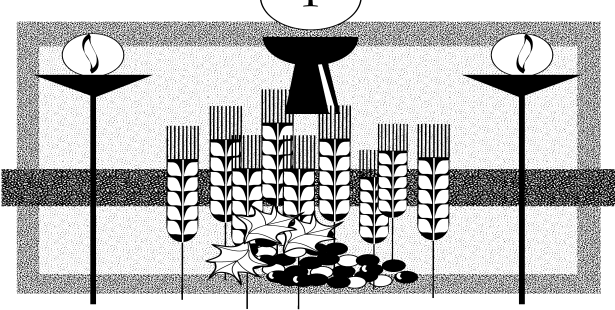


Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life and I will raise him up on the last day, says the LORD.



Families of Faith in a Community of Grace
The Solemnity Corpus Christi
June 7, 2026

Directory

St. Augustine Church e-mail: augustine306@att.net
Website: www.saintaugustinebreese.org
Find us on Facebook:

St. Augustine Catholic Church Breese Illinois

Vision Statement: "Called to Welcome, Serve and Celebrate"
 525 S. Third St. Breese (618)526-4362

St. Anthony Church e-mail: stanthny@papadocs.com
Website: www.stanthonybeckemeyer.org

Vision Statement: "Continuing to Create a Future Together"
 P.O. Box 305, 451 W. Third St. Beckemeyer (618)227-8236

All Saints Academy 295 N. Clinton Breese
Website: www.asasaints.com (618)526-4323

Mater Dei High School 900 N. Mater Dei Dr. Breese
School Website: www.materdeiknights.org (618)526-7216

Diocesan websites: www.diobelle.org
www.bellevillemessenger.org
www.catholiccharitiesusa.org
<http://catholiccharitiessil.org/ccsil>

Project Rachel (618)722-5068
<https://www.diobelle.org/respectlife/project-rachel>

Respect Life Ministry (618)722-5040
Sexual Abuse Hotline 1-800-640-3044

Religious Education: Register for 2026-2027 Classes Now
OCIA/RCIA For more info please call one of the church office(s).

Youth Faith Formation Classes: Call CRE - Dan Robben at (618) 604-3792 or the parish office for more information.

Youth Ministry Moderators:
 Amy Camillo (618)975-6446 Rhonda Pulver (248) 840-1857
 Erin Etheridge (618) 604-7640 Paris Stulir (618) 910-4551

**Parish Partnership
 Weekend Worship Schedule**

Eucharist: Sat. 4:00 pm St. Augustine
 5:30 pm St. Dominic
 Sun. 8:00 am St. Augustine
 9:30 am St. Anthony
 11:00 am St. Dominic

Baptism: Celebrated after the weekend Liturgies by appointment. Baptismal preparation class required. Contact the parish office to register. **Set baptismal date at least two months in advance.**

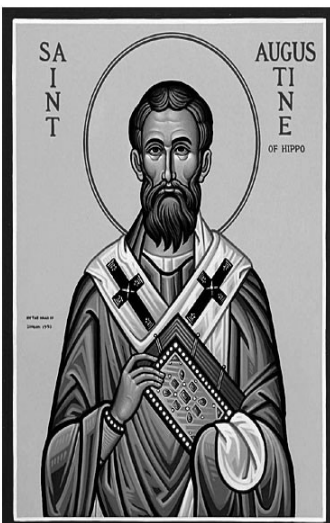
Reconciliation: Saturday at 3:30 pm at St. Augustine Church or by appointment. Seasonal penance services offered during Advent & Lent with dates to be announced.

Marriage: Call the parish office **at least six months in advance.**

Anointing of the Sick : Offered annually or by appointment. Call the **parish office** or (618)-791-0069 for more information or to schedule an anointing.

Welcome

We encourage everyone 18 or older to register at the office as an adult parishioner.



