

Families of Faith in a Community of Grace

The Baptism of the Lord

January 9, 2022

Directory

St. Augustine Church e-mail: augustine306@att.net

Website: www.saintaugustinebreese.org

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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**

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 - Monday at 7:00 pm at St. Dominic Parish Annex, please call 618-52-4362 or 618-227-8236

Youth Faith Formation Classes: CRE – Dan Robben

Wednesday evening from 6:30-7:45 pm at St. Dominic

Youth Ministry Moderators:

Diane Klostermann 910-9266 Cheryl Loepker 526-7594

Angie Pollmann 604-3116 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.

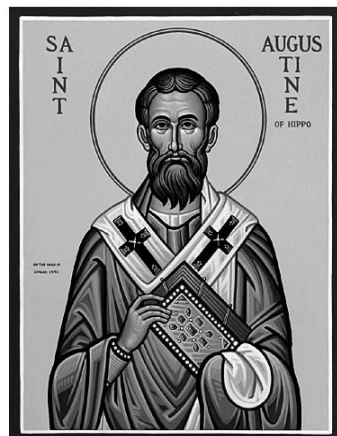
Reconciliation: Saturday at 3:30 pm at St. Augustine Church or by appointment. Seasonal penance services offered during Advent & Lent with dates to be announced.

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

Anointing: 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

Office Manager: Carol Hilmes 526-4362

227-8236

Business Manager: Dennis Krebs St. Augustine

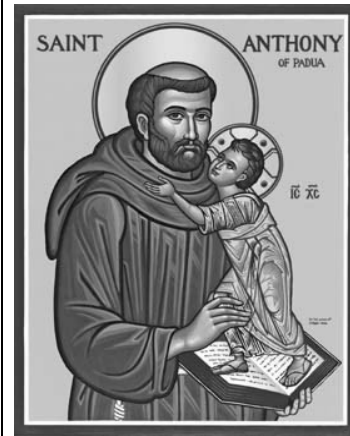
Business Manager: Karri Kampwerth St. Anthony

Office Hours

Breese: Mon. & Wed. 8-10:30 a.m., Wed. 4:30—6:30 p.m. & Thurs. 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Beckemeyer: Tues. 8 - 10:30 a.m. & 4:30 - 6:30 p.m.
 Fri. 11a.m. - 3:30p.m.

Bulletin deadline: Wednesday at 10 a.m.



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THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITIES OF

ST. AUGUSTINE

ST. ANTHONY

St. Augustine

Mon No Services
 Tues No Services
 Wed 8:00 am Our Sister Parish
 Thu No Services
 Fri 8:00 am *A.S.A. All Schools Mass at St. Dominic*
 Sat 4:00 pm David Weisenfeld †
 Sun 10:00 am Frank Usselman †
 Stan Timmermann †

St. Anthony

Mon No Services
 Tues 7:30 am Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life
 Wed No Services
 Thu 7:30 am Our Sister Parish
 Fri 8:00 am *A.S.A. All Schools Mass at St. Dominic*
 Sat 5:30 pm Dolly Holthaus †
 Syl & Betty Schaefer †
 Living & Deceased of the Dolores Hilmes Family
 Sun 8:30 am Lloyd Pulver †
 Randy Pulver †
 Wally & Renee Holtgrave †

“Masks are required for all individuals attending all Masses, Meetings, and Social Events on Church grounds.”

“If school is cancelled, Mass will also be cancelled.”

—Fr. Chuck

ALTAR SERVERS

No altar servers are scheduled at any Masses

LECTORS

Sat. 4:00 pm Heidi Haar
 Sun. 10:00 am Karen Boeckman

GIFT BEARERS

Sat. 4:00 pm Children of the Parish
 Sun. 10:00 am Children of the Parish

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

Sat. 4:00 pm Phyllis Berndsen
 Sun. 10:00 am Landon Albers

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS TO THE SICK

January 9 - Nancy Renschen
 January 16 - Nancy Renschen

USHERS FOR JANUARY

Sat. 4:00 pm Mark & Tom Berndsen
 Bob & Ruthie Rosen
 Sun. 10:00 am Charlie Hilmes, Curt Hemann
 Kevin Jansen, Mark Przygoda

