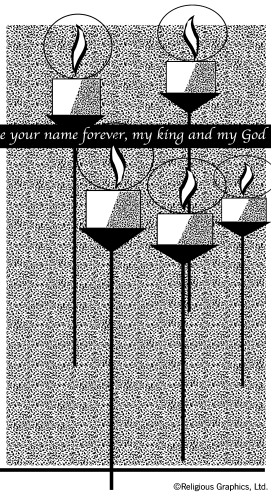


Before the LORD  
the whole universe is as  
a grain from a balance or  
a drop of morning dew  
come down upon the earth.

*I will praise your name forever, my king and my God*

But you have mercy  
on all, because you can  
do all things;  
and you overlook  
people's sins  
that they may repent.

Your imperishable spirit  
is in all things,  
O LORD and  
LOVER of souls!



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## Families of Faith in a Community of Grace

### Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 30, 2022

#### Directory

**St. Augustine Church** e-mail: [augustine306@att.net](mailto:augustine306@att.net)  
**Website:** [www.saintaugustinebreese.org](http://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](mailto:stanthny@papadocs.com)  
**Website:** [www.stanthonybeckemeyer.org](http://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](http://www.asasaints.com) **526-4323**

**Mater Dei High School** 900 N. Mater Dei Dr. Breese  
**School Website:** [www.materdeiknights.org](http://www.materdeiknights.org) **526-7216**

**Diocesan websites:** [www.diobelle.org](http://www.diobelle.org)  
[www.bellevillemessenger.org](http://www.bellevillemessenger.org)  
[www.catholiccharitiesusa.org](http://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, please call 618-526-4362 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 one month in advance.**

**Reconciliation:** Saturday at 3:30 pm at  
 St. Augustine Church or by appoint-  
 ment. 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!

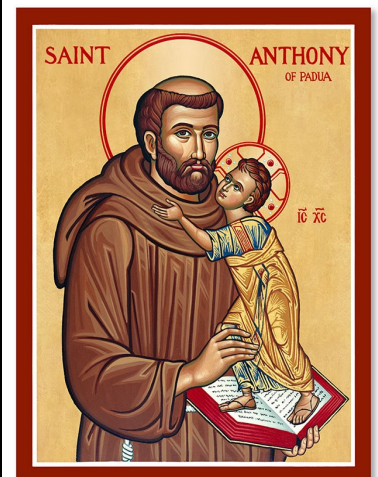
We invite everyone 18 or older to register  
 at the office as adults.

#### 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:** Monday & Wednesday 8:30am - 4:30pm  
 Thursday 2pm-5pm, Friday 8:30am - 1:30pm  
**Beckemeyer:** Tuesday *Closed—All Saints Day*  
 Thursday 8am - 1pm  
**Bulletin deadline:** Wednesday at 10 a.m.



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The Catholic Communities of

## St. Augustine

Mon No Services  
 Tues 8:00 am All Saints Day  
 Wed 8:00 am A.S.A. All Schools Mass – St. Dominic  
 Thu No Services  
 Fri 7:25 am Rosary / Perpetual Help Devotions  
 8:00 am Poor Souls  
 Sat 4:00 pm Ralph Maue †  
 Sun 10:00 am Gary Suhl †  
 Glen Jansen †  
 Mellony Jansen †  
 Carl Miesner †

## St. Anthony

Mon No Services  
 Tues 7:00pm All Saints Day  
 Wed 8:00 am A.S.A. All Schools Mass – St. Dominic  
 Thu 7:30 am Eileen Simonton †  
 Joe TeBockhorst †  
 Fri No Services  
 Sat 5:30 Thanksgiving in Honor of St. Anthony M.S.  
 Sun 8:30 Genevieve Albers †

### Things to do:

- **Prayer Hour for Vocations** including Adoration and Benediction on first Thursdays at 7:00pm at Corpus Christi Church in Shiloh. Up coming dates: November 3 & December 1.
- **First Friday Benediction: November 4 at 7pm at St. Dominic**
- **Padre Pio Mass: Saturday, November 5 with Rosary at 8:30 a.m. & Mass at 9am at St. Dominic**
- **Baptismal Prep Class** - Tuesday, November 8 at 7:00pm at St. Augustine Church. Please call the Parish office for more information or to register.
- **Youth Faith Formation Important Dates - Mass, Wednesday November 9 at 6:45pm at St. Dominic.**
- **Youth Ministry** - The next meeting will be 11/13 at noon at St. Dominic Cafeteria. All youth are encouraged to attend. We will begin discussing the Luke 18. Any seniors wanting to help with the Luke 18 and want to be a leader, contact one of the adults.
- **Quest November 12-13 at Holy Childhood of Jesus in Mascoutah.** *Quest is for freshmen and sophomores in high school and older. At Quest you will grow in your relationships with yourself, others and God in fun ways. You will also meet youth from other parts of the diocese. If you enjoyed the Luke 18, check out Quest. Contact one of the youth ministry leaders for more details or contact Fr. Pat at St. Dominic.*  
 High School youth wanting updates for youth ministry events, download the groupme app and please contact Cheryl, Rhonda, Angie 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
- **Pre Cana Class** - Next class in our vicariate is March 12, 2023 at Mater Dei. Please call the Parish office for more information. Pre-registration is required.

