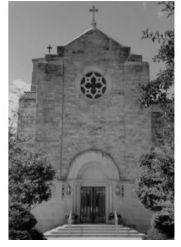


SAINT ANTHONY OF PADUA
A MEMBER OF ST. GEORGE DEANERY
27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
OCTOBER 8TH, 2017



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St. Anthony Parish Website: www.cgstanthony.org
St. Anthony School Website: www.stanthonyschool.info
Parish ~ www.facebook.com/cgstanthony/
School ~ www.facebook.com/StAnthonyofPaduaColumbusGrove/

Every family is visited by difficult times which can unite or divide.

These hardships, which we would quickly reject, hold the potential to be the unifying "cornerstone" where we drop our pettiness and defenses and pull together linked by a common bond and love for one another.

Mass Schedule

October 10	Tuesday	8:00 a.m. Mass	Weekday ~ {Deceased Members of the Robert Kohls Family}
October 10	Tuesday		Confessions, Exposition & Adoration After Mass
October 11	Wednesday	8:00 a.m. Mass	Weekday ~ {For The Parish}
October 12	Thursday	8:00 a.m. Mass	Weekday ~ {Deceased Members of the Gib & Jean Smith Family}
October 13	Friday	8:00 a.m. Mass	Weekday ~ {Alphonse & Angela Schroeder}
October 14	Saturday	8:00 a.m.	Rosary
October 14	Saturday	3:00 - 4:00 p.m.	Confessions, Exposition & Benediction
October 14	Saturday	4:30 p.m. Mass	Vigil~28th Sunday in Ordinary Time~{Norm Kohls ~ Virgil & Virginia Hoffman ~ Jeanette Makley (CLC)}
October 15	Sunday	8:30 a.m. Mass	28th Sunday in Ordinary Time~{Joyce Smith ~ Deceased Members of the Leonard & Lidwina Kaufman Family}
October 15	Sunday	11:00 a.m. Mass	28th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ {Denis & Betty Meyer}

Servers

October 14	Saturday	4:30 p.m. Mass	Hanna Warnecke, Victoria Warnecke, Zach Warnecke
October 15	Sunday	8:30 a.m. Mass	Cheyenne Mershman, Logan Mershman, Jacob Oglesbee
October 15	Sunday	11:00 a.m. Mass	Adam Bogart, Ryan Bogart, Megan Bogart

Lectors

October 14	Saturday	4:30 p.m. Mass	Geddy Davis
October 15	Sunday	8:30 a.m. Mass	Karen Martin
October 15	Sunday	11:00 a.m. Mass	Karl Schroeder

Eucharistic Ministers

October 14	Saturday	4:30 p.m. Mass	Norm Schnipke, Beth Birkemeier, Jim Tabler, Denny Ricker, Marilyn Siefker
October 15	Sunday	8:30 a.m. Mass	Diana Kaufman, Marilyn & Kristy Birkemeier, Kate Morman, Marilyn Hoffman
October 15	Sunday	11:00 a.m. Mass	Lisa Meuleman, Hannah Warren, Noralu Kahle, Troy King, Bob Maag

October Eucharistic Minister Coordinators

4:30 p.m. ~ Pat Birnesser - 931-267-2357 **8:30 a.m.** ~ Dan Maag - 419-659-2969
11:00 a.m. ~ Dave Tabler - 419-659-2620

October 15 **Hilty Home ~ 419-384-3218** ~ Pat Birnesser & Anne Duval ~ (List can be picked up in the Sacristy.)

~ Hilty Home Residents ~

*Jean Stechschulte-Room 101; Wilbert Roof-Room 105B; Agnes Friedel-Room 109;
 Bill Alt-Room 121; Mary Margaret Bockrath-Room 125; Jim Fischbach-Room 201B; Mirian Shanahan-Room 208A
 Dolores Daniels-Room 209B; Virginia Landwehr-Room 211A; Angela Schulte-Room 211B;
 Rita Wenger-Room 300; Cathy Ruhe-Room 306; Jeanne Schulte-Room 401*

Ushers

October 14 Saturday 4:30 p.m. Mass Jon Diller, Bonnie Doty, George Ellerbrock, Doug Roof
October 15 Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass Tom Dunlap, Eric Dunn, Ron Hoffman, Gene Siefker
October 15 Sunday 11:00 a.m. Mass Matt McCauley, Nathan Schroeder, Kevin Siefker, 1 Volunteer