SACRISTAN

January 9-15 Katie Siefker
 January 16-22 Lynn Maue

GREETERS

Sat 5:30 p.m. Carolyn Davenport
 Sun 8:30 am Brenda Aeschbacher, Bev Carter

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat 5:30 pm Volunteers
 Sun 8:30 am Olivia Etheridge, Marshall Timmermann

LECTORS

Sat 5:30 pm Larry Kampwerth
 Sun 8:30 am John Hilmes

GIFT BEARERS

Sat 5:30 p.m. Kapp Family
 Sun 8:30 am Holtgrave Family

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

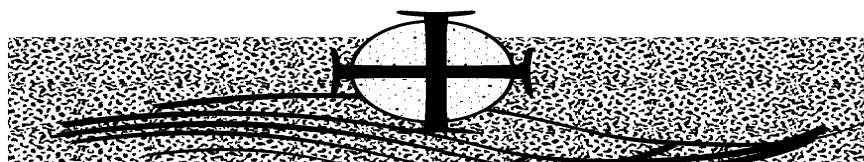
Sat 5:30 p.m. Gerri Pollmann
 Sun 8:30 am Diane Winkeler

USHERS

Sat 5:30 p.m. Rich & Carolyn Davenport
 Sun 8:30 am Steve & John Hilmes
 Tony & Kathy Pingsterhaus

SACRISTAN

January 9-15 Audrey Davis
 January 16-22 Bev Carter



Dear Friends,

When Jesus was baptized, the Holy Spirit descended upon him like a dove and a voice from the heavens rang out, "You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased." No such dove was seen or voice was heard when we were baptized, yet the Holy Spirit *did* descend upon us in baptism and we *were* welcomed into this holy family, initiated into the body of Christ. Let us give thanks today for the blessings we received in baptism, blessings we note in the baptism we celebrate today.

THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE LESSON: Today's second reading combines two readings from Christmas, when we celebrated the birth of God's Son in our world. Today, in the context of this holy feast, when we hear Paul tell Titus that we were saved by the bath of rebirth and renewed by the Holy Spirit, we realize what a gift we have been given. Jesus began his ministry after receiving the Holy Spirit. We received the Holy Spirit in baptism and confirmation. May what God has so richly poured out on us bear fruit in our lives.

STEWARDSHIP: Being a light to the nations means work. Like those who minister to prisoners, it means getting your hands dirty. Faith without works is sentimentality. Faith with works is stewardship.

A REMINDER: Our baptism began our life long journey of faith which must continually be nourished by both Word and Sacrament. Our catechesis cannot end with our formal education nor with confirmation – it must be enhanced through a process of building upon our knowledge of the faith and then living our faith in action.

A QUESTION FOR THE WEEK: How has the Holy Spirit, whom I received in baptism, influenced my outlook and my actions?

God bless,

Fr. Chuck

St. Augustine News. . .

Luncheon and Bingo on January 16 IS CANCELLED.

Building & Grounds and Holy Name meeting for January 11 is CANCELLED.

Thank you to all those who donated to our Jesse Wreath of Giving. A total of 26 envelopes were received, which contained \$1,181.00 in donations.

BMW \$476.00(9), City of Breese \$385(8), Community Link \$140(3), House of Manna \$20(1), Sister Thea Bowman School \$160(5).

Many will receive the assistance that they need because of your generosity.

Pro-Life Baby Shower During the month of January, we are collecting donations for our Pro-Life Baby Shower. Please make your checks payable to the ***Pregnancy Care Center***. Donations needed are diapers, baby furniture, blankets, bottles and clothing size newborn to 2T. Items can be new or gently used. You can place your baby items in the playpen in the gathering space. For large items call Roger at 618-339-7770.

With Christmas Season ending on January 9th, We will be taking down the decorations immediately following the 10am Mass. All hands will be appreciated.

Altar Server training will be offered January 16 following the 10am Mass Please call or text Phyllis at 618-791-0069 if interested.

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

December 31 *Solemnity of Mary Mother of God* Attendance: 60
Loose: \$47.00 Envelopes: \$282.00(9) Total: \$329.00

January 1/2 Attendance: Saturday 65 Sunday 69
Loose: \$71.00 Envelopes: \$940.00(27) Total: \$1011.00
Christmas \$480.00(5), Collection for the Needy \$5.00(1) Sister Parish 5.00(1), Building Fund \$535.00(10)

CSMA 21 Goal: \$8,430.00 Pledged: \$8,763.70 (103%) (58)

Knights of Columbus 4th Degree meeting Tuesday, January 18 at 7:30p in Bartelso.