### St. Augustine Ministry Schedules

Ministry	5-Nov	6-Nov
Altar Servers	Brennan Wobbe Braden Wobbe Daniel Becker	
Lectors	Aggie Becker	Reagan Berndsen
Gift Bearers	Maue Family	Parish Members
Extraordinary Ministers	Amy Boeckman	Sr. Pam Falter
Ushers for October	Brent & Jackie Boeckman Charlie & Bonnie Kunkel	Charlie Hilmes Curt Hemann Kevin Jansen Volunteer
<b>Nov 1 8am - All Saints Mass</b> <b>Lector:</b> Lynn Maue <b>Extraordinary Minister:</b> Phyllis Berndsen <b>Altar Servers:</b> Bob Rosen, Joe Hagen, Steve Hagen		
<b>Extraordinary Ministers to the Sick</b> Oct. 30 Julie Hummert Nov. 6 Nancy Renscen		

### St. Anthony Ministry Schedules

Ministry	5-Nov	6-Nov
Greeter(s)	Linda Fowler	Etheridge Family
Altar Servers	Brett Hilmes Alexis Hilmes	Anna Pollmann Myah Pollmann
Lectors	Larry Kampwerth	Olivia Etheridge
Gift Bearers	Volunteers	Volunteers
Extraordinary Ministers	Gerri Pollmann	Karen Becker
Ushers	Jay & Linda Fowler	Kenny & Lisa Johnson Greg Kruse, Mike Etheridge
<b>Nov 1 7pm - All Saints Mass</b> <b>Lector:</b> John Hilmes <b>Extraordinary Minister:</b> Steve Hilmes <b>Altar Servers:</b> Volunteers		
<b>Sacristan</b> Oct. 30 - Nov. 5 Etta Kampwerth Nov. 6-12 Pauline Albers		

Dear Friends,

In today's Gospel, Zacchaeus has to climb a tree in order to see Jesus. We likely had it much easier to come here today to encounter our Lord. We don't have to go up a tree; we experience Jesus' presence right here and right now in the company of other believers, in the hearing of God's word, and in the Eucharist itself. At the end of the Gospel, Jesus tells the repentant Zacchaeus that salvation has come to his house. May the Lord's mercy bring salvation to this house as well.

**THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE LESSON:** Today's first reading begins with the wonderful image of the whole universe in God's eyes being like a single drop of morning dew upon the earth. The author of Wisdom goes on to extol the LORD's mercy, which descends upon us all, cleansing and refreshing us much as the morning dew does to all living things. We hear Saint Paul's words of reassurance to the early Christian community in Thessalonica. In the Gospel, Zacchaeus climbs a tree in order to see Jesus on his way to Jerusalem. May God's word renew and refresh us like the morning dew!

**STEWARDSHIP:** The Holy Spirit freely gives each of us different gifts, and Jesus encounters us within the culture within which we live. Zacchaeus gives half his belongings to the poor and is promised salvation. Yet elsewhere, Jesus tells the rich young man that he must sell everything, and the great crowd that "none of you can be my disciple if he does not renounce all his possessions." Each of us has been uniquely gifted and we will have to account for our use of our gifts to spread God's kingdom within our American culture.

**A REMINDER:** On Sunday, at both parishes (10 from St. Anthony and 12 from St. Augustine), we are remembering the deceased parishioners who have gone before us marked with the sign of peace since last year. May they rest in the peace of Christ and may their memories be a blessing for their families. Tuesday is a Holyday of Obligation celebrating All Saints Day. See Mass schedule for times.

**A QUESTION FOR THE WEEK:** If I were in Zacchaeus's shoes and Jesus was coming to my home while others called me a sinner, what wrongs would I pledge to make right? What bold promises would I make?

God bless,

*Fr. Chuck*

## St. Augustine News. . .

### Upcoming Meetings:

**Finance Council Meeting:** November 3 at 6:30pm

**Pastoral Council Meeting:** November 3 at 7:30pm

**Ladies Sodality Christmas Party:** Monday, December 5 at 6:00pm. More details to follow.

**Building & Grounds Committee:** Tuesday, December 13 at 6:30 pm in the Parish Center

**Holy Name Meeting:** Tuesday, December 13 at 7:30 in the Parish Center

**Pro-Life Baby Shower** - A play pen is located in the vestibule to collect smaller items. You may also donate with cash or checks made out to "Pregnancy Care Clinic" or "PCC" and deposit in the Wishing Well located by the play pen. Contact Roger Foppe at 339-7770 for larger items.

