

Families of Faith in a Community of Grace

**Twenty-first Sunday
in Ordinary Time
August 23, 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 722-5068
<https://www.diobelle.org/respectlife/project-rachel>
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 – Dan Robben

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

TU ES PETRUS



YOU ARE PETER

and upon this rock
I will build my church
and the gates of the netherworld
shall not prevail against it.
I give to you the

KEYS to the KINGDOM

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.

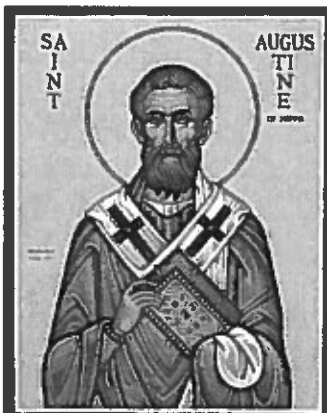
Reconciliation: Seasonal penance services offered throughout the year, on Saturday at 3:30 pm at St. Augustine Church or by appointment at any time.

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.

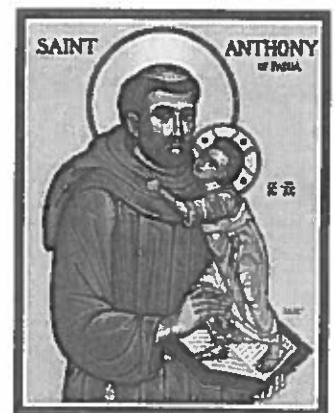


Parish Staff

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. 7:30 - 10:45 am & 3-5:15 pm
Fri. 7:15-10:45 am
Bulletin deadline: Wednesday 10 am



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THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF

ST. AUGUSTINE

ST. ANTHONY

St. Augustine		Carlyle Healthcare Center	St. Anthony		
Mon	No Services	Mon	No Services	Mon	No Services
Tues	No Services	Tues	No Services	Tues 7:30 am	Health & Healing in Time of Covid
Wed 7:25 am	Pro Life Rosary	Wed	No Services	Wed	No Services
8:00 am	Health & Healing in Time of Covid	Thu	No Services	Thu 7:30 am	Respect for Life
Thu	No Services	Fri	No Services	Fri	No Services
Fri 8:00 am	Respect for Life	Sat	No Services	Sat 5:30 pm	Living & Deceased Members of the Joseph & Anna Kauling Family
Sat 4:00 pm	Dorothy Buscher †	Sun	No Services	6:30 pm	Baptism: Kenna Lee Hilmes
Sun 10:00 am	In Thanksgiving: 65th Wedding Anniversary of Stanley & Helen Timmermann			Sun 8:30 am	Deacon Bob Lippert † Karen Zimmer †

As we continue to celebrate Eucharist together, we must abide by certain guidelines. Accommodating 100 parishioners per Mass causes us to invite you to call or text **Linda Fowler** at **St. Anthony 973-2777** or **Phyllis Berndsen** at **St. Augustine 791-0069** to schedule the Mass you'd like to attend for weekend services until further notice. Thanks for your cooperation.

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat. 4:00 pm None
Sun. 10:00 am None

LECTORS

Sat. 4:00 pm To Be Appointed
Sun. 10:00 am To Be Appointed

GIFT BEARERS

Sat. 4:00 pm None
Sun. 10:00 am None

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

Sat. 4:00 pm None
Sun. 10:00 am None

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August 30 None

USHERS

Sat. 4:00 pm To Be Appointed
Sun. 10:00 am To Be Appointed

SACRISTAN

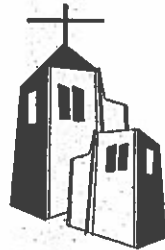
Sun., August 23 - Sat., August 29 To Be Appointed

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

August 15/16 Attendance Sat. 37 Sun. 25
First Communion Mass 75
Envelopes \$1,230.00 (27/294)
Loose \$ 134.00
\$1,364.00

Assumption \$55, Building \$535,
Education \$50, Sister Parish \$35

CSMA Goal: \$7,246.00 Pledged: \$7,558.50 104%



Upon this rock
I will build
my church

GREETERS

Sat. 5:30 pm Annette Burkhardt, Rachael Burkhardt
Sun. 8:30 am Gary & Diane Winkler

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat. 5:30 pm None
Sun. 8:30 am None

LECTORS

Sat. 5:30 pm Rhonda Pulver
Sun. 8:30 am Chris Diesen

GIFT BEARERS

Sat. 5:30 pm None
Sun. 8:30 am None

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

Sat. 5:30 pm None
Sun. 8:30 am None

USHERS

Sat. 5:30 pm Andrew Burkhardt
Sun. 8:30 am Keith & Karri Kampwerth

SACRISTAN

Sun., August 23 - Sat., August 29 Etta Kampwerth

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

August 15/16 Attendance Sat. 26 Sun. 41
Envelopes \$667.00 (23/158)
Loose \$ 65.20
\$732.20