St. Anthony News. . .

Finance Council Meeting: Thursday, January 27th at 6:30pm

Parish Council Meeting: Thursday, January 27th at 7:30pm

January BUNCO is Cancelled

Christmas decorations will be taken down Monday, January 10 at 6p.m.

The January Charity if the Month is Cosgrove's Kitchen.

Due to current restrictions in place, we will be collecting monetary donations the weekends January 23 & 30. To donate, all you need to do is place your donation in a clearly marked envelope for Cosgrove's Kitchen and place it in the collection basket on either of the two weekends listed above. If writing a check, it must be made out to Cosgrove's Kitchen. Thank you in advance for your generosity!

Thank you to St. Anthony parishioners for your continued support of The House of Manna food pantry. The November Charity of the month supplies nearly 100 boxed/canned items and cash donations of \$90. God Bless!

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

January 1 *Solemnity of Mary Mother of God* Attendance: 53
Loose: \$30.00 Envelopes: \$260.00(19) Total: \$290.00
Christmas \$20.00 (1), Collection for the Needy \$11(2), Regular Envelope \$20(1)

January 1/2 Attendance: Saturday 33 Sunday 75
Loose: \$133.00 Envelopes: \$797.00(27) Total: \$930.00
Christmas \$300.00(3), Sister Parish 5.00(1)
Solemnity of Mary \$70(3), Upkeep \$500.00(15)

CSMA 21 Goal: \$5,007.00 Pledged: \$5,934.00 (117%)(38)

The Knights of Columbus Council #2869 Membership Party will be held on Saturday, January 8th at the hall in Breese. Dinner will be served from 5 to 7 pm. Wives and immediate family members are welcome to attend. Clinton County style chicken will be served by the Aviston Knights of Columbus. This is a great time to pay your annual dues (\$30) and spend time with friends!

Youth Ministry

The next youth ministry meeting will be 1/9/22 at St. Dominic cafeteria. Anyone planning to help with the Luke 18 or play basketball should attend.

High school youth – turn in your t-shirt designs to Diane for the Luke 18.

Updates for Youth Ministry events will be posted on Groupme.

High School youth wanting updates for youth ministry events, download the groupme app and please contact Cheryl, Rhonda or Diane to be added to the groupme.

Any adult wanting to assist with youth ministry, please contact Diane, Cheryl, Angie or Rhonda. Share your faith with the youth as they share theirs with you.

Please remember in your prayers:

Carl Aarns	Norb Albers	Jane Baumgartner
Dolores Benhoff	Veronica Blumenstein	
Sadie Bryan	Tim Cass	Mel Deien
Joyce Deiters	Christie Dust	Betty Erlinger
Carol Gwinn	Gerri Haar	Mike Haar
Fr. Vince Haselhorst	Jeff Heimann	Carla Hilmes
Julie Hilmes	Rich Holtgrave	Edna Holthaus
Gertrude Holthaus	Greg Jansen	Dolores Jansen
Rose Kuhl	Dennis Kuper	Evie Lammers
Bernice Langhauser	Gabrielle Ludwig	Joann Maue
Paul & Carol Meier	Rachel Peters	Kathy Pingsterhaus
Dorothy Pollmann	Rose Pulver	Andy Rakers
Jerome Ratermann	Steven J. Richter	Pat Rollins
Mary Schadegg	Irene Schuetz	Julie (Schlueter) Detmer
Arlecia Stamps	Dottie Wellinghoff	Bernard Wempe
Agnes White	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:



