

## Padre's Point of View . . .

**Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.** God does allow us to be tempted. When we are tempted, we are strengthened when we turn back to Him. The average adult makes 35,000 decisions a day. Many of these are either to avoid sin and evil or to give into sin and evil. God, we pray that you do not put us to the test. We are weak and are in need of your every grace. Help us to avoid all sin and evil and keep us under Your Divine Love. Amen.

## What is a Parish Mission?

**Who of us would not want to walk in the footprints of Jesus?** Especially during the days of Lent, we journey together into a deeper faith and commitment to living the Gospel. A Parish Mission is a special time of grace for our parish, which is meant to inspire and uplift us. It is a time for the whole parish to come together to reflect on God's Word, to renew our faith, and to pray with open hearts and hands. Jesus invites each of us to follow Him in ways that are personal, fresh, energizing, and often surprisingly amusing. **Plan now to be part of the journey on the evenings of March 20-22.**

**Lenten Bible Reflection The Letter to the Hebrews "Hope Anchors the Soul"** will be held during this Lenten season from March 7 to April 11, from 11:00am to 12:30pm, in the lower level of the church. Hebrews is certainly a book for disciples. It stirs our faith when we get lazy in our walk and helps us to see Jesus in a new way. Please RSVP to Darlene at 347.7177 if you would like to attend.

**Sacred Heart Picnic is June 24-25. The first picnic planning meeting will be held on Sunday, Feb. 12, at 9:30am, in the Sacred Heart lower level.** All last year's chairpeople are asked to attend, along with anyone who would like to help chair a stand. We have several new ideas to make this picnic even bigger and better, so your help would be appreciated. For more information, contact Terri Petersen at 217.254.9071 or Christy at 347.7177.

**Young Hearts Potluck** will be Tuesday, February 21, at noon, in the Sacred Heart Parish Center. Bring your favorite side dish and join us for the food & fellowship.

## Ministry Workshops for NEW & CURRENT ministers . . .

**Sacristan workshop will be held on Sunday, Feb. 12, at 11:30am.** If you did not have the chance to attend any of the ministry workshops, but want to join, please call the parish office at 347.7177.



## Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Free will.** The freedom we all have is not a license to murder, be unfaithful, or tell lies. We **can do** these things. But we **can choose not to do** any of them. If we trust God and God's saving plan for us and for the world, then we will want to be just, to act with righteousness, and to be in the right relationship with God, with others, and with the whole of creation.

Marty Haugen picks up the words of Saint Paul to the Church in Corinth in "Eye Has Not Seen". If your parish does not sing it this Sunday, look for it in your songbook before or after Mass. Hum it all the way to the end.

[Online: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rRyOS0nZr7s>]

"Give us the mind of Jesus."

- ▶ *What have I heard today about being right with God?*
- ▶ *What have I been taught today about the right relationship with family and friends?*
- ▶ *How will I choose to trust God this day, this week?*

**Monthly Prayer Vigil for Life** will be held at St. Mary's Church in Neoga, on Monday, Feb. 20. Praying the rosary will begin at 6:00pm followed by a 6:30pm Mass. The 7:30pm business meeting will be in their parish center. Everyone is urged to join us in prayer for respect of all life, born and unborn.



## Rest in Peace

We extend our sympathy to the family & friends of  
**Henry Portz**

## Sacred Heart Mass Schedule

### Monday, February 13

**7:15am:** Mary Jane Hille

### Tuesday, February 14

**7:15am:** John Lange

### Wednesday, February 15

**7:15am:** Effingham CD of A

**8:30am:** Lois Flood

### Thursday, February 16

**7:15am:** Ambrose "Shorty" Doedtman

### Friday, February 17

**7:15am:** Brenda Amacher Coe

### Saturday, February 18

**4:00pm (Fr. Chris Brey):** Helen Lustig

### Sunday, February 19

**8:30am (Fr. Michal Rosa):** For Our Parishioners

**10:30am (Fr. Michal Rosa):** Arthur Nuxoll Family

**5:30pm (Fr. Chris Brey):** Tom Althoff

**7:00pm Spanish Mass (Fr. Paul Habing):** For Our Deacons

**Sacred Heart Weekday Masses**

Monday-Friday: 7:15am  
Wednesday: 8:30am (school year)

