



**SAINT ANTHONY OF PADUA**  
**A MEMBER OF ST. GEORGE DEANERY**  
**26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**SEPTEMBER 25TH, 2016**



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**St. Anthony Parish Website: [www.cgstanthony.org](http://www.cgstanthony.org)**  
**St. Anthony School Website: [www.stanthonyschool.info](http://www.stanthonyschool.info)**

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**In today's gospel the rich man dies and was condemned to "a place of torment" because he ignored the poor.  
 He asked Lazarus to go and warn his five brothers to change their ways.  
 Evidently, ignoring the poor was a family pattern.  
 Is your family sensitive to the poor?**

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**Mass Schedule**

September	27	Tuesday	6:30 p.m. Mass	St. Vincent de Paul {Margaret & Wilfred Warnecke}
September	27	Tuesday		<b>Confession, Exposition &amp; Adoration After Mass</b>
September	28	Wednesday	8:00 a.m. Mass	Weekday ~ {John Schroeder}
September	29	Thursday	8:00 a.m. Mass	Sts. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael ~ {Dave Schroeder, Sr. ~ Ralph Ellerbrock ~ Ben & Anna Vorst}
September	30	Friday	8:00 a.m. Mass	St. Jerome {Deceased Members of the Robert Kohls Family}
October	01	Saturday	8:00 a.m. Rosary	
October	01	Saturday	4:30 p.m. Mass	Vigil~27th Sunday-Ordinary Time~{Alvin "Dick" Schroeder}
October	02	Sunday	8:30 a.m. Mass	27th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ {Deceased Members of the Schulte & Sehlhorst Families}
October	02	Sunday	11:00 a.m. Mass	27th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ { Virgil & Virginia Hoffman }

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**Servers**

September	27	Tuesday	6:30 p.m. Mass	Tayte Langhals
October	01	Saturday	4:30 p.m. Mass	Derek Birkemeier, Dylan Birkemeier, Eric Warnecke
October	02	Sunday	8:30 a.m. Mass	Adam Birkemeier, Abe Morman, Ethan Blankemeyer
October	02	Sunday	11:00 a.m. Mass	Garrett Nemire, Nathan Dunbar, Evan Dunbar

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**Commentators**

October	01	Saturday	4:30 p.m. Mass	Aubrey Davis
October	02	Sunday	8:30 a.m. Mass	Ron Teders
October	02	Sunday	11:00 a.m. Mass	Vonda Nemire

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**Eucharistic Ministers**

October	01	Saturday	4:30 p.m. Mass	Norm Schnipke, Jim Tabler, Bob & Bev Baxter, Beth Birkemeier
October	02	Sunday	8:30 a.m. Mass	Diana Kaufman, Hannah Warren, Dan Maag, Marilyn Birkemeier, Kristy Birkemeier
October	02	Sunday	11:00 a.m. Mass	Shirley Goedde, John & Desiray Engberg, Dave & Christie Tabler
October	02	Hilty Home ~ Dan Maag		

**Attention ~ Hilty Home Distributors ~ The list for you of the residents at the Hilty Home to receive Holy Communion on Sunday mornings will be on the table in Father Tom's Sacristy. If you would like to call the Hilty Home to remind them to bring the residents to the chapel before you arrive, the number is 419-384-3218.**

**~ Hilty Home Residents ~**

Velma Pope-Room 103A; Wilbert Roof-Room 105B; Agnes Friedel-Room 109; Jan Kiene-Room 116;  
 Mary Maag-Room 119; Bill Alt-Room 121; Mary Margaret Bockrath-Room 125; Betty Meyer-Room 203A;  
 Margaret Rosenbauer-Room 208B; Dolores Daniels-Room 209B; Beatrice Inkrott-Room 212B;  
 Dorothy Geiger-Room 215A; Mary Rita Fischbach-Room 215B; Cathy Ruhe-Room 306;  
 Jim Fischbach-Room 314; Paula Stechschulte-Room 505; Thomas Gray-Room 513

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*Ushers*

October 01 Saturday 4:30 p.m. Mass George Ellerbrock, Doug Roof, Rob Verhoff, Don Stechschulte  
October 02 Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass Tom Dunlap, Eric Dunn, Ron Hoffman, Gene Siefker  
October 02 Sunday 11:00 a.m. Mass Ken Rieman, Dwain Schroeder, Nathan Siefker, John Selhorst

