

# The Window



St. Anthony Catholic Church  
September 2017



September 4

## **Parish Pastoral Council August 21, 2017 – 6:30 pm**

**Present:** Fr George, Scott Summers, Pat Bronner, Lettie Buchanan, Richard Paladino, Tony Gill, Bruce Balsama, Carmel Morris.

**Absent:** Patty Wright, Larry Schaefer, Jesus Castillo, Gary Braman, Phyllis Johnson.

**Prayer and Reflection:** John 14:21-26

**Fr. George Report:** "Welcome Carmel Morris as our new Family Life chairman".

1. I got the opportunity to attend the "Diocesan Convocation" held in Chattanooga from 06-05-17 to 06-08-2017 and I enjoyed my time of reflection and spiritual rejuvenation. Thanks for your prayers.
2. Representing the Church, I attended the elaborate funeral services for **Bishop David Choby** held at Catholic Pastoral Center on 06-10-2017. Nearly 16 Bishops from different Dioceses and a vast number of priests and faithful attended the service. Let us continue to pray for the repose of the soul of Bishop Choby.
3. Mrs. Bernie Sokol passed away on 06-13-17. In honor of Bernie, the visitation followed by the funeral Mass was celebrated on 06-19-17 in the Church and the Rite of Committal was conducted at Rose Hill Cemetery. A reception was given for the family members and friends in our social hall. Thanks to the Hospitality Committee and volunteers for their hard work and generosity for the sumptuous meal provided on the occasion.
4. Mrs. Billie Presti passed away on 06-19-2017. In honor of Billie, the funeral Mass was celebrated on 06-23-2017 in the Church and the Rite of Committal at Wright Cemetery. A reception was held after the funeral service in the social hall by Hospitality Committee and the volunteers. Thanks for everyone for their hospitality and cooperation for serving the family.
5. The Summer Vacation Bible was conducted from 06-19-2017 to 06-23-2017. Nearly 30 children attended the program. The children enjoyed the program with lots of fun. The program was concluded by the Mass on Friday, in conjunction with the celebration of the Feast of Sacred Heart. Thanks to the Family Life Committee, teachers, teenage leaders and the volunteers for their talents and treasure.
6. On Sunday, June 25th I had to cancel the 8.30 a.m. Mass after receiving direction from the Fayetteville City Police Officers due to the fire tragedy in the apartment building adjacent to our Church. The church hall was open to help the affected families. The rest rooms and social hall were open and the victims were provided food and drinks until the afternoon. I thank all those who helped showed our Christian love in action. On the weekend of July 1&2, under the leadership of the Knights of Columbus, a special voluntary collection was taken to generate further help for the affected families.
7. On Saturday, July 8<sup>th</sup>, David and Kerry Blevins got married in our Church and a reception was followed in honor of them in the Social Hall. **Congratulations and Best Wishes to the newly married couple for a successful married life.**
8. In honor of Janie Lee George, the sister of Lonnie George, who passed away on August 7, 2017, a funeral Service was celebrated in our Church. Family members, relatives, friends, representatives of the Champ Presbyterian Church, and St. Anthony Church attended the service. Let us keep Janie and the George family in our prayers.
9. On, Sunday, 20th August, an Information Session for the RCIA was held in our Social Hall. Just to inform you, that no one attend the session. We hope that in the coming days, we will have more interest. If anyone approaches you please, contact Mr. Richard Paladino.

**Finance Board Report:** Bruce Balsama

Committee Budgets for July 1, 2017 - June 30, 2018 were given out and reviewed.

**Capital Campaign Committee Report:** Richard Paladino

The city of Fayetteville continues to refuse to answer questions from the Diocesan attorney's as requested by law. We will be meeting with the Diocesan attorney's on August 22 to discuss potential alternatives for the path forward to eventually obtain the required Building Permit.

In the interim the "yellow house" has been cleaned and the Ac/Heat system repaired, and classroom tables and chairs made available for CCD for the coming year, until such time as a "Building Permit" for new construction can be obtained.