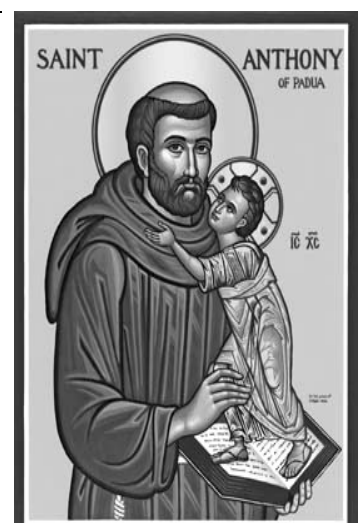
Parish Staff

Pastor: Fr. Chuck Tuttle (618)526-2566
Pastoral Associate/DRE: Phyllis Berndsen (618)791-0069
Permanent Deacon/DRE: Dcn. Jay Fowler (618)973-3162
Maintenance: Richard Korte (618)402-5964
Office Manager: Carol Hilmes (618)526-4362
 (618)227-8236
Business Manager: Dennis Krebs St. Augustine
Business Manager: Karri Kampwerth St. Anthony

****BULLETIN DEADLINE: TUESDAY AT NOON****

Office Hours

Breese: Monday, Wednesday & Friday 7:30am-4:30pm
Beckemeyer: Tuesday & Thursday 7:30am-12:00pm



The Solemnity Corpus Christi

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St. Augustine	St. Anthony
06/06 Sat 4:00pm Judy Brown † Richard Kurz †	06/06 Sat No Service
06/07 Sun 8:00am Yvonne Ratermann †	06/07 Sun 9:30am Walter & LaGarda Holtgrave † Raymond & Florence Usselman †
06/08 Mon 8:00am Safety for Summer Travelers	06/08 Mon No Service
06/09 Tues Noon-1pm Adoration	06/09 Tues 7:30am Intentions of the Rivera Family
06/10 Wed 8:00am Sanctity of Life	06/10 Wed No Service
06/11 Thurs No Service	06/11 Thurs No Service
06/12 Fri No Service	06/12 Fri 7:30am Sanctity of Life
06/13 Sat 4:00pm Vic Jansen † Living & Deceased of Bob & Theresa Jansen Family	06/13 Sat No Service
06/14 Sun 8:00am Faith Community of St. Augustine	06/14 Sun 9:30am Edward & Rose Miller † Ed & Marilyn Miller † Veronica Mensing †

Upcoming Classes & Events:

- Holy Hour Happy Hour:** Corpus Christi Mass & Lunch Sunday June 7 at 10am at St. Boniface, Germantown followed by lunch at El Arado, Breese. For Catholic Young Adults age 21-35. Hosted by Fr. Thomas Lugge & Diocese of Belleville Young Adults
- Baptismal Prep:** June Baptismal Prep Class will be held on Tuesday, June 9 at 7:00pm at St. Augustine Church. Please call your church office to sign-up.
- St. Augustine Ladies Sodality Rummage Sale:** Thursday, June 18(1-8pm) \$3 Admission (*Thursday Only*), Friday, June 19(9am-1pm full price & 1-7pm 1/2 price), Saturday, June 20(9am-12pm \$4 brown bag)
****Collection is June 6, 7, 8 & 9 from 7a-7p(OR UNTIL FULL)****
- Cor:** Saturday, August 22 from 8-9:30am at Mater Dei Chapel. **No Meeting in June & July**
- SAVE THE DATE:** Celebration of 25th Anniversary of Fr. Chuck being assigned to our parishes will be celebrated at St. Augustine - Saturday, August 29 & St. Anthony on Sunday, August 30 - More details to come.
- Retreat Weekend at St Meinrad Archabbey:** Retreat at St Meinrad's the weekend of Sep 25-27. We currently have 5 people attending. For more information contact Deacon Jay at 618-973-3162.

