



SAINT ANTHONY OF PADUA
A MEMBER OF ST. GEORGE DEANERY
24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
SEPTEMBER 13, 2020



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Unable to forgive another, means we are holding onto a past wrong and hoping for a better past.
That is not going to happen.

We must move on with our life by accepting we were unjustly treated and it will not be corrected.
We aren't condoning the injustice. We just don't let it control our lives any longer.
Forgiveness is critical to living a healthy life in the present.

Mass Schedule

September 15	Tuesday	6:30 p.m. Mass	Our Lady of Sorrows ~ {Wanda Kiene}
September 16	Wednesday	8:00 a.m. Mass	Saints Cornelius & Cyprian ~ {Jim & Jeanette Makley}
September 17	Thursday	8:00 a.m. Mass	Weekday ~ {For The Parish}
September 18	Friday	8:00 a.m. Mass	Weekday ~ {John Siefker ~ Nathan Siefker}
September 19	Saturday	8:00 a.m.	Rosary
September 19	Saturday	3:00 – 3:30 p.m.	Confessions
September 19	Saturday	4:00 p.m. Mass	Vigil ~ 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ {Richard & Angela Knott ~ Floyd Shinabery ~ Bill Alt}
			Weekend Mass Streamed on Facebook Live Saturday at 4:00 p.m.)
September 20	Sunday	8:00 a.m. Mass	25th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ {Lauretta Foughty}
September 20	Sunday	10:30 a.m. Mass	25th Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ {Joe & Andy Ruen ~ Jim & Phyllis Verhoff ~ Luisa Maglinte ~ Teodocio Maglinte ~ Sotero Maglinte ~ Benjamin Maglinte ~ Eduardo Maglinte}

Servers

September 15	Tuesday	6:30 p.m. Mass	Jerry Dickman
September 19	Saturday	4:00 p.m. Mass	Brock Verhoff, Mya Verhoff, Hunter Sudlow
September 20	Sunday	8:00 a.m. Mass	Nathan Kamphaus, Sarah Kamphaus, Dakota Dunn
September 20	Sunday	10:30 a.m. Mass	Landen Schroeder, Levi Schroeder, Luke Ellerbrock

Lectors

September 19	Saturday	4:00 p.m. Mass	Hanna Warnecke
September 20	Sunday	8:00 a.m. Mass	Ron Teders
September 20	Sunday	10:30 a.m. Mass	Vonda Nemire

Eucharistic Ministers

September 19	Saturday	4:00 p.m. Mass	Ken & Connie Kruse, Tori Warnecke
September 20	Sunday	8:00 a.m. Mass	Marilyn Hoffman, Judy Schroeder, Doug Langhals
September 20	Sunday	10:30 a.m. Mass	Sue Schroeder, Harold Gerten, Cheryl Ellerbrock

Hilty Home ~ No distributors will be going to the Hilty Home until further notice.

Ushers

September 19	Saturday	4:00 p.m. Mass	George Ellerbrock, Doug Roof, Don Stechschulte, Rob Verhoff
September 20	Sunday	8:00 a.m. Mass	Tom Dunlap, Eric Dunn, Ron Hoffman, Gene Siefker
September 20	Sunday	10:30 a.m. Mass	Dave Ellerbrock, Terry Giesige, Duane Vorst, Pat Vorst

Greeter Schedule

There will be no Greeters present during the month of September.

Parish Activities

September 15 **K of C Meeting @ 7:30 p.m.**
Rosary @ 7:10
September 16 **Finance Meeting @ 6:00 p.m.**
September 17 **Red Cross Blood Drive @ Noon**
September 20 **Youth Ministry @ 6:00 p.m.**

For The Week of September 6th

Adult Sunday ~ 150 \$ 7,826.00
Children's ~ 26 42.23
7,868.23
Other Income 9,533.15
Total Income \$ 17,401.38
Total Expenses \$ 2,942.03



Total Parking Lot Donations To-Date ~Initial Matching Donation ~ \$ 50,000.00
Matched To-Date by Parishioners ~ \$ 53,684.18

300 Club Winner ~ September 12th ~ Steve Hermiller ~ Ticket # 211 ~ \$100.00

Marriage Bans III ~ Rachel Schumacher & Clay Diller

Best wishes to Rachel & Clay who will be married on Saturday, September 19th, here at St Anthony's.
May the Lord bless you both with a lifetime of happiness together!



