Sunday, September 1, 2019

Liturgy Schedule:
Mon/Tues/Fri: 6:30 & 8:30am - Wed: 6:30am - Thurs: 8:30am
First Saturday: 6:30 am
Saturday: 4:30 pm
Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:15 am & 11:00 am
Holy Days: 6:30 am, 8:30 am, 12:10 pm, and 6:30pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation:
Saturday: 3:15 to 4:00 pm (anytime by appointment)
Weekdays: 7:45 to 8:15am (when there is 8:30am Mass)
Thursday before the First Friday of Month: 7:30 to 8:15am

+Most Reverend Thomas John Paprocki
Bishop of the Diocese of Springfield in Illinois

Fr. Charles A. Edwards, Pastor
Fr. Mark Tracy, Parochial Vicar
Fr. Carl Schmidt, Senior Priest
Deacon Joe (Pat) Emmerich
Mrs. Carrie Koenig, Director of Operations
Mrs. Sara Hoene, Executive Parish Secretary
Mrs. Peggy Clough, Executive Secretary
Mrs. Tiffiny Wrigley, Accountant
Mrs. Mary Koester, Financial Secretary
Mrs. Marlene McWhorter, Office Assistant
Mrs. Pati Jansen, Annulment Ministry
Ms. Regina Villafuerte, Music Director
Mr. Kenny Thies, Technology Administrator
Mr. & Mrs. Joe & Karie Sudkamp, Pre-Cana/Baptism Prep

Welcome
We extend a warm welcome to all our guests and visitors who have joined us at today’s liturgy. We hope that you feel at home here. Please let us know if we can be of any assistance while you are among us.

During a life emergency, while offices are closed, please contact (217) 703-1042.
Welcome Fr. Wence from St. Paul Parish !!!

This weekend we will host and welcome Fr. Wence, pastor of St. Paul Parish in Nekede, Nigeria. Our parish family of St. Anthony established a “Twining Parish” relationship in 2018 with St. Paul Parish. Since then our support has aided this parish in finally being able to move forward and put the roof on their new church, and put flooring in the church. On the weekend before this past Christmas, they were able to finally use their new church, which they began to build in 2011, but were unable to finish due to lack of funds. Joyfully they have expressed their heartfelt thanks.

In this upcoming year, with the funds we have raised, we have two main goals from our committee. One is to offer scholarships for students unable to go to the parish Catholic School due to lack of funds. Presently the school has 600 students. Approximately 175 – 200 children are unable to afford St. Paul’s Catholic School. Our hope is that ALL will be able to attend, as the school does have room for them. Our second goal is to offer a hot lunch program for all students each day. Many, living in poverty, do not get to eat much at all, so this would be a part of “feeding” and giving daily nutrition to all of the 800 children.

Last fiscal year we collected $39,313 for our Twining Parish. This is excellent. Cost for these two projects could be around $34,000. We hope to be able to send $3,000.00 per month soon. We also hope our support will continue to grow. At present, since January of 2018, shortly after I arrived, we have had 129 families (10%) give at least one donation to our Nigerian parish that we have adopted. If every other family (90%) in our parish (1171 families) would JOIN US and give say $15 a year in their Nigerian Twining Parish envelopes, yes just $15.00 a year; then it would raise our commitment by over $17,000. This commitment then of $55,000, which is 1.1% of our giving….. would be given to “the Poor and needy” which Matthew 25 reminds us, “I was hungry, and you gave me some food, I was thirsty, and you gave me a drink” ….. “whenever you do this for the least of my children, so you do for me”….. “these will go off to eternal life”. If every Catholic parish along with our ecumenical friends and their churches would do what we are doing (and have been doing for over 30 years) can you imagine how much we could change “the issue of world poverty”. Our money shared with St. Paul parish is so needed, but I will tell you first hand from going there..... they are more grateful, blessed, and filled with joy because they know “we care”, “we love them”, “we share” which makes them feel special, important, loved. This fulfills Jesus’s command to “Love one another, as I have loved you”.