**Building & Grounds** – Tony Gill

No report.

**Family Life** – Carmel Morris

St. Anthony Parish Picnic is Sunday, September 17<sup>th</sup> at 5pm by the pavilions. Hamburgers and hot dogs will be provided. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share. Come join us for fun and games.

Tricia Tito - Vacation Bible School was held June 19-23. The theme was Maker Fun Factory - Created by God, Built for a Purpose. We had a great turnout each day and all the children really enjoyed the activities and snacks. Thank you to all who volunteered and donated supplies to help make it a successful week! (e-mail submit)

**Hospitality & Outreach** – Phyllis Johnson

No report.

**Religious Education & Formation** – Scott Summers/Patty Wright, DRE

No report.

**Spiritual Life & Worship** – Larry Schaefer

No report.

**Social Action** – Lettie Buchanan

Good Samaritan – June - 67 food boxes were given out. July – 58 food boxes were given out. August – 31 food boxes were given out.

Powdered Milk – June - 24 qrts., donation of \$35.94, and 9 misc. items. July - 60 qrts., donation \$20.42. August – 50 qrts.

Good Samaritan Volunteers – St Anthony volunteers will be in the office August 28, 29, & 30.

\*The office will be closed September 4 for Labor Day.

**AT-Large** – Gary Braman

No report.

**Hispanic Community Integrator** – Jesus Castillo

No report.

**Communications** – Pat Bronner

The 37<sup>th</sup> Harvest Happening meeting is Thursday, August 24 at 7pm. Attendance is very important to this meeting in order to continue with the planning and any possible changes that may need to be made.

**New Business**

None

**Next meeting:** September 18, 2017

**Adjourned:** 6:50pm

Pat Bronner – PPC Secretary

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# 2017 – 2018 CCD Calendar

CLASS TIME 9:45-10:45

CLASS TIME FOR SACRAMENT CLASSES: 9:45-11:00am

|              |  |
|--------------|--|
| August 27    | CCD Kick-off                                   |
| September 3  | No Class -Labor Day                            |
| September 10 | CCD Class                                      |
| September 17 | CCD Class                                      |
| September 24 | CCD Class                                      |
| October 1    | CCD Class                                      |
| October 8    | No Class - Harvest Happening/Fall Break        |
| October 15   | CCD Class                                      |
| October 22   | CCD Class                                      |
| October 29   | CCD Class                                      |
| November 5   | CCD Class                                      |
| November 12  | CCD Class                                      |
| November 19  | CCD Class                                      |
| November 26  | No Class - Thanksgiving Break                  |
| December 3   | CCD Class                                      |
| December 10  | CCD Class                                      |
| December 17  | CCD Class                                      |
| December 24  | No Class - Christmas Break                     |
| December 31  | No Class - New Year's Break                    |
| January 7    | CCD Class                                      |
| January 14   | CCD Class                                      |
| January 21   | CCD Class                                      |
| January 28   | CCD Class                                      |
| February 4   | CCD Class                                      |
| February 11  | CCD Class                                      |
| February 18  | CCD Class                                      |
| February 25  | CCD Class                                      |
| March 4      | CCD Class                                      |
| March 11     | No Class - Spring Break                        |
| March 18     | CCD Class                                      |
| March 24     | First Communion Retreat & First Reconciliation |
| March 25     | CCD Class                                      |
| April 1      | No Class - Easter                              |
| April 8      | CCD Class                                      |
| April 14     | First Communion                                |
| April 15     | CCD Class (No class for First Communion)       |
| April 21     | Confirmation                                   |
| April 22     | CCD Class                                      |
| April 29     | CCD Class                                      |
| May 6        | CCD Class -May Crowning, Last day of Class     |
| May 14       | No Class -Mother's Day, Graduate Recognition   |



### HARVEST HAPPENING OCTOBER 7, 2017 PUBLICITY

Flyers and handouts will be available on the marble table in the vestibule, and in the social hall. Please take as many of these as you can. Pass them on to your friends, family, co-workers, restaurants, businesses etc. Handouts are great to give out for donated Silent Auction items as they can be kept as a receipt. Flyers are a good source of advertising when posted in a window or on a bulletin board.