The St. Anthony Parish family extends our sincere sympathy to the family and friends of Jerry Fortman who died on Saturday, September 5th. Mass of Resurrection was celebrated for Jerry on Thursday, September 10th, here at St. Anthony's. May our prayers and the grace of God see you through this difficult time and may Our Lord welcome Jerry into His Kingdom for eternity.

Congratulations Nathan Kamphaus ~ He was a member of St. Anthony's School, class of 2020. Recently, Nathan found out that his science fair project from last year was selected as one of the top 300 science fair projects out of the 3400+ applications for the Broadcom MASTERS National science fair! His project was titled, "How Do Plates and Camber Affect the Joints of a Warren Truss Bridge?" Now he is in the running to be one of the top 30 projects that actually compete at this year's virtual Broadcom MASTERS science fair. Best of luck, Nate! Your parish is so proud of you! The top 30 projects are announced on September 16th at 12:00 p.m. Eastern time.

Scrip ~ The next scrip weekend will be **September 19th and September 20th**. The helpers are: Ken & Connie Kruse, Joyce Kaufman and Judy Gerten.

K of C ~ The K of C will be meeting on **Tuesday, September 15th** at 7:30 p.m. in the church basement with the Rosary being recited at 7:10 p.m.

K of C ~ The K of C breakfast scheduled for **Sunday, September 20th** has been canceled because of Covid-19.

Finance Committee ~ Finance Committee will be meeting on **Wednesday, September 16th**, at 6:00 p.m. in the rectory.

Youth Ministry ~ Youth Ministry (Life Teen) will be held **Sunday, September 20th** from 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. in the church basement. Supper will be at 6:00 p.m. with the program to follow. There will be no Mass.

Preschool Bible School ~ Details will be coming soon in a future bulletin regarding our preschool bible school program.

Attention Choir Members ~ Due to Covid-19, choir practice will be delayed until the end of November. Hopefully then we will be able to prepare for the Christmas Masses.

Attention CCD Families ~ Letters will be sent out in the near future in regards to the current year CCD program.

Blood Drive ~ The American Red Cross Blood Drive at St. Anthony's will be held this **Thursday, September 17th**, from 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. To make an appointment call Marge Tabler at 419-659-5190 or call the Red Cross at 1-800-733-2767. You can also go online to make your appointment. Walk-ins are welcome.

Baptism Classes ~ The next Baptism class (required for first time parents or encouraged for new parents who have not taken the class in the past 5 years) will be held on **Thursday, October 1st**, at 6:30 p.m. in the church basement. Please call Tom & Karyn Kamphaus at 419-615-8737 or the parish office at 419-659-2263 to register. The next class will be held December 10th.

Festival Information
Sunday, October 11th ~ 11:00 – 5:00 p.m.

The drawing of the winning Vehicle Ticket, the Big Raffle Tickets, the Lottery Tree and Gas Cards will be held on **October 11th** at 5:00 p.m. Tickets will be available for purchase in the church basement and also the in the school gym
Lottery Tickets can also be purchased at Carl’s Hardware.