Come join us at our “Celebrate Our Twining Parish Night” with Fr. Wence (it is his birthday), Tuesday, September 2nd at 6:30 pm at the Parish Center… God Bless ……

Mass Schedule Changes

In an effort to bring more sacramental options to our high school students for the purpose of ongoing formation in the Catholic faith and sacramental life we will be offering mass at the high school on Thursdays during the school year. (*This Mass in the high school chapel will be for students, staff, and faculty ONLY. *)

Beginning September 1st our daily mass schedule at St. Anthony parish will be:

Monday: 6:30 am and 8:30 am - Tuesday: 6:30 am and 8:30 am - Wednesday: 6:30 am (7:15 am at Shumway) 
Thursday: 8:30 am at Church (1:33 pm H.S.*) - Friday: 6:30 am and 8:30 am

Always check the bulletin each Sunday for the mass schedule for each particular week. With Sacred Heart having daily Mass at 6:45 am (during school year and during their construction/renovations), then each day there are 3 opportunities for Mass in our community (except Thursday when there will be two). On days or weeks when one of our STA priests is out of town for other diocesan priestly ministry, we will have only one mass at our parish, but plenty of Masses in the area each day. Thanks for understanding and for your cooperation. On Thursdays all 6:30am Mass Intentions will be rescheduled to the 8:30am mass the same day.

Please pray for Restoration of Religious Liberty, those who are ill, those in hospitals and nursing homes, those recovering from surgery, and all those serving our country. Also, Anthony Alvarez, Adelaida Anderson, Steve Bierman, Millie Braun, Ruth Bushue, Rosemary Bushur, Joan Niemerg-Buzzard, Mary Lynn Byers, Nick Compton, Drew Conder, Mary Conder, Lisa Crosson, Mary Einhorn, Quinn Fearday, Judy French, John Gapsis, Richard Gerth, Stacia Gorden, Sandy Gravenhorst, Don Herboth, Francis Herboth, Mike Herboth, Charlie Hicks, Mark Jirak, Ingrid Kay, Susan Keenan, Tina Keller, Steve Koebel, Amy Beth Koester, Clete Koester, Elisabeth Koester, Dan Kruger, Craig Lindvahl, Lloyd Ludwig, Darlene Mette, Penny Meyer, Penny Millibachler, Brenda Milleville, Donald J Niebrugge, Jack Nisbet, Cathy Polarek, Kenneth Polarek, Susan Pritchett, Jill Quandt, Marty Reed, Marcia Rexroat, Larry Roewe, Anna Sparling, Gustie Unkraut, Paul Vogt, Allen Wente, Paul V. Willenborg, Dr. Mel Willenborg, Jerry Worman, Pauline Worman

With Sympathy

We extend our sympathy to the family and friends of Florence Peters (Class of 1943). May she enjoy eternal peace and happiness in Heaven.

In the event of a death, accident or other life emergency, while offices are closed, please contact our priests at (217) 703-1042.
**Sunday Morning Coffee & Donuts**
Please join us!! On Sunday, September 1st after the 9:15am Mass, for coffee & donuts in the parish center. Donuts, coffee, juice, and milk will be served by the Dynamic Dads group. The parish will gather the first weekend of each month for Coffee & Donuts. A free will offering will be taken.

**Calendar of Events**

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**Grief Support Meetings**
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**Kate Weber’s Bible Study**
Bible Study resumes on September the 12th at 6:30 pm. in the Parish Center. We will continue with the study of ACTS. Please join us on the journey. For information or questions contact Kate Weber (217) 821-3003 or kateweber51@gmail.com.

**First Saturday Mass and Devotion September 7th**
Rosary - 6:10am Mass - 6:30am Meditations - 7:00am - 7:15am

**twenty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time September 1, 2019**

**Mass Intentions**

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<td>Sunday, September 8</td>
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**Wedding Banns**

Mitchell Wortman/Kaitlyn Connerly  
September 14, 2019 (II)  
Samantha Brandenburger/Alex Brown  
September 21, 2019 (I)

**St. Paul’s Nigeria Celebration**

On Tuesday, September 3rd, Fr. Wence, the pastor of our twining parish in Nigeria will be visiting with us, and we will be hosting an evening social in his honor (it is actually his birthday that day!) at our Parish Center at 6:30 p.m.
We would like to invite and encourage you and your family to join us for an evening with Fr. Wence! He will offer a presentation of the wonderful ministries we are sponsoring and show a video of the activities of his parish and school.
We will provide sandwiches and drinks and ask everyone to bring an appetizer to share. It promises to be a fun and enjoyable evening getting to know Fr. Wence and his parish family. We truly hope to have a great turnout to welcome him and celebrate our twining parish relationship. Please RSVP to the parish office at 347-7129.

