



SAINT ANTHONY OF PADUA
A MEMBER OF ST. GEORGE DEANERY
22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
AUGUST 28TH, 2016



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St. Anthony School Website: www.stanthonyschool.info

Family life well lived confirms the words of Jesus in today's gospel,
"Those who humble themselves will be exalted."

Commitment, intimacy, loyalty and love are the rewards of humble service and care for one another.

Mass Schedule

August	30	Tuesday	6:30 p.m. Mass	Weekday ~ {William & Ethel Hoffman}
August	30	Tuesday		Confession, Exposition & Adoration After Mass
August	31	Wednesday	8:00 a.m. Mass	Weekday ~ {Elmer & Audrey Vorst}
September	01	Thursday	8:00 a.m. Mass	Weekday ~ {For The Parish}
September	02	Friday	8:00 a.m. Mass	Weekday {Clete Schumacher ~ Father Keith McCormack ~ Deceased Members of the Raymond & Madeleine Duval Family}
September	02	Friday		First Friday Exposition & Adoration After Mass Until Noon
September	03	Saturday	8:00 a.m. Rosary	
September	03	Saturday	4:30 p.m. Mass	Vigil~23rd Sunday-Ordinary Time~{Velma Diemer}
September	04	Sunday	8:30 a.m. Mass	23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time~{Harold & Alice Gerten}
September	04	Sunday	11:00 a.m. Mass	23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ {Carl & Edna Mae McCrate ~ Lewis & Ludvina Schroeder}

Servers

August	30	Tuesday	6:30 p.m. Mass	Tayte Langhals
September	03	Saturday	4:30 p.m. Mass	Kaitlyn Herman, Kara Schmidt, Amy Vorst
September	04	Sunday	8:30 a.m. Mass	Mackenzie Langhals, Madison Langhals, Paige Langhals
September	04	Sunday	11:00 a.m. Mass	Bryce King, Kurt Griffith, Kyle Schroeder

Commentators

September	03	Saturday	4:30 p.m. Mass	Bruce Stephens
September	04	Sunday	8:30 a.m. Mass	Judy Schroeder
September	04	Sunday	11:00 a.m. Mass	Vonda Nemire

Eucharistic Ministers

September	03	Saturday	4:30 p.m. Mass	Ken, Connie & Kasey Kruse, Norm Schnipke, Marge Tabler
September	04	Sunday	8:30 a.m. Mass	Marilyn Hoffman, Diana Kaufman, Doug Langhals, Faith Oglesbee, Marilyn Siefker
September	04	Sunday	11:00 a.m. Mass	Connie Bonnell, Shirley Goedde, John & Desiray Engberg, 1 Volunteer
September	04	Hilty Home	~ Dan Maag	

Attention ~ Hilty Home Distributors ~ The list of residents at the Hilty Home to receive Holy Communion on Sunday mornings will be on the table in Father Tom's Sacristy.

~ Hilty Home Residents ~

Wilbert Roof-Room 105B; Agnes Friedel-Room 109; Jan Kiene-Room 116; Mary Maag-Room 119; Bill Alt-Room 121; Ed Schulte-Room 125; Betty Meyer-Room 201A; Margaret Rosenbauer-Room 208B; Dolores Daniels-Room 209B; Beatrice Inkrott-Room 212B; Mary Margaret Bockrath-Room 214B; Dorothy Geiger-Room 215A; Mary Rita Fischbach-Room 215B; Cathy Ruhe-Room 306; Jim Fischbach-Room 314; Paula Stechschulte-Room 505

Ushers

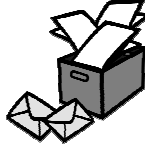
September 03 Saturday 4:30 p.m. Mass George Ellerbrock, Doug Roof, Rob Verhoff, Don Stechschulte
September 04 Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass Tom Dunlap, Ron Hoffman, Denny Hoyt, Gene Siefker
September 04 Sunday 11:00 a.m. Mass Ken Rieman, Dwain Schroeder, Nathan Siefker, John Selhorst

~ Confessions ~

Saturday ~ 3:00 - 4:00 p.m.
Tuesday ~ Confession & Exposition After Mass

Income For The Week of August 21st

Sunday ~ 216 \$ 8,340.00
Children's ~ 26 139.05
8,479.05
Tuition 7,291.18
Festival 2,890.00
Miscellaneous 1,085.72
Total Income \$ 19,745.95



Expenses For The Week of August 21st

Ordinary Parish & School Expenses \$ 1,929.29
Festival Expenses 8,030.87
Total Expenses \$ 9,960.16

300 Club Winner ~ August 27th ~ Gib & Joyce Kaufman ~ Ticket #218 ~ \$100.00

Marriage Bans II~ Samantha Ricker & Alex Barnhart



Beckett John, son of Cory & Kristen Bonifas, was baptized last weekend here at St. Anthony's.
May the new gift of God's Spirit be with you always.

