

Families of Faith in a Community of Grace

**Second Sunday
of Lent
March 8, 2020**

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 **526-4362**

St. Augustine Parish Center **526-4341**

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 **227-8236**

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

Mater Dei High School 900 N. Mater Dei Dr. Breese
School Website: www.materdeiknights.org 526-7216
Alumni Website: www.materdeialumni.org

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

Project Rachel 1-888-456-HOPE
Respect Life Ministry 722-5040
Sexual Abuse Hotline 1-800-640-3044

Religious Education

RCIA sessions - Monday at 7:00 pm at St. Dominic Parish Annex

YFF Classes (Youth Faith Formation):

Wednesday evening from 6:30-7:45 pm

(St. Anthony & St. Augustine at St. Dominic)

CRE – Darlene Meniatti

Youth Ministry Moderators: Diane Klostermann 526-4395
Cheryl Loepker 526-7594 Rhonda Pulver (248) 840-1857

You have been called to
a holy life because of
**CHRIST
+ JESUS**
who destroyed
death and
brought life and
immortality to
light through
the gospel

This is my
BELOVED SON
Listen to him!

Worship Schedule

Eucharist: Sat. 4:00 pm St. Augustine
5:30 pm St. Anthony
Sun. 8:30 am St. Anthony
10:00 am St. Augustine

Baptism: Celebrated after the weekend
Liturgies by appointment. Baptismal
preparation class required. Contact the
parish office to register. Set baptismal
date six weeks in advance.

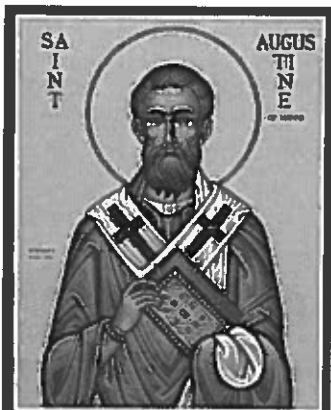
Reconciliation: Seasonal penance
services offered throughout the year, on
Saturday at 3:30 pm at St. Augustine
Church or by appointment at any time.

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

Anointing: Annually offered at Mass or
as needed. Call the parish office.

Welcome, new parishioners!

We invite everyone 18 or older to register
at the office as adults.



Parish Staff

Pastor: Fr. Chuck Tuttle 526-2566
Pastoral Associate/DRE: Phyllis Berndsen 526-4330
Pastoral Associate/DRE: Phyllis Mensing 977-1569
Maintenance: Richard Korte 402-5964
Administrative Assistant: Marietta Kuhl 526-4362
227-8236

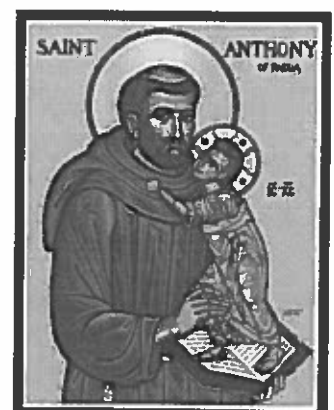
Office Hours

Breese: Mon., Wed. & Thurs. 8-10:45 am & 3-5:15 pm

Beckemeyer: Tues. 8 am-10:45 am, 3-5:15 pm

Fri. 7:45-10:45 am

Bulletin deadline: Wednesday 10 am




Second Sunday of Lent

March 8, 2020

THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF

ST. AUGUSTINE

ST. ANTHONY

<p>St. Augustine Mon No Services Tues 7:00 pm Lenten Services Wed 7:25 am Pro Life Rosary 8:00 am Our Sister Parish Thu 2:00 pm Stations of the Cross Fri 7:40 am Chaplet of Divine Mercy 8:00 am Lorraine Maue † Sat 4:00 pm Don Beer † Lavern Langhauser † Sun 10:00 am Rosemarie Kneue †</p>	<p>Carlyle Healthcare Center Mon 9:00 am Comm. Service Tues 8:30 am Mass Wed 9:00 am Comm. Service Thu 8:30 am Mass Fri 9:00 am Lenten Services Sat 6:30 pm Comm. Service Sun No Services</p> <p align="center"></p>	<p>St. Anthony Mon No Services Tues 7:30 am Grace Peppenhorst † Wed 7:30 am Morning Prayer with Comm. Thu 7:30 am Deceased Former Pastors Fri 7:00 pm Lenten Services Sat 5:30 pm Living & Deceased Members of the Joseph & Ann Kauling Family Sun 8:30 am Rita Duncan †</p>
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*Lenten Services include Exposition, Stations of the Cross, Benediction and Communion Service.
 When school is cancelled due to weather, Mass is cancelled.*