**Vote Pro-Life yard signs are available** at the north & south entrances of the Church. Be sure to grab a sign and speak up for those that can't speak for themselves!

**If you are interested in being an usher for the new 8:00am Mass that begins on Sunday, November 27, please contact Mark Kruep at 618-526-2136.**

## St. Anthony News. . .

### Upcoming Meetings:

**Finance Council Meeting:** November 8 at 6:30pm

**Pastoral Council Meeting:** November 8 at 7:30pm

**Ladies Sodality Christmas Party & Meeting:** Sunday, December 4 at Noon. More details to follow.

**We've taken our turn, now it's yours!** The St. Ann Ladies Sodality is looking for new officers for the 2023 calendar year. Please consider volunteering to fill one of the following positions: President, Vice President, or Secretary.

**The Boxes of Joy** Please take a box and fill it with items suitable for a child of the age you choose (more info inside box). They need to be returned no later than the weekend of November 5/6. The \$9 processing fee (requested per box) will be paid for by the St. Ann Ladies Sodality. Please consider giving a needy child this box of joy that says "God loves you and so do I!"

**Rummage Sale is November 3,4,5.** You can bring rummage donation to the Parish Center **from 9:00am - 5:00pm until Tuesday, November 1 or until full.** Tube TVs, exercise equipment or encyclopedias will not be accepted. **We need help on Saturday, Nov. 5 at 1:00pm to help clean-up. Many hands, make light work!**



**You can turn in your information update forms & your contribution in marked envelopes for either the Roof (St. Augustine) or Picnic (St. Anthony) in the collection basket or drop them off at either office.**

### ATTENDANCE

October 22 .....104  
October 23 .....104

### OUR GIFTS TO GOD

22/23 Loose \$ 202.00 Envelopes \$ 1425.00(41) Total \$ 1,627.00  
All Saints \$ 5.00(1), Building Fund \$ 50.00(1), Sister Parish \$ 12.00  
(2), World Mission Sunday \$ 147.00(10)

**Roof Campaign: \$ 16,625.00(47)**

**CSMA 22 Goal: \$ 9,437.00 Pledged: \$ 5,418.50(57%) (38)**

### ATTENDANCE

October 22 .....57  
October 23 .....99

### OUR GIFTS TO GOD

22/23 Loose \$ 70.00 Envelopes \$ 1606.00(40) Total \$ 1,676.00  
All Saints \$ 10.00(1), Building \$ 300.00(5), Education \$ 10.00(2),  
Sister Parish \$ 15.00(3), World Mission \$ 136.00(13)

**Picnic Campaign: \$ 13,070.00 (44)**

**CSMA 22 Goal: \$5,135.00 Pledged: \$ 4,492.00(87.48%) (32)**

## Upcoming Events or Items of Interest:

**Breese Knights of Columbus 5th Sunday Breakfast & Trunk-or-Treat** Sunday October 30 8am-11:30am at the KC Hall. Kids 12 & under in Halloween costumes EAT FREE! See the flyer on the bulletin board for more details.

**Breese Knights of Columbus Pork Sausage Dinner** Sunday, November 6 from 3-6pm. \$12 per meal, **Carry out only. Proceeds benefit Parish School Religion Programs (P.S.R. / Y.F.F.)**

**St. Cecelia Bartelso is having a Drive Thru Chicken Dinner Sunday, November 6th.** Serving from 11:00am-6:00pm. Please see the flyer on the bulletin board for more details.

### Young Adult Catholic Gathering

Bishop Michael McGovern invites Young Adult Catholics (ages 18-35) to join him for an afternoon of prayer at the Poor Clare Monastery in Belleville on Sunday, October 30. We will meet at 3:00 PM for Adoration, the Rosary, and Benediction, with fellowship to follow. Please RSVP by Oct 26 to Judy Hoffmann at: [jhoffmann@diobelle.org](mailto:jhoffmann@diobelle.org) or call (618) 722-5003. The Poor Clare Monastery Chapel is located at 300 N. 60<sup>th</sup> Street, Belleville, IL 62223



### Pro-Life Corner:

#### 40 Days for Life Volunteers Needed: November 2

In support of 40 Days for Life, the Mater Dei community will pray at Hope Clinic in Granite City on Wednesday, November 2, from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Members of Mater Dei Teens for Life will pray from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. Thus, volunteers are needed from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. To volunteer for the number of one-hour slots of your choice, contact Mater Dei Teens for Life moderator Mrs. Celia Kannall ([ckannall@materdeiknights.org](mailto:ckannall@materdeiknights.org) or 618-526 7216) or utilize the SignUp Genius link provided on our website ([www.materdeiknights.org](http://www.materdeiknights.org)). Thank you, in advance, for your support!