Assumption \$226, Sister Parish \$74, Upkeep \$175

CSMA Goal: \$4,524.00 Pledged: \$5,550.00 123%

Picnic Campaign Total To Date: \$17,950.00 (72 donors)

To the LORD
Be Glory Forever
AMEN ✝

Dear Friends,

We are the Church, the universal assembly of believers, the Body of Christ, called to build the kingdom of God. Each of us is part of this institution that can be traced back nearly two thousand years to Saint Peter's commissioning by Jesus, the rock on whom we are built. As we celebrate the Eucharist today, let us reflect on this awesome privilege of being a part of this two-thousand-year-old mission and contemplate what we are called to do to bring it closer to perfection.

THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE LESSON: Jesus poses a question to his disciples today: "Who do you say that I am?" Throughout our lives we have learned about Jesus from parents and teachers, from the word of God we hear proclaimed each week, from those in whom we see the face of Christ in our world. Peter's answer is that Jesus is the Christ (literally, the Messiah), the Son of the living God. Let us contemplate our own answer as we listen to today's readings.

STEWARDSHIP: Jesus asked his disciples for their perception of His identity. We all have an identity before God: the Christian life starting with baptism that we did not create and that we cannot obliterate. We can seriously hamper its effectiveness in our life by sin, but we can never change our Christian identity - who we are and what we are. Stewardship invites us to live out our God-given identity in a spirit of generosity.

A REMINDER: Please keep in your prayers our seven Second graders who are preparing to receive their First Holy Communion at St. Anthony. May their hearts always be filled with joy in receiving Jesus in the Eucharist and may our hearts do as well. Parishioners of St. Augustine, let us celebrate in our lives and hearts the up-coming feasts of St. Monica on Thursday and St. Augustine on Friday. Unfortunately, no Ice Cream Social this year due to Covid-19 food restrictions in parishes.

A QUESTION FOR THE WEEK: How do I answer the question Jesus asks his disciples: "Who do you say that I am?"

God bless.

Fr. Chuck

Applications for financial assistance are available for families with **children in grades 9-12** who will be attending Mater Dei High School during the 2020-2021 school year. **Please contact your parish office for a copy of the Deacon Bob Lippert Memorial Mater Dei Catholic High School Tuition Assistance form. Return completed forms to the parish office by Tues., Sept. 15, 2020.**

St. Augustine News. . .

Thank you to the family and friends of Roger & Dot Boeckman for the generous donations to St. Augustine Parish offered in their memory.

If you couldn't make last weekend's **quilt turn in**, please call Mary Jane Richter (526-4880) or Shirley Schlarman (526-4484). Cash quilt donations are still being accepted.

Although the **St. Augustine Luncheons & Quilt/Cash Bingos** will not begin before 2021, we are in need of volunteers to coordinate the Luncheon and Bingos as **Curt and Heidi Haar** have done so faithfully for many years. Contact the Parish Office for details.

Finance Council Meeting: Tues., Sept. 1 at 6:30 pm
Pastoral Council Meeting: Tues., Sept. 1 at 7:30 pm

St. Monica's Sodality Meeting which was scheduled for Mon., Sept. 21 has been cancelled.

St. Anthony News. . .

Our **Picnic Campaign** deadline was set for **Aug. 23**. Please consider a donation if you have not already done so. Thanks.

Anyone (male or female) interested in becoming a **sacristan at St. Anthony's Church**, please contact Phyllis Mensing (977-1569) for more information.

Volunteer **greeters or ushers** are needed at St. Anthony's **Saturday Masses**. Please call Phyllis Mensing at 977-1569.

LORD
your love
is eternal



Baptismal Prep Class: Mon., Sept. 14 at 7:30 pm at St. Dominic Rectory Call your parish office to register.

Our weekly **Sunday Mass** can still be found on our two parish websites: <http://stanthonybeckemeyer.org>
<http://saintaugustinebreese.org>

Each year the Catholic parishes in the area sponsor the **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)**. This is an adult education program directed toward anyone interested in or wishing to inquire about the Catholic faith community. The process is an intense series of meetings culminating at Easter. Persons interested in learning more about the Catholic faith are invited to contact the parish office at 227-8236 at St. Anthony and at 526-4362 for St. Augustine. Sessions are scheduled to begin on September 14. Health and safety protocols will be observed.

Youth Ministry

Updates for Youth Ministry events posted on Groupme.

Any high school youth who wants to get updates on Youth Ministry events, please contact Cheryl, Rhonda or Diane to be added to the groupme.