Ads will be placed in the inside of the Exchange and in the Elk Valley Times as well as the local/regional radio and cable stations. Also, e-mails will be sent to the neighboring parishes.

Please call if you have any questions and thank you for your support.

Chairperson - Pat Bronner

### CLOTHING & ACCESSORIES

We will be accepting your donations of gently used clothing and accessories after CCD Sunday, Oct. 1st and **no later** than Friday, Oct. 6th. Please **NO** missing buttons, broken zippers, stains or tears. We'll be sorting these items on Thursday, Oct. 5th and Friday, Oct. 6th, starting at 10am. Any help will be greatly appreciated!!

Chairperson - Michele Johnson

### SILENT AUCTION

**Donations** for the **Silent Auction** are **needed** to bid on. Gift baskets are always welcome. **Help from our Parish family would be greatly appreciated.** Mention to any businesses, restaurants, etc. that you frequent if they would like to donate an item for the auction. No donation is too small as they can be used for Door Prizes. Let me know when you get your donation, and who or where it came from, to avoid any repetition. Also, don't forget to pass out flyers and handouts to help promote our fundraiser. Businesses especially appreciate handouts to keep for their records when an auction item is donated.

Chairperson - Pat Bronner

### SPAGHETTI / LASAGNA DINNER

It's almost here, one of your favorite activities of the annual Harvest Happening: The Spaghetti/Lasagna Dinner. We will once again be serving the traditional menu of "all you can eat" Spaghetti or Lasagna along with salad, garlic toast, and a drink. Adults are \$6.00 and \$3.00 for children under 12. We are asking for volunteers to bake lasagna to bring in. Please let me know if you can help in this area. Volunteers are needed to help serve as waiters and/or kitchen crew on the day of the Harvest Happening. If you would like to help in this fun activity, see me or sign up on the poster in the Parish Hall.

Chairperson - Richard Paladino

### CONCESSION STAND

The Knights will have a great offering of food this year, as always. Our lunch time menu will include: Hot Dogs, Polish Sausage, Mexican cuisine, drinks, and more. Our concession trailer is located in the back pavilion and your support will be greatly appreciated.

Knights of Columbus – Tom Brinkmeyer

### GAMES

We have many great games to play including the Corn Hole game. All games are 25 cents. We will need **lots of volunteers to help out** and make this a really fun filled day.

Bottle Ring Toss – A fun game that is played by using bottles thin enough to allow a 5 inch embroidery hoop to encircle it. **Donations of heavier bottled drinks are needed only. (Smaller drinks can easily fall over).**

Chairpersons - CYO Group

### BOOK & MEDIA SALE

The book and media sale needs gently used books (hardcover or softcover), CD's, DVD's, VHS, books-on-tape, and computer software. Please check your shelves, bookcases, basement, and garage for any items you no longer need. Also, please ask your family, friends, and neighbors to donate. Donations may be left in the Parish Hall anytime after CCD classes on Sunday, October 1st, or we can schedule to pick-up your donations. For more information please contact us at 256-797-8441.

P.S. History has shown the following items **do not sell**: magazines, old text books, catalogs etc. If you have any of these items, please take them to your local recycle center.

Chairpersons – Rich & Tricia Tito

## YARD SALE

It's time to search the attic, basement, garage etc., for those "special usable items" to donate for the Harvest Happening. Items may be put in the closed-in pavilion anytime after Sunday, October 1<sup>st</sup>. If you have any questions, please call. \*We start Sat., Oct. 7th at 6:30 a.m. **No computers please.** \*\*For items that need to be assembled, please put that item together for me.

Chairperson – Mark Browning – 931-659-6995

## CRAFTS & JEWELRY BOUTIQUE

The Women's Guild will continue to offer hand made crafts and gently used jewelry. We always welcome and are thankful for any and all items donated by our talented parish members.

