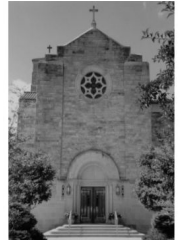


SAINT ANTHONY OF PADUA
A MEMBER OF ST. GEORGE DEANERY
29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
OCTOBER 22ND, 2017



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School ~ www.facebook.com/StAnthonyofPaduaColumbusGrove/

Jesus was exasperated when He scolded: "Why do you put me to the test?"
It is natural for children to test parents; this is how they learn and how we teach limits, rules and values.
Be like Jesus in today's gospel; He was firm, honest and direct.

Mass Schedule

October 24	Tuesday	6:30 p.m. Mass	Weekday ~ {Jim & Jeanette Makley}
October 24	Tuesday		Confessions, Exposition & Adoration After Mass
October 25	Wednesday	8:00 a.m. Mass	Weekday ~ {For The Parish}
October 26	Thursday	8:00 a.m. Mass	Weekday ~ {Father Michael Ricker}
October 27	Friday	8:00 a.m. Mass	Weekday ~ {Walter Schroeder}
October 28	Saturday	8:00 a.m.	Rosary
October 28	Saturday	3:00 - 4:00 p.m.	Confessions, Exposition & Benediction
October 28	Saturday	4:30 p.m. Mass	Vigil~30th Sunday in Ordinary Time~{Daniel Blankemeyer ~ Joe Blankemeyer ~ Amos & Helen Verhoff}
October 29	Sunday	8:30 a.m. Mass	30th Sunday in Ordinary Time~{Norbert & Lorene Fuerst}
October 29	Sunday	11:00 a.m. Mass	30th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ {Deceased Members of the Robert Kohls Family}

Servers

October 24	Tuesday	6:30 p.m. Mass	Judy Schroeder
October 28	Saturday	4:30 p.m. Mass	Jevin Langhals, Tayte Langhals, Lauryn Wischmeyer
October 29	Sunday	8:30 a.m. Mass	Rob Langhals, Roy Langhals, Cassidy Brinkman
October 29	Sunday	11:00 a.m. Mass	Bo Birnesser, Tayt Birnesser, Kennedy Smith

Lectors

October 28	Saturday	4:30 p.m. Mass	Bruce Stephens
October 29	Sunday	8:30 a.m. Mass	Charlie Schmiesing
October 29	Sunday	11:00 a.m. Mass	Hannah Warren

Eucharistic Ministers

October 28	Saturday	4:30 p.m. Mass	Norm Schnipke, Bob & Bev Baxter, Teresa Brubaker, Lisa Langhals
October 29	Sunday	8:30 a.m. Mass	Marilyn Birkemeier, Kristy Birkemeier, Amy Brinkman, Rose Ellerbrock, Marilyn Hoffman
October 29	Sunday	11:00 a.m. Mass	Sue Schroeder, Shirley Goeddde, Pam Hummel, Noralu Kahle, 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 29 **Hilty Home** ~ 419-384-3218 ~ Dan Maag ~ (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; Rita Wenger-Room 300;
Cathy Ruhe-Room 306; Jeanne Schulte-Room 401*

Ushers

October 28 Saturday 4:30 p.m. Mass Darren Langhals, Denny Meuleman, Scott Hummel, Cody Wagner
 October 29 Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass Dan Maag, Adam Siefker, Jason Koch, Dave Schroeder, Jr.
 October 29 Sunday 11:00 a.m. Mass Dave Ellerbrock, Terry Giesige, Duane Vorst, Pat Vorst

Greeter Schedule

October 28 Saturday 4:30 p.m. Mass Pat Birnesser, Gloria Hermiller, Jay & Sheryl Wischmeyer
 October 29 Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass Dan Maag, Wayne & Judy Schroeder, Mike & Marilyn Birkemeier
 October 29 Sunday 11:00 a.m. Mass Steve & Beth Birkemeier, Dave & Jan Klinker, Tony & Kim Birnesser