ALTAR SERVERS
 Sat. 4:00 pm Carmen & Justin Foppe ©
 Sun. 10:00 am Delanie & Cayden Schneider ©

LECTORS
 Sat. 4:00 pm Regan Berndsen
 Sun. 10:00 am Emily Timmermann

GIFT BEARERS
 Sat. 4:00 pm Beer Family Members
 Sun. 10:00 am Volunteers

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS
 Sat. 4:00 pm Sarah Collins, Karen Huelskamp,
 Ralph & Marietta Kuhl
 Sun. 10:00 am Mary Ann Rakers, Katrina Sopiars,
 Denise Sellers, Emily Timmermann

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS TO THE SICK
 Mar. 8 & 15 Julie Hummert

USHERS FOR MARCH
 Sat. 4:00 pm Brent Boeckman, Sarah Collins,
 Bonnie Kunkel, Charlie Kunkel
 Sun. 10:00 am Chandler Haar, Curt Haar, Chad Sellers,
 Cole Sellers, Blake Sellers

SACRISTAN
 Sun., Mar. 15 - Sat., Mar. 21 Dorise Schulte



GREETERS/BELL RINGERS
 Sat. 5:30 pm Annette Burkhardt/Rich Davenport
 Sun. 8:30 am Myra Brown/Greg Kruse

ALTAR SERVERS
 Sat. 5:30 pm Alexis & Brett Hilmes
 Sun. 8:30 am Jacob & Rachel Loepker

LECTORS
 Sat. 5:30 pm Phyllis Mensing
 Sun. 8:30 am John Hilmes

GIFT BEARERS
 Sat. 5:30 pm Kauling Family Members
 Sun. 8:30 am Volunteers

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS
 Sat. 5:30 pm Geri Pollmann, Carolyn Davenport,
 Andrew Burkhardt
 Sun. 8:30 am Steve & John Hilmes, Janette Kruse,
 Gary & Diane Winkeler

USHERS
 Sat. 5:30 pm Mary Beckemeyer, Rich Davenport,
 Elmer Holthaus, Volunteer
 Sun. 8:30 am Greg Kruse, Dennis Pollmann,
 Grant & Drew Pollmann

SACRISTAN
 Sun., Mar. 15 - Sat., Mar. 21 Annette Burkhardt



OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Feb. 29/Mar. 1 Attendance	Sat. 181	Sun. 114
Envelopes	\$2,119.00	(63/294)
Loose	<u>\$ 446.05</u>	
Total	\$2,565.05	

Ash Wednesday (Cemetery) \$171, Black/Indian Missions \$85,
 Building \$935, Catholic Relief \$5, Education \$285, Flowers
 \$35, Sister Parish \$75

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Feb. 29/Mar. 1 Attendance	Sat. 71	Sun. 95
Envelopes	\$ 792.00	(36/158)
Loose	<u>\$ 228.00</u>	
Total	\$1,020.00	

Ash Wednesday (Cemetery) \$251, Black/Indian Missions
 \$92, Education \$5, Kitchen Remodel \$30,
 Sister Parish \$10, Upkeep \$840

Dear Friends,

During this penitential season we make a conscious effort to avoid sin and be faithful to the gospel. In last Sunday's Gospel Jesus journeyed into the desert and was tempted by the devil. Today Jesus climbs a high mountain on which he is transfigured in front of his closest disciples. Whether isolated in the wilderness or accompanied by friends on a mountaintop, Jesus remains faithful to the will of God. May he be a model for us.

THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE LESSON: If last week's readings centered on temptation, this week they coalesce around the theme of blessing. The reading from Genesis, though only four verses, uses the word "bless" or "blessing" five times. Next, Paul reminds Timothy of the blessings God bestowed on us through Christ Jesus. Finally, we witness the Transfiguration, a visual manifestation of God's blessing on Jesus. Let us listen today to God's promised blessings.

STEWARDSHIP: The most basic and pervasive obstacle to stewardship is sheer selfish lack of love, a lack which people must acknowledge and seek to correct when they find it in their own hearts and lives. From the outset of His covenanting, God had it in mind to make many one. God's promises to Abram were brought to fulfillment in Jesus. Those who enter into Jesus' New Covenant find their hearts and minds expanding to embrace all men and women, especially those in need, in a communion of mercy and love.