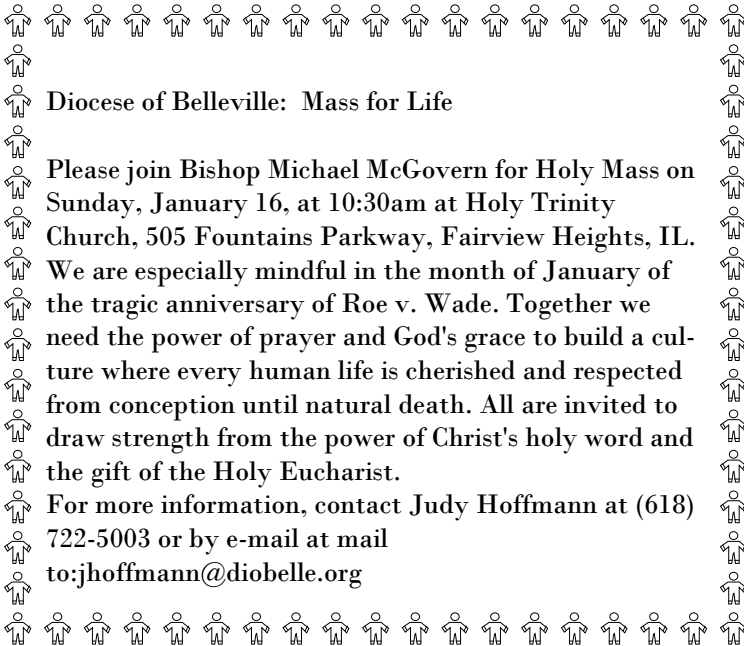
Eric Albers	Zach Huelskamp
Siara Asuncion	Nathan Smith
Marvin Hagen	Clarence "Kennedy" Vogt
Phillip Hilmes	

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

Community Events:

Albers Legion Chicken Dinner - Sunday January 16 4:30 pm - 6:30pm. Adults \$12, Kids (5-12) \$5, & under 5 free. Adult carry-outs available.

St. Rose Youth League Breakfast Sunday, January 16 7:30a - 12p. Adults \$12 & Kids \$6.



Diocese of Belleville: Mass for Life

Please join Bishop Michael McGovern for Holy Mass on Sunday, January 16, at 10:30am at Holy Trinity Church, 505 Fountains Parkway, Fairview Heights, IL.

We are especially mindful in the month of January of the tragic anniversary of Roe v. Wade. Together we need the power of prayer and God's grace to build a culture where every human life is cherished and respected from conception until natural death. All are invited to draw strength from the power of Christ's holy word and the gift of the Holy Eucharist.

For more information, contact Judy Hoffmann at (618) 722-5003 or by e-mail at mail to: jhoffmann@diobelle.org

Vocations Corner - "I attended Catholic school in Guiana and the missionary priests there were my role models. Their authentic joy and unconditional love attracted me to religious life and I had a growing desire to respond to God's love through service to the poor. As I .. began my career as a teacher, I made time to pray and attend daily Mass. One day, I was meditating on the verse: "For I know the plans I have for you, says the Lord, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope" (Jer 29:11). An online search led me to the Oblate Sisters of Providence. Despite the long distance, I felt an inner peace and happiness that I might join the congregation one day. I made my first profession in August 2019. *Sr. Mary Pauline Tamakloe Oblate Sisters of Providence; Columbia Oct. 2019.*

Saint Quote of the Week: *"There is no space where God is not; space does not exist apart from Him. He is in heaven, in hell, beyond the seas; dwelling in all things and enveloping all. Thus He embraces and is embraced by, the universe, confined to no part of it but pervading all."* ...St. Hilary of Poitiers

2022 FIRST WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME **Daily Scripture and Reflections during Ordinary Time**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
9 The Baptism of the Lord God's saving grace is found in Jesus Christ. <i>Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11</i> <i>Titus 2:11-14; 3:4-7</i> Luke 3:15-16, 21-22	10 Weekday Jesus calls out: <i>Repent and believe..</i> <i>1 Sam. 1:1-6</i> <i>Mark 1:14-20</i>	11 Weekday In prayer, let us entrust our struggles to God <i>1 Sam. 1:9-20</i> <i>Mark 1:21-28</i>	12 Weekday Christ offer compassion to those in need. <i>1 Sam. 3:1-10, 19-20</i> <i>Mark 1:29-39</i>	13 St. Hilary The Lord always desires to help and heal us. <i>1 Sam. 4:1-11</i> <i>Mark 1:40-45</i>	14 Weekday Faith brings both spiritual and physical healing. <i>1 Sam. 8:4-7, 10-22a</i> <i>Mark 2:1-12</i>	15 Weekday Each of us is the sinner Jesus came to redeem. <i>1 Sam. 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1a</i> <i>Mark 2:13-17</i>