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The Seventeenth Sunday
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July 25, 2021



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- Pastoral Care:** Ed Kemnitz, Tom Mattan
- Bereavement:** Deacon Ries
- Prayer Chain:** Parish Office
- Divorced Ministry:** Deacon Ries

Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:15 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Outdoor Communion Sundays: 9:45 - 10:00 am

Reconciliation:

Monday & Tuesday 8:45 am; Thursday 5:00 pm

Saturdays 3:30 - 4:30 pm

For activities in the Quad Cities, go to:

<http://catholicquadcities.com>

Traveling? www.masstimes.org to find Masses

We warmly welcome new parishioners and ask them to register at the Parish Office. Individuals interested in becoming Catholic may contact Fr. Daniel Gifford or call the Parish Office.



MONDAY, July 26 St. Joachim and St. Anne
8:00 am Mark Wyffels+

TUESDAY, July 27 Weekday
8:00 am Margaret and Emil Klingler+

WEDNESDAY, July 28 Weekday
8:00 am Betty Atwell+

THURSDAY, July 29 Sts. Martha, Mary, and Lazarus
5:45 pm Mike Rogers+

FRIDAY, July 30 St. Peter Chrysologus
8:00 am No Mass - Communion Service

SATURDAY, July 31 Vigil of 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:00 pm Marilyn Griggs+

SUNDAY, August 1 Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:15 am Shawn Egert+
10:30 am People of the Parish



Weekend Mass Schedules for Sacred Heart in
Annawan and St. Anthony's in Atkinson

St. Anthony

4:00 pm Saturday

9:30 am Sunday

Sacred Heart

8:00 am Sunday

OFFICE HOURS:

Mon - Thurs 8 am - 3 pm; Fridays 8 -1.

*Bulletin articles **MUST** be submitted no later than
12:00 noon on Tuesdays.*

READINGS FOR SUNDAY - August 1, 2021

1st Reading: Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15

I will rain down bread from heaven for you.

Responsorial: Psalm 145

R./: "The Lord gave them bread from heaven."

2nd Reading: Ephesians 4:17, 20-24

Put on the new self that has been created in God's way.

Gospel: John 6:24-35

*Whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever
believes in me will never thirst.*





Summer Cookout

Jr. High Youth Ministry Members & Families
Saturday, July 31
Following Mass until 8:00 PM
In the Mahoney Shelter & Youth Room

Cursillo Mass & Picnic

Sunday, July 25 ~ 2:00 pm
Let's gather together as Cursillistas and
celebrate the gift of Cursillo.
Guests and children are welcome!

Student Services Project

We are still collecting items for local students in need. Please place donations in the designated area in the Narthex by the end of the month.

Items needed:

Drug store/Medical Items: Tylenol, cough drops, Band-Aids, antibiotic ointment, lip balm, hand lotion.

Snack Items: juice boxes, granola bars, snack pack pudding, other Snack Items

Laundry Supplies: LIQUID detergent, laundry bag, laundry baskets.

Toiletries: shampoo & conditioner, toothbrush & toothpaste, dental floss, non-alcoholic mouthwash, disposable double-edged razors, shaving cream or gel, soap, (bar and liquid) deodorant, feminine hygiene products.

Clothing of all sizes:

Serviceable, used clothing is acceptable, exception: used shoes, underwear, (Kindergarten size and up) coats & hooded sweatshirts, scarves, gloves, stocking hats, shirts, jeans & slacks, shoes, socks, shower flip flops, pajamas.

Gift Cards: Fareway, WalMart, Walgreens, Farm & Fleet, Gas, or cash donations are also appreciated.



**Knights of
Columbus**

The St. Malachy Knights of Columbus is hosting
a Fareway cook out from
11:00am-1:00pm on Friday, July 30.
Proceeds to benefit the Parish.



Eucharistic Adoration

Mondays 3 - 8 pm

Thurs 4:30 pm

(8:30 am on the 1st Fridays
& 1st Saturdays)

The guest of our soul knows our misery; He
comes to find an empty tent within us - that is all
He asks.