Any high school youth (age 16 and older) who want to help with re-opening the churches, contact Diane, Cheryl or Rhonda. Permission slips will be required.

Of Common Interest. . .

The **King's House Charismatic Retreat** will be held **Aug. 28 -Aug. 30**. The retreat is filled up due to virus restriction but is now open for Zoom registration on the website or by phone 800-779-7909. The Zoom webinar will be hosted by the King's House. The retreat is live and interactive and includes Prayer and Praise led by Shepherd's Voice and Speaker Jim Beckman's conference talks and theme "For Such a Time as This". Registration is \$100.00 per person. A link will be sent by the King's House to you a few days before the retreat. Go to <http://www.kingsretreatcenter.org/events/> to register.

National Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows **When Mental Illness Hits Home VIRTUAL Conference** will be held on **Fri., Aug. 28** from 9 am to 1 pm. This year's conference will focus on the topic of "From Isolation to Inclusion". Cost is \$15. Call 394-6281 or go to snows.org/illness to register.

Breakfast at Albers American Legion—CARRY OUT ONLY—on Sun., Aug. 30 from 8 am to noon.

Healing after Abortion

Free confidential counseling from Project Rachel of the Diocese of Belleville

CONFIDENTIAL HELP LINE: 618-722-5068

DIOBELLE.ORG/RESPECTLIFE

PROJECTRACHEL@DIOBELLE.ORG

HOPEAFTERABORTION.ORG

Please remember in your prayers:

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| Carl Aarns | Norb Albers | Dolores Benhoff |
| Veronica Blumenstein | | Sadie Bryan |
| Leo Buss | Tim Cass | Mel Deien |
| Marcie Deiters | Betty Erlinger | Carol Gwinn |
| Mike Haar | Jeff Heimann | John Hilmes |
| Julie Hilmes | Rich Holtgrave | Gertrude Holthaus |
| Andy Huelsmann | Greg Jansen | |
| Sr. Virginia Kampwerth | | Donald Koch |
| Rose Kuhl | Dennis Kuper | Evie Lammers |
| Bernice Langhauser | Gabrielle Ludwig | Lou Luebbers |
| Paul & Carol Meier | Rachel Peters | Rose Pulver |
| Andy Rakers | Jerome Ratermann | Lou Rickhoff |
| Pat Rollins | Mary Schadegg | Ron Schadegg |
| Julie (Schlueter) Detmer | | Arlecia Stamps |
| 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:



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| Eric Albers | Spencer Murphy |
| Siara Asuncion | Joshua Roeckenhau |
| Marvin Hagen | Nathan Smith |
| Zach Huelskamp | Clarence "Kennedy" Vogt |

The 29th Annual Mothers and Friends Auction, A Knight Under the Big Top, is now online and open to everyone. There is no fee to bid and hundreds of items up for auction. Go to www.bigtop2020.givesmart.com or text BigTop2020 to 76278 to sign up and browse our items. You can also purchase raffle tickets until Sat., Aug. 29 at 7 pm. Bidding starts at 8 am on Sun., Aug. 23 and ends at 9 pm on Sat., Aug. 29. Thank you for supporting our Knights!

Vocation Corner: Jesus asks His apostles today about what his vocation is, and Simon Peter points to Him as Lord. His vocation isn't an occupation. It isn't what keeps him busy or what He does day-to-day but it's about who He *is*. In the same way we are called, not simply to have careers or to occupy our days, but to be saints in our vocation for others.



2020 TWENTY-FIRST WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME
Daily Scripture and Reflections during Ordinary Time

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
23 21 st Sunday in Ordinary Time Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the living God. <i>Isaiah 22:19-23</i> <i>Romans 11:33-36</i> <i>Matthew 16:13-20</i>	24 Apostle, St. Bartholomew Jesus calls to each one of us. <i>Rev. 21:9b-14</i> <i>John 1:45-51</i>	25 St. Louis God calls us to wholehearted worship. <i>2 Thes. 2:1-3a, 14-17</i> <i>Matthew 23:23-26</i>	26 Weekday Cast aside the example of those who would not follow Jesus. <i>2 Thes. 3:6-10, 16-18</i> <i>Matthew 23:27-32</i>	27 St. Monica Never give up on the power of prayer in your life. <i>1 Cor. 1:1-9</i> <i>Matthew 24:42-51</i>	28 St. Augustine of Hippo Conversion is a process of turning toward the power of God. <i>1 Cor. 1:17-25</i> <i>Matthew 25:1-13</i>	29 Passion of John the Baptist <i>Whoever boasts, should boast in the Lord.</i> <i>1 Cor. 1:26-31</i> <i>Mark 6:17-29</i>