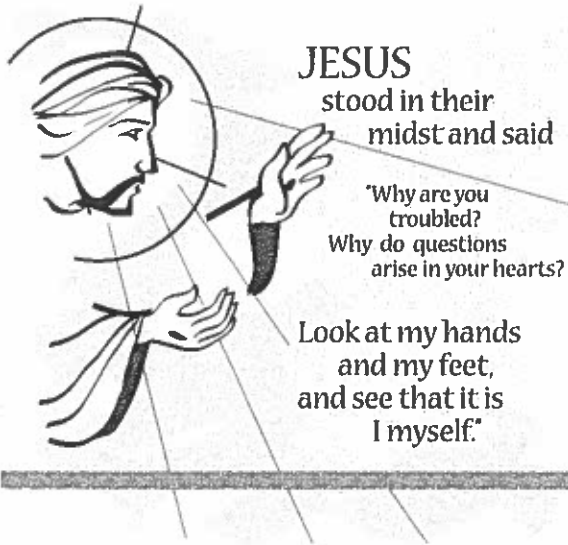


Families of Faith in a Community of Grace

**Third Sunday
of Easter
April 18, 2021**



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: Kelly Kienlen 558-7094
Diane Klostermann 526-4395 Cheryl Loepker 526-7594
Rhonda Pulver (248) 840-1857

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	Tom Hughes †
Wed	No Services	Wed	No Services	Wed	No Services
Thu	No Services	Thu	8:30 am Mass	Thu 7:30 am	Poor Souls
Fri 7:25 am	Pro Life Rosary	Fri	No Services	Fri	No Services
8:00 am	Lorraine Maue †	Sat	No Services	Sat 5:30 pm	Charlie & Callie Nowacki †
Sat 4:00 pm	Dorothy Buscher †	Sun	No Services		Clem & Helen Horstmann †
	Theresa Jansen †				Lucille Holthaus †
Sun 10:00 am	Art & Estelle Kueneke †			Sun 8:30 am	St. Anthony Parish Family
	Daniel Huelsmann †				

Although we are now in the church, please continue to call or text for registration for Mass on Saturday and Sunday. St. Anthony, Linda at 973-2777; St. Augustine, Phyllis at 791-0069. Remember masks and social distancing still required. Thanks for your continued support.

ALTAR SERVERS

No altar servers are scheduled at any Masses.

LECTORS

Sat. 4:00 pm Katie Siefker
Sun. 10:00 am Emily Timmermann



GIFT BEARERS

No gift bearers are scheduled at any Masses.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

No Extraordinary Ministers are scheduled at any Masses.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS TO THE SICK

Apr. 18 None

USHERS FOR APRIL

Sat. 4:00 pm Kevin & Dara Hagen, Tom Berndsen,
Bob & Ruthie Rosen
Sun. 10:00 am Dan Jansen, Roger Loepker,
Charlie Hilmes, Mark Przygoda

SACRISTAN

Sun., Apr. 18 - Sat., Apr. 24 To Be Appointed

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Apr. 10/11 Attendance Sat. 59 Sun. 64
Envelopes \$2,705.00 (51/278)
Loose \$ 320.00
\$3,025.00

Building \$330, Easter \$195, Education \$125, Holy Land \$20,
Holy Thursday for House of Manna \$10,
Rectory Garage Repair \$84.92, Rice Bowl \$50,
Sister Parish \$203

Bingo Appeal: \$17,690.00 (92 donors)

CSMA 2021 Goal: \$8,430.00 Pledged: \$6,263.70 (75%)

GREETERS

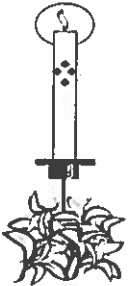
Sat. 5:30 pm Jan Gonzalez
Sun. 8:30 am Karri Kampwerth, Myra Brown

ALTAR SERVERS

No altar servers are scheduled at any Masses.

LECTORS

Sat. 5:30 pm Carolyn Davenport
Sun. 8:30 am Olivia Etheridge



GIFT BEARERS

No gift bearers are scheduled at any Masses.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

No Extraordinary Ministers are scheduled at any Masses.