**St. Anthony Weekend Mass Times**

Saturday: 4:30pm  
Sunday: 7:30am, 9:15am, and 11:00am

**St. Anthony Weekday Mass Times**

Monday-Friday: 6:30am & 8:30am  
On the first Saturday of the month: 6:30am

**St. Anthony High School Mass**

Thursdays: 7:00am in the High School Chapel  
(Subject to change ~ check with SAHS)

**St. Mary's, Shumway Weekend Mass Times**

Saturday: 5:30pm; Sunday: 8:30am

**Readings for the Week:**

Monday, Feb. 13: Gn 4:1-15, 25; Mk 8:11-13  
Tuesday, Feb. 14: Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10  
Mk 8:14-21  
Wednesday, Feb. 15: Gn 8:6-13, 20-22;  
Mk 8:22-26  
Thursday, Feb. 16: Gn 9:1-13; Mk 8:27-33  
Friday, Feb. 17: Gn 11:1-9; Mk 8:34-9:1  
Saturday, Feb. 18: Heb 11:1-7; Mk 9:2-13  
Sunday, Feb. 19: Lv 19:1-2, 17-18;  
1 Cor 3:16-23; Mt 5:38-48

**PRE-CANA Workshop**

**St. Mary Church, Ste. Marie**

Saturday, March 18, 2017 ~ Call 618.455.3155

**Newman Catholic Center, Charleston**

February 17 & 18 ~ Call 217.348.0188

This PreCana will be held on Friday from 7:00pm-10:00pm and again on Saturday from 10:00am-3:30pm. Must attend both days.

**Natural Family Planning Classes**

**St. Francis Church, Teutopolis**

March 18, 10:00-11:30am

**St. Anthony Church, Effingham**

April 29, 9:30-11:00am

To register or for more info, call Kate Pruemmer at 821.1840 or email kpruemmer@gmail.com.

**BE a VOICE for the VOICELESS!** Please join us for the next Pro-Life Group meeting on Wednesday, Feb. 15, from 6:30-8:00pm, at the Effingham K of C. We will view a documentary on physician-assisted suicide and discuss what we can do to prepare for the upcoming introduction of this Illinois legislation.

**Son Rise Men's Group meets on Fridays at St. Anthony Parish Center for a hot breakfast and a program.** The breakfast is at 6:15am and the program is at 6:30am.

**Parish Calendar Events**

**Wednesday, February 15**

6:00pm: Choir Practice @ Sacred Heart Church  
6:00pm: Bible Study @ Sacred Heart Parish Center  
6:30pm: PSR @ St. Anthony High School

**Thursday, February 16**

5:00-7:00pm: SHS Open House @ Sacred Heart School  
6:00pm: SHS Sneak Peek @ Sacred Heart School  
7:00pm: RCIA @ St. Anthony High School  
7:00pm: Theology on Tap @ Village Wine & Gifts

**Sunday, February 19**

12:00pm: Effingham Area Youth Group Skating Party @ U of I

**The Effingham Area Catholic Youth group will be going to ice skate on Sunday, Feb. 19, at the Campus Recreational Center at the U of I in Champaign, IL.** We will depart from Sacred Heart Parish at 12:00pm. Public skate is from 1:30pm to 4:00pm. We will stop at Monical's Pizza in Tuscola, for dinner and return to Sacred Heart Parish between 7:30-8:00pm. A permission slip is needed to attend and can be filled out at the church before we leave. Cost to attend is \$20, and will cover all expenses including: admission, skate rental, gas money, and dinner. Sign up by emailing kmiller@stanthony.com or you can call Katalyn Miller at 347.7129.

**Theology on Tap is a social young adult group that is open to young adults between the ages of 21-40.** We discuss faith-based topics and how our faith intertwines with our everyday lives and current events! We meet every third Thursday (Feb. 16), at 7:00pm, at Village Wine and Gifts located at 109 S. Banker St., Effingham, IL. Contact Katalyn Miller at kmiller@stanthony.com for more information or please just join us.