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*~ Confessions ~*

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

*Tuesday ~ Confession & Exposition After Mass*

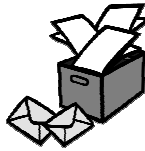
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*Income For The Week of September 18th*

Sunday ~ 192 \$ 7,880.32  
Children's ~ 25 27.80  
7,908.12  
Louisiana Flood Donations 1,911.35  
Tuition 533.00  
Miscellaneous 909.29  
**Total Income \$ 11,261.76**

*Expenses For The Week of September 18th*

Ordinary Parish & School Expenses \$ 985.74



*Total Donations To-Date ~ Louisiana Flood Victims ~ \$2,255.37*

*Thanks to the family and friends of Lucille Karhoff who made a donation to our School Endowment in memory of Lucille.*

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*300 Club Winner ~ September 24th ~ Agnes Hoffman ~ Ticket #10 ~ \$100.00*

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*Marriage Bans I ~ Abigail Kahle & Jonathon Mikesell*

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**Communion Distributors** ~ Father Tom will be having a brief training session for all those parishioners who distribute the Body of Christ in any capacity. The sessions will be immediately after the weekend Masses of **October 1st and October 2nd**. Booklets will be given to the distributors (1 per family) to take home and read at your convenience. If you are unable to attend the meetings, call the parish office at 419-659-2263 and we will set up another time that works better for you.

**Thank You!** ~ We also want to thank Kyle Selhorst who purchased, stained and varnished the new trim which was recently installed around the kitchen floor in the church basement. Even though parishioners are not giving so generously to be publicly thanked, we feel they deserve some recognition for their talent and giving to St. Anthony's. Thank you, Kyle!

**Altar Rosary Meeting** ~ The regular October meeting will be postponed until **Wednesday, November 2nd** at 6:30 p.m. This meeting will be our annual pot luck dinner and "Baby Shower for Mary".

**Memorial Stone** ~ Ken & Sue Kahle recently ordered a stone for the Memorial Wall in the entrance hall of the school. If anyone has considered ordering a stone in memory of a loved one or of your family, check out the stone on the table in the back of church. Fidelity Builders do a terrific job with ideas and the actual construction of the stones. You can order stones in various sizes. If interested, call the parish office at 419-659-2263.

**K of C** ~ The K of C members will be leading the Rosary before the Masses the weekend of **October 1st and October 2nd**. All K of C members are invited to meet in the front of church (Mary's side) to help lead the Rosary.

**Christian Formation Classes** ~ CCD Classes will be held this **Sunday, September 25th**, 9:30 to 10:45 a.m., in the school. The next CCD classes will be next **Sunday, October 2nd**.

**Scrip** ~ Scrip will be available this weekend, **September 24th & 25th**, after Mass in the church basement. The helpers are: Ken & Connie Kruse, Gina Wurth, Shirley Goedde, Vonda Nemire, Judy Gerten and Trina Rode.

**Life Teen** ~ The next Life Night will be this **Sunday, September 25th**. The topic will be "Misericordia."

**Edge** ~ The first EDGE night will be this **Sunday, September 25th**. Students in Junior High are invited to join us!

**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. The 2nd training session will be this **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.

**To Those in High School** ~ The 31<sup>th</sup> annual St. George Deanery Battle of the Youth will be hosted at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church on **Sunday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>**. Gather a group of 10 high school students (no more than 5 people on a team) and one adult team captain, come up with a team name and cheer, and come to the *Battle of the Football Teams!* All participants need to fill out an emergency medical form. Please mail the registration form and \$5.00 per person, including the coach, payable to Ottoville ICY Group, to Renee Kelch PO BOX 296, Ottoville, OH 45876, by September 25<sup>th</sup>. Contact Hannah Warren 419-303-5476 with any questions.

**Post Football Game Gathering** ~ There will be a post game gathering hosted by the High Flyers on **Friday, October 7<sup>th</sup>** after the varsity football game vs. Delphos Jefferson. The gathering will begin immediately after the game until 11:30 p.m. There will be wings, pizza, and other snacks for purchase. Also available will be water, pop, and adult beverages. This is a family friendly event and open to the public. All proceeds will sponsor future High Flyer events. Thanks for your support.