USHERS

Sat. 5:30 pm Ben Gonzalez
Sun. 8:30 am Doc Kapp, Keith Kampwerth

SACRISTAN

Sun., Apr. 18 - Sat., Apr. 24 Etta Kampwerth

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

April 10/11 Attendance Sat. 56 Sun. 66
Envelopes \$ 660.00 (28/158)
Loose \$ 163.00
\$ 823.00

Easter \$305, Education \$40, Upkeep \$250

CSMA 2021 Goal: \$5,007.00 Pledged: \$5,664.00 (113%)

Dear Friends,

We are an Easter people. Whatever our circumstances may be, or the circumstances of the world, we gather today in joy because our Lord truly rose from the dead, conquering death and bringing the promise of eternal life. On Easter Sunday we renewed our baptismal promises, affirming our faith, renouncing sin and evil, and promising to follow Christ in the newness of life. Let us live our lives in the joy of the Resurrection and spread that joy to all we meet.

THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE LESSON: Our readings today take us back in time to the days that followed Jesus' resurrection. Peter preached in the temple, promising forgiveness for those who repent and convert. John wrote to the early Christian community, promising the love of God to those who keep the commandments. Before all this, Jesus appeared to his disciples, assuring them of his bodily presence and charging them to testify in his name to the whole world. Let us listen, knowing we are called to do the same.

STEWARDSHIP: Through the Eucharist we enjoy a unique union with Christ and, in Him, with one another. We are called to be a living Eucharist to others as they recognize Christ through our actions, as His stewards.

A REMINDER: This is our First Communion weekend. We are happy to celebrate this First Holy Communion on Saturday with 12 young children at St. Anthony, Beckemeyer and on Sunday with 5 young children from St. Augustine, Breese. Please keep them and their families in your prayers.

A QUESTION FOR THE WEEK: How can I give witness to the forgiveness I have experienced in Jesus?

God bless.

Fr. Chuck

Next week we will take up the **Catholic Home Missions Appeal**. Today over 40% of dioceses in the United States and its Territories are unable to fund the essential pastoral work their communities need. Your support of this appeal helps them meet these faith formation and sacramental needs. Envelopes for this collection are available in your monthly packet at St. Augustine or in your contribution envelope box at St. Anthony. Checks should be made payable to your parish. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this appeal. More information can be found at www.usccb.org/home-missions.

St. Augustine News. . .

St. Monica's Sodality Meeting will be held on Mon., Apr. 19 at 7 pm in the cafeteria. Masks required. Possible summer rummage sale will be discussed. Please join us!

If you have not already returned your Rice Bowl donations, please submit an envelope labeled "Rice Bowl". Please eliminate your change and submit only currency or a check made payable to your parish for Rice Bowl. To date we have collected \$442 for CRS Rice Bowls. Thank you for your support.

Thank you to all who participated in the **Rosary Rally** for police, first responders, and healthcare workers on Sat., Apr. 17.

A BIG THANK YOU to our **ushers** who have been doing months at a time, their presence and assistance has been appreciated. Anyone wishing to return as usher, please contact Phyllis Berndsen (791-0069).

St. Anthony News. . .

Congratulations to Michael & Kate Stroot who were united in matrimony on Saturday, April 10!

Finance Council Meeting: Thurs., Apr. 22 at 6:30 pm
Pastoral Council Meeting: Thurs., Apr. 22 at 7:30 pm

The **annual summer picnic** scheduled for June 26, 2021 is **cancelled** due to the COVID pandemic.

Charity of the Month for April is for the Retirement Fund of the Poor Handmaids of Jesus Christ. Donations may be placed in the container in church or in your envelope marked "PHJC" which can be placed in the collection basket.



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

Vocation Corner:

"I was 7 years old when I first thought about becoming a priest. But by the time I moved to the United States from Mexico at age 15, the priesthood was not in my plans. I pursued a career in criminal justice instead. God had other plans for me, though. The decision to enter seminary was not an easy one. I struggled with my own desires and with what other people thought would be best for me. Ultimately, I ran out of excuses and could no longer ignore the call that God had planted in my heart. If I had to do it all over again, I would answer the call without a doubt in mind."

Fr. Francisco Javier Onate Vargas; Diocese of Charleston, S.C. [Columbia Magazine](http://ColumbiaMagazine) September 2019

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, Kelly 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.

There will be a Youth Ministry meeting on Sun., Apr. 25 at noon at St. Dominic cafeteria. Graduating 8th graders are invited. We will discuss summer activities including softball.

Of Common Interest. . .

All Saints Academy Chicken Dinner (Carry-out only), sponsored by the Breese Knights of Columbus will be held on Sun., Apr. 18 from noon to 6 pm at the Breese K of C Hall.

K of C 4th Degree Meeting will be held on Tues., Apr. 20 at Aviston St. Francis Parish Center at 7:30 pm.