ST. ANTHONY MINISTRY SCHEDULES

Ministry:	Greeters	Lector	Ushers	Gift Bearers
Sun., June 14 9:30am	Etheridge Family	Camdyn Porter Reagan Porter	Mike Etheridge, Kenny & Lisa Johnson, Tom Mensing	Miller Family

Extra-ordinary Ministers: Sun., June 7 at 9:30am Dan & Karen Becker, Gary & Diane Winkeler
Altar Servers: Sun., June 7 at 9:30am Scarlette Gramann, Cecelia Mendoza, Sabrina Timmermann
Sacristans: June 7-13 Bev Carter June 14-20 Audrey Davis

ST. AUGUSTINE MINISTRY SCHEDULES

Ministry:	Altar Servers	Lectors	Ushers	Gift Bearers
Sat., June 13 4:00pm	Daniel Becker	Aggie Becker	Gerard & Rose Huelskamp, Ruth Jansen, Mark Kruep	Jansen Family
Sun., June 14 8:00am	Noah Rauen Wyatt Rauen	Alex Wiegmann	Jerry Korte, John Rakers, Jamie Voss, Tony Voss	Wiegmann Family

Extra-ordinary Ministers: Sat., June 13 at 4:00pm Dennis & Mary Jo Krebs, Eric & Alison Johnson
Sun., June 14 at 8:00am Ian Berndsen, Lynn Maue, Mary Ann Rakers, Katie Siefker
Sacristan: June 7 - 13 Katie Siefker June 14 - 20 Lynn Maue
Extraordinary Minister to the Home Bound: June 7 Emily Timmermann June 14 Phyllis Berndsen

Dear Friends,

It's a scientific fact that the human body cannot last long without food or drink. We need to eat and drink to survive. But what Jesus offers is food and drink of another sort. It is the food and drink of eternal life. Today we celebrate the Body and Blood of Christ, which he gave as a sacrifice for our sins and continues to give each time we celebrate the Eucharist. We consume his Body and Blood so that we can be nourished in carrying out his mission in the world and sustained on our journey to eternal life. Let us raise our voices in thanksgiving for our Lord's gift of his very Body and Blood.

THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE LESSON: The food God provides is unique and special. Take the manna God provided in the desert. Twice Moses says in our first reading that this food was unknown to their ancestors. The food that Jesus provides was also unknown to anyone's ancestors and it is even more special, for it is Christ's own Body and Blood. Saint Paul reminds us that we participate in the Body and Blood of Christ when we share the Eucharist, and Jesus tells us that whoever does so remains in him and he in us. As we listen to the word of God, let us listen for the many ways God feeds us.

STEWARDSHIP: Through Eucharist, we enjoy a unique union with Christ and, in Him, with one another. His love indeed, His very Self - flows into His disciples and, through them and their practice of stewardship, to the entire human race. In the Eucharist, we reaffirm our participation in the New Covenant; we give thanks to God for blessings received; and we strengthen our bonds of commitment to one another as members of the covenant community Jesus forms.

A REMINDER: Do you remember your First Holy Communion? How excited you were to receive Jesus for the first time! Well nothing has changed – Jesus is as present in the Holy Eucharist today as he was back then. What is your current level of enthusiasm in receiving the Eucharist? It should be several times more than when you first received Him. Why? Because you have come to know and to believe in Him more deeply over the years and you are part of Him, the Body of Christ, the Church (as St. Paul reminds us).

A QUESTION FOR THE WEEK: When I receive the Eucharist, I receive Jesus within me. How does knowing that Jesus is in me affect the way I act in the world?

God bless,
Fr. Chuck

St. Augustine News...

Finance Council: *To be Announced*

Pastoral Council: *To be Announced*

Building & Grounds: Tuesday, September 8 at 6:30pm

Holy Name: Tuesday, September 8 at 7:30pm

- Item Drop-off is June 6-9, 7am-7pm OR UNTIL FULL! Volunteers are needed June 8-11 to help unpack & sort donations. If you are willing to help, there's a job for you!

-Rummage Sale is June 18-20. Drop baked goods off after 8am at the cafeteria on Thursday, June 18. See the Flyer in this weeks bulletin for more details.