**~ Prayer List ~**

*Please remember in your prayers those who are sick, in the hospital, nursing homes, recovering from surgery and those who are in need:* Amanda McKinney, Kimberly Poe, Barb Sims, Frank Kemo, Jason McFarland, Bryce Beccue, Lillian Nolan, Catherine Began, Lydia Hemrich, Rosie Myers, Caroline Hoene, Barbara Jansen, Brandon Wurl, Mary Ellen Eversman, Debbie Myers, Emily McCabe, Harold Poe, Gertrude Alldredge, Eric Hartke, Katie Kroeger, Cathy Swingler, Nikki (Dust) Szymonik, Mike Ritchie, Jack Richardson, Travis Miller, Tom Pruemmer, Greg Schaefer, Mary Edwards, Craig Lindvahl, Cathy Hayes, Fred Amacher, Kevin Ordner, Elizabeth Weidner, Wm. "Bill" Dasenbrock, Jesse Kettman, Dorothy Levitt, Jill Quandt, Lois Emmerich, Gloria Ellis, Sandy McDevitt, Esther & Lou Feldhake, Daniel Hoefft, Brian Wirth, Richard Herzing, Mike Tegeler, Ron Caron, Cheryl Woodard, Bob Bushur, David Ordner, Rodney Raber, Carolyn Westendorf, Steve Schniederjan, Jerry Ludwig, Shawn Bourland, Rex Easton, Bill Meyers, Betty Brown, Eva Applegate, Sam Stitz, Philip Wendt, Penny Myers, Alice Watson, Julie Hoffman, Madonna Lustig, Rosanna Schallert, David Geltz, Pat Weis, Lisa Crosson, Brenda Kettman, Donna Rentfrow, Rita Tucker, Marcia Rexroat, Rosemary Koste



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**St. Anthony High School Class of 1967 will host their 50th Class Reunion on Saturday, August 12, which coincides with the St. Anthony Church picnic.** The evening begins with a 4:00pm Mass at Sacred Heart Church and will continue at the Effingham K of C. For more information or if you would like to update the committee with your current address, phone number, or e-mail address, please contact:

Shirley Richardson, phone 821.9871

E-mail: shirleyr@consolidated.net

Carol Seiler, phone 342.4230 or 343.2889

E-mail: caseiler@consolidated.net

Peg Mihalbachler, phone 844.2172

E-mail: pegmihl7@gmail.com

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**TV Show Trivia Night, to benefit the Unit 40 Mentoring Program, will be Saturday, Feb. 18, at the Effingham K of C.** Doors open at 6:00pm and trivia begins at 7:00pm. (Note: trivia questions will not be limited to only TV shows). Teams may bring in food and snack. There will be raffles, 50/50 drawings, and prizes. Entry fee is \$200 for a team of 8. Registration deadline is Feb. 15. Register online at <https://goo.gl/QuyBkm>.

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**“Backpack Bash” benefiting Blessings in a Backpack will be held on Friday, March 10, at 6:00pm, in the Thelma Keller Convention Center.** Buffet dinner offering foods from around the world will be served. \$50 per person with 100% of money raised to be used to feed local children. Tickets are available at [www.EffinghamBackpack.org](http://www.EffinghamBackpack.org).

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**Family Life Center presents Broadway for Life annual fundraising musical event “Life to Share” on Saturday, March 11, at the Carriage House Event Center.** Dinner tickets are \$25 with meal catered by Deb’s Catering. Doors open at 5:30pm with dinner served at 6:00pm and show to begin at 7:00pm. To reserve your ticket, call 342.5433.

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**Attention Outstanding Diocesan Catholic Female High School Seniors.** The Springfield in Illinois Diocesan Council of Catholic Women is offering four \$500 scholarships for female high school seniors from Catholic & public schools. Cover sheet and resume with letters of recommendations must be sent together and postmarked by March 30, 2017. Applications are in the back of church and available in the parish office.

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**There is a new full-color, 28-page booklet available on advance directives, including legal forms outlining end-of-life health plans.** It includes a recommended health care power of attorney form with additional Catholic suggestions. There is a free download at [www.ilcatholic.org](http://www.ilcatholic.org). For more information, call 312.368.1066 or 217.528.9200.