**Baptism Classes** ~ The next Baptism class (required for first time parents or encouraged for new parents who have not taken the class in the past 5 years) will be held on **Wednesday, October 12th** at 7:00 p.m. in the Enrichment Center. Please call Tom & Karyn Kamphaus at 419-615-8737 or the parish office at 419-659-2263 to register. The next class will be held in **January, 2017**.

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**Walking With Purpose** ~ Registration for the 6 session group study "Living in the Father's Love" is open until September 30th. (The \$20 registration fee will cover the cost of the book/study guide you receive.) If you still are not sure this is something for you and are not sure you want to make the commitment, you are still invited to come to the first session on October 13th. There will be a short video followed by small discussion groups. If interested, please call one of the contact numbers listed below.

Registration forms are at all of the entrances of the church. Forms can be dropped in the collection or mailed or dropped off at the parish office. If you have questions please contact Kathy Huff at 419-615-5473 or Jan Klinker at 567-204-0208.

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**The Lima Allen County Right to Life** ~ Is sponsoring **PLEASE LET ME LIVE** Life Chain on **Sunday, October 2nd**, for one hour (2:00 - 3:00 p.m.), regardless of the weather. This is to be a silent, prayerful witness for all victims of abortion and the universal restoration of respect for human life. Participants are asked to gather at Pierce and Second Streets in Delphos by 1:45 p.m. to receive a sign that reads **ABORTION KILLS CHILDREN**. Please line up from there to the east on the sidewalks of Second Street, spacing yourselves at least 20 feet apart. Lawn chairs and strollers are welcome.

**Fort Jennings American Legion Auxiliary Bus Trip** ~ June 1-7, 2017. Three full days in New York City with guided tours and stops in Philadelphia and Hershey Chocolate World. \$750/person (double occupancy) includes 6 nights lodging and 10 meals (6 breakfasts & 4 dinners). \$75.00 deposit to reserve your spot. Remaining balance due March 18, 2017. Contact Tricia Halker at 419-615-9588 for additional information or to reserve your seat!

**Visit New York City, June 15-21, 2017** ~ Guided tour of "The Big Apple", including the Statue of Liberty, Ellis Island, Central Park, Rockefeller Center, 9/11 Memorial, Times Square and much more! Also, a stop at the Flight 93 Memorial in PA. Cost is \$739.00 which includes transportation, 6 nights lodging, 6 breakfasts and 4 dinners. Email Cheryl Kersh at [cherylkersh@gmail.com](mailto:cherylkersh@gmail.com) or call 419.890.8565. Benefits Ottawa Legion Baseball.

**2016 Diocesan Celebration of Wedding Jubilees** ~ The 2016 Jubilee Wedding Anniversary Mass and Reception will be held at Our Lady Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Cathedral on **Sunday, October 23rd** at 3:00 p.m. Join Bishop Daniel Thomas and the Office of Marriage and Family to commemorate **25, 40, 50, 60 and 60-plus years** of marriage for couples in the Diocese of Toledo. Mass includes the renewal of matrimonial vows. Registered couples will receive a commemorative certificate. To register go to: [www.1023mass.evenbrite.com](http://www.1023mass.evenbrite.com), contact Marsha Rivas at 419-214-4938, or call your parish office. **Registration deadline is October 13th.**

**Heartbeat of Lima** ~ Heartbeat of Lima will be hosting the 7th Annual Fundraising Banquet at the Veterans Memorial Civic Center, 7 Town Square in Lima, on **Thursday, October 6th**. There will be a social hour from 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. with the dinner and program from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. Keynote speakers are Scott & Sarah Weghorst, a couple who adopted a baby from a mother who came to Heartbeat of Lima for help. Cost for the evening are by donations only to Heartbeat of Lima. To make your reservation, contact Rose Ellerbrock at 419-659-5733. Deadline is September 26th.

**Take the One Hour Fatima Challenge!** ~ Next **Saturday, October 1st**, St Mary Church in Leipsic will host the final hour of **First Saturdays**, beginning at 8:00 a.m., with Rosary followed by Mass. (That only involves a total of 4 hours to receive the blessings promised by heaven for yourself, your family and the whole world.) Coffee and refreshments will follow. 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**. 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."

