

The Window



St. Anthony Catholic Church
February 2018



Wednesday, February 14

Parish Pastoral Council January 15, 2018 – 6:30 pm

Present: Scott Summers, Pat Bronner, Larry Schaefer, Phyllis Johnson, Lettie Buchanan, Gary Braman, Richard Palladino.

Absent: Fr. George, Patty Wright, Jesus Castillo, Tony Gill, Carmel Morris, Bruce Balsama.

Non-member: Matilde Braman, Olin Yancey.

Fr. George Report:

1. One of our long-time parishioners Mr. Douglas Krzyzewski, whom I anointed on 10-27-2017 and suffered from cancer for nearly about two years, died on 11-18-2017. In honor of him, the funeral service was celebrated on 12-5-2017 at 10:00 a.m. in our church. Your prayers are requested for the repose of his precious soul.
2. On 12-08-2017, the **Feast of Immaculate Conception of Blessed Mother**, the patroness of America was celebrated with two Masses in our church at 8:30 a.m. and at 7:00 p.m. Thanks to the Hispanic Community for donating a new statue of Blessed Mother to the Church and the colorful decoration on the occasion.
3. On 10-08-2017, the **Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe** was celebrated by the Hispanic Community in a unique Hispanic traditional way with various programs. The celebration began with music at 1:00 p.m., solemn mass by Fr. David at 2:00 p.m. and followed by reception in the social hall.
4. **The Advent Penance Service** was celebrated on Thursday, 12-14-17 at 7:00pm. Fr. Klasek from St. Paul Church, Tullahoma and Fr. Louis from St. William Church, Shelbyville assisted Father during the service.
5. **The Christmas Children's Program** was staged on Sunday, 12-17-2017 in our Church. The children marveled everyone with their performance on the occasion. Congratulations to the children and sincere thanks to the parents, teachers, organizers, and volunteers for their time and talents for making it grand.
6. This year's Christmas Celebration followed just after the usual weekend masses. On Sunday, 12-24-2017 the Christmas Eve Mass was crowded, and began with a Special Music program by the Choir at 7:00 p.m. followed by the Blessing of the Manger and the solemn sung Mass at 7:30 p.m. On Monday, 12-25-17, the Christmas Day Mass was celebrated. Thanks to the enchanting Choir, the Spiritual Life committee members, the decoration committee, the lectors, the acolytes, the ushers, and the volunteers for investing their talents and treasure for making the Christmas Celebration a grand success.
7. Mr. Max Brown and Elise got married on Saturday, 12-30-2017 at the 10:00 a.m. wedding Mass and a reception was followed in the Social Hall. Congratulations to the newly married couple.

Finance Board Report: Bruce Balsama

Committee Budget copies for Fiscal July 1, 2017-June 30, 2018 were given to those chairpersons present.

Capital Campaign Committee Report: Richard Paladino

Today, the City provided the results of the water flow tests conducted on January 11, for the St. Anthony fire hydrant, and the fire hydrant at the corner of Liberty Rd and Huntsville Hwy. As a result of water line improvements over the past 4 months, the combined flow from the two hydrants is now deemed sufficient by the City to meet building code requirements, assuming "fire sprinkling" of the facility.

Final building plans (to include fire sprinkling) should be completed in the next 30 days for submittal to the State Fire Marshal office for review/approval. With that approval a Building permit can be requested from the City.

With the water system approval we can hopefully finally make some progress.

Building & Grounds – Tony Gill

No report.

Family Life – Carmel Morris

Hosted a Christening reception for Jordan Bolton in December. Jordan is the son of Jason Melton.

Hospitality & Outreach – Phyllis Johnson

On February 13th we will have our annual Mardi Gras Mass and Luncheon at 11am.

Religious Education & Formation – Scott Summers/Patty Wright, DRE
Scott Summers briefly talked about the "No Gun" policy report from the Diocese.

Spiritual Life & Worship – Larry Schaefer

1. Richard Paladino conducted a thoughtful three session Advent retreat. Thanks to Richard and all those who attended each session.
2. The Christmas decorations and flowers for the sanctuary and church were beautiful. Thanks to all for their time, talent, treasure, and thoughtfulness.
3. The Christmas children's program, tree lighting, and supper was well attended and great success. Thanks to all the adult leaders, children, families, and food providers for this annual Christmas event.
4. The special Christmas music provided by the director, organists, and choir during the Christmas season is greatly appreciated and thanks to all for their work and practice.
5. Thanks to all those who took time to volunteer for lector, Eucharistic minister, server, usher, and gift assignments for the Christmas eve and day services.
6. Congratulations to Jordan Bolton and his family for his baptismal celebration.
7. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Max Brown and their families for their nuptial celebration.

Social Action – Lettie Buchanan

Thank you cards were read from the families that were given gifts during Christmas.