~Therese of Lisieux~

Liturgy Leanings

We are continuing Ordinary Time into August with the 18th Sunday. Ordinary Time will end with the 34th Sunday on November 22. It comes from the Latin word Ordo, which means order in English and is the period of watchfulness and expectation for the second coming of Christ.

Some of the feast days during August are:

8/4 St. John Vianney - known as the Cure' of Ars.

8/6 Feast of the Transfiguration - when Jesus is changed in the presence of Peter, James, and John which highlights Jesus' divinity and glory.

8/14 St. Maximilian Kolbe - priest who offered himself as a substitute to save the life of a young father by their Nazi captors.

8/15 Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary - At her death, God assumed her bodily into heaven where she now enjoys full union with her Lord.

8/21 St. Pius X - Pope Pius reformed the liturgy, promoted the Gregorian Chant, and lowered the age of first Communion, from 12 to 7 years.

8/28 St. Augustine - Bishop & Doctor of the Church, he was a theologian and philosopher. He died on 8/28/430 AD. From Hippo, North Africa, St. Augustine reminds us that God never gives up on us, even if at times we give up on ourselves or give up on him.

Dear St. Malachy Parishioners,



"Is He not the carpenter's son?" (Matthew 13:55). Saint Joseph, Foster-Father of the Son of God, Zealous Defender of Christ, Model of Workmen, pray for us! As the words on the bottom of the monthly theme-verse-illustration ("His most important work in wood and nails was still yet to be done...") indicate, the fact that God called Him to learn the trade of a carpenter seems to be a bit of a subtle hint at the culmination of His mission, which would be accomplished with wood and nails. I must confess that my thoughts on this were helped by a beautiful song called "Wood and Nails," by a musical collective called Porter's Gate. Look it up and I don't think you'll be disappointed. But let's turn our hearts toward this culmination of Our Lord's mission, when He would be nailed to the wood of the cross for our salvation. Of course, even this is only part of the culmination. It is the centerpiece of the Paschal Mystery, which began the night before when He gathered His Apostles for the Last Supper and gave them the gifts of the Eucharist and of the Priesthood - gifts meant to be shared - gifts meant to give us all a share in His Paschal Mystery, in His Death and Resurrection. This weekend, we begin a series of weeks in our Lectionary, to focus on the clearest teaching on the Holy Eucharist in the Gospel: John 6. We read the beginning of the story when He multiplies the loaves. Next week, we will begin to hear what happens when He returns to the shore the next day, only to find the hungry crowds back for more. Our Lord will take this opportunity to prepare them for the greater gift He will give them: the Bread of Life. I look forward to breaking open this beautiful Bread of Life discourse with you in the weeks to come, as we grow together toward a deeper understanding and appreciation of the Holy Eucharist - the gift of His Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity, hidden under the appearance of Bread and Wine. Blessed are those called to the Supper of the Lamb.

In Christ through Mary,
Fr. Daniel P. Gifford

St. Malachy, Pray for us



thank you

The last several months have been very challenging for the Hughes Family. Mary Helen's cancer was a devastating experience for all of us. We have appreciated the encouraging words and promises of prayer from the people of St. Malachy Parish during her illness. We were constantly amazed at the number of people who provided us with food, cards, flowers and encouragement during these trying times. The support did not stop with Mary's demise. The funeral was an exceptional recognition of her many years of devotion and contribution to the community in general and St. Malachy Parish in particular. The funeral luncheon demonstrated the capacity to work as a team, and willingness to put forth an exceptional effort despite the long absence of this activity. The monetary donations will be given to St. Malachy Parish and School, as well as the St. Joseph Indian School in Chamberlain, South Dakota, which has been a favorite of Mary's for many years and its worthiness has been confirmed during our visits. Thank you all for your recognition of a life well lived. ~ Tom Hughes

ONLINE GIVING

If you are receiving envelopes and are not using them, please let us know and we will cancel the mailing. Consider using online giving. Go to our website or call the office. Going to be gone for month or more? Let us know so we can place a hold on the them.