Cash or Car! ~ Will you be the lucky winner this year? We will again be raffling off up to \$20,000 toward the purchase of a new vehicle or \$15,000 in cash. Tickets can be purchased or obtained from the parish office, at many local businesses: Tabler’s Drive Thru, Alt’s Gas Station, Carl’s Hardware, Karl Schroeder’s Plumbing and Heating, H&K Motor Sales, Grove Insurance Services and Columbus Grove Family Dentistry or from the following individuals: Mark Edelbrock - 419-659-2269, Mike Birkemeier - 419-234-6993 or Harold Gerten - 419-204-0723. The seller of the winning ticket for the car will also win a \$100. Get your tickets early so you have more chances to win! If you would be willing to help sell tickets before and after the Masses, please contact Mark Edelbrock.

From the Country Store ~ We will again be having the Country Store and Raffle on Sunday October 11th in the School Gym. We are asking for country store items and raffle items. Country store craft and baked goods are always welcome. The Raffle has been a huge success in the past and look forward to it again this year. We are asking for donations to the Raffle!! Some ideas that have been a hit in the past are kids games, corn hole, gliders, kitchen appliances, tools, planters, grill, blankets, gift cards, etc. Get creative!! Our parish family has always been very generous and look forward to another successful year. We will again be printing tickets for those people interested. Please have all Raffle items to the Rectory by **WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 7th**. If any questions please call Kate Morman at 419-659-6085 or Lynn Downing at 419-659-5372.

Hamburger Stand ~ Hamburgers, French fires, hot dogs, beer, pop and water will be available for purchase in the church basement at 11:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

5K ~ St. Anthony’s will be having our 5K run with sign-in beginning at 11:00 a.m. with the race being run at 1:30 p.m.

Ottoville Immaculate Conception Parish Festival~ Will be **Sunday, October 4th**, Drive-thru for our popular Chicken and Beef dinners from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Presale tickets ONLY, at a cost of \$10 each includes chicken and beef, mashed potatoes/gravy, noodles, green beans, coleslaw and dinner roll. Tickets can be purchased at the Immaculate Conception Parish Office weekdays between the hours of 8:00 a.m - 3:00 p.m, or call the Parish Office at 419-453-3513 to make other arrangements, or after any weekend Mass in Ottoville! Final day to purchase meal tickets is **September 20th**! The Big Ticket drawing tickets are available at the parish office or after any weekend Mass in Ottoville! New this year, 3 Early Bird Drawings for \$100 each after the 10:30 a.m. Masses September 13th, 20th, & 27th. Your tickets must be in the office by 3:00 p.m. the Friday before to be included. Festival day Big Ticket drawing is at 3:00 p.m. and includes \$1,500, \$500, \$250 & \$200.

A Note from Father David.....

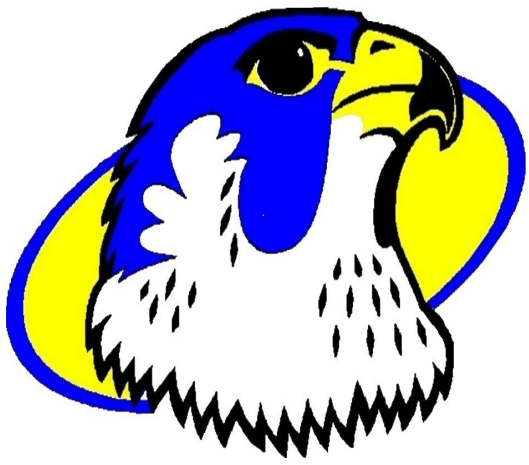
Dear St. Anthony Family,

Hoping that this “Note” finds you “Hanging in There” and praying for some Normalcy. Today’s Gospel talks about Forgiveness and gives us the example of The Master who decides to settle accounts with his servants. A man who owed the Master a large amount was brought forward, and because he couldn’t pay his debt was ordered to be sold along with his entire family to pay the debt. The man threw himself down and begged for mercy. The Master was moved by his plea and forgave his entire debt.

So, how did the man react? Despite being forgiven his entire debt, when he went down the road and met a fellow servant who owed him money, he had him thrown into prison till he paid the debt. Witnesses to The Man’s lack of compassion went to The Master and relayed the whole story and The Master threw The Man in prison till he paid his debt.