Our Jewelry Boutique has been a success for the past years! It can be any type of jewelry including costume, modern, fun or generational style. If you have already shared your jewelry box with us, please ask your family, friends or neighbors if they have any pieces that need a new home.

Please come and join us; you may find a gift for a "special" someone.

Chairperson - Phyllis Holt

## BAKE SALE

The Bake Sale is always a big event for the Harvest Happening. However, its success is dependent on your donations. There are many in the parish that is faithful contributors to the bake sale, and the visitors look forward to those treats each and every year. However, we have many new members in the parish and I would like to invite you to share some of YOUR favorite baked goods with us, as well. Baking for this event is a great way to spend quality time with your family and friends, and the community just loves trying all of the unique recipes we offer during the Harvest Happening. I hope you will take a little time out of your busy schedules to contribute cakes, cookies, pies, breads, or any of your specialties! We truly appreciate the help and hard work.

Chairperson – Vicki Richardson





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| SEP | HAPPY BIRTHDAY  | HAPPY ANNIVERSARY                                  |
|-----|---|--|
| 1   | COLTON JOHNSON  |  |
| 2   | KRISTIE BENTLEY   |  |
| 3   | DONNA GOODALE   | CLYDE & PHYLLIS HOLT,<br>WALTER & MARGARET CALHOUN |
| 4   | HELEN WEST  | JOHN & PAT TEDER                                   |
| 6   | ARCHIE MORRIS   |  |
| 8   |   | JEFF & SUSAN HELUMS                                |
| 12  | RANDY PATTERSON, CAITLIN SUROWITZ   | RENE & SUSAN CRUZ                                  |
| 13  | NORA MC CORMICK   |  |
| 14  | JENNIFER WORKMAN, JOSEPH GORMAN,<br>MAYNOR MEJIA                                |  |
| 15  | JOHN CAIN, SHARON RUHLANDER   | EARL & PATTI HICKS                                 |
| 16  | DOLORES PAREDES   |  |
| 17  | ANNE CALLAHAN, ALICE PALACIO, CARINA RUIZ,<br>MATT WILMES                       |  |
| 18  | CLAIR PACE  |  |
| 19  | RACHEL BENSON, GRETCHEN RUHLANDER   | PAUL & MELISSA PARKERSON                           |
| 20  | GREGORY PATTERSON, DEBORAH BREWER,<br>ALEXANDER CASTENADA                       | TOM & LOIS LINGEN                                  |
| 21  | MARIA SANCHEZ, DOUG KRZYZEWSKI  |  |
| 22  | DALE RICHARDSON, MELANIE PADILLA,<br>JOSE OCHOA                                 |  |
| 23  | JOSIE DONALDSON,<br>MARISA CASTANEDA  |  |
| 24  | PAUL PARKERSON  | VERNON & DONNA SIMMONS                             |
| 25  | OMAR RUIZ, DENISE DIAZ  |  |
| 26  |   | RODOLFO & BEATRIZ SANCHEZ                          |
| 27  | MARTHA WOLF, MARIE VAN LANTSCHOOT,<br>YESENIA SANCHEZ-SOLIS, ESTRELLITA SANCHEZ |  |
| 29  | OLMAN MEJIA-HERNANDEZ   |  |
| 30  | ELLIE YANCEY  |  |



## **\*\*September 2017 Announcements\*\***

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

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**K of C Meeting** – 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday monthly at 7:30pm.

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

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**Spanish Group** – Sundays after 8:30am mass.

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**Altar Linens** – Lettie Buchanan

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

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

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**CYO Meeting** – 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday at 5pm.

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**SLAY** – 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday monthly 6-8pm. Contact Michele Johnson at 732-4138.

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**Rosary Devotion** - 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday monthly at 9:30am – 11:30am. Contact Glecly Weir at 227-6298 for more information.

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**Bunco** – 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday, Monthly at 6pm.