A REMINDER: Have you signed up for the 'Best Lent Ever' yet? Go to BestLentEver.com and begin a daily amazing journey that will inspire and enhance your Lenten efforts. It only takes a moment to sign up then a click and the journey to Easter begins. Don't forget our extra Lenten services as a way to further walk with Jesus, His Way of the Cross (Tuesdays at St. Augustine 7pm and Fridays at St. Anthony 7pm). Also join us after St. Anthony's services for a refreshing and inspiring Adult Religious Education session.

A QUESTION FOR THE WEEK: How can I listen to Jesus over the next week? What is he telling me?

God bless.

Fr. Chuck

This is commitment weekend for **The Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal** and we encourage you to support this diocesan-wide appeal which supports 16 ministries and programs that serve thousands of people every day throughout our Belleville Diocese. Your one-time gift or pledge can be made today or anytime in the weeks ahead utilizing the response card you received in the mail or one of the in-pew envelopes. Donations can also be made online at www.diobelle.org. Every gift is truly needed and appreciated. Thank you for your consideration and generosity.

St. Anthony's Goal: \$4,524.00

St. Augustine's Goal: \$7,246.00

St. Augustine News . . .

We offer our heartfelt sympathy to the family and friends of Laura Laux and Fr. Richard Mohr. May God grant them peace.

CHFS Council #82 Meeting will be held on **Sun., Mar. 8** at 11 am in the cafeteria.

St. Augustine Holy Name Consignment Auction will be held on **Sat., Mar. 14** beginning at 9 am. Please bring desserts to the cafeteria (packaged to sell) on **Fri., Mar. 13** for the Holy Name Auction Bake Sale; your help is appreciated. Go to St. Augustine's website for a link to Auction details!

St. Monica's Sodality Meeting will be held on **Mon., Mar. 16** at 7 pm in the parish center.

Building Committee Meeting: Tues., Mar. 17 at 6:30 pm
Holy Name Meeting: Tues., Mar. 17 at 7:30 pm

St. Augustine Parish Luncheon & Quilt/Cash Bingo will be held on **Sun., Mar. 22** (group #6 workers) with luncheon from 11 am to 1 pm and bingo beginning at 2 pm. Please remember your cakes and pies (last names A-K). Quilt raffle tickets are available at church entrances. Thanks for your support.

Please remove all Christmas flowers and grave blankets from the cemetery; the policy is to remove Christmas decorations by Mar. 1, Easter decorations by May 1 and Memorial decorations by June 15, unless placed in a permanent vase that will not interfere with mowing and trimming.

St. Anthony News . . .

The blue quilt raffle tickets for the May 2, 2020 Rummage Sale Raffle may be returned in the collection basket.

Join us on our **Lenten Journey** for Adult Faith Formation every Friday during Lent following Stations of the Cross. **Mar. 13:** Erin Etheridge presents Faith and Family.

ASA Scrip Sales: Mar. 14/15 before and after Masses

The Catholic Holy Family Society's next meeting will be held in April.

St. Anthony's Bunko & Dessert Party for March has been cancelled due to kitchen remodeling work.

Baptismal Prep Class: Mon., Mar. 9 at 7:30 pm at St. Dominic Rectory. Call your parish office to register.

Vocation Corner: "Father Pat York is the Dean of Students and Vice-Rector at Conception Seminary College. Father Pat recalls he considered the priesthood during his eighth grade year. He credits his parents as having the biggest influence on his priestly vocation. He would ask his parishioners, "Pray for the priests of our diocese. Support your parish priests. Pray fervently to the Lord for more religious vocations."

(The Tower Topics, by Fr. Paul Sheller, O.S.B.)

Youth Ministry

Any high school youth wanting to play **basketball** for Youth Ministry should contact Diane. Mar. 8 game: Breese vs. Albers/Damiansville at Carlyle St. Mary Gym at 1 pm

Diocesan Youth Camp is Mar. 20-22 at Camp Ondessonk; any high school youth interested in attending should contact Diane, Cheryl or Rhonda.

Congratulations to all who attended the Luke 18. We pray your experience was awesome!

There is a **Youth Ministry meeting** at noon on **Sun., Mar. 8** at St. Augustine cafeteria. All high school youth are welcome.

Permission slips on parish websites for Youth Ministry events.

Of Common Interest. . .

Mater Dei Marching Knights will be selling Krispy Kreme donuts after Masses at area churches on **Sun., Mar. 8**. The band's **Winter Concert** will be held at 7 pm that evening at Mater Dei High School.