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**Sacred Heart Council of Catholic Women** invites all ladies of the parish to attend the **2017 SDCCW Retreat “With God All Things are Possible”** on Monday, March 13, and Tuesday, March 14, at the Villa Maria Catholic Life Center, 1903 E. Lake Shore Drive, Springfield, IL. Registration forms are in the back of the church or contact Brenda Ketteiman, Sacred Heart CCW president, at 536.9379 if you would like to attend.

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#### **Confirmation of Adults at Pentecost**

Bishop Paprocki invites Catholics who are catechized but not confirmed (*i.e., who have received catechetical formation and the sacraments of Penance and Holy Eucharist*) to complete the Sacraments of Initiation by celebrating Confirmation at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Springfield. Confirmation of catechized Catholics will be celebrated on Pentecost Sunday (June 4, 2017) at 2:00pm. Additional information and the registration form can be found at [www.dio.org/catechesis/adult-confirmation.html](http://www.dio.org/catechesis/adult-confirmation.html). The registration form which needs to be completed by the pastor/parochial administrator/pastoral facilitator needs to be accompanied with an original baptismal certificate and returned to the Office for Catechesis by Thursday, May 11, 2017. If you have any question, please contact: John Valenti, D.R.E. for adults, at 347.7129.

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**The Grief Support Group meets every Tuesday at 6:15pm, at St. Anthony’s Parish Center.** This group is open to anyone who is grieving the loss of a loved one no matter how recent or how long ago. It is an open group meeting where participants can come as often as they choose. There is no registration, nor requirements, nor time limit. We gather to share our stories and offer support to one another as we walk the grief journey. Any questions or if you would like more information, please call Ann Platt at 217.690.4563.

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#### **Protecting God’s Children Workshop . . .**

##### **St. Francis, Teutopolis**

Monday, March 27 @ 6:30pm-Call 857.6404 to register.

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**Trust in the mercy of God’s love.** *Do you know someone who is carrying the grief and sorrow of past abortions?* Share with them that Project Rachel can help. Call 1-877-RACHEL-5.

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**Worldwide Marriage Encounter** will be held on the weekend of April 21-23. For more information or to register, call 314.649.7317 or go online to [www.stl-wwme.org](http://www.stl-wwme.org).

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**Free Children’s Orthopedic Clinic** by Dr. Timothy Gray will be offered on Thursday, February 23, at 8:00am, at Bonutti Orthopedic Clinic by appointment only. Please call 800.272.0074 to register.

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## School Update . . .

**THANK YOU** for helping us to celebrate Catholic Schools Week! We enjoyed a wonderful week of celebrating our parish, our community, our faith, our school families, and our students and teachers. On behalf of all the students, parents, teachers, and staff at Sacred Heart School, we thank you for your ongoing support of and dedication to our school. You are a blessing to us and we look forward to continuing the strong, faith-filled, and family-oriented atmosphere on which the Sacred Heart School legacy is based.

We are pre-registering for our 2017-18 Kids for Christ pre-school program for Sacred Heart parishioners and current school families. Contact Christy Hakman at 347.7177 to enroll. Registration will be open to the public in March.

Open House and Kindergarten Sneak Peek will be held on Thursday, Feb. 16, from 5:00pm to 7:00pm. The Open House will feature facility tours, curriculum preview, technology demonstrations, and hands-on activities. Register for Sneak Peek by calling 342.4060.

Tuition information and commitment forms for the 2017-18 school year went home with students this past week. Please take time to complete the form and return it to the school so that we can begin planning for next year. If you did not receive the form or have any questions, please contact the school office at 342.4060.

All eighth grade students who will celebrate Confirmation must attend a special retreat on Sunday, Feb. 26, from noon to 4:00pm. Also, all parents with children in grades 2 and 8 (*who are celebrating First Communion or Confirmation*) must attend the 'God Is' Retreat at the same time. Eighth grade students will be in St. Anthony Grade School, while the adults will be in St. Anthony Parish Center. The parent retreat is only required one time so if you attended in the last two years, you do not have to attend again.

Help needed . . . Part-time cook for 3-5 days a week from 10:30am-1:00pm and Club House position from 3:00pm- 5:30pm. Contact Mrs. Wenthe at 342.4060 for more details.

Scrip Cards can be used for your everyday needs including, school supplies, groceries, gas, dining out, clothing, etc. Check out our website at [www.sheff.org](http://www.sheff.org) to see a full listing and order form. Proceeds benefit Sacred Heart School.