Good Samaritan -

Powdered Milk -

Good Samaritan Volunteers -

AT-Large – Gary Braman

Issue #1 – Harvest Happening Improvement Report. Gary passed out copies of the previously submitted Harvest happening Improvement Report. Council members are to review the report and be prepared to discuss at the 19 February 2018 Parish Pastoral Council meeting when Father George is present. Gary reported that he had previously contacted 15 parishes in the southern section of the Nashville diocese that were similar in size to St. Anthony's. He inquired if they had an event similar to our Harvest Happening and described our event. The results of the inquiries are documented in the report.

Issue #2 – Church Security Meeting. On Tuesday, 28 November 2017, Gary Braman, Richard Paladino, and Scott Summers attended a meeting on Church security sponsored by the Fayetteville Police Department. The meeting commenced at 5:00 pm in the City Municipal Building. SGT Scotty Vaughn, Fayetteville Police Department, gave an approximately 1-hour presentation on church security. The focus of the presentation was the response to an active shooter. This procedure entailed three steps – **Avoid, Deny, Defend (ADD)**. He stressed the use of ushers in preventing an attack and the need for their proper training. He reviewed the process of conducting a security survey on the church and the need for a security team. The teams would be utilized during all church events to include mass, CCD, and other social events. Gary stated that he is working on a plan for the church which includes responses to active shooters and various weather emergencies. He stated he will have a draft copy ready for PPC review approximately a week before the next PPC meeting in February. There are two issues which need to be discussed at that meeting which include formation of a security team and the use of ushers in the security process.

Hispanic Community Integrator – Jesus Castillo

No report.

Communications – Pat Bronner

Pictures were taken of Christmas events and of the Max & Elise Brown Wedding. Copies of prints were given out.

New Business:

Richard Palladino suggested a "Thank you" reception for Fr Bob Weiss in appreciation for being with us during Fr George's trip to India. The office will be notified for the possibility.

Next meeting: February 19, 2018

Adjourned: 6:55pm

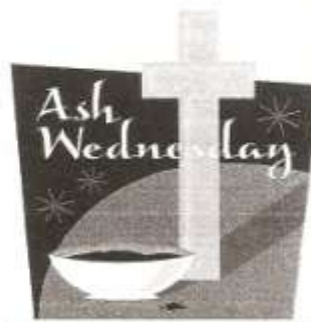
Pat Bronner – PPC Secretary

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"HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY - FEBRUARY 14TH"



February	Happy Birthday	Happy Anniversary
1	Christopher Cain, Elvia Martinez-Garcia	
4	Andrea Castillo	Juan & Fidelina Boyzo
5	Ellen Brinkmeyer, Maria Martinez	
6	Michele Petersen, Matilde Braman	
8		James & Kathy Anderson
9	Ana Waggoner	
10	Devon Balsama, Luis Felipe Ruiz	
11	Scott Summers, Lourdes Along	
12		Leonardo & Enedina Ruiz-Sanchez
15		John & Joyce Dunn
17	James Anderson	
18	Mary Zalenski	
19	Jerry Benson, Maria Trinidad Becerril	
20	Aundrea Welch, Maria Roth	
21	Pam Monaghan, Ricky Patterson, Paul Gassett	Theodore & Juanita Napierala
22		Juan & Camerina Sanchez-Solis
23	Aidan Pace, Angela McCue	
25	Natanael Garcia-Ruiz, Joyce Shanklin	Greg & Ashley Trammell
26	Jorge Castaneda, Josephine Moore	
28	Bruce Balsama, Juana Martinez, Jorge Ayala, Manuel Ruiz	
29	William Dunning	



February 14

****February 2018 Announcements****

50's Plus Game Night – 4th Monday monthly at 6:00pm. Contact Tom or Pat Bronner for more information.

K of C Meeting – 2nd Tuesday monthly at 7:30pm.

Parish Council Meeting – 3rd Monday Monthly at 6:30pm. (None in June or July)

Spanish Group – Sundays after 8:30am mass.

Altar Linens – Martha Wolf

Choir – Sundays after 8:30am mass. Contact Michele Wilson, Director for more information. (Every other Sunday during summer)

CCD – Sundays after mass. Contact Patty Wright, Director or Scott Summers.

CYO Meeting – Contact Patty Wright for more information.

SLAY – 4th Wednesday monthly 6-8pm. Contact Michele Johnson at 732-4138.

Rosary Devotion - 1st Saturday monthly at 9:30am – 11:30am. Contact Glecy Weir at 227-6298 for more information.

Bunco – 3rd Thursday, Monthly at 6pm.

Quilling Club – 2nd Wednesday at 6pm.

Stations of the Cross – Fridays, Feb.16 – March 30

Mardi Gras Mass & Luncheon – Feb. 13 at 11am

Ash Wednesday Masses – Feb. 14 at 8:30am & 7pm

K of C Fish Fry – Fridays, February 23 & March 16



*Thank you Fr Bob Weiss for being with us during Fr George's India trip.