St. Dominic Church in Breese will hold their **Spring Chicken & Roast Beef Dinner** on **Sun., Mar. 8** from 11 am to 6 pm at the parish center. Call 526-4342 for carry-outs.

St. George Catholic Parish Chicken Dinner: **Sun., Mar. 8** from 11 am to 6 pm.

Holy Hour of Prayer for Life will be held on **Thurs., Mar. 12** at St. Dominic from 7-8 pm. Come join us!

During Lent there will be **weekly Eucharistic Adoration** at St. Dominic Church from 1-7 pm on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. **Surrender Adoration** will be held on **Mon., Mar. 16** at 7 pm in St. Dominic Church. Bring yourself closer to the Lord this Lent!

K of C 4th Degree Meeting will be held on **Tues., Mar. 17** at Albers/Damiansville at Albers JC Building.

HSBS St. Joseph's Hospital Breese invites the community to a Mass celebrating the **Feast of St. Joseph** in the Heritage Room on **Thurs., Mar. 19** at 11 am. Following Mass, a lunch will be served in the cafeteria. A donation of \$5 per person is requested; all money collected will be divided between Clinton County food pantries.

Please remember in your prayers:

Norb Albers	Dolores Benhoff	Darlene Billhartz
Veronica Blumenstein	Roger & Dorothy Boeckman	
Sadie Bryan	Jean Bujnak	Leo Buss
Tim Cass	Mel Deien	Marcie Deiters
Betty Erlinger	Brent Grapperhaus	Carol Gwinn
Mike Haar	Jeff Heimann	John Hilmes
Julie Hilmes	Rich Holtgrave	Gertrude Holthaus
Lucille Holthaus	Andy Huelsmann	Greg Jansen
Theresa Jansen	Sr. Virginia Kampwerth	
Rose Kuhl	Dennis Kuper	Bernice Langhauser
Laura Laux	Gabrielle Ludwig	Lou Luebbers
Rachel Peters	Rose Pulver	Andy Rakers
Rosie Rakers	Jerome Ratermann	Lou Rickhoff
Pat Rollins	Ron Schadegg	Gavin Schlarman
Julie (Schlueter) Detmer		Helen Tebbe
Bernard Wempe	Kathy Wempe	Randy White

special intention

We salute and pray for these family members from **St. Anthony & St. Augustine** who are serving our country:



Eric Albers	Joshua Roeckenhaus
Siara Asuncion	Nathan Smith
Marvin Hagen	Dane Straeter
Zach Huelskamp	Clarence "Kennedy" Vogt
Spencer Murphy	

Euchre Tournament will be held on **Sat., Mar. 14** at 7 pm at Albers American Legion. Admission is \$20.

Spring Quilt Bingo will be held on **Thurs., Mar. 19** at 7:30 pm at St. Cecilia Parish Center in Bartelso.

Lenten Reconciliation Services

Mar. 10	St. Rose	St. Rose	7 pm
Mar. 19	St. Dominic	St. Dominic	7 pm
Mar. 22	St. Mary	Carlyle	3 pm
Mar. 29	St. Francis	Aviston	3 pm

HSBS St. Joseph's Hospital Breese Health Fairs

Mar. 11	Breese KC Hall	6-10 am
Mar. 25	Carlyle KC Hall	6-10 am
Apr. 8	Trenton First UMC	6-10 am
Apr. 22	Germantown Legion	6-10 am

2020 SECOND WEEK OF LENT

Daily Scripture and Reflections in Preparation for Easter

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
8 2nd Sunday of Lent We encounter God through our faith. <i>Genesis 12:1-4a</i> <i>2 Tim. 1:8b-10</i> <i>Matthew 17:1-9</i>	9 St. Frances Of Rome Be merciful, as God has shown you mercy. <i>Daniel 9:4b-10</i> <i>Luke 6:36-38</i>	10 Lenten Weekday We are called to repentance. <i>Isaiah 1:10, 16-20</i> <i>Matthew 23:1-12</i>	11 Lenten Weekday The road to Jerusalem leads to the Cross. <i>Jeremiah 18:18-20</i> <i>Matthew 20:17-28</i>	12 Lenten Weekday Trust in the Lord in all things. <i>Jeremiah 17:5-10</i> <i>Luke 16:19-31</i>	13 Lenten Weekday God's grace is stronger than any sin. <i>Genesis 37:3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28a</i> <i>Matthew 21:33-43, 45-46</i>	14 Lenten Weekday The Lord welcomes us with mercy and compassion. <i>Micah 7:14-26, 18-20</i> <i>Luke 15:1-3, 11-32</i>