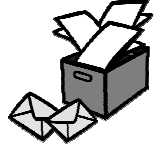
Greeter Schedule

October 14 Saturday 4:30 p.m. Mass Pat Birnesser, Amy Tabler, Gary & Jeaneen Warnecke
October 15 Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass Dan Maag, Tom & Dorothy Mershman, Jim & Linda Oglesbee
October 15 Sunday 11:00 a.m. Mass Jeff & Annette Bogart, Wayne & Judy Schroeder, Kevin & Jennifer Siefker

Parish Activities

For The Week of October 8th

October 09	Walking With Purpose @ 7:00 p.m.	Adult ~ 191	\$ 8,867.00
October 10	Finance Committee @ 6:00 p.m.	Children's ~ 30	36.17
October 10	Parish Council @ 7:00 p.m.		<u>8,903.17</u>
October 11	Rosary Guild @ 6:30 p.m.	Disaster Relief-The Islands	3,669.00
October 14	That Man Is You @ 6:00 a.m.	Other Income	<u>7,222.37</u>
*****		Total Income	\$ 19,794.54
		Total Expenses	\$ 15,957.89



Total Donated Toward 21st Century Fix-Up Campaign To-Date ~264 Donors ~ \$ 226,157.81

300 Club Winner ~ October 7th ~ Rita & Ron Teders ~ Ticket #164 ~ \$100.00

Marriage Bans II ~ Steve Brown & Whitney Seyer

"Why do Catholics....."

Why do Catholics Believe In Hell? Scripture uses a variety of images to describe the awfulness of hell: place of fire (*Matt 5:22*), undying worms (*Mark 9:48*), gnashing of teeth (*Matt 13:42*) outer darkness (*Matt 23:33*), etc. These images may not be literal, but hell is the worst thing we can imagine, the complete frustration and emptiness of life without God. Rather than a place, hell indicates the state of those who freely and definitively separate themselves from God, the source of all life and joy, for all of eternity. Upon our death, our choices in this life forever seal what our destinies will be in the next life (*Heb 9:27*). God predestines no one to go to hell (*CCC 1037*). He wants all men to be saved (*Tim 2:4*), but love is free and God does not save those who don't want to be saved from their sins. God is just. *Trent Horn*

**Parish Library Review
The Wild Goose, DVD 27A & 27B**

This DVD series was amazing, insightful. The Holy Spirit wants to have a relationship with us. Answer the invitation! Very easy to understand and gain insight. I watched this while I did my weekly ironing! Please watch. (This review is from a St. Anthony Parishioner.)

Scrip ~ Scrip will be available this weekend, **October 7th & 8th**, after Mass in the church basement. The helpers are: Ken & Connie Kruse, Ann Selhorst, Marge Tabler, Joyce Kaufman, Christie Tabler and Carla Kohls.

Finance Committee ~ Will be meeting on **Tuesday, October 10th** at 6:00 p.m. in the rectory.

Parish Council ~ Will be meeting on **Tuesday, October 10th** at 7:00 p.m. in the rectory.

Rosary Guild ~ The Rosary Guild will be meeting on **Wednesday, October 11th** at 6:30 p.m. in the church basement.

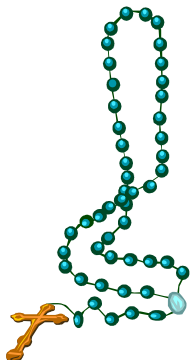
The 2017 Parish Pictorials ~ Parish Pictorials are available for pickup at the parish office, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. Pictorials are also available for purchase for \$10.00. Submitted pictures for the pictorial will be returned in the next few weeks. There will be a notice in the bulletin when they arrive.

Christian Formation Classes ~ Will be held this **Sunday, October 8th** at 9:30-10:45 a.m. in the school. The next CCD classes will be held on **Sunday, October 15th**.

Donations Needed ~ We are asking for donations of water, pop and desserts for Life Teen and Edge meals. There is a signup sheet in the back of church. Please help us out by signing up for a week.