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**Dear Parishioners of St. Anthony and St. Mary of the Annunciation:**
From the bottom of my heart, thank you for the lovely chalice and monetary gift extended at my farewell. I am touched to the core by this generosity and will never forget you nor your spirit of kindness. I am especially grateful for your assurances of prayer in this last year of seminary.
As I mentioned in my earlier bulletin note, I am particularly indebted to Father Chuck for his fine mentoring and the quality of time he as pastor generously spent with me. Fr. Mark, too, was a big help.
I will always carry the members of these two very special vibrant parishes proudly in my heart. Thank you again so very much, and may God bless you all. May Mother Mary tenderly smile on you and keep you in her maternal protective care!

Deacon Dave Beagles  
Sacred Heart Seminary, PO Box 429, Hales Corners, Wisconsin 53130
### Radio Mass Recorder for the month of September: Josh Hanner

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### Church Cleaning for September

Cleaning is done Saturday morning from 8:30-9:30. If you are unable to clean, please call a replacement.

- Kenneth & Susan Cornell
- Mike & Tamara Cornwell
- George & Michele Dallmier
- Matt & Amy Dammerman
- Bernice Dasenbrock
- Doug & Sharon Dasenbrock
- Matt & Shelby Dasenbrook
- Steve & Karen Dasenbrook

### Radio Mass Recorders Needed

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### St. Anthony Schools are currently seeking applications for the following positions:

- **School Lunch Program, Substitute Cooks**
- **Jr High Boys Track Coach**
- **High School Girls Softball Coach**
- **Jr High 7th Grade Girls Volleyball Coach**

For a description of these positions and for information on how to apply, visit www.stanthony.com/church/about/employment.

### IT’S CHOIR TIME!!!

Choir practices will begin on Wednesday, September 4th, at 7:00 pm at St. Anthony Church. Our weekly meetings will remain Wednesday nights, and our choir will sing again on Sunday, September 29th, 2019 at the 9:15am Mass!

Thank you so much for being an important member of this project!

SOLI DEO GLORIA! (Glory to God alone).

### MEN’S CHOIR MEMBERS WELCOME!

Help us harmonize the beauty of God’s Word through song!

We are looking for gentlemen interested in joining the Men’s Choir, currently directed by Teresa Thies. Practices for the Men’s Choir will resume on Wednesday, September 11th, at 6:00 pm at St. Anthony Church. Join the song!!! We will help you to feel comfortable in your role as a music minister and as a choir member.

Contact Regina Villafuerte at the Church Office: 347-7129.

### Have you been thinking about becoming Catholic?

A new session of Rites of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) will begin in September. Perhaps you, someone in your family, or a friend or co-worker have been thinking about the Catholic faith and would like to learn more. We invite you to call the parish office at 347-7129 for more information. We also encourage all parishioners to pray for those who are being called to learn more about the Catholic faith. Each prayer can be a lever to prompt others to listen to a personal call to deepen and experience their faith journey. If you know of someone who may need asking, call the parish office so we may extend an invitation.

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Child Abuse Reporting & Investigation number at 217-321-1155 or Children & Family Services Child Abuse Hotline 1-800-25-ABUSE.
Financial Peace University
Planning for the future is hard when you're still paying for the past! Join Financial Peace University group, and learn how to succeed in paying off your debt and making a plan for the future! You are invited to St. Anthony Parish Center on Wednesday, Sept. 25, at 7:00pm, to gather more information and to get your discounted kit ($75, typically $130). This is a nine week course and officially starts on Wednesday, Oct. 9, from 7:00pm to 8:30pm. Message April Ritz at 217-343-0212 for more information. It is a great workshop for all ages and for those who will soon be married.

THE VISION OF MAN FULLY ALIVE
FEATURING 9 DYNAMIC PRESENTERS!

The SonRise men’s group now in its 8th year is pleased and excited to announce this year’s program. That Man Is You, or TMIY, is being brought back with a whole new format. There will be 9 different presenters throughout this new series, The Vision Of Man Fully Alive. The goal is to help build relationships and help men be better husbands, fathers, and men. It is open to all adult men. Registration cards can be picked up in the back of church or in the parish office.

In the past we have drawn men from 7 different Catholic Churches in the Effingham area. We hope you will join us. Wives send your husbands.