### School Calendar

#### Monday, February 13

4:15pm: Volleyball vs. North Clay @ home  
6:00pm: School Board Meeting @ teacher workroom

#### Tuesday, February 14

4:15pm: Volleyball vs Cowden-Herrick @ home

#### Wednesday, February 15

4:15pm: Volleyball @ Windsor

#### Thursday, February 16

5:00pm-7:00pm: Open House @ Sacred Heart School  
6:00pm-7:00pm: Kindergarten Sneak Peek @ Sacred Heart School

#### Saturday, February 18

8th Grade Volleyball NTC Tournament starts

Sacred Heart/St. Anthony Parishes 8th Annual Father/Daughter Dance will be held on Sunday, Feb. 12, at the Effingham K of C. Pictures will be taken from 12:30pm to 1:00pm with dance from 1:00pm to 3:00pm. Spend the afternoon with dad or a special guest dancing, enjoying desserts, and creating memories. \$7.50 per person at the door.

Volunteers are needed to sell Scrip cards on Wednesdays from 11:00am to 1:00pm. Please contact Christy at 347.7177.

Coke rewards caps/labels have been donated to Sacred Heart to redeem for cash for school. *We need your help!* It takes a limited amount of time to enter the codes on their website and it can be done in the comfort of your own home. Contact the parish office at 347.7177 for details.

St. Anthony Work Camp students are hosting a fundraiser at Chipotle Mexican Grill on Friday, Feb. 24, between 4:00pm and 8:00pm. Bring in the flier, show it on your smartphone, or tell the cashier to make sure 50% of the proceeds from that evening will be donated to the students. Fliers are in the back of church.

The next Moms-N-More Luncheon will be held on Thursday, Feb. 23, from noon to 1:00pm, in the Sacred Heart Parish Center. Lunch is provided, and all moms from Sacred Heart Church and School are invited to attend (children welcome!). We'll share a devotion and fellowship. Please RSVP for lunch to Christy at 347.7177.

St. Anthony Moms' Ministry meeting will be Wednesday, Feb. 22, from 8:00pm to 9:30pm, in the St. Anthony High School. Pam Kabbes will be leading an open format discussion. The morning will start with a rosary in the chapel and proceed with discussion in Room 7:7. Enter door #3.

Developmental screenings for all children entering our preschool or kindergarten classes are asked to participate in a free Unit #40 developmental screening at First Presbyterian Church on March 21-24. To schedule an appointment, call Sharon Chesnut at 540.1400.

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**St. Rose Catholic Church Annual Breakfast will be Sunday, Feb. 12, serving from 7:00am to noon, at St. Rose Church basement.** The menu is whole hog sausage, ham, pancakes, eggs, rolls, and drinks. There will be a country store, quilt raffle, and mystery boxes. Prices are \$6.00 for a large plate and \$4.00 for a small plate.

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**Holy Cross Catholic Youth Spaghetti Luncheon will be held on Sunday, Feb. 12, serving from 10:30am to 12:30pm, at the Holy Cross Parish Center, Wendelin.** Meal includes spaghetti, salad, breadsticks, and dessert. There will also be basket and dessert raffles. All proceeds go to the 2017 youth mission trip.

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***“Do Black Patent Leather Shoes Really Reflect Up”*, a Teutopolis Catholic Heart Work Camp Dinner Theatre, will be presented!** Come enjoy dinner and a show on Friday, Feb. 17, or Saturday, Feb. 18, with doors opening at 5:30pm and dinner being served at 6:00pm. The show will follow. Advanced tickets are \$25 per person. On Sunday, Feb. 19, we will have a show only for \$10 per person with tickets sold in advance or at the door. Doors open at 4:30pm and the show begins at 5:00pm. Tickets can be purchased at Hawickhorst and Associates or call 857.3912. *Proceeds will benefit the Teutopolis area students going on the Catholic Heart Work Camp mission trip to Nashville.*

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**Glo Bingo Fundraiser will be held on Friday, Feb. 17, at the Carriage House in Altamont.** Doors open at 6:00pm and bingo starts at 7:00pm. \$20 in advance / \$25 at the door. Price includes 6 bingo cards, glo hat, and glo dabber. To purchase tickets, call 217.540.1413 or 217.348.8741 or stop by Effingham DQ or the Carriage House in Altamont. Proceeds benefit the Big Brothers Big Sisters of Effingham County.