Missing Tray ~ If someone inadvertently picked up a circular, silver tray from the church basement this past week, please return it to the church basement. Thank you!

K of C~ Will be leading the Rosary before all weekend Masses on **September 3rd and September 4th.**

Scrip ~ Scrip will be available this weekend, **August 27th & 28th**, after Mass in the church basement. The helpers are: Ken & Connie Kruse, Shirley Goedde, and Judy Gerten.

St. Anthony Purse Bingo ~ Tickets for the St. Anthony School Purse Bingo are Sold Out!!! Thanks for supporting St. Anthony School. See you on **Friday, November 11th!**

Summer Servers ~ Thank you to those students and adults who served at Mass during the week this past summer. We truly appreciate you giving of your vacation time to serve the Lord. Those people who volunteered are:

Derek Birkemeier
Dylan Birkemeier
Tayt Birnesser
Joey Edelbrock
Jared Kahle
Jevin Langhals

Abe Morman
Elizabeth Morman
Valerie Morman
Hannah Schroeder
Levi Schroeder
Renee Schroeder

Caleb Stechschulte
Logan Stechschulte
Hunter Sudlow
Hanna Warnecke
Tori Warnecke
Zach Warnecke

Adult Servers ~ **Bev Baxter, Rose Ellerbrock, Harold Gerten, Sue Knott, Dan Maag & Judy Schroeder**

Thanks to all of you!!

Festival Wrap-Up Meeting ~ Will be **Wednesday, September 7th** at 7:00 p.m. in the church basement. All chairmen/chairladies or any other interested parishioners are invited to attend to give their input on this year's festival and to share any suggestions for next year's festival.

Volunteer Schedules ~ The schedules for the **Servers, Eucharistic Ministers, Holy Home Distributors, Ushers, Lectors and the Money Counters** for September 11th through March 5th, 2017, are on the table in the back of church. Our students who recently signed up to be servers will be scheduled to serve in the next Server Schedule which will begin March, 2017.

Cemetery Footers ~ Footers for headstones at St. Anthony Cemetery will be poured sometime during the end of September. If you would like your footer poured, call Dan Maag at 419-659-2969, or the Parish office at 419-659-2263 before **September 15th**.

CCD News ~ CCD registration will take place **this weekend, August 27th and 28th** after the 4:30 p.m., 8:30 and 11:00 a.m. Masses down in the church basement. A primary and God-given responsibility of you, the parent, is to provide for the spiritual formation of your child. We, the Church community, will help you with this duty through the Christian Formation program (CCD) by providing instruction in the Catholic Faith and prayer. The sacraments that the Church celebrates regularly such as Reconciliation, The Holy Eucharist, and Confirmation must always be taken seriously by the Faithful. The sacraments are very important because they give us God's grace. For your child to be able to receive these sacraments, they must be enrolled the year before in CCD class. Regular attendance is necessary for your child to be properly prepared to receive the sacraments. If your child was not baptized here at St. Anthony's, we will need a copy of your child's baptismal record. All children age Kindergarten through eighth grade are welcome to attend. Classes run from 9:30-10:45 a.m. on Sunday mornings from September through April. If you have any questions, please call Judy Schroeder @ 659-5498. Thank you. **Classes start Sunday, September 11th.**

CCD News ~ Would you be willing to share your time and talents with kids by helping to teach the Catholic Faith? I am looking for someone to help substitute teach on Sundays. It's easy and fun and you just follow the lesson prepared for you. Please call Judy Schroeder @659-5498 if you can help.

St. Anthony's Preschool Bible School Program ~ Starting this fall, St. Anthony's will again be offering a Preschool Bible School Program. The program is for any child age 3 ½ (by September 2016 and fully potty trained) through kindergarten. There will be seven classes starting September 18th through April. The class will be from 5:30 – 6:45 p.m. Sunday evenings. The cost is \$10 per child. If you are interested in signing up your child/children, please pick up a registration form found by the entrances of the church. You may drop off or mail the registration form and money to the parish office. If you have any questions, contact Lisa Schroeder at 419-659-5563.

