



*Families of Faith in a Community of Grace*  
**Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**July 9, 2023**

**Directory**

**St. Augustine Church** e-mail: [augustine306@att.net](mailto:augustine306@att.net)  
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St. Augustine Catholic Church Breese Illinois

**Vision Statement:** "Called to Welcome, Serve and Celebrate"  
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**Vision Statement:** "Continuing to Create a Future Together"  
 P.O. Box 305, 451 W. Third St. Beckemeyer (618)227-8236

**All Saints Academy** 295 N. Clinton Breese  
**Website:** [www.asasaints.com](http://www.asasaints.com) (618)526-4323

**Mater Dei High School** 900 N. Mater Dei Dr. Breese  
**School Website:** [www.materdeiknights.org](http://www.materdeiknights.org) (618)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** (618)722-5068  
<https://www.diobelle.org/respectlife/project-rachel>

**Respect Life Ministry** (618)722-5040  
**Sexual Abuse Hotline** 1-800-640-3044

**Religious Education:**  
**RCIA** - For more Info please the church office(s)  
**Youth Faith Formation Classes:** Call CRE – Dan Robben at (618) 604-3792 or the parish office for more information.

**Youth Ministry Moderators:**  
 Diane Klostermann (618)910-9266 Cheryl Loepker (618)526-7594  
 Angie Pollmann (618)604-3116 Rhonda Pulver (248) 840-1857

**Parish Partnership**  
**Weekend Worship Schedule**

**Eucharist:** Sat. 4:00 pm St. Augustine  
 5:30 pm St. Dominic  
 Sun. 8:00 am St Augustine  
 9:30 am St. Anthony  
 11:00 am St. Dominic

**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 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 of the Sick :** Offered annually. Call the parish office for more information or to schedule an anointing.

Welcome

We encourage everyone 18 or older to register at the office as an adult parishioner.

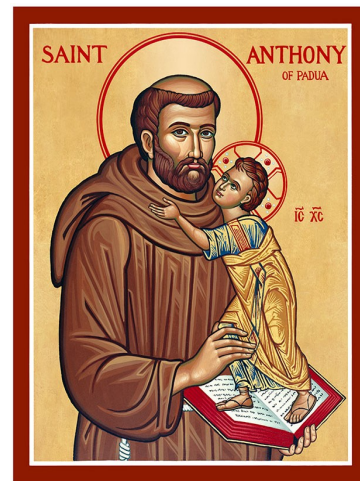
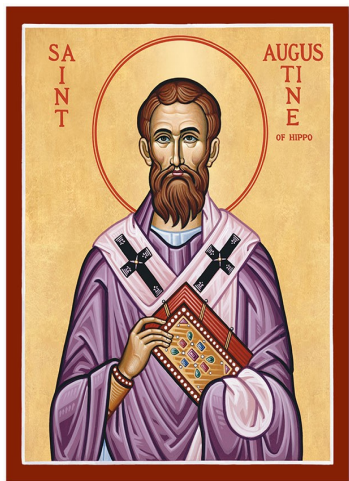
**Parish Staff**

Pastor: Fr. Chuck Tuttle (618)526-2566  
 Pastoral Associate/DRE: Phyllis Berndsen (618)791-0069  
 Pastoral Associate/DRE: Phyllis Mensing (618)977-1569  
 Permanent Deacon: Deacon Jay Fowler (618)973-3162  
 Maintenance: Richard Korte (618)402-5964  
 Office Manager: Carol Hilmes (618)526-4362  
 (618)227-8236  
 Business Manager: Dennis Krebs St. Augustine  
 Business Manager: Karri Kampwerth St. Anthony

**Office Hours**

**Breese:** Monday, Wednesday & Friday 8:30am - 4:30pm,  
 Thursday 2:00pm - 5:00pm  
**Beckemeyer:** Tuesday & Thursday 8:00am - 12:00pm

**Bulletin deadline: Wednesday at 10 a.m.**





Dear Friends,

Even as we come here to celebrate the Eucharist, the burdens of life may weigh heavy on our minds, our hearts, and our bodies. We may be tired from working six days a week. We may be anxious about the health of a family member. We may be mourning the loss of a loved one. We may be just plain weary, physically or emotionally. In today's Gospel, Jesus encourages the crowds, "Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest." He says the same words to us today. Let us turn to the Lord for comfort, for his yoke is easy and his burden light.

**THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE LESSON:** Zechariah prophesies the Messiah coming as a peacemaker, not as a warrior, in today's first reading, setting the stage for a savior who reigns with mercy and kindness. Paul tells the Romans that the very Spirit of God dwells in us. Jesus, our Savior, tells us that his yoke is easy and his burden light. May the peace that Jesus brings and the Spirit extends fill us with joy and hope.