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**St. Clare Catholic Church, Altamont, Sausage Breakfast will be held on Sunday, Feb. 19, from 7:30am to 12:00pm.** The menu includes sausage patties, country ham, scrambled eggs, biscuits and gravy, pancakes, sweet rolls/breads, and drinks. There will also be a quilt raffle. St. Clare is located at 216 N. 9th Street in Altamont. Free-will donation.

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**Sigel St. Michael Swine & Dine Breakfast will be Sunday, Feb. 26, from 7:00am to noon, in the school gym.** The menu is whole hog sausage, eggs, buttermilk pancakes, homemade rolls, breads, and drinks. Large plate is \$6.00; small plate is \$4.00. There will be a craft store, raffle items, and mystery boxes. All proceeds benefit St. Michael School.

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**St. Isidore Youth Ministry Soup Supper will be Sunday, Feb. 26, from 4:00pm to 7:00pm, in the St. Aloysius Parish Center, Bishop Creek.** The menu includes chili, chicken noodle soup, sauerkraut soup, sandwiches, and dessert. There will be a basket raffle.

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**“Retreat for Busy Catholic Moms”** will start at 7:00pm, on Friday, Feb. 17, and ends at 1:30pm, on Sunday, Feb. 19., at Providence Hall Community Room, at Saint Mary-of-the-Woods, in Indiana. Cost is \$225, which includes lodging and meals or \$125 without lodging. Call 812.535.2952 or online at [Events.SistersofProvidence.org](http://Events.SistersofProvidence.org).

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**Process Addictions** are growing at an alarming rate. They include co-dependent behavior, work, electronic devices, gambling, and pornography that plague men & women. If this is an area where the Holy Spirit is calling on you to face and to receive help and healing, then come to a weekend retreat at the Chiara Center on Feb. 17-19. During this retreat, we will help to identify the most common process addictions, discuss how they impact our lives and recovery, and explore ways to address them so they don't overwhelm our lives and vital relationships. To register, email [info@chiaracenter.org](mailto:info@chiaracenter.org) or call 217.523.0901.

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**Physician Assisted Suicide** - Colorado voters recently legalized physician assisted suicide, making them the 5th state to legalize this dangerous practice. It's likely a similar law will be proposed in Illinois. Now is the time to get educated on this issue. Most Catholics know the Church vigorously defends life until natural death. How many have taken the time to understand why? Without that understanding, it's easy to be influenced by the culture that surrounds us and bombards us with the idea that we should do whatever “feels” right. Don't be deceived by this culture! Fortify your beliefs on the solid foundation of Catholic Church teaching. Start your research by visiting [www.usccb.org/toliveeachday](http://www.usccb.org/toliveeachday), or search “USCCB assisted suicide.”

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**Courses for all Catholics - University of Dayton Online Learning** - A new year begins a new opportunity to sign up for the online courses through the Virtual Learning Community for Faith Formation (VLCFF), a program of the Institute for Pastoral Initiatives at the University of Dayton. These adult faith formation courses support the Church's catechetical ministry and are for all Catholics. This means that you can deepen your faith at a time and place convenient to you via the internet. Courses may be taken for undergraduate credit (for an additional fee) and all courses qualify for credit in our diocesan Catechist Formation Process. Registration for the SECOND CYCLE course continues through March 1. This second of seven course cycles begins March 5, 2017. For more information, visit the VLCFF web site at [vlc.udayton.edu](http://vlc.udayton.edu) or contact the Office for Catechesis.