**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.

## A Note from Fr. Tom

**COLLECTION FOR FLOOD VICTIMS:** Last Sunday we collected over \$1900 for the victims of the floods in Louisiana. I'm sure we will exceed the \$2000 mark over the next couple of weeks. Thanks to everyone who helped (or will help) their brothers and sisters in need

**FOREIGN MISSIONS COLLECTION:** Our annual collection for the foreign missions (Propagation of the Faith) will take place on October 8-9. Father Charles Obinwa will celebrate all Masses and take up the collection. I will be taking Father Charles' place in Fort Jennings that weekend. Wish me luck in getting over there in time for the 7:30 a.m. Mass!

**COMMUNION DISTRIBUTORS' MEETINGS:** I would like to meet with the extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion after Masses next weekend, October 1-2. For the most part, our Communion ministers do their ministry well; there are just a few procedures that we need a little additional work on.

**PILGRIM VIRGIN STATUE:** In honor of the coming 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the apparitions of Mary at Fatima, there will be Pilgrim Virgin statues being brought to parishes throughout the United States. The Toledo Diocese will be one of the first visited; Columbus Grove will be one of the first parishes where the visitation happens. The date will be **Wednesday, October 19**. There will be rosaries every hour on the hour, beginning after 8 a.m. Mass and concluding with Vespers, a Rosary, and Benediction at 7 p.m. Parish organizations are being asked to participate in a Rosary. If you don't belong to an organization, or if your organization's time is inconvenient for you, you are welcome at any time.

**CATHOLICS AND DIVORCE:** I once heard a psychologist say that the four top producers of stress are death in the family, divorce, unemployment and serious sickness. Even if people feel that a divorce is necessary, they still find themselves in pain as they go through the process – and perhaps for years afterward.

It's sad, though that divorce leads many people to pull away from the Church. Maybe people feel that divorce means that they have failed the Church and failed God. Or maybe people still believe that if you're divorced, you're excommunicated. The truth is that people were never excommunicated because they had gotten divorced. "Excommunication" does not mean that you are cast into the outer darkness. It means that you can't do any ministry at Mass or in the Church's other prayers; that you can't receive the sacraments until the offense against Church law has been healed; and that you can't hold any office in the Church. Thankfully, excommunication is quite rare. (By the way, any priest who hears Confessions can lift the excommunication that is connected with the sin of abortion. It's been that way in most dioceses of the United States since the 1980s.) If you know of anyone who believes that they are excommunicated because they have gotten divorced, you will be doing them an immense spiritual favor if you show them this article and invite them to meet with Deacon Jim or me.

Our Church upholds the sanctity of marriage. That is something to be proud of. At the same time, we want to accompany people who need to work on their marriage, or whose marriage is in trouble, or whose marriage has come to an end. We want divorced people to continue to feel at home at Saint Anthony! You need the Church; we need you; we need each other. During this Year of Mercy, we especially want to help people who feel that the Church is judging them, or who feel isolated from the Church. In last Sunday's bulletin, there was a notice about a support group called Catholic Divorce Ministry, which will meet at St. Peter and Paul in the school library starting this Tuesday at 7 p.m., and continuing for twelve weeks. For information or to register, call 419-615-2298.

*Father Tom*

**ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT**  
**July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016**

**Parish Operating Income**

Sunday & Holy Day Offerings	\$120,651
Christmas & Easter	32,124
Other Offerings	4,006
Stole Fees & Stipends	7,171
Bequests & Special Donations	7,962
Parish Activities (Gross Proceeds)	152,045
Miscellaneous Income	<u>15,252</u>
<b>Total Parish Operating Income</b>	<b>\$339,211</b>

**School Operating Income**

Student Receipts	\$112,621
Student Service Income	11,807
Gifts and Grants	416,518
Mandated Services	52,424
Other Income	<u>4,471</u>
<b>Total School Operating Income</b>	<b>597,841</b>

