Pet Blessing Oct 5th







































St. Anthony Catholic Church Bartonville, IL

The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica - Nov. 9, 2025



Mass Intentions

November

8 Sat. 4:30pm Pat Small By Jack Small

9 Sun. 9:00am Joannie Litterst By Denny Litterst

11:30am People of the parish

10 Mon. No Mass

11 Tue. 5:00pm Diane Willis
By John & Mary Ann Darling

12 Wed. 7:30am Chuck & Norma Schlink By Doug & Mary Lossman

13 Thu. 7:30am Sarkis Younes
By Sandy & Steve Gasparovich

14 Fri. 7:30am Bill Miller By Jim & Carolyn Deig

15 Sat. 4:30pm Bill Rogers By Mary Rogers

16 Sun. 9:00am People of the Parish

11:30am Will Flynn By Vince Kemper

Nothing ever happens in the world that does not happen first inside human hearts....Fulton J. Sheen

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

"Life of Jesus as seen by his mother" dramalogue performed by Ruth Bell

Date: Thursday, November 20, 2025
Place: St. Philomena Parish Center
1000 W. Albany, Peoria, IL 61604
Time: 1:30 – 3:00 pm

There will be light refreshments and a brief annual meeting following the dramalogue.

Women's Club Calendar Collection

Yes, we know it's only November, but calendars are already coming in the mail! Bring us your unwanted calendars for distribution to our shut-ins and to area care facilities later in the year. Please place them in the basket in the Gathering Space. Thank you!

Save Around Books

are now available.
These coupon books make wonderful
Christmas gifts and

Stocking stuffers!

See Bev Stender or stop in the office.

Save the Date

Stretch & Pray

Meets every Monday at 10am in the Parish Center.

Women's Club

The Women's Club will meet

Wednesday, Nov. 19th at 6:30pm in the Parish Center.

Please note the date change due to Thanksgiving.

Come Join the Fun

The Women's Club soon will be assembling the **hot chocolate cones** they sell every Christmas time. Help is needed to make 400 cones! No experience needed!

Wednesday, Nov. 12 at 9:00am
Parish Center
Thank you!

Lectors & Greeters

There will be a sign-up and Thank You meeting for all St. Anthony parishioners wishing to join or remain active in these ministries.

Sunday, November 16th following the 11:30am Mass. Goodies will be served.

St. Anthony's Quilters

St. Anthony's Quilters meet regularly on the 2nd & 4th Mondays of the month in the Parish Center.

Next meeting November 10th.

Men's Group

The next meeting will be on **Saturday, November 15th, 7:00am**, Rectory

Evening of Adoration

Once again Matt Faley will lead our congregation in an Evening of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Thursday, December 4 at 7pm in the church. Music, Adoration, Contemplation and Reconciliation Watch for more information.

St. Patrick School Vendor & Craft Sale

Saturday, November 15 from 9:00am-2:00pm.

100 N. Harvey, Washington. Over 30 vendors, bake sale, coffee/cocoa bar, food truck, and raffle. Please help us raise money for a new boiler. Contact Chris Kapraun at kapraun77@aol.com

Giving Tree

As we prepare for this Christmas season, please help those in the Peoria Diocese who are most vulnerable. Take one or more ornaments from the Giving Tree. Each ornament has a specific gift request for a child or adult. Bring the unwrapped gifts back to the tree by **December 7**. Monetary donations are also accepted. Because of limited space we will remove all gifts each Sunday.

DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA

Pet Blessing

We had a great turnout for our Pet Blessing last month. Parishioners and others brought their dogs, cats, bearded dragons, turtle and fish to be blessed. Deacon Tom blessed the group and then each pet individually, sprinkling holy water on each one. Holy cards, religious medals and treats were handed out.

We were excited to have someone from the Limestone Independent News come, take photos and put a few on the front page of the newspaper! Other photos taken can be found on the front of this bulletin, in the photo gallery on our website (stanthonybartonville.com) and on our Facebook page.

Thanks to Deacon Tom for bringing this special service to St. Anthony's for a 2nd year. Thanks also to Chris Toniny, Therese Mueller, Dan Withrow and Wendy Jacobs for their help.

Annunciation Hope and Healing Fund

We received the following letter from the Catholic Community Foundation of Minnesota.

I want to thank you for your gift of \$1,700 to the Annunciation Hope and Healing Fund at the Catholic Community Foundation, received 10/6/2025. Your gift is an expression of hope during this challenging time and we are very grateful for your support of our Catholic community.

Please accept our gratitude on behalf of all those in the Annunciation church and school community who will benefit from your gift. We appreciate your generosity and pray that God may continue to bless you.

With Gratitude, Anne Cullen Miller, M.B.A President Catholic Community Foundation of Minnesota

Tony's Fall Garage Sale Final Total - \$36,822.51

We've closed the books on the 2025 Fall Garage Sale with another record-breaking total! It's because of **YOU** that our sales continue to be successful.

YOU who:

donate items
gives up your time to help
spreads the word
shops and brings others with you
bakes for the bake sale

prays for the workers, shoppers and success of the sale.

It certainly is a group effort and we appreciate each of you!

We are looking forward to a few months of quiet (or at least garage sale quiet) until we're back at it in March for the Spring Sale.

Thanks again! Geri O'Neill, Diana Gall, Wendy Jacobs Garage Sale Chairpersons

Faith Formation

YOUTH FAITH FORMATION UPDATES



Registration is now open for 2025-2026 Faith Formation classes!

Register for 2025-2026 Faith Formation classes at vbspro.events/p/ffsta25-26 OR

scan the QR code to the left.

November 9 No Classes (Veteran's Day Event)

16 Classes, Adoration, Confession 5th & 8th, Teacher mtg 1130

23 Classes

30 No Classes (1st Sunday of Advent)

December 7 Classes

14 Classes21 Family Christmas Celebration

28 No Classes-Happy New Year!

Jan. 2026 4 Classes

New Envelope Provider

St. Anthony's will be switching over to a new tithe envelope provider in the near future.

For those of you currently receiving envelopes, please contact the office if you no longer use or want to receive them. If all goes as planned (please, cross your fingers!), those receiving them should notice little or no change. The new company, Church Budget, is used by several parishes in the Diocese and all express great satisfaction with the service.

And we will realize a considerable savings too!

Parish Contributions 10/20/2025 Through 10/26/2025

 Reg. Sun.
 1719.00

 Cap. Imp.
 31.00

 E-give Reg. Sun
 24105-24120
 1969.50

 E-give Cap. Imp.
 24105-24112
 1095.00

Building on HopeCapital Campaign Update

We've officially hit the halfway mark! Thanks to your generosity we are well on the way to raising funds needed for two major projects — a new Morton building and conversion to solar energy. If you haven't seen the info about the campaign, pick up a pamphlet in the church or visit our website (stanthonybartonville.com). Keep up to date with our progress here. Thank you for your support.

as of October 30th

Amount pledged: \$250,800

Pledge payments/donations received: \$169,951

of donors: 38

Watch the bulletin for updates on the campaign progress!



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