That Man is You - Year 2 ~ The Spirit of Nazareth will begin on the **Saturday, September 10th**. The doors open at 6:00 a.m. for breakfast. The presentation begins at 6:30 a.m. with a small group discussion at 7:00 a.m. We will conclude at 7:30 a.m. Any man 18 years and older is welcome to attend. It is not necessary that you made it to the sessions for the first year.

Prayer Garden ~ Now that the basic ground work has been completed for the Prayer Garden, we now look forward to turning this area into a beautiful place to converse with our Lord. If you would like to offer your ideas in the design of the Prayer Garden, please contact Bob Baxter at 419-659-5320.

Server Training ~ Norm Schnipke will be instructing those St. Anthony and CCD students who would like to serve at Mass during the week and also the weekend Masses. Training will take place on **Saturday, September 17th** at 9:00 a.m. and **Sunday, September 25th** after the 11:00 a.m. Mass. The training will take approximately 1 1/2 hours. If there are any students who did not receive a paper but would like to be a server for St. Anthony's, please contact the parish office at 419-659-2263.

Life Teen ~ We are looking for volunteers! Several people have stepped down from Life Teen and Edge. So we are looking for people who could help with the high school, junior high, or the kitchen at Life Nights. If you are willing to help in any way, please contact Hannah Warren @ 419-303-5476. The first Life Night will be 9-11-16. See you then!

Festival 5K Thanks - Thank you to everyone that helped make the Festival 5K possible: the Festival Committee, the Sponsors, the Friday night volunteers, the Registration table Volunteers, the Course Guides, and anyone else that helped. We had 318 registered participants!

Carey Healing Mass ~ The Basilica and National Shrine of Our Lady of Consolation in Carey will be having a healing Mass on **Friday, September 9th, 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 *October 21st - 7:00 p.m.* More information can be found on the bulletin board at the Sycamore Street entrance of church.

Catholic Divorce Ministry ~ A 12-week divorce & separated support group, Catholic Divorce Recovery, will be hosted by Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Church, Ottawa. The Catholic Divorce Recovery program was created to help divorced or separated Catholics by offering support and healing through the wisdom and truth of the Catholic faith. Meetings will be held in the SPPS library on **Tuesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. beginning September 27th**. A registration fee of \$20.00 includes the cost of a workbook, materials, and refreshments. For more information or to register, call Jeanne Beutler at 419-615-2298.

33 Day Transformation Experience: A Journey to Total Consecration to Jesus... ~ These 33 days will prepare individuals and families for total consecration to Jesus through Mary begins **September 4th**. Receive daily e-mail reflections, weekly videos and a personalized consecrated certificate, which you'll receive at the special Mass with Bishop Thomas on October 7th. For more information or to sign up visit www.33days.eventbrite.com.

Right to Life of Henry County & Putnam County ~ Are hosting a "Life Event" on **Tuesday, September 20th**, from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in New Bavaria (13779 Co Rd Y, New Bavaria, – half mile east of St. Rt. 108). Guest speakers will be Peter Range, Respect Life Program Coordinator and Clarissa Lapinski, Project Rachel Coordinator. All are invited. Candidates for local offices are welcome.

The Father Ronald R. Warnimont Assembly 4th Degree of the Knights of Columbus, Ottawa ~ Will be sponsoring a 15th Anniversary Prayer Service; A World Day of Prayer for Peace. This year we will be marking the 15th anniversary of the September 11th terrorist attacks on the United States. The prayer service will take place at Saints Peter and Paul Parish at Ottawa, on **Sunday, September 11th** at 7:30 p.m. **We pray for those who lost their lives and the families who will never be the same. For all men and women who serve as police, firemen/women, military, EMS and their families. For our Country, as we move closer to the presidential election.**

Our Lady of Consolation Shrine, Carey ~ You're invited to attend our next Year of Mercy Celebration at the Shrine of Our Lady of Consolation, **Sunday, September 4th**, with a noon Mass. Msgr. Michael Hohenbrink will be the Celebrant and Homilist. He is the Pastor of St. Michael the Archangel Parish, Findlay and Dean of the St. Francis Deanery. Please plan to join us and pass through the Holy Doors promising to live a life of Mercy. Confessions will be available at 11:00 a.m. that day. You are encouraged to receive the blessings and indulgences of this Holy Year.