**Parish Operating Expenses**

Parish Salaries	\$91,265
Payroll Taxes & Fringes	14,691
Administrative Expenses	14,417
Building Expenses	27,737
Diocesan Assessment	13,233
Parish Operations	111,281
Parish Support for St. Anthony School	81,537
<b>Total Parish Operating Expenses</b>	<b>354,161</b>

**School Operating Expenses**

Faculty & Student Service Payroll	\$496,269
Administrative Expense	19,705
Instructional Expense	26,988
Building Expense	44,151
Marketing & Fundraising Expense	31,830
Student Service Expense	<u>17,936</u>
<b>Total School Operating Expenses</b>	<b>636,879</b>

**Net Operating Loss** **-14,950**

**School Operating Cost To Parish** **-39,038**

**Parish Capital Income and Expenses**

Parish Capital Expenditures	-3,106
<b>Total Parish Capital Income &amp; Expenses</b>	<b>-3,106</b>

**School Capital Income & Expenses**

Mutual Funds-Inc./Loss	-2,329
School Capital Expenditures	<u>-40,170</u>
<b>Total School Capital Inc/Expenses</b>	<b>-42,499</b>

**Net Gain (Loss) in Parish Cash** **-18,056**

**Parish Support-St. Anthony School** **81,537**

**St. Anthony Cemetery**

Balance - July 1, 2015	\$13,352
Receipts	14,467
Disbursements	<u>-16,902</u>
<b>Balance - June 30, 2016</b>	<b>\$10,917</b>

**School Endowment**

Balance - July 1, 2015	\$199,371
Gifts	2,347
Disbursements-School Restrooms	<u>-23,000</u>
<b>Balance - June 30, 2016</b>	<b>\$178,718</b>

**Parish Cash Accounts as of 7/1/2015** **\$20,688**

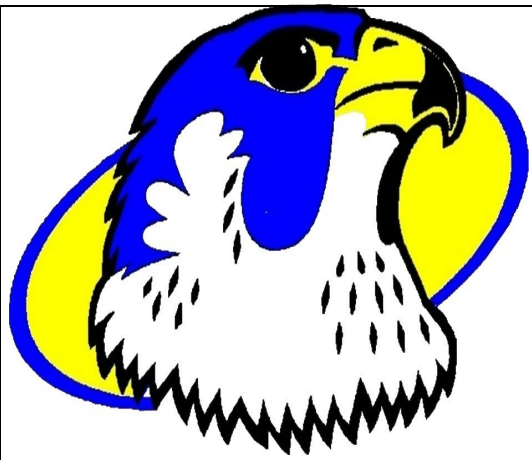
**Parish Savings Accts - 7/1/2015** **\$108,900**

**Parish Cash Accounts as of 6/30/2016** **\$16,049**

**Parish Savings Accts - 6/30/2016** **\$122,250**

**Memos:**

Sunday Collection, Christmas & Easter  
 Donations Requested to be School  
 Donations (Per Signatures) **\$293,708**



**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.



Our Students had a great time this week with the good weather and the scheduled field trips. The Kindergarten and First Grade toured Suter's Pumpkin Patch and the Corn Maze this past Wednesday. Their pictures are on the left. The Fifth grade had a field trip to a working dairy farm and the Ottawa Park. They attended ten stations where they learned information about different aspects of conservation. Below right students had the opportunity to eat a meal worm and only a few were brave enough to try them. Hope they had some water to wash it down!



**Lunch Recess**

**Volunteers**



**Week of: Sept. 26th**

**Monday - Lisa Langhals**

**Tuesday - Cindy Stechshulte**

**Wednesday - Kelsy Woods**

**Thursday - April Schroeder**

**Friday - Tammy Speer &**

**Amy Stechschulte**

**Calendar Items:**

- September 30 GFA, Pizza with P&P
- October 3 Falcon Spirit Day, Hot Sandwich Day
- October 3-14 ACRE Testing
- October 7 Picture Day, High Flyers Post FB Game Gathering
- October 11 Sky Zone Field Trip, Cookie Dough Delivery Day
- October 12 SAC Mtg.
- October 14 Grandparents Day

**This Week's LIFE Skill :**

Effort

For this reason, make every **effort** to supplement your faith with virtue, virtue with knowledge

2 Peter 1:5



Q: What did one flea say to another as they get ready to go to the movies?

A: Shall we walk or take a dog?.