St. Rita's Medical Center ~ Gerald Fortman

Parish Activities

For The Week of October 15th

October 22	Life Teen Mass & Life Night @ 6:00 p.m.		
October 23	Walking With Purpose @ 7:00 p.m.	Adult ~ 202	\$ 6,841.00
October 24	Evening With The Pastor @ 7:45 p.m.	Children's ~ 26	<u>29.55</u>
October 25	Discipleship Meeting @ 7:00 p.m.		6,870.55
October 28	That Man Is You @ 6:00 a.m.	Other Income	<u>3,263.00</u>
October 28	CPR Training ~ 8:30 a.m. & 1:00 p.m.		
October 29	Preschool Bible School @ 5:30 p.m.	Total Income	\$ 10,133.55
*****	*****	Total Expenses	\$ 463.65



Total Donated Toward 21st Century Fix-Up Campaign To-Date ~264 Donors ~ \$ 227,632.81

300 Club Winner ~ October 21st ~ Dave & Marcia Koch ~ Ticket #96 ~ \$100.00



Houston Bacome and Hawkin Joseph, sons of Landon & Chelsea Kohls, were baptized last weekend here at St. Anthony's. May the new gift of the Holy Spirit be with you always.

"Why do Catholics....."

Why and what do Catholics believe about Purgatory? "Nothing unclean will enter it (*heaven*), nor anyone who does abominable things or tells lies" (Rev 21:26). Judas Maccabee prayed for the souls of his slain comrades and "made atonement for the dead, that they might be delivered from their sin" (2Macc 12:45) and Paul prays for a dead friend, Onesiphorus (2Tim 1:16-18). Since prayers cannot help the damned in hell and not needed for the saved in heaven, these prayers must have been applied to souls being cleansed of their (venial or less than greater) sins after death in purgatory. Purgatory is the name the Church gave to this final purification, which is different from the punishment of the damned (CCC 1031), taught since 593 by Pope Gregory the Great. This is why we pray for the souls in Purgatory.

Scrip ~ Scrip will be available this weekend, **October 21st & 22nd**, after Mass in the church basement. The helpers are: Ken & Connie Kruse, Tammy Schroeder, Vonda Nemire, Judy Gerten and Elaine Schroeder.

Mass Ministry Schedules ~ Mass Ministry Schedules for **November through December** can be picked up in the back of church. Thanks to everyone for serving our parish in these ministries. Please continue to sign up for Offertory Gift Bearing on the sheets behind the last pew.

The 2017 Parish Pictorial Submitted Pictures ~ Submitted pictures for the parish pictorial are on the table in the back of church. Please pick up your picture at your convenience. Extra pictorials are available for purchase at the parish office. The cost is \$10.00.

Christian Formation Classes ~ Will be held this **Sunday, October 22nd** at 9:30-10:45 a.m. in the school. The next CCD classes will be held on **Sunday, October 29th**.

Evening With The Pastor ~ *Evening With The Pastor* is an opportunity to be better informed about the parish, the Diocese and the world-wide Church and its teachings. Everyone is welcome to come and get answers to your questions. Join us in the parish hall on **Tuesday, October 24th** at 7:45 p.m. after Mass, Exposition, Confessions and Benediction.

Discipleship Meeting ~ Discipleship Meeting will be held on **Wednesday, October 25th** at 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall.

Preschool Bible School ~ The Preschool Bible School will be meeting on **Sunday, October 29th** at 5:30 p.m. in the church basement.

All Soul's Day Memorial Service ~ A special All Soul's Day Memorial Service for those individuals who have passed away during the past year, will be held on **Sunday, November 5th** at 2:00 p.m. in the church.

Feather Party ~ The Feather Party along with the Altar Rosary Bake Sale will be held on **Sunday, November 19th**, after the 8:30 a.m. Mass. The Feather Party tickets were mailed out this past week. Extra Feather Party tickets are at the entrances of the church. Save the date!!!!

Knights of Columbus Seminar ~ Dan Turnwald with the Knights of Columbus will be holding a seminar on **Thursday, November 2nd** at 9:00 - 10:00 a.m. with a second presentation at 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. in the church basement. The seminar will be offering information to help our Catholic Families with the life/financial planning process in terms of what the Knights of Columbus has to offer. Topics such as: tax minimization, social security maximization and the calculation of life insurance for your needs, as well as IRA's, annuities and Long Term Care will be covered. If you have any questions, call Dan at 419-538-6438.

Life Night on October 22 ~ On the Life Night on October 22nd, Life Teen will be presenting a night from *Unleashed*. This is part of the Life Teen program that is designed to be a small group discussion. This particular night is entitled "Sad World," which goes deeper into the question, "Can a loving God allow evil?"

