secretary of the Treasury. A lot of his decisions have led to the strong economy we have today. Lucretia Mott, Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Alice Paul, and Susan B. Anthony would have had his back when he was pre-born. Now they will literally have his back on the re-designed sawbuck.

PILGRIMAGE TO CAREY: Our parish pilgrimage to Our Lady of Consolation Shrine in Carey will be on Sunday, June 26. We will leave the parking lot after the 11:00 Mass, at about 12:15. Thanks to a generous parishioner, there will be no charge for the bus ride. We will return to St. Anthony at about 6:30 p.m. I'm hoping we can design the day around the spiritual exercises that the Shrine already has, and that we can add the prayers that are required for gaining the indulgence for the Holy Year. Hopefully there will also be some free time for you to relax, either in private prayer or walking the grounds under beautiful June skies. I'm looking forward to a great afternoon with fellow parishioners.

If you don't want to ride the bus, please feel free to drive your own car. If that isn't possible, I hope that some parishioners will be able to offer rides. Please fill out the registration form in today's bulletin.

MAY CROWNING will take place after our Wednesday morning Mass. Come and be part of this tradition.

DVD AVAILABLE: We now have a copy of the ill-fated Session 8 of "Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible." If you want to view it, you may borrow a copy at the rectory.

Father Tom

***Parish Pilgrimage To Our Lady Of Consolation Shrine
Sunday, June 26th
12:15 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.***

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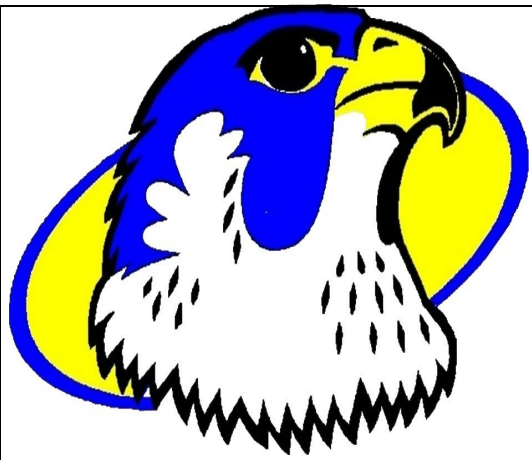
Phone # _____

Number of persons from my family: _____

(If the bus is filled)

I can drive my own car _____

I am willing to offer a ride to _____ *parishioners who need a ride.*



**Saint
Anthony
Falcon
News**

Dear Heavenly Father from above,
Look down on Saint Anthony's School
with love.

Please guide them and teach them.

Fill them with your power
So that in everything they do,
They will be a delight to you!

Amen.



Top is a picture of the first graders displaying the characters that they made for the story in their reading class called "Do You Live In A Nest". They really enjoyed making the characters and putting on the play .

Below is the Golden Falcon Award Winners For April. Congratulations GFA Students for April.



Lunch Recess
Volunteers

Week of: May 2nd
MONDAY: Kay Langhals
TUESDAY: Pat Birnesser
WEDNESDAY: Sherry King
THURSDAY: Cheryl Ellerbrock
FRIDAY: Children's Festival, none needed.

This Week's LIFE Skill
Sense of Humor

A joyful heart is the health of the body,
but a depressed spirit dries up the bones.

Proverbs 22:17

Q: What do you call a monkey that will not behave?
A: A bad-boon.

Calendar Items:

- May 2 Falcon Spirit Day
- May 3 7th Grade Leadership Conf. in Toledo
- May 4 May Crowning Mass
- May 5 Kdg. & 1st grade to Safety City
- No AM Mass
- May 6 Children's Festival
- First Friday
- May 8 Mothers Day