New To Our Town ~ CG CONNECT ~ This is a group that will give the Jr. & Sr. High a safe Christian hang out. It is located above the Pizzeria. The Jr. High are invited to gather before home football games, and the Sr. High are invited to gather after the games. This group which is started by Andy and Amy Schafer, is asking for hosting families. A hosting family would provide the food, be chaperones, and witnesses of Christian life. All the churches in town are asked to be part of this, and we want St Anthony's represented! If you have questions, please contact Hannah Warren at 419-303-5476, or go to the website, cgconnect.org.

Need for New Mass Ministers ~ Papers will be in the pews the next 2 weekends to choose how you want to serve. Add additional comments as needed and return them in the collection basket. Please prayerfully consider how God is leading you to respond and perhaps stepping out of your comfort zone. St. Anthony Parish thanks you for placing service to God and others before your own wants and comfort. Notify Pat Birnesser by phone/text or email with any questions, unavailable dates, or if needing any changes from the last schedule at 931-267-2357 or pat@patbirnesser.com by **Monday, October 9th**, for the November-December schedule.



Rosary Rally for Peace ~ Please join the Rosary Rally at **12:00 noon Saturday, October 14th**, on the front sidewalk of St. Anthony Church to pray for peace in our nation and the world. We remember the 100th anniversary of Our Lady of Fatima and the miracle of the sun that took place on October 13, 1917, and her message of praying the rosary for peace! Please bring your rosary and lawn chair. If there is bad weather, we will meet in the church. Please call Judy Schroeder at 419-659-5498 if you have any questions. Thanks!

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 14th**, 12:00 Noon. The Mother of God called the World to conversion at Fatima a century 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" (Joyce Sispera)

Julie's Legacy Walk or Fun Run ~ Join us in honoring Julie King on **Saturday, October 21st** at St. Anthony School in Columbus Grove. Join us for a 5K or 1 mile Walk or Fun Run honoring Julie's legacy of family fun and fitness. Check-in and t-shirt pickup is 9:00 a.m. with the walk/run beginning at 10:00 a.m. Registration fees are \$22.00 with a t-shirt and \$15 without a t-shirt. Children 5 and under are free. (No t-shirt.) Last date to register and receive a t-shirt is **Thursday, October 13th**. All proceeds from the Walk or Fun Run will support St. Anthony School and the Putnam County Cancer Assistance Program. For more information, visit: WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/EVENTS/JULIESLEGACY.

Toledo Symphony Orchestra ~ The Toledo Symphony Orchestra will perform at St. Michael the Archangel, Main Church, on **Thursday, October 12th** at 8:00 p.m. as part of its annual youth ministry fundraiser, IMPACT. Tickets to the concert are \$25 for adults and \$15 for students and can be purchased in-person at St. Michael the Archangel, Main Church, 750 Bright Road in Findlay. Only cash and check payment will be accepted.

Not willing to let go of your marriage? Many couples continue to struggle in a marriage, but are not willing to give up on each other. There is hope.

Retrouvaille is a program designed to help struggling marriages regain their health. It helps a husband and a wife rediscover or re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought them together. The program is highly successful in saving hurting marriages, even bringing reconciliation to couples who have already separated or divorced. Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy and heal, just as they have done in their own marriages. For more information about our October 6 - 8th Retrouvaille Weekend program for couples, contact our registration team: **Joe and Arlene at 419-841-1116 or visit our website: HelpOurMarriage.com.**

Separated ~ Divorced ~ Now What? ~ Receive these great blessings: healing wisdom, peace, hope, confidence, resilience. The support group will be meeting on **Tuesdays, October 10th through December 13th**, at St. Charles Catholic Church/School Library, 2200 West Elm Street in Lima, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. For more information, call Rosalyn Liston at 419-999-4210 or at auntroro@wcoil.com.

The Fort Jennings Train Depot Exhibit ~ Will hold its annual open house on **Sunday, October 15th**, from 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. Featured will be historic railroad displays, an operating model railroad layout, hand car rides, and a 1/3 scale riding train in addition to refreshments and snacks. The exhibit is located 1 mile north of St. Rt. 224 on Rd. 22-K in Cloverdale.