Life Teen Donations Needed ~ We need your help to provide food and drink items for our Life Teen and Edge Night meals. Sign-up sheets are on the table in the back of church. If you are willing to provide any of the items, please sign your name by the item. If you would like to donate a meal or any other food item that is not on the list, we would love to have that too. Please call Linda Oglesbee at 419-615-9939, Karen McCauley at 419-230-1107 or Beth Birkemeier at 419-615-2314 if you would like to provide something different so we can plan accordingly. Thank you so much for all you do for our teens!

"Walking with Purpose" ~ *Walking With Purpose* continues on **Monday, October 23rd at 7:00 p.m. in the rectory**. This week we will be showing a short video and then break out into small discussion groups. If you're interested in seeing what *Walking With Purpose* is all about, this would be a good time to attend one of our meetings. There is always an extra chair.

Coats For Kids ~ St. Anthony Catholic School is participating again this year in the "Coats For Kids". We will be collecting gently used or new coats for children sizes newborn to youth size 12. You may drop off the gently used or new winter coats and snowsuits at the school during the hours of 7:30 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Coats can also be dropped off at the parish office. The collection will be from **October 16th thru October 27th**. Thank you for helping out in this worthy cause.

Golf Cart Tickets For Sale ~ Student Advisory Council will be selling golf cart tickets after weekend masses through October. The street legal golf cart will be raffled off in the spring. All proceeds will go to St. Anthony's School. Tickets are 1 for \$10.00 and 3 for \$25.00 and can be purchased at the school and parish offices during regular business hours. Your support of the school is always appreciated!

Altar Rosary Meeting ~ The semi-annual Altar Rosary Meeting/Pot Luck Dinner will be held on **Wednesday, November 8th** in the parish hall. Details will follow.

Baby Shower For Mary ~ Starting this weekend and through the month of November, we will be collecting baby items for Heartbeat of Lima. Boxes will be by the doors at the Sycamore Street entrances of the church. Suggested items are: Baby diapers of all sizes, formula, baby wipes, baby shampoo, baby nail clippers, onesies, etc. Monetary gifts can be put in the collection or taken to the parish office. Be sure to mark your envelope "Heartbeat Donation".

Chicken and Fish Fries are Back! ~ The Ottawa K of C is having their Chicken and Fish Fries every Friday night from October 27th through November 17th at 4:30 to 7:00 p.m. The cost is \$9.00 for adults, \$3.00 for children K-8 and \$1.00 for Pre-Schoolers for all you can eat. Take outs are also available. The food is really good!

Immaculate Conception Rosary Altar Society Craft Show ~ The annual Immaculate Conception Rosary Altar Society Craft Show will be **Saturday, November 4th** from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Lunch, including homemade soups, sandwiches, and desserts will be available. There will also be a 50/50 drawing (winner does not need to be present to win). This event is held in the Ottoville Parish Center next to the church. Everyone is welcome!

The Friends of the Putnam County District Library ~ Are hosting the 10th Annual Harvest Craft Show on **Saturday, October 28th** from 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. The free show will feature 170 quality vendors at the Ottawa-Glandorf High School, 630 Glendale Avenue, in Ottawa. There will also be lunch available and a bake sale. For more information, email friendscraftshow@yahoo.com or phone Judy at 419-659-5478. Proceeds benefit all locations of the Putnam County District Library.

Priesthood Sunday ~ Priesthood **Sunday is October 29th**. A vocation must be nurtured for a lifetime, not just until ordination or the taking of vows. You can help nurture the vocations of priests by praying, listening, and expressing appreciation. A life of service needs support from those served. **Please honor our Priests on this special day.**

Support Our Retired Priests ~ Please consider a donation to *Perpetuate The Gift Appeal* being held **October 1st through December 31st, 2017**. Your gift benefits our retired Diocesan priests and your parish. Once a priest retires, he is responsible for his own personal expenses: medical, housing, car, clothing and food. All funds contributed help reduce the amount the parish contributes to the fund. A gift of cash or check can be sent to Perpetuate The Gift, P.O. Box 954, Toledo, Ohio, 43697, or placed in the parish collection. A gift may also be made on line at www.toledodiocese.org. Envelopes are available at all of the entrances of the church.