-We are in need of some strong volunteers at noon on Saturday, June 20 to help pack up leftover items and take down tables & racks.

Upcoming Training: Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers, present and future: Training for said ministry this Tuesday, June 9 @ 1:30 pm in church. Please call or text Phyllis @ 618-791-0069 if you have not already.

Another training for present /new ministers will also be available in September 2026 TBA....in the evening. All ministers are required to re train every three years .

St. Anthony News...

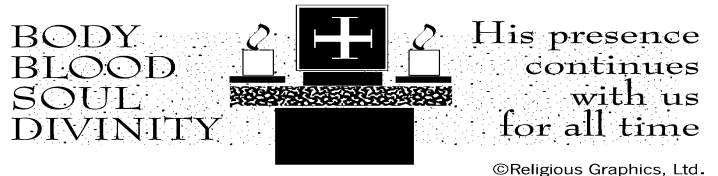
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Bernard & Georgetta Brueggemann established a fund for St. Anthony's to provide \$1,000.00 grants for the benefit of their descendants and the parishioners of St. Anthony.

The grants are for students taking formal training in the religious or medical field. More information pertaining to the grant, eligibility requirements, and grant application is posted on St. Anthony webpage (www.stanthonybeckemeyer.org). Qualified students are to submit their application by June 15, 2026 to the parish office. If you have any additional questions contact Deacon Jay Fowler at (618) 973-3162.

Ladies Sodality Bunco and Dessert Party Monday, June 15 at 1pm. June Bunco Workers are Annette Burkhardt, Bev



St. Augustine Attendance

May 30 4:00pm.....171 May 31 8:00am.....168

Our Gifts to God

Collection: Loose: \$261.00 Envelopes: \$2,155.00(44)

Other Envelopes: Ascension \$40.00(3), Building \$145.00(5), Catholic Communication Campaign \$15.00(2), Education \$185.00(3), Seminarian Ed \$75.00(3), Sister Parish \$5.00(1)

E-Giving Week of May 27 - 31, 2026:

General Collection: \$275.00(1) Building Fund: \$15.00(2)
Education Fund: \$0.00(-)

St. Anthony Attendance

May 30 9:30am.....124

Our Gifts to God

Collection: Loose: \$0.00 Envelopes: \$0.00(-)

Other Envelopes: *Office closed Thursday due to illness.
Collection will be reported in next week's bulletin.*

E-Giving Week of May 24, 2026:

General Collection: \$30.00(1) Building Fund: \$0.00(-)

Mass of Thanksgiving to be celebrated by Bishop Godfrey Mullen:

Bishop Godfrey Mullen, OSB, will celebrate a Mass of Thanksgiving in a parish in each Vicariate since so many parishioners could not attend the May 1 ordination and installation. The North Central Vicariate's Mass will be held on June 24, 2026, at 6:00 PM, St. Dominic Parish in Breese. All are invited to attend and welcome Bishop Godfrey. There will be a reception immediately following Mass.

Pro-Life Corner: "Christ's blood reveals to man that his greatness, and therefore his vocation, consists in the sincere gift of self. ...It is from the blood of Christ that all draw the strength to commit themselves to promoting life. It is precisely this blood that is the most powerful source of hope, indeed it is the foundation of the absolute certitude that in God's plan life will be victorious."

Area Dinners & Meals:

St. Dominic Days: It's 2 wonderful nights of picnic fun!! Friday, June 19th & Saturday, June 20th!

Breese/Beckemeyer Youth Faith Formation:

Are you called to share the Faith with our leaders of tomorrow? Teachers are needed for the 2026-2027 school year. Please call the office for more information.

Vocation Corner: "Christ's blood reveals to man that his greatness, and therefore his vocation, consists in the sincere gift of self. ...It is from the blood of Christ that all draw the strength to commit themselves to promoting life. It is precisely this blood that is the most powerful source of hope, indeed it is the foundation of the absolute certitude that in God's plan life will be victorious."