Medjugorje ~ Under the spiritual direction of Father Bill Pifher, visit Medjugorje, November 2, - 10, 2016, and experience the beauty, spirituality and peace of this simple mountain village. Visit the Hill of Apparitions where the visionaries first saw Our Blessed Virgin Mary, pray before a statue that symbolizes the place of the first apparition. Space is limited, early registration is recommended. For more information please contact Croatian MIR Center at 1-800-220-7729 or croatia@mircenter.com.

Potential Deacon Inquiry Candidates ~ The Diocese of Toledo will conduct four inquiry sessions beginning on October 17th for men who are interested in learning about the deacon formation program. The dates and locations for these sessions are as follows:

Monday, October 17th ~ at Findlay, St. Michael's
Tuesday, October 18th ~ Defiance, St. Mary's
Wednesday, October 19th ~ Fremont, St. Joseph
Thursday, October 20th ~ at the Pastoral Center, Toledo

Each potential candidate must attend one of these meetings. A fifth meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 15th at Fostoria, St. Wendelin's for the potential candidates and their spouses. This meeting is required for all potential candidates and their spouses. The theology of the diaconate and the process of formation will be presented. The meetings in Findlay, Defiance, Fremont and Toledo will begin at 7:00 p.m. and conclude by 8:00 p.m. The meeting in Fostoria will begin at 7:00 p.m. and conclude by 8:30 p.m. If you would like to attend, please contact Bonnie Rybak @ Brybak@toledodiocese.org and let her know which date and location you would like to attend.

Amazon Smile Returns ~ Thanks to all those who have used Amazon Smile during the past year. We have received approximately **\$105.00** just by using Amazon Smile while placing your online orders. Below are the instructions on how to sign up St. Anthony's on Amazon Smile:

AmazonSmile ~ AmazonSmile is a simple and automatic way for you to support St. Anthony's every time you shop on Amazon using an internet browser on your desktop or laptop computer, your mobile phone or your tablet, at no cost to you or to St. Anthony's. When you shop at smile.amazon.com, you'll find the exact same low prices, vast selection and convenient shopping experience as Amazon.com with the added bonus that Amazon will donate .5% of the purchase price to St. Anthony's.

1. Go to smile.amazon.com
2. Click on "Your Account"
3. Click on "Change Your Charity"
4. Type in "St. Anthony of Padua Parish"
5. Look for St. Anthony of Padua Parish, Columbus Grove, OH and click on our name.
6. Click on "Select"

Then you can place your order as you normally would. The next time you place your Amazon order at smile.amazon.com, St. Anthony of Padua Parish, Columbus Grove, will automatically show up. Amazon will remember your selection and from that time on, every eligible purchase you make at smile.amazon.com will result in a donation to St. Anthony's. **You also can pay for your order with Amazon Scrip which also helps St. Anthony's.** If you have any questions, call Harold Gerten at 419-659-5914 or the parish office at 419-659-2263.

Project Rachel ~ Confidential help is available to anyone who is suffering from the grief of abortion. There are people with whom you can talk in confidence about your experience. Project Rachel offers lay counselors and trained clergy ready to help you find peace and healing. There is also an independent Bible Study available specifically for post-abortive women or men. If you feel ready to talk with someone and/or would prefer to explore the Bible Study, we invite you to call the confidential help line at 419-260-5811.

A Note from Fr. Tom

SAINT MOTHER THERESA: Next Sunday, September 4, Pope Francis will proclaim that Mother Theresa is now on the official list (canon) of saints. The next day will be the nineteenth anniversary of her death. I believe that September 5 will also be her feast day. We might consider Mother Theresa the ideal saint for the Year of Mercy. She worked among the poorest of the poor. Our world would have thought her work useful if she healed people; instead she picked up dying people in the street, washed them, made them comfortable, and enabled them to die with dignity. For many years of her work, she felt that God had abandoned her. (That makes her a special saint for people today who feel abandoned by God.) And yet she persevered. She was a symbol of God's unconditional love; she upheld the dignity of the human person; she looked for no return for herself or her community.

Would you believe that even after nineteen years, critics in the media are still denouncing and defaming Mother Theresa? They say that she used the poor; that it was a European plot to overthrow Indian culture, and so on. Father George Rutler answers these critics wonderfully at <http://www.crisismagazine.com/2016/memories-mother-canonization-saint-teresa-calcutta>. Or you might enjoy the in-depth book treatment that convert Malcolm Muggeridge gave her in his book *Something Beautiful for God*.