Lay Ministers needed

We are in need of lay ministers for August & September. Please call the office if you would like to join the team. You are welcome to sign up as often as you are able.
309-944-5393

Diocesan 25th & 50th Wedding Anniversary Celebration

If you are celebrating 25 or 50 years of marriage in 2021, notify the parish office. Each couple will receive a personal invitation this summer from the Bishop to attend a Mass on September 26th at 3:30 pm in your honor.

St. Malachy's CCD Program

is in need of teachers and volunteers for the 2021/2022 school year.

For more information or if interested, please contact Mike Roemer at mlroemer75@yahoo.com or call the parish office at 309-944-5393 and leave a message.

REGISTRATION

Registration for the 2021/2022 CCD Program will begin on Monday, August 2 please see the parish website for details and the registration form.

There will also be an in-person registration on Sunday, August 22, 11:30 to 1:30 and Wednesday, August 25, from 5:30 PM – 7:30 PM.



18th Annual Cursillo Golf Fundraiser

August 21, 2021
Valley View Golf Club
Cambridge, IL

If you are interested in forming a team you will find the team participation forms available on the bulletin board in the narthex.



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GIFTS FOR GOD: July 18, 2021

Weekly Gifts	(Goal: \$13,000)	\$28,625
School Endow.	(Goal: \$ 750)	\$1,249
Paraclete Fund	(Goal: \$ 750)	\$1,214
Capital Improve.	(Goal: \$ 750)	\$2,424

Week 3	Budget	Actual	Avg	Variance
Weekly	\$39,000	\$49,503	\$16,501	\$10,503
School End.	\$2,250	\$2,322	\$774	\$72
Paraclete	\$2,250	\$2,137	\$712	(\$113)
Cap Improve.	\$2,250	\$3,742	\$1,247	\$1,492

Parish Sacrificial Giving:

1% donated to
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Looking for a part time job?

We can be flexible, but are looking for someone Monday - Friday from 3:00-7:00 pm to clean the school. This position will begin August 12, when school starts. Please pick up an application and return it to the Church Office.



Whatever you do
WORK AT IT WITH 
ALL YOUR heart
as WORKING FOR THE LORD
not for men
Colossians 3:23



LOST & FOUND

Did you recently lose a gift card?
One was found in the church. Please stop by the church office to claim it.



DAILY PRAYERS FOR VOCATIONS

Please Pray for these Seminarians:

*Paul Rupert Ben Schoonmaker
Chase Stevens Francis Strong
Jonathan Swoik Thomas Williams
Jack Watt*

Are you feeling called to serve as a priest or other religious? If so, contact Fr. Chase Hilgenbrink: 309-671-1550 or email him: fr_hilgenbrinck@cdop.org

Grief Support Group

St Malachy's Geneseo, IL will be running a 6 week Circle of Healing grief support group for anyone who has lost a loved one starting Monday July 26th at 6:30pm in the Conference room. If you are interested or want more information please contact Deacon Art Ries or Cindy Ries at 945-2734/945-2733 email 47ries@gmail.com, or Cathie Stinson at 945-5393 stinsoncathie@saintmalachy.org, or leave a message at the St Malachy's parish office at 944-5393. All are welcome to come.

Upcoming TEC Weekends



Aug. 2-4, 2021 (Girls)
Aug. 7-9, 2021 (Boys)
Oct. 9-11, 2021 (Girls)
Dec. 3-6, 2021 (Boys)



For more info, visit www.northwest-tec.com



St. Malachy Catholic School

SEARCH:

PRINCIPAL & OFFICE ASSISTANT

St. Malachy School is seeking applications for the position of principal of its parish elementary school starting with the 2021-2022 school year. The school has grades K-6 with an enrollment of 116.

A principal application package outlining qualifications and procedures is available at <https://cdop.org/careers/> or by calling the Office of Catholic Schools at 309-671-1550. A review of applications will start in late July. Visit the school website at www.saintmalachy.org.

St. Malachy School is also looking for an office assistant to work in the office from 11:00am-1:00pm Monday-Friday. Please contact the school office at 309-944-3230 or find more information on the school website listed above.

St. Malachy **SATURDAY AUG. 14** **SUMMER FEST 2PM- 9PM**

LIVE CHRISTIAN MUSIC FROM SHAUN EASTON 6- 8!