**STEWARDSHIP:** We pray that we will be open to the grace to respond to the challenge of stewardship, and that the Holy Spirit, Whose gracious action conforms us to Jesus Christ and to the Church, will enlighten us and help us to renew our commitment as the Lord's disciples and as stewards of his bountiful gifts.

**A REMINDER:** Please welcome Fr. Clyde Grogan as presider of this weekend's Masses, as I attend the Mid-Summer Illinois State Council Knights of Columbus Organizational Meeting in Mundelein, IL. Fr. Clyde is celebrating his 55th year as a Priest of the Belleville Diocese – "Ad Multos Annos."

**A QUESTION FOR THE WEEK:** Who can I reach out to this week in an effort to lighten their burden? How can we share their yoke, like oxen working in tandem?

God bless,  
*Fr. Chuck*

## St. Augustine News. . .

Please note: Summer, even though it just begun is almost half over. ☺ Please pick up a registration form for YFF... complete... drop in collection basket or Parish office Please do not delay... forms are located in the gathering area.

**ATTENTION:** Anyone interested in becoming an Altar Server please call Phyllis at 618-791-0069.



Rummage Sale Appreciation Dinner for all of the ladies that helped with the rummage sale from set-up, to tear down, to rag cutting, is on Monday, August 7 at 6:30 pm. There is a sign-up sheet at all four exit doors.

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Would you like to share your Faith with others? Have you ever thought of teaching in Youth Faith Formation? 3rd grade teacher & teacher aides are needed. If interested, call Dan Robben (618) 604-3792 for more information.

## St. Anthony News. . .

Thank you to all new & renewed who attended the recent Extraordinary Eucharistic Minister training.

Anyone interested in joining the Lector ministry, please contact the office or Deacon Jay Fowler for more information. We currently only have 5 parishioners serving as lectors.

**St. Anthony Bunko and Dessert Party** is Monday, July 17 at 1:00 pm in the St. Anthony's Parish Center. Cost is \$5 per person. Be sure to join them in the fun! This event is open to everyone from all area parishes.

**Calendar fundraiser kick off meeting** for all parishioners, Sunday, July 9th, immediately following 9:30am mass in the gym. During this crucial gathering, we will discuss the details of the calendar fundraiser initiative to support our church's ongoing projects and ministries. Each family will receive their calendar from a designated committee representative and will be able to ask questions regarding how this fundraiser works.

## Church Picnics

### July

**8 – St. Damian, Damiansville**  
Quilt/Cash Bingo

**15 - St. Bruno, Pickneyville**  
Mass 4pm, Dinner 3:30-6:30pm  
Quilt/Cache Bingo 7:00pm

**22 – St. Charles Borromeo, DuBouis**  
4:00pm Polka Mass  
Dinner, Bongo, & Raffles

**25 - St. Boniface, Germantown**  
Chicken Dinner 3:30pm  
Quilt/Cash Bingo at 6:30pm

### August

**5 – St. Francis, Aviston**  
4:00pm Mass  
6:30pm Bingo

**5 – St. Joseph, Prairie du Rocher**  
3:30pm Dinner  
4:00pm Mass

5:00-11:00pm Bingo

**12 – St. Rose of Lima, St. Rose**  
4:00pm Mass

**12 - St. George, New Baden**  
**19 – St. Augustine(Kirchenfest), Hecker**  
3:00pm Dinner, 4:00pm Stands  
Open:30pm Quilt Bingo

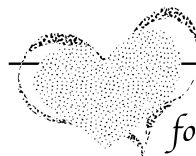
## Upcoming Classes & Events:

**-Baptismal Prep Class for August** will be held at St. Augustine on

Tuesday, August 8 at 7:00 pm. Please register by Friday, August 4. Call the church office to register.

**-First Friday Benediction:** Friday, August 4 at 7:00pm at St. Dominic.

**-Padre Pio Mass:** Saturday, August 5. Rosary at 8:30am and Mass Mass at 9:00am at St. Dominic.



Learn from the Lord  
for he is humble of heart

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**Meals & Events:**

**St. Patrick Church, Tipton Rummage & Bake Sale** Friday, July 28 & Saturday, July 29 7:00am - Noon in the Church Hall. All rummage sale items 1/2 price on Sunday August 6. **Chicken Dinner** 11am - 4pm, **Auction** starts at Noon also on August 6.

**Breese Knights of Columbus 5th Sunday Breakfast** Sunday, July 30 8:00am - 11:00am. Dine - in Adults \$10.00 & Children \$5.00. All carry-outs \$10.00.

Breakfast is located at 480 N. Walnut St., Breese

**St Rose Festival \$15,000 drawing.** August 12, 2023, only 300 tickets sold. 6 chances to win \$10,000. Tickets \$100 donation. Purchase tickets at R bar, Nathan Vice 618-806-6143 or Blake Benhoff 618-604-3113.