Feeding the Poor for September
Hopefully everyone had a fantastic summer and all of the kids are getting back into the swing of the new school year! For anyone that may be new to our parish and/or school, the Table Of Plenty program began as a way to help those in need in our community as well as helping teach our children the value of serving others. Each month, donations are collected during school mass and during each mass of the first full weekend of the month. During school mass, the priest will bless the donations and pray for those this food will feed. Hopefully, this sparks an interest in our children to serve others! For the month of September, Catholic Charities suggested donations include cans of spaghetti sauce (no glass jars please), small individual packs of instant mashed potatoes and sides of pasta or rice (such as the Knorr’s brand or Pasta Roni). Each of these items can be found at your local grocery stores for less that $1.25 each. September collections will be accepted during the weekend masses on September 7th & 8th, Tuesday, September 10th during the junior high mass and Thursday, September 12th during the grade school mass. If you have any questions regarding this program, please feel free to call or text Jill Schultz at (217)821-4254. Thank you for your prayers and support of this program! God Bless!

Pro-Life Corner

If you experience difficulty bringing a child into your family, know that you are not alone. God is with you, and his Church desires to walk with you. The following suggestions may be helpful to you on this journey.

- Start with prayer
- Connect with others
- Seek to understand the church’s teaching
- Learn the difference between ethical and unethical interventions
- Be aware of “treatments” that destroy life
- Make a plan
- Keep your marriage healthy

To learn more, look at the full USCCB article by searching “Seven Considerations While Navigating Infertility” on the Internet.

Pro-life Memorial Service - Pro-life Americans throughout the country will gather at gravesites and memorial sites dedicated to honor aborted babies for the seventh annual National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children on Saturday, Sept. 14. Prayer services at these sites will commemorate the more than 60 million children who have lost their lives to legal abortion since 1973, and to remind our society of the humanity of the unborn child. St. Francis Church invites all to join in the prayer service at the Memorial to the Unborn at St. Francis Cemetery on Saturday, September 14, at 8:30 AM. Bring a lawn chair and umbrella if desired. Together let us remember the victims of abortion and pray for a final end to this injustice in our land.

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Scrip News

**Now available:**
Families with access to online payments thru Scrip Ware now have the option to pay for gift cards with credit cards! Get details at ShopWithScrip.com/CreditCard

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Catholic Charities Fall Fun Run

**5K Mile Run/Walk (Scenic Snake Trail)**
1 Mile Run/Walk (Park Trail)
Saturday, September 28, 2018 - 8:00 AM
Register 7:00 A.M. @ Teutopolis Community Park Pavilion

For more information, to register or purchase tickets please contact Catholic Charities at 217-857-1458. All proceeds will support the mission and ministries of Catholic Charities.

Please submit written bulletin articles to: bulletin@stanthony.com or mail to Bulletin, PO Box 764, Effingham, IL 62401. Articles must be in the office by noon Monday prior to publication.

Protecting God’s Children Workshop
**St. Anthony Church, Effingham**
Thursday, September 5th @ 6:30pm
Call 217-347-7129 to register

**St. Isidore the Farmer, Dieterich**
Tuesday, September 3rd @ 6:30pm
Call 217-925-5788 to register

CHAPERONES NEEDED
St. Anthony High School will be sponsoring a trip to NCYC 2019 in Indianapolis, IN! In a distinctly Catholic setting, the National Catholic Youth Conference invites participants to encounter Christ, experience church, and be empowered for discipleship. Students will get to hear from some tremendously dynamic speakers including Imaculee Ilibagiza. This event drew 23,000 youth in 2017! Learn more here. http://www.ncyc.info

**Dates:** November 21-24, 2019  
**Location:** Indiana Convention Center & Lucas Oil Stadium  
**Cost:** $215 (Covers registration, hotel room for 3 nights & trade items) St. Anthony has agreed to cover 1/2 of the original cost of $430 leaving the student cost to attend at $215! Contact Greg Fearday at 342-6969 if interested in chaperoning.

New and Improved Youth Group Starting  
**Sunday, Sept. 8, at 6:30pm, in the Sacred Heart Church Lower Level.**  
All Effingham Area Youth are invited. Bring your friends!!