FOOD TRUCKS: BIG BLACK BOX & CAFÉ 129 4- 7PM

FUNNEL CAKES: BY KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 4- 7PM

BEER + WINE: FROM GENESEO BREWING CO. 4- 7PM

ADULT BAGS TOURNAMENT: NON-COMPETITIVE
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SIGNUPS STARTING AT 1:30. MATCHES START AT 2PM
\$20 ENTRY FEE DUE AT SIGN UP.

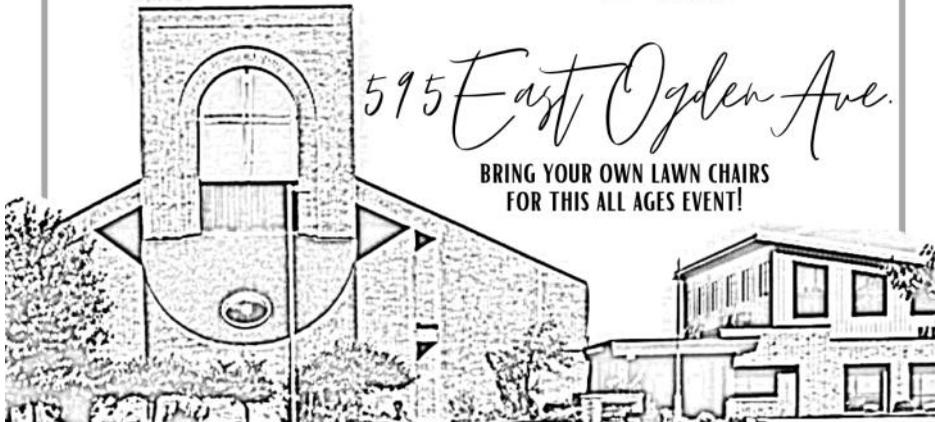
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START AT 2PM \$20 FOR 3 CARDS/15 GAMES.
NICE CASH PRIZES! FUN FOR ALL AGES.

DUNK TANK: 2- 4PM THERE WILL BE A SPECIAL GUEST TO DUNK!

KIDS WET+WACKY KICKBALL: STARTS AT 2PM
PREPARE TO GET WET!

KIDS FACE PAINTING: 2- 5PM

KIDS FOAM DANCE PARTY: 8- 9PM



August 2021 Newsletter



In Geneseo, school starts August 12. The Food Pantry is distributing school supplies August 5 and 6 during business hours. Parents of Geneseo School District students in need of school supplies should contact the Food Pantry at 944-3165. Students in need are provided with backpacks, supplies needed for their grade level, new socks and underwear, and a shoe voucher. Thank you to all who donated school supplies or monetary donations so that local students are prepared for their first day of school!

If you are interested in contributing to the cost of a client's rent or utilities, you may write that in the memo of your check, and it will be distributed accordingly.

We have a red donation drop box for food donations located in the vestibule of Fareway for your convenience. You may also donate at the Food Pantry during our business hours: Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday 9-12 and 1-4, and Friday 9-12.

Is your garden starting to overflow with produce? Please feel free to drop off any extra to the Food Pantry by 4:00 p.m. any Monday so it will be available for food distribution day on Tuesday. Our clients always appreciate fresh produce!

As the school year begins and fall approaches, our clients will be in need of lightweight jackets, long sleeve shirts and jeans. A large number of families and individuals use the items donated by the community to reduce the cost of clothing for their household. Our Volunteer of the Month, Elaine Humphrey, has been volunteering for more than four years. She sorts and displays donations in the clothing room, and helps guests sign in on food distribution days. Elaine has a husband, two daughters, five grandchildren, and a cat. She enjoys gardening, reading, museums, antiques, and needlepoint. Elaine said the best thing about volunteering is helping people, and she is happy to assist guests to find what they need in the clothing room. Thank you for volunteering, Elaine!

Food needs for the month of August are: Beef broth, soup mix, ranch dressing, canned salmon, and juice.

Non-food needs are: Dryer sheets, aluminum foil, freezer bags, and pull ups

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