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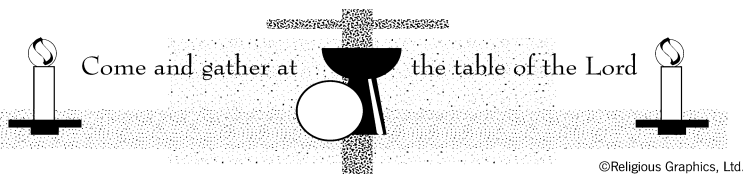
Please remember in your prayers:

All those serving in the military and everyone listed:

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| Veronica Blumenstein | Karen Boeckman | Jim Book |
| Megan Brandmeyer | Sadie Bryan | |
| Julie (Schlueter) Detmer | Dave Deutsch | Mia Dieck |
| Christie Dust | Ryan Ehrman | Betty Erlinger |
| Carol Fritch | JoAnn Gray | Gerri Haar |
| Mary Haar | Pat Hagen | Richard Hellige |
| Rich Holtgrave | Sr. Germaine Hustedde | |
| Greg Jansen | Tony Jansen | Dawn Keilbach |
| Kevin Korte | Rose Kuhl | Gabrielle Ludwig |
| Theresa Luitjohan | Mary Ann Maue | Dana Beckmann-Marks |
| Carol Meier | Joe Mobley | Doris Mueller |
| Mark Niemeyer | Rachel Peters | Florence Pingsterhaus |
| Kathy Pingsterhaus | Carolyn Porter | Vera Pulver |
| Jerome Ratermann | Joanie Rolfingsmeier | Pat Rollins |
| Fr. Carl Schrage | Jimmy Schulte | Jackie Schneirs |
| Marian Suhl | Greg Streetman | |
| Dwight & Mary Beth Shubert | | Marcel Thole |
| Clete Timmermann | Loretta Trame | Dottie Wellinghoff |
| Gerri Wellinghoff | Agnes White | Mary Ann Wobbe |
| Special Intentions | Mel | |

Rest of the soul of:
June Davis, Judith Deien, Ron Thomas

If you have anyone who needs to be added or removed from this list, please contact the Parish Office.



Exploring the Priesthood?

O'Fallon Group
fatherjim@stclarechurch.org

Germantown Group
frthomaslugge@gmail.com

Join a Discernment Group
Reach out to your local group for more information

Knightly News Breese K of C Council # 2869:

Breese K of C #2869 Meeting: Thursday, **June 11**, Rosary at 7:00pm, Meeting at 7:30pm

4th Degree Meeting: Tuesday, **June 16**, 7:30pm at Carlyle KofC Hall

Taco Tuesday: 4:30pm-7:00pm, **Wing Thursday:** 4:30pm-7:00pm, **Chicken Fry Fridays:** 4:30pm-7:00pm

(All meals are eat in or take-out and are served in the basement.)

2026 TENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME
Daily Scripture and Reflections during Ordinary Time

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
7 Solemnity of the Body & Blood The Lord nurtures our souls and makes us one with him. <i>Deut 8:2-3, 14b-16a 1 Cor. 10:16-17 John 6:51-58</i>	8 Weekday <i>Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.</i> <i>1 Kings 17:1-6 Matthew 5:1-12</i>	9 St. Ephrem Deacon God's gifts bring us healing nourishment. <i>1 Kings 17:7-16 Matthew 5:13-16</i>	10 Weekday Embrace the old law and the new. <i>1 Kings 18:20-39 Matthew 5:17-19</i>	11 St. Barnabas Apostle We are sent to share the Gospel. <i>Acts 11:21b-26, 13:1-3 Matthew 5:20-26</i>	12 Sacred Heart of Jesus Jesus delights in our childlike trust. <i>Deut. 7:6-11 1 John 4:7-16 Matthew 11:25-30</i>	13 Immaculate Heart of Mary <i>I will follow you, O Lord.</i> <i>1 Kings 19:19-21 Matthew 5:33-37</i>