We will begin the evening with “Capture the Flag” and enjoy hotdogs, chips, dessert, and refreshments. Girls: Bring chips or dessert; Guys: Bring a 2-liter of soda.
Questions, please call/text Carol Toney at 217-821-7607

Chris Stefanick- REBOOT!
**Chris Stefanick will be at the Cathedral in Springfield on Thursday, September 19, at 7:00 pm Chris is an acclaimed author, speaker and TV host who has devoted his life to inspiring people to live a bold, contagious faith, His reality TV show, "Real Life Catholic", videos, and radio spots reach millions of people. Chris authored the "Chosen" Confirmation program which has already formed more than 500,000 teens. Tickets are $25 and can be purchased online at spicathedral.org/reboot**
St. Anthony School Student Safety Reminder

School grounds are extremely busy in the mornings for student arrival and at dismissal for student departure. Knowing that students are often excited to enter the building to start their day, and sometimes even more excited to start their after school activities, despite our frequent reminders, they occasionally become preoccupied.

As a result, we want to implore all individuals on or around school grounds to use extreme caution, especially when operating motor vehicles. This means obeying traffic signals and crossing guards, being vigilant around crosswalks and sidewalks, following staff direction in parent pick-up lines, and staying off of electronic devices while anywhere around a school zone.

Additionally, drivers are asked to be mindful of our neighbors, their driveways and alleys, as to avoid prohibiting their use. Vehicles are also discouraged from stopping on Temple Avenue, a noted problem the first two days of school. Regular 3pm dismissal, drivers being in the correct lines on 2nd Street (M-Z only) and 1st Street to E. Virginia (A-L only), pulling forward to the first available pick-up cone, avoiding parking along neighboring streets to circumvent the pick-up lines, and beginning of Pups Club, will all help expedite the pick-up process.

Thank you for helping us to ensure the safety of students and staff by using good judgment and following the map and pick-up procedures!

Hello to all the Catholic families in Effingham County! I would like to introduce myself. My name is Laura Whitehead and I live in Flora, IL. I have recently had the privilege of substitute teaching at St. Anthony High School and meeting some of the great people of Effingham county! One of my other ventures allows me to work with a great company, Decided Excellence Catholic Media, which produces customized Catholic magazines for local communities. I have met many of you already as I worked to make connections and open one of these magazines in our area. I am excited to announce the launch of "Crossroads Catholic," Effingham County's own Catholic magazine, which will be hitting mailboxes soon! I wanted to answer a couple of common questions prior to the launch:

1) This magazine is absolutely free and is provided with no charge to you, your parish, or your school.
2) We mail to as many people as we can, using our public record database. No names are released by the churches or schools.
3) If you aren't receiving the magazine, this is not intentional. If you don't see the magazine show up at your home by mid-September, send me an email or a text and I will get you on the list!
4) We are looking for more area sponsors to support the magazine - besides a great family friendly piece, it is a phenomenal marketing tool! If you own a business and would like to learn more, give me a call or a text. I'd love to buy you a cup of coffee and share more information.
5) We are always looking for local families willing to share their story in an article or other local groups or events that would make good stories. Send any leads my way and I will do my best to include it in an upcoming issue!

Please contact me with any thoughts, comments, questions, or concerns! Blessings to you!

Diocesan Respect Life Mass and Rosary Walk

September 7, 2019 9:00am at Holy Family Parish

Join us for our annual Diocesan Pro-Life Mass and Rosary Walk! The Mass will be held at Holy Family Parish in Granite City.

9:00 am - Respect Life Mass, celebrated by Bishop Paprocki
10:15 am - Rosary Walk and Prayer Vigil, at abortion facility; Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

After the Vigil and Benediction, please join us for lunch at Holy Family Parish featuring luncheon keynote speaker Dr. Pat Castle, the President and Founder of Life Runners. The luncheon is hosted by the Rock Youth Group and Holy Family School Student Council. Come and pray for an end to abortion.
Knights of Columbus News

LABOR DAY MASS - The Knights of Columbus will be hosting a Mass at 9:00 A.M at St. Anthony Church on Labor Day which is Monday, September 2. In addition, OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE SILVER ROSE will be presented at the Mass with the SILVER ROSE PRAYER SERVICE after the Mass. The Silver Rose Program began in 1960, when a live rose, blessed by a bishop in Ontario traveled to New York, then to Texas and on to Mexico where it ended its pilgrimage at the Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Monterey on Dec. 12, the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe. The Silver Rose Program is now a journey of nine Silver Roses beginning each year in March and ending on Dec. 12, the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Each Silver Rose travels a unique route throughout North America beginning in Canada and ending in Mexico, except one ends in Washington, D.C., and another ends at St. Mary’s Church in New Haven, CT, where the Knights of Columbus was founded.