EWTN will broadcast the canonization live from Rome at 4 a.m. next Sunday. For those of us who aren't night owls, it will be re-broadcast at 11:30 a.m. and 10 p.m.

THAT MAN IS YOU will begin again on Saturday, September 10. Even if you didn't take part in Year One, you are welcome to take part. Questions we will deal with are how to win the spiritual battle, how to develop a prayer life, and how a family can experience the love, peace and joy found within the Holy Family. For further information call Harold Gerten (659-5914), Darren Langhals (659-2406), Ben Schroeder (419-615-2632), Bruce Stephens (419-646-3602), or Jim Tabler (659-2392).

RCIA WILL BEGIN SOON: Rite for the Christian Initiation of Adults will begin soon! This is the process for welcoming adults into the Catholic Church, and teaching them what the Church believes. If you are interested, or if you know someone who is interested, please call the rectory. Come find out about us; there is no obligation to join for beginners in the program.

HAS YOUR PHONE NUMBER CHANGED? Every now and then, when I phone a parishioner, I get the dreaded recording: "The number you have dialed is no longer in service..." And then I am frustrated, because the disconnected number is the only number in our files. So far, none of these calls has been an emergency call. But someday it will be. Please use the form below, or else call the rectory (419-659-2263) to report your new number, so that we can call you easily.

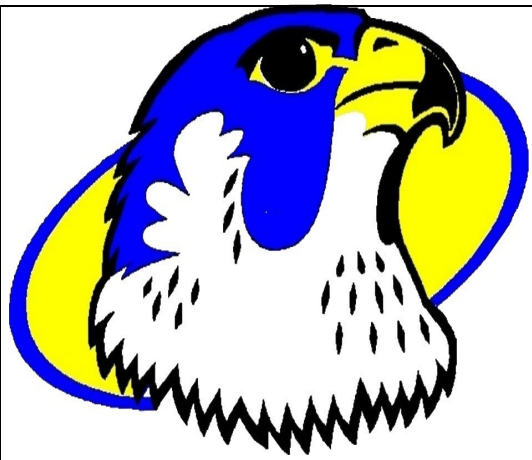
Father Tom

REPORT of a NEW PHONE NUMBER

Name: _____

Address: _____

New phone number: _____



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.



What a great start to the School Year:

We are beginning the new school year with a few changes. A special welcome to our new school teachers'. This year we had a late vacancy for the eighth grade position but are happy to announce that we have a highly credentialed replacement. Starting this week as the eighth grade teacher is Kristen Bonifas. She lives in our community, has two children and is married to Cory Bonifas. We also have a new music teacher this year. Sharon Farthing is our music teacher. She lives in Pandora with her husband and children and comes to us with a lot of experience as a music teacher, organist and musician. We thank Marilyn Birke-meier for returning this year as our part-time tutor. New to us and working with Marilyn and the other teachers is Beth Birkemeier as our full-time tutor. We all know Beth who recently retired from Kalida and comes to us with a lot of teaching expertise.

We have two long term substitute teachers also. Mrs. Selhorst, second grade teacher, is still recovering from a recent surgery and will be back after Labor Day. My wife, Pam Hummel is filling in for Cindy. Mrs. Ellerbrock, sixth grade teacher, is out on maternity leave until September 14th and Marvel Brinkman is substituting until Emily returns.

Above is a picture of students and staff in front of the church after our first Friday mass. The top right was taken last Thursday morning by Mandy Snyder. A rainbow over our school is a blessing that gives me hope we are doing things right at St Anthony.

Lunch Recess

Volunteers



Week of: August 29th

Monday Pat Birnesser

Tuesday Cindy Stechsulte

Wednesday Amy Stechshulte

Thursday Sue Schroeder

Friday Sarah Barto & Jill Meyer

First Friday

Calendar Items:

August 29—Sept. 7 Magazine Sales

August 30 Teacher In-service after school

September 2 First Friday

September 5 Labor Day—No School

September 15 Interims

September 18 Family Fall Movie afternoon
3:00 pm in the gym

Help the Ronald McDonald House

Our collection is ongoing. Please bring pop tabs and place them in the container outside the office.

**HELP FAMILIES AT A
DIFFICULT TIME**

St. Anthony's goal is 100 pounds this year.