**Rummage Sale Corpus Christi Catholic Church Parish Center, 205 Rasp Street in Shiloh.** Pre-sale is Friday September 15 6-8pm & Admission is \$3 per person. Rummage Sale is Saturday, September 16 8am-1pm. Bag Sale is Sunday September 17 10am-2pm and cost is \$5.00 per 13 gallon trash bag. Rummage Sale is sponsored by the Corpus Christi Catholic Church Ladies Club.



**Current Position(s) open in the Belleville Diocese:**  
**Associate Director of Education**

Please check the bulletin board for more information.

**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	Edwin Albers	Norb Albers
Ruth Albers	Dolores Benhoff	Veronica Blumenstein
Kathy Book	Megan Brandmeyer	Sadie Bryan
Christie Dust	Betty Erlinger	Joe Fragile
Carol Gwinn	Gerri Haar	Mary Haar
Mike Haar	Jim Haukup	Mary Heimann
Rich Holtgrave	Edna Holthaus	Gertrude Holthaus
Dolores Huelsmann	Dolores Jansen	Greg Jansen
Etta Kampwerth	Rose Kuhl	Evie Lammers
Mary Lemons	Gabrielle Ludwig	Joann Maue
Dana Beckmann-Marks	Carol Meier	Doris Mueller
Mark Niemeyer	Rachel Peters	Kathy Pingsterhaus
Andy Rakers	Jerome Ratermann	Pearl Richter
Pat Rollins	Fr. Ed Schaefer	Julie (Schlueter) Detmer
Betty Schulte	Rachel Siefker	Arlecia Stamps
Clete Timmermann	Loretta Trame	Lucille Trame
Fr. Dennis Voss	Mark Wasser	Dottie Wellinghoff
Bernard Wempe	Agnes White	special intentions

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

Slara Asuncion Nathan Smith  
Phillip Hilmes Clarence "Kennedy" Vogt

**Youth Ministry News:**

-Any high school youth interested in attending the **National Catholic Youth Conference in the fall should contact Diane or Cheryl. Forms are due now.**

-Youth ministry is planning to go to **Cairo July 11-12**, contact Cheryl if interested in attending.

-Next softball game is **7/19** vs. Carlyle at Carlyle. Permission slips required.

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. Phone numbers are on the front of the bulletin.

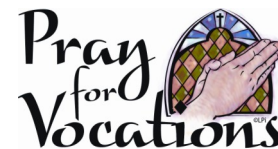
**\*Remember all leaders can also be messaged on Groupme.\***

**If you are an adult interested in helping with Youth Ministry please reach out to one of the adult leaders. Join the leaders and mold the next generation of young Catholics!**

**Vocations Corner:**

"I grew up loving two things: our family farm and sports. There was a basketball hoop in the haymow of our barn, and during breaks from working with the cattle, I would play pickup games with my brothers and cousins. I grew to love football, too, and was even blessed to play quarterback at the collegiate level for a year. But over time, another love quietly grew in my heart: a love for Christ and his Church. My parents instilled in me a strong work ethic and an unswerving trust in the Lord. My parish priest provided an example of real eucharistic amazement, an intense prayer life and filial devotion to our Blessed Mother. Through their influence, I discovered that the greatest joy of my life was when I could draw others closer to our Savior. To all those discerning their vocations: Let His love conquer!"

**Fr. Thomas J. Haan; Diocese of Lafayette, Ind. Columbia, September 2022 pg. 47.**



**2023 FOURTEENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**Daily Scripture and Reflections during Ordinary Time**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>9 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> <i>Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened.</i> <i>Zechariah 9:9-10</i> <i>Romans 8:9, 11-13</i> <i>Matthew 11:25-30</i>	<b>10 Weekday</b> <i>In you, my God, I place my trust.</i> <i>Genesis 28:10-22a</i> <i>Matthew 9:18-26</i>	<b>11 St. Benedict</b> <i>The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few.</i> <i>Genesis 32:23-33</i> <i>Matthew 9:32-38</i>	<b>12 Weekday</b> <i>God's mercy is at hand.</i> <i>Genesis 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a</i> <i>Matthew 10:1-7</i>	<b>13 St. Henry</b> <i>Throughout history, God has saved his people.</i> <i>Genesis 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5</i> <i>Matthew 10:7-15</i>	<b>14 St. Kateri Tekakwitha</b> <i>Despite challenges, hear God's call to follow him.</i> <i>Gen. 46:1-7, 28-30</i> <i>Matthew 10:16-23</i>	<b>15 St. Bonaventure</b> <i>Live each day as a witness to Christ..</i> <i>Genesis 49:29-32; 50:15-26a</i> <i>Matthew 10:24-33</i>