February 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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4 Mass 8:30am CCD Hispanic Youth Group 12pm	5	6 No Mass 9am	7 Mass 9am	8 Mass 9am	9 Mass 9am Hispanic Rosary 12pm	10 Mass 5:30pm Sp Serv 7pm
11 Mass 8:30am CCD Hispanic Youth Group 12pm	12 Quilling Club 5-8pm	13 Mass 11am Mardi Gras Luncheon K of C Meet 7:30pm	14 Valentine's Day Ash Wednesday Mass 8:30am & 7pm	15 Mass 9am Salad Supper & Bunco 6pm	16 Mass 9am Station of the Cross - 6pm	17 Mass 5:30pm Sp Serv 7pm
18 Mass 8:30am CCD Hispanic Youth Group 12pm	19 Parish Council 6:30pm	20 Mass 9am	21 Mass 9am	22 Mass 9am	23 Mass 9am Station of the Cross - 6pm Fish Fry 5-7pm	24 Mass 5:30pm Sp Serv 7pm
25 Mass 8:30am CCD Hispanic Youth Group 12pm	26 50's Plus Game Night 6pm	27 Mass 9am	28 Mass 9am STAY Meet 6-8pm			

February 2018 Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Lectors</u>	<u>Ministers</u>	<u>Acolytes</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Gifts</u>
Feb 3	Kathy Anderson	Julie W-T, Paula M Mary Frances J	Dan Jones Natalie S, Wyatt P	Jim Anderson Jerry Benson	Jim Anderson Family
Feb 4	Martha Wolf Richard Paladino	Debra & Larry Schaefer Sharon Ruhlander	Conrad P, Quentin P Abraham Landa	Lonnie George Kaye George	Cox Family
Feb 10	Ed Kizima	Gary B, Lettie B Phyllis Johnson	Dan Jones Natalie S, Wyatt P	Randy Patterson Ana Waggoner	Randy Patterson Family
Feb 11	Phyllis Holt Patty Wright	Martha W, Becky H Tina Cole	Libby W, Mayra M Marlene Cruz	Grad Wright Tommy Wilson	Pfeiffer Family
Feb 17	Gary Braman	Mary F, Phyllis J Mark Andersen	Dan Jones Natalie S, Wyatt P	Julie West-Troy	Tito Family
Feb 18	John Cain Mike Gamino	Lavonne D, Patty W Sherrie Gill	Gretchen R, Kaelynn J Vincent Ruhlander	Tom Bronner Bill Dunning	Ruhlander Family
Feb 24	Donnie Keib	Julie W-T, Paula M Mary Frances Jones	Dan Jones Natalie S, Wyatt P	Ana Waggoner Geri Jones	Ana Waggoner Mark & Jionela A
Feb 25	Youth	Becky H, Sharon R Joann Santa Maria	Eli W, Frank Brown Emily Castillo	Youth (Grad Wright)	Youth

March 2018 Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Lectors</u>	<u>Ministers</u>	<u>Acolytes</u>	<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Gifts</u>
March 3	Kathy Anderson	Gary B, Lettie B Ellen B	Dan Jones Natalie S, Wyatt P	Jim Anderson Jerry Benson	Jim Anderson Family
March 4	Larry Schaefer Joann SantaMaria	Martha W, Becky H Patty Wright	Tejal M, Karina C Lucy Ruiz-Sanchez	Lonnie George Kaye George	Harris Family
March 10	Ed Kizima	Mary F, Mark A Phyllis J	Dan Jones Natalie S, Wyatt P	Ellen Brinkmeyer Tom Brinkmeyer	Clarence/Nancy Eck Ellen B
March 11	John Cain Mike Gamino	Lavonne D, Patty W Sherrie Gill	Ruthie R, Luis Ruiz Omar Ruiz	Grad Wright Tommy Wilson	Morris Family
March 17	Gary Braman	Julie W-Troy, Paula M Mary Frances Jones	Dan Jones Natalie S, Wyatt P	Randy Patterson Phyllis Johnson	Randy Patterson Family
March 18	Martha Wolf Richard Paladino	Debra S, Larry S Sharon Ruhlander	Conrad P, Jontae J Abraham Landa	Tom Bronner Bill Dunning	Suszczynski Family
March 24	Donnie Keib	Lettie B, Ellen B Gary Braman	Dan Jones Natalie S, Wyatt P	Ana Waggoner Gerl Jones	Ana Waggoner Mark & Jionela A
March 25	Youth	Lavonne D, Martha W Joann Santa Maria	Libby W, Quentin P Angel Martinez	Youth (Tom Bronner)	Youth
March 31	**Sign Up Sheet				
April 1	**Sign Up Sheet				