This story begins with the question about how many times we should forgive but ends with Jesus telling us that we Must Forgive our Brothers and Sisters “From the Heart.” Buy forgiving one In this way we learn not to count to Seven or Seventy Times Seven, but to show Compassion as Compassion is shown Us by Our God. We can’t expect to be forgiven if we aren’t ready to forgive others. This is The Way of Jesus.... The Way to Eternal Life.

St. Anthony of Padua, Pray for Us!
Love, Fr. David



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Dear Heavenly Father from above,
Look down on Saint Anthony's School
with love.
Please guide them and teach them.
Fill them with your power
So that in everything they do,
They will be a delight to you!
Amen.

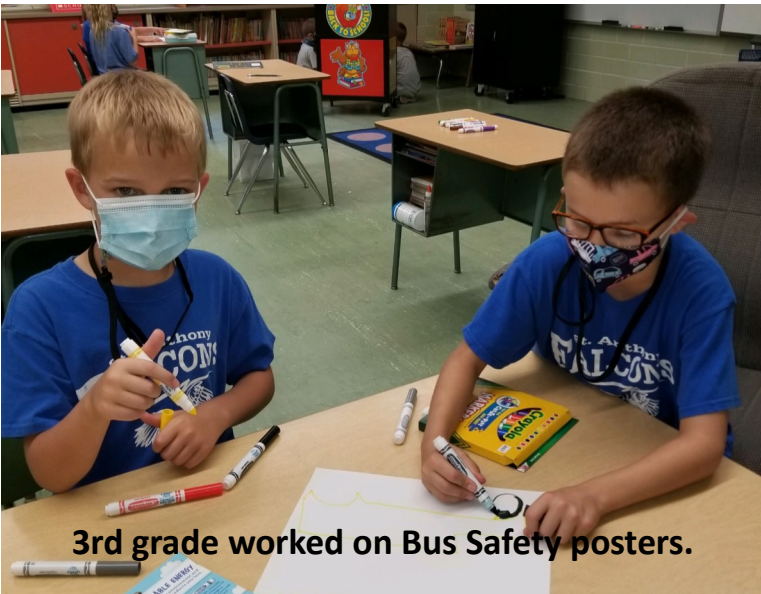
"Jesus Christ is the reason St. Anthony of Padua School exists. He guides our staff, students, and parents to work collaboratively to strengthen the quality of our educational and spiritual community. He is the unseen but ever present teacher in our classes. He is the model of our faculty and the inspiration for our students to live Gospel values."
~ St. Anthony Mission Statement ~



Preschool is in session!



Reading during Latchkey



3rd grade worked on Bus Safety posters.



5th grade went outside for Social Studies.



Lunch/Recess Volunteers

Week of Sept. 14 - 17, 2020:

Mon.	14th:	Katie Vennekotter
Tues.	15th:	Jenny Pingle
Wed.	16th:	Megan Brodewolf
Thurs.	17th:	Lisa Langhals
Fri.	18th:	Valerie Pingle Carla Kohls

Upcoming Events:

September	16	Mumkin/Mumsters Sales End
September	18	Mass (Grade 6)
September	22	Staff Meeting
September	24	Lunch w/ the Leaders Interim Grades Posted
September	25	Mass 9:00 (Grade 5) w/ Bishop Golden Falcon Awards Student/Staff Brunch w/ Bishop K - 8 MAP Testing ends
September	29	Fundraiser Delivery P/U 2:30-4:00
October	2	Picture Day Mass (Grade 4)/ First Friday



St. Anthony School Fundraiser

Our Fall Mumkin Sales ends this Wed., Sept.16th! Our goal is to raise \$7,000!! Please call the school office at 419-659-2103, contact any student, or go to the link below if you would like to order. Thank-you and God bless you for your support!!! <https://app.fundraiseit.org/shop.php?code=9465B>