Delphos St. John's 105th Fall Festival ~ Everyone is welcome to attend the Delphos St. John's 105th Fall Festival on **October 21st and 22nd** in the St. John's Cafeteria and Gymnasium. Enjoy food, games of chance and have some family fun. Home-cooked chicken and beef dinners with all the trimmings and even homemade cakes for dessert are available for \$8.50 for adults and \$6.50 for children (5th grade and younger). Carry-outs will be available from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Saturday and from 3:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Sunday. Dinners in the Little Theatre will be served from 4:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Saturday and 4:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. on Sunday. Enter the west door of the Elementary School Building. There is also a Children's Festival on Wednesday, October 18th for Pre-K and younger 11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., Kindergarten to 3rd Grade 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. and 4th grade to 8th grade from 1:10 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. and High School Students 2:15 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. The event is open to the public! You will be helping to support the mission at St. John's School. We look forward to seeing you on October 21st and 22nd!

100 YEARS AGO in Fatima, Portugal ~ *On October 13, 1917, during her final appearance, Mary identified herself as Our Lady of the Rosary. She predicted the war would soon end but also warned the people that they must repent of their sins and make amends or worse things would follow. Our Lady then performed the Miracle of the Sun. As many as 70,000 people were there to witness it.*

This Friday, Oct. 13, there will be another opportunity to receive a plenary indulgence for this 100th anniversary year of Fatima. Our Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima will be "solemnly exposed for public veneration" in our church all day. **Fr. Tony is also going to have a PRAYER SERVICE in church at 12:00 noon to commemorate this special day!** Please bring your rosary and join us as we pray for peace in our world.

A Note from Fr. Tom

HURRICANE COLLECTIONS: First we collected \$6000+ for hurricane victims in Texas and Florida. Then two weeks later, we collected \$3000+ to help fellow Americans and fellow Catholics in Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands. I wouldn't be surprised if we broke the \$10,000 mark. Thank you for being so wonderfully generous to people in need in spite of your own financial worries.

ANNUAL ATTENDANCE REPORT: Every October, the ushers count the number of people at Sunday Mass. At month's end, we will compute totals and averages, and fax our report to the Diocese of Toledo. Parishes can tell from these figures if they need to adjust their Sunday Mass schedule. The Diocese makes use of these figures for future planning. Thank you, ushers, for doing this extra work.

SUPPORT FOR RETIRED PRIESTS: By the end of 2019, half of all diocesan priests will have retired. This tells us two things: first of all, we need to continue encouraging our young men to consider a vocation to the priesthood; and second, we need to make sure that priests who have served faithfully are able to continue living comfortably – not luxuriously, but comfortably.

The Toledo Diocese Priests' Retirement Plan helps to relieve retired priests from some of their financial worries. A retired priest's finances consist of Social Security, personal savings, earnings from helping in parishes, and the diocesan retirement plan. The pension check becomes necessary as a retired priest pays for groceries, rent or mortgage, insurance and utilities. For the priests whose disabilities are such that they can no longer help in parishes, the retirement plan is crucial. Envelopes are available in church that you can use for the **Perpetuate the Gift** fund to support retired priests. You may place your donation in the collection basket, mail it directly to the Diocese, or donate on line at www.toledodiocese.org. Whatever amount you give lowers our diocesan assessment.

SEVENTY YEARS: I never imagined myself being 70 years old. I've always felt young. I still consider myself one of the young priests. The priests who were 70 years old when I was ordained were ancient men who tottered around their parishes in a cloud of cigar smoke (or so it seemed to me). That couldn't be me, could it? So what if Harry Truman was President when I was born? So what if I can remember steam locomotives and electric trolley cars? That's just a short time ago, isn't it?

What does the future hold? We can't know that; all I can do is trust that the future is in God's hands, and that He knows best. Thanks to everyone at Saint Anthony for their kindness and support through the last 6 of these 70 years.