Chakota Therapeutic Riding Center Spaghetti Dinner at Albers American Legion on Wed., Apr. 21 from 4-7 pm.

Mater Dei Mothers and Friends will host a virtual Reverse Drawing and an online auction in place of their annual dinner auction. There will be a Facebook Live event Sat., May 1, 2021 from 7-8 pm. You do not need to view the event to win. Reverse Drawing and Online Auction \$5,000 pay-out; \$25 per ticket or 5 tickets for \$100. Reverse Drawing tickets can be purchased through <https://luckyknight.givesmart.com>.

The Messenger is seeking stories for their Memorial Day edition regarding those who served or died during a war. They will also list names of service members who were killed in action in WWII and onward. They would like to list service people who are presently serving in harms way. Send info to editor@bellevillemessenger.org or call 233-8670 by May 3.

In lieu of their annual Basket Bingo, the St. Mary (Carlyle) Ladies Sodality will hold a raffle of a quilt, afghan, toaster oven and 3 specialty baskets. Tickets are \$1 each or six for \$5 and may be purchased after St. Mary's Masses through May 8 or you may call Jane Beckmann at 618-791-7607. Drawing will be held after the 4 pm Mass on May 8.

Please remember in your prayers:

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| Carl Aarns | Norb Albers | Jane Baumgartner |
| Dolores Benhoff | Mary Berndsen | Veronica Blumenstein |
| Sadie Bryan | Leo Buss | Tim Cass |
| Mel Deien | Joyce Deiters | Marcie Deiters |
| Christie Dust | Rita Edmonds | Betty Erlinger |
| Carol Gwinn | Gerri Haar | Mike Haar |
| Jeff Heimann | Carla Hilmes | John Hilmes |
| Julie Hilmes | Rich Holtgrave | Edna Holthaus |
| Gertrude Holthaus | Greg Jansen | Dolores Jansen |
| Sr. Virginia Kampwerth | | Rose Kuhl |
| Dennis Kuper | Evie Lammers | Bernice Langhauser |
| Gabrielle Ludwig | Joann Maue | Paul & Carol Meier |
| Rachel Peters | Kathy Pingsterhaus | Rose Pulver |
| Andy Rakers | Jerome Ratermann | Pat Rollins |
| Mary Schadegg | Ron Schadegg | Julie (Schlueter) Detmer |
| Mary Beth Shubert | Arlecia Stamps | Dottie Wellinghoff |
| Bernard Wempe | Agnes White | Randy White |
| Alex & Lacey Wiegmann | | Reid William Wiegmann |
| Mary Ann Wobbe | Stan Wolfe | 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 |
| Sara Asuncion | Joshua Roeckenhaus |
| Marvin Hagen | Nathan Smith |
| Phillip Hilmes | Clarence "Kennedy" Vogt |
| Zach Huelskamp | |

Mother's Day Roses! Live long stem red roses will be available at all Masses on May 8th and 9th for \$2 each. Vases for Memorial roses will be placed on Mary's altar. Clinton County Citizens for Life thanks you for sharing this loving tribute to mothers and our support. Over the years Mother's Day Roses proceeds have helped fund transportation of Marchers for Life to Washington, DC and students to pray at Granite City's Hope (abortion) Clinic. These funds also help provide education; Pro-Life signs in the community, billboards to counter Planned Parenthood billboards near our high schools, support for area Pregnancy Care Centers and more. Thank you!



2021 THIRD WEEK OF EASTER
Daily Scripture and Reflections during Eastertide

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
18 3rd Sunday of Easter Jesus is our Advocate before the Father. <i>Acts 3:13-15, 17-19</i> <i>1 John 2:1-5a</i> <i>Luke 24:35-46</i>	19 Easter Weekday God works in many ways through His Creation. <i>Acts 6:8-15</i> <i>John 6:22-29</i>	20 Easter Weekday The Eucharist is the true sign of God's love for us. <i>Acts 7:51-8:1a</i> <i>John 6:30-35</i>	21 St. Anselm Jesus is the true desire of the human heart. <i>Acts 8:1b-8</i> <i>John 6:35-40</i>	22 Easter Weekday Jesus is the greatest gift we could ever receive. <i>Acts 8:26-40</i> <i>John 6:44-51</i>	23 St. George Christ offers us eternal life through the Eucharist. <i>Acts 9:1-20</i> <i>John 6:52-59</i>	24 St. Fidells Of Sigmaringen Jesus speaks the words of eternal life. <i>Acts 9:31-42</i> <i>John 6:60-69</i>