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The Financial Corner 2016-2017			
Income	YTD Actuals	YTD Budget	Total Budget
	Jul 1 - Jan 31	Jul 1 - Jan 31	Jul 1 - Jun 30
Offering	\$325,010.46	\$314,975.00	\$534,725.00
Loose	\$49,218.80	\$46,870.00	\$79,570.00
Holy Days	\$12,328.00	\$18,000.00	\$18,000.00
Other	\$94,269.91	\$70,750.00	\$112,500.00
Tuition & Fees	\$383,361.99	\$365,360.00	\$501,340.00
Fundraisers	\$107,664.75	\$88,750.00	\$270,000.00
Parish Org.	\$98,347.87	\$94,200.00	\$157,000.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,070,201.78</b>	<b>\$998,905.00</b>	<b>\$1,673,135.00</b>
Expenses	YTD Actuals	YTD Budget	Total Budget
	Jul 1 - Jan 31	Jul 1 - Jan 31	Jul 1 - Jun 30
Salaries & Benefits	\$660,493.67	\$698,846.64	\$1,228,263.38
Utilities	\$42,449.55	\$37,975.00	\$65,080.00
Insurance (P & L)	\$26,214.00	\$26,000.00	\$26,000.00
Repairs & Maint.	\$31,802.10	\$26,150.00	\$44,800.00
Supplies	\$63,912.43	\$51,000.00	\$80,000.00
Parish Org.	\$61,118.25	\$78,690.00	\$131,150.00
Other	\$69,496.92	\$71,675.00	\$122,300.00
Fundraisers	\$24,831.03	\$25,000.00	\$45,000.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$980,317.95</b>	<b>\$1,015,336.64</b>	<b>\$1,742,593.38</b>
<b>Net Profit/(Loss)</b>	<b>\$89,883.83</b>	<b>(\$16,431.64)</b>	<b>(\$69,458.38)</b>

Sunday Collection Income		5-Feb-17	Budgeted
Offering ( 243 Env.)		\$12,934.00	\$10,255.00
Loose		\$1,355.00	\$1,526.00
Holy Days		\$10.00	\$0.00
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$14,299.00</b>	<b>\$11,781.00</b>
Diocesan-Other Collections	Received & Not Yet Sent	Collected & Paid Out	YTD Total Collected
Catholic Times	\$2,934.50	\$4,013.50	\$6,948.00
Latin America	\$399.00	\$0.00	\$399.00
Peter's Pence	\$0.00	\$42.00	\$42.00
Mission CO-OP	\$601.00	\$1,600.71	\$2,201.71
Flood Victims	\$0.00	\$2,597.92	\$2,597.92
Retired Religious	\$25.00	\$650.00	\$675.00
Children's Home	\$157.00	\$942.00	\$1,099.00
Catholic Charities	\$0.00	\$518.00	\$518.00
World Mission	\$0.00	\$694.00	\$694.00
Retired Dio Priest	\$0.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Justice & Hope	\$0.00	\$381.00	\$381.00
Cemetery Fund	\$10.00	\$2,271.00	\$2,281.00
FACE program	\$1,170.00	\$8,700.00	\$9,870.00
Mission Trip	\$12,192.14	\$9,701.55	\$21,893.69
Bolivia Mission	\$1,150.00	\$3,492.00	\$4,642.00
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$18,638.64</b>	<b>\$35,623.68</b>	<b>\$54,262.32</b>

The programs, services, & ministries supported by the **Annual Catholic Services Appeal** meet the larger diocesan needs of Catholics and others in the Diocese of Springfield in Illinois.


**Our ACSA goal for 2016-17 is \$48,944.**

**To date, \$32,011 has been collected.**

We invite you to start directing your weekly tithing to the Diocese. **Simply make your check payable to ACSA (with Sacred Heart Church in the memo line)**, ACSA on the envelope, and drop it in the collection. Any questions, call Mark Volk at 347.7177.

**St. Anthony High School's 20th Annual Corvette Raffle is in progress.** The first early bird drawing will be held on March 15. The grand prize drawing will be held at Funfest 2017 on Sept. 14-17. For information, to order online, or a printable entry form, visit: [corvette.stanthony.com](http://corvette.stanthony.com). Only 1,800 grand prize tickets available.

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**Bolivian Mission Trip lead by Carol Toney . . .**

I'm leading a team to Bolivia on my annual mission trip March 1-10 with ten volunteers. If you have a gently used laptop or iPad you could donate, we will be taking these to start a computer lab. All the data needs to be cleaned off, but leave Word and Excel programs. Along with construction & gardening projects, we will be working with the school children to raise guinea pigs for protein in their diets. If you would like to make a tax-deductible donation for medical supplies, give a gift of a laptop, or contribute to the "guinea pig" project, please let me know. *Checks can be sent to:*

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