Father Tom

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT
July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017

Parish Operating Income

Sunday & Holy Day Offerings	\$128,328
Christmas & Easter	28,295
Other Offerings	2,964
Stole Fees & Stipends	7,131
Bequests & Special Donations	11,771
Parish Activities (Gross Proceeds)	162,097
Miscellaneous Income	<u>16,021</u>
Total Parish Operating Income	\$356,607

School Operating Income

Student Receipts	\$137,507
Student Service Income	14,115
Gifts and Grants	400,714
Mandated Services	43,443
Other Income	<u>3,710</u>
Total School Operating Income	599,489

Parish Operating Expenses

Parish Salaries	\$90,572
Payroll Taxes & Fringes	14,863
Administrative Expenses	15,543
Building Expenses	29,650
Diocesan Assessment	12,969
Parish Operations	106,327
Parish Support for St. Anthony School	81,097
Total Parish Operating Expenses	351,021

School Operating Expenses

Faculty & Student Service Payroll	\$537,363
Administrative Expense	19,106
Instructional Expense	33,591
Building Expense	48,801
Marketing & Fundraising Expense	29,824
Student Service Expense	<u>15,773</u>
Total School Operating Expenses	684,458

Net Operating Income **5,586**

School Operating Cost To Parish **-84,969**

Parish Capital Income and Expenses

2017 Annual Fund Drive Receipts	214,623
Parish Capital Expenditures	<u>-75,966</u>
Total Parish Capital Income & Expenses	<u>138,657</u>

School Capital Income & Expenses

Mutual Funds Income	15,877
School Capital Expenditures	<u>-12,005</u>
Total School Capital Inc/Expenses	<u>3,872</u>

Net Income **144,243**

**Total Parish Support ~
St. Anthony School** **-81,097**

St. Anthony Cemetery

Balance - July 1, 2016	\$10,917
Receipts	15,790
Disbursements	<u>-16,823</u>
Balance - June 30, 2017	\$9,884

School Endowment

Balance - July 1, 2016	\$178,718
Gifts	19,822
Disbursements	<u>0.00</u>
Balance - June 30, 2017	\$198,540

Parish Cash Accounts as of 7/1/2016 **\$16,049**

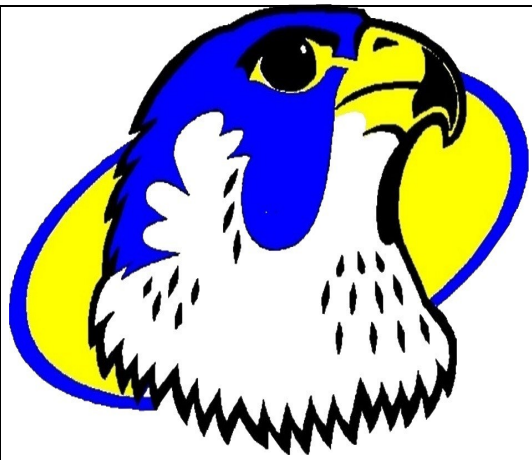
Parish Savings Accts - 7/1/2016 **\$122,250**

Parish Cash Accounts as of 6/30/2017 **\$29,379**

Parish Savings Accts - 6/30/2017 **\$246,276**

Memos:

Sunday Collection, Christmas & Easter
Donations Requested to be School
Donations (Per Signatures) **\$303,657**



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.



It has been a busy Fall. On top left and right are pictures of our 5th grade students recently completing an activity in science class. They are pictured working with speed, time, & distance. Below are a couple of our athletes competing at the Cross Country meet this past week.

* Reminder that Grandparents Day will be Monday, October 30th.

Calendar Items:

<p>Lunch Recess</p> <p>Volunteers</p> <p>Week of: Oct9th</p> <p>Monday April Schroeder</p> <p>Tuesday Kelsy Woods</p> <p>Wednesday Nicole Wilson</p> <p>Thursday Amy Stechshulte</p> <p>Friday Sarah Barto & Tammy Speer</p> <p>Mass Gr. 2</p>	 <p>October 9 Observe Columbus Day</p> <p>October 11 SAC Mtg. 7:00,</p> <p>October 15 Fall Family Movie in Gym @2:00 pm</p> <p>October 17 Skyzone</p> <p>October 19 Cookie Dough Delivery, Pick-up @ 2:30 -3:30</p> <p>October 20 End of First Quarter, Pizza with P&P</p> <p>October 21 Julies Legacy Run/Walk @ 10:00am</p> <p>October 23 Qtr. Break</p> <p>October 24 Prize Day @ 12:30—2:30 pm</p> <p>October 27 GFA, Report Cards, Kdg. Harvest Party</p>
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This Week's LIFE Skill :

Pride

Let another praise you—not your own mouth; someone else—not your own lips.

Prov 27:2



Q: What has one horn and gives milk?

A: A milk truck.