St. Bonifest ~ St. John's, Glandorf, St. Bonifest celebration will be held on **Saturday, October 28th**, from 3:00 p.m. until midnight in the Parish Center. The St. Bonifest meal is being held from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. The menu is: beef, pork, noodles, mashed potatoes, corn, roll and dessert. The cost is: Adults \$8.00 - Children 10 and under \$4.00. Check out the Adult Faith Room, Browse The Mustard Seed Catholic Gift Shop and the St. John's History Scrapbooks. There will be raffles, kids' games, St. Bonifest Fall Festival silent auction, the Buckeye Game will be on the big screen at 3:30 p.m. and the St. Bonifest Halloween costume judging contest will be held at 8:15 p.m. or when the Buckeye game is over. Prizes will be awarded. There will also be a St. Bonifest giant pumpkin contest at 9:15 p.m. (after the Halloween Contest). If possible please have your pumpkins at the parish center by 4:30 p.m. for all to see when entering the gym. The deadline to bring in your pumpkins is 7:00 p.m. Prizes will be awarded.

St. John the Baptist Church, Landeck ~ Will be having their annual Sauerkraut and Sausage Dinner on **Sunday, November 5th**, from 3:30 - 7:00 p.m. in the Landeck church basement. Meal includes: All you can eat Homemade Sauerkraut & Sausage or Pancakes & Sausage, Mashed Potatoes, Applesauce, Pie and Ice Cream. Tickets are \$8.00 for adult and \$5.00 for children.

Coming Soon To St. John's, Glandorf! ~ “*The Triumph*” a Pre-Advent Parish Mission on Mary is being held **Sunday, November 12th through Wednesday, November 15th** in the church. The mission will be presented by Father David Gunter, MIC. Topics are: Sunday, November 12th - 7:45 p.m. ~ Testimony and Introduction, Monday, November 13th - 7:00 p.m. ~ Catechesis Background, Tuesday, November 14th - 7:00 p.m. ~ What Has Heaven Been Saying to Us?, Wednesday, November 15th - 7:00 p.m. ~ Final remarks concerning “*The Triumph*”, with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction. Please note the time on Sunday is 7:45 p.m. due to the 6:30 p.m. Mass. All other evenings the Mission starts at 7:00 p.m. Father David will be preaching at all weekend Masses. Mark Your Calendars For All 4 Nights!!!

LOOK GOOD, FEEL BETTER ~ Is being held on **Monday, November 6th** at 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.

Adoption: The Loving and Caring Option ~ In the U.S., there are approximately two million couples waiting to adopt. Clearly, this is absolutely tragic. Many good, loving families are waiting throughout our nation for a baby whom they want to cherish, value, and raise for the rest of that baby's life. Instead of babies going to these families, they go into a trash heap or down a garbage disposal, victims of abortion.

Adoption – especially the adoption of a newborn baby – almost always involves a loving, excited couple who have dreamed for years of holding and caring for their own special treasure. Do mothers considering abortion realize that families actually go on waiting lists to adopt newborn babies? Do they realize that some couples wait years to adopt the baby they've desperately waited to hold in their arms? Do mothers realize how many experienced parents with wisdom, resources, and plenty of love are reaching out to adopt another child – no matter his or her race, gender, or disability?

We need to let mothers know that they can handpick their babies' adoptive families. They can choose an open adoption, where they see their babies at certain times throughout the year. They can choose a partially open adoption, where they receive photos and updates about their children's lives. Or they can choose a closed adoption and give their babies completely over to their adoptive families. We must let expectant mothers know that adoption is the loving, caring option.

Separated ~ Divorced ~ Now What? ~ Receive these great blessings: healing wisdom, peace, hope, confidence, resilience. The support group will be meeting on **Tuesdays, October 24th 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.

Gifts Of Stock ~ Please remember the parish and the Diocese of Toledo can accept gifts of stock. If you plan to donate a gift of stock, please notify the parish and the Catholic Foundation by completing the Stock Gift Letter of intent available at ToledoDiocese.org website. Once a stock sale is processed, you will receive a thank you letter and official tax document from the Catholic foundation. Please contact the Catholic Foundation office at 419-214-4906 if you donated stock in 2016 utilizing the Catholic Foundation and did not receive a thank you letter and official tax document.

A Note from Fr. Tom

MORE BIRTHDAY: My birthday celebration continued after the October 8 bulletin came out. The Fall Festival somehow got transformed into a birthday party with about 40-50 people there. Hamburgers and hot dogs were served, along with potluck salads and desserts. Thanks to those who arranged it, and to those who came.

TODAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY, a day that leads us to the heart of our Christian faith – leads us to mission! Your generosity on World Mission Sunday supports the work of priests, religious and lay leaders in the Missions who share our faith with those most in need. This year we can even “chat” with our chief missionary, Pope Francis, and learn more about his missions and missionaries. Learn more at www.ChatWithThePope.org.

I realize that we will have had 4 special collections in 5 weeks. I fully understand that some people may be feeling “collectioned out.” I won’t ask you to do any more than you are able, but remember that each of these collections is for people who are much worse off than we are.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS: All Saints and All Souls Days are almost here. All Saints is a holy day of obligation. We will celebrate it with Mass on Tuesday, October 31 at 4:30 p.m., and on Wednesday, November 1 at 8:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. All Souls Day is not a holy day of obligation. There will be only one Mass that will be celebrated at 8:00 a.m.

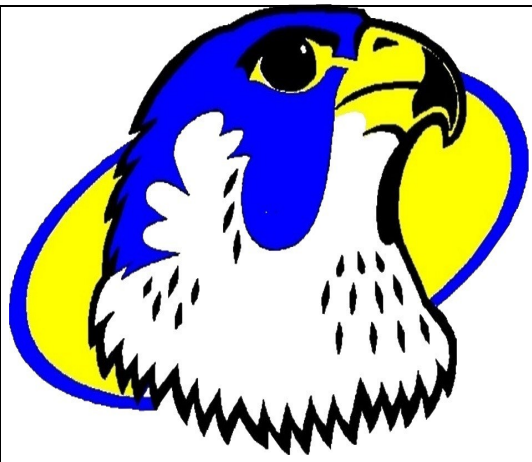
We will also commemorate all those who have died in the last 12 months on Sunday, November 5 at 2 p.m. with exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Vespers, reading of the names of the deceased, presentation of blessed candles to the families of those who have died, and Benediction.

DIFFERENCE BETWEEN CATHOLICS AND PROTESTANTS (part 2): An important point of difference between Catholics and Protestants is Sacred Tradition. Both Tradition and Scripture come from God’s revelation of Himself; they can never contradict one another. Tradition develops as the Church seeks the best way to explain divine truths.

“Where is that in the Bible?” is a question that Catholics seldom ask. The word “Trinity” does not appear in the Bible. Nor can we find an explicit teaching about abortion, the nature of marriage, or the just war theory in the Bible. The Church exercises its teaching authority, not to come up with something totally new, but to spell out for us what is already contained in God’s Revelation. The teaching about abortion existed almost from the beginning, but some doctrines needed centuries of discussion before they could be understood even partially (for example the Trinity, or the humanity and divinity of Christ.)

Sacred Tradition is necessary because it can deal with new problems that didn’t exist in earlier ages. It can be found in the teachings of the Pope and ecumenical councils, in the teaching of bishops in union with the Pope, in the writings of the saints, in the prayers of the Mass and other sacraments, and in the firmly held belief of the faithful throughout the world.

Father Tom



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.



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Qualifying students were rewarded to a field trip to Sky Zone, this past Tuesday, for their efforts during our magazine sales campaign.

SAC members will sell tickets for the Golf Cart Raffle the last two weekends of October at all of the Masses. Tickets are 1 ticket for \$10 or 3 for \$25. Tickets are available in the school office and some business around town. Tickets will also be available during Grandparents Day.



Calendar Items:

Lunch Recess

Volunteers

Week of: Oct. 23rd

Monday No School

Tuesday Cindy Stechsulte

Wednesday Jenny Pingle

Thursday Kevin Smith

Friday Sarah Barto &

Amy Stechsulte

Mass Gr. 1



- October 23 Qtr. Break
- October 24 Prize Day @ 12:30—2:30 pm
- October 27 GFA, Report Cards, Kdg. Harvest Party
- October 30 Grand Parents Day Hot Lunch
- October 31 Halloween
- November 1 All Saints Day
- November 3 K-3rd Gr. Field Trip to OSU Theater
- November 6 Falcon Spirit Day, Jeans & Falcon Shirt, Sloppy Joes \$1
- November 10 Veterans Day, Purse Bingo, Picture Retakes

This Week's LIFE Skill :

ORGANIZATION

"But all things should be done decently and in order."

2 Corinthians 14:40



Q: Why don't monsters eat clowns?

A: Because they taste funny!