### Mater Dei News:

- **Fall Play:** Murder on the Orient Express Nov. 4 - 6. Please call the office for more information. 618-526-7216
- **Prospective Student (Students enrolled in 5th-8th grade) Open House** Sunday, Nov. 6 11:00am-2:00pm.
- **2023 Mater Dei Calendars** are available for \$25.00. Please see a MD student, faculty member or visit the front office.

**Saints Quote of the Week:** "Everything, even sweeping, scraping vegetables, weeding a garden and waiting on the sick could be a prayer, if it were offered to God." ....*St. Martin de Porres*

## Please remember in your prayers:

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

Carl Aarns	Norb Albers	Dolores Benhoff
Veronica Blumenstein	Kathy Book	Megan Brandmeyer
Sadie Bryan	Tim Cass	Christie Dust
Betty Erlinger	Carol Gwinn	Gerri Haar
Mary Haar	Mike Haar	Mary Hieman
Lorraine Hemann	Rich Holtgrave	Edna Holthaus
Gertrude Holthaus	Dolores Jansen	Greg Jansen
Jeanette Kohrs	Rose Kuhl	Evie Lammers
Gabrielle Ludwig	Carol Meier	Joann Maue
Dana Beckmann-Marks		Rachel Peters
Kathy Pingsterhaus	Andy Rakers	Jerome Ratermann
Pearl Richter	Pat Rollins	Jim Ruth
Fr. Ed Schaefer	Julie (Schlueter) Detmer	Arlecia Stamps
Rachel Siefker	Clete Timmermann	Lucille Trame
Mark Wasser	Dottie Wellingshoff	Bernard Wempe
Agnes White	Stan Wolfe	special intention



**We salute and pray for all veterans, and especially the following and all others who are currently serving our country:**

Siara Asuncion	Nathan Smith
Phillip Hilmes	Clarence "Kennedy" Vogt

### Vocations Corner:

Next Sunday, November 6th, starts National Vocation Awareness Week (declared by the U.S. Bishops) - an annual week-long celebration of the Catholic Church in the United States dedicated to promoting vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and consecrated life through prayer and education, and to renew our prayers and support for those who are considering one of these particular vocations. Suggest to our youth to consider a call from the Lord to serve the Church and pray every day this week for an increase in vocations.

### Upcoming Holiday & Holy Day Mass Schedule:

**Thanksgiving:** St. Augustine - Wed. Nov. 23 at 7:00pm

St. Anthony - Thurs. Nov. 24 at 9:00am

#### Immaculate Conception:

St. Augustine - Thurs. Dec. 8 at 8:00am

St. Anthony - Thurs. Dec. 8 at 7:00pm

**Christmas Eve:** St. Augustine - Sat. Dec. 24 at 4:00pm

St. Anthony - Sat. Dec. 24 at 7:00pm

**Christmas:** St. Augustine - Sun. Dec. 25 at 8:00am

St. Anthony - Sun. Dec. 25 at 10:00am

## 2022 THIRTY-FIRST WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

### Daily Scripture and Reflections during Ordinary Time

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>30 31<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Receive the Lord with joy and be ready for change. <i>Wisdom 11:22-12:2</i> <i>2 Thes. 1:11-2:2</i> <i>Luke 19:1-10</i>	<b>31 All Hallows' Eve</b> Be in humble service to those especially in need. <i>Philippians 2:1-4</i> <i>Luke 14:12-14</i>	<b>1 All Saints Day</b> We are all called to be holy and blameless in God's sight. <i>Rev. 7:2-4, 9-14</i> <i>1 John 3:1-3</i> <i>Matthew 5:1-12a</i>	<b>2 All Souls Day</b> Remember the Poor Souls in Purgatory. <i>Wisdom 3:1-9</i> <i>Romans 5:5-11</i> <i>John 6:37-40</i>	<b>3 St. Martin of Porres</b> There is joy in heaven over those who repent. <i>Philippians 3:3-8a</i> <i>Luke 15:1-10</i>	<b>4 St. Charles Borromeo</b> We rely on Jesus for our strength in all things. <i>Philippians 3:17-4:1</i> <i>Luke 16:1-8</i>	<b>5 Weekday</b> God calls us to be trustworthy in all matters. <i>Philippians 4:10-19</i> <i>Luke 16:9-15</i>