The Knights of Columbus honor not only Our Lady of Guadalupe and express our unity as Brother Knights and their families, but also reaffirm the Order’s dedication to the sanctity of human life. It is the Blessed Mother that we turn to in prayer as we work to end the Culture of Death that grips our society. As we think in terms of ‘One Life, One Rose,’ it is most appropriate that we turn to Our Lady of Guadalupe who made known her will through Juan Diego and the miracle of the roses.”

Please spread the word and join the Knights to pray for a civilization of love and culture of life in our own country and throughout the world.

THE 50TH ANNUAL INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES FUND DRIVE, BETTER KNOWN AS THE TOOTSIE ROLL DRIVE WILL BE ON SEPTEMBER 20 AND 21.

Please mark your calendars. The Committee of Jason Semple (821-0111), Matt Gillenwater (821-5844), Nathan Westendorf (217) 690-1231, Charlie Tegeler (217) 663-4797, Eric Florey (217) 821-6618, Greg Bushue (217) 821-4740, and Jim Zacha (our Altamont “Captain”) will be making calls soon. Better yet, give them a call and let them know what shift you are available. If you want to join the committee, just give one us a call. While it is a little work making phone calls and organizing the event, it is very rewarding knowing your labors help some very special people in our community. Do you have a High School student wanting to earn some service hours? Give Greg Koester (217) 821-7731 a call for more details.

EFFINGHAM K of C FAMILY PICNIC - This year's picnic will be on Sunday, September 29 at the K of C Pavilion. Lunch will be served from noon until the food is gone. We will be having a kiddie pedal tractor pull run by the Arcola Jaycees - Ages 4 to12 can compete – and the adults! Starting time for the pull is 2:00 pm with registration at least one hour prior. Trophies will be awarded. Bring all the kids and watch them have fun. We will also have a kid's raffle, bounce house, face painting and Brother Dan Koester will be giving mule wagon rides. The horseshoe pits and washer game boxes will be available. We do have poles and a net for volleyball or badminton. If anyone has cornhole boards, you are welcome to bring them and get a friendly game going.

FAMILY PICNIC COMMITTEE NEEDED! - We need members and to form a new committee for planning and implementing the picnic, the more the merrier. Talk it over with your friends and take over this fun activity. Keith, Larry and Patty have good notes for the new committee to use and as always, the Council Officers and leaders will assist. Come to the August meetings (7:30 p.m.), contact a council officer if interested or let someone know at the picnic.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR PEACE - The Knights of Columbus World Day of Prayer for Peace seeks to unite Knights, Catholics and all people of good will – regardless of their religious faith – in prayer for peace. While Sept. 11 will always be remembered for the tragic loss of life, we come together to commemorate this tragedy with hope and prayer that religion will always be a cause for mutual respect and harmony, and never for violence or hatred. Our Council will be leading a Rosary for World Peace at the Council Meeting Room on Wednesday, September 11 at 6:30 pm prior to the Fourth Degree Assembly Meeting at 7:30 p.m. All are welcome to attend.

ST. ANTHONY HIGH SCHOOL BOYS VARSITY BASKETBALL - Ushers are need for the home basketball games, the Thanksgiving Tournament and the St. Anthony Shootout. The Ushers are responsible for verifying spectators have their season pass or hand stamped when entering (most are during JV game) and ensuring spectators are not on the floor during play. Brother Knights, let’s take this opportunity to be charitable with our time, support the student athletes of St. Anthony High School, lead by example and enjoy some great basketball! Give A.D. and Brother Knight Kevin Palmer a call at (217) 342-6969 to help.

BINGO WORKERS NEEDED - Not doing anything on a Tuesday night? Want to spend some time with a couple of friends or an evening with the wife? Why not help out on Bingo Night? There are a number places to help out. At the tables – sell bingo cards, Columbia cards, pull tabs, raffle games. Bingo caller? Work the floor and call off numbers for a “bingo”, sell Lightning tickets. During and between games, you can quietly visit with other workers. And the best part – you are helping raise funds that we use to help others - scholarships for graduating seniors, tuition assistance and technology at Sacred Heart and St. Anthony, funds for area PSR classes. When the roof at St. Anne Church in Edgewood was damaged, our Council made a donation to help with the repairs. Donations are made to the Silk Purse, Family Life Center, Catholic Charities. These funds come from our Bingo Night. To keep it going, we need more workers!
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