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### **Coming Events**

**K of C Food Drive** – September 2 – October 1

**Parish Picnic** – September 17 at 5pm

**“Harvest Happening”** – Saturday, October 7



Silver Rose Presentation – 10-26-17

# September 2017

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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## September 22 First Day Of Autumn

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|  |                                      |   |  |                             |   | 1<br>Mass 9am<br>Hispanic<br>Rosary 12pm                 | 2<br>K of C<br>Food Drive<br>Devotion<br>9:30am<br>Mass 5:30pm<br>Sp Serv 7pm |
| 3<br>K of C<br>Food Drive<br>Mass 8:30am<br>Hispanic<br>Youth Group<br>12pm  | 4<br>Labor Day                       | 5<br>Mass 9am                           | 6<br>Mass 9am<br>CYO Meet<br>6pm       | 7<br>Mass 9am               | 8<br>Mass 9am<br>Hispanic<br>Rosary 12pm  | 9<br>K of C<br>Food Drive<br>Mass 5:30pm<br>Sp Serv 7pm  |   |
| 10<br>K of C<br>Food Drive<br>Mass 8:30am<br>Hispanic<br>Youth Group<br>12pm | 11                                   | 12<br>Mass 9am<br>K of C Meet<br>7:30pm | 13<br>Mass 9am<br>Quilling Club<br>6pm | 14<br>Mass 9am              | 15<br>Mass 9am<br>Hispanic<br>Rosary 12pm | 16<br>K of C<br>Food Drive<br>Mass 5:30pm<br>Sp Serv 7pm |   |
| 17<br>K of C<br>Food Drive<br>Mass 8:30am<br>Parish Picnic<br>5pm            | 18<br>Parish<br>Council<br>6:30pm    | 19<br>Mass 9am                          | 20<br>Mass 9am                         | 21<br>Mass 9am<br>Bunco 6pm | 22<br>Mass 9am<br>Hispanic<br>Rosary 12pm | 23<br>K of C<br>Food Drive<br>Mass 5:30pm<br>Sp Serv 7pm |   |
| 24<br>K of C<br>Food Drive<br>Mass 8:30am<br>Hispanic<br>Youth Group<br>12pm | 25<br>50's Plus<br>Game Night<br>6pm | 26<br>Mass 9am                          | 27<br>Mass 9am<br>STAY Meet<br>6-8pm   | 28<br>Mass 9am              | 29<br>Mass 9am<br>Hispanic<br>Rosary 12pm | 30<br>K of C<br>Food Drive<br>Mass 5:30pm<br>Sp Serv 7pm |   |

## September 2017 Schedule

| <u>Date</u>  | <u>Lectors</u>                     | <u>Ministers</u>                              | <u>Acolytes</u>                             | <u>Ushers</u>                      | <u>Gifts</u>                          |
|--------------|------------------------------------|---|---|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| September 2  | Ed Kizima                          | Mark Andersen,<br>Mary Frame, Phyllis J.      | Dan Jones                                   | Tom Brinkmeyer<br>Ellen Brinkmeyer | Ellen Brinkmeyer<br>Nancy/Clarence E. |
| September 3  | Phyllis Holt<br>Patty Wright       | Lavonne Dunning<br>Glecy Weir, Sherrie Gill   | Eli Wright<br>Frank & Tommy Brown           | Dallas Barnack<br>Grad Wright      | Pfeiffer Family                       |
| September 9  | Gary Braman                        | Gary Braman, Ellen B.<br>Lettie Buchanan      | Dan Jones<br>Wyatt Prince                   | Phyllis Johnson<br>Randy Patterson | Randy Patterson<br>Family             |
| September 10 | Martha Wolf<br>Richard Paladino    | Debra & Larry Schaefer<br>Sharon Ruhlander    | Tejal M., Emily Castillo<br>Marlene Cruz    | Kaye George<br>Lonnie George       | Ruhlander Family                      |
| September 16 | Donnie Keib                        | P. Mullins, Julie W. T.<br>Mary Francis Jones | Dan Jones                                   | Ana Waggoner<br>Geri Jones         | Tito Family                           |
| September 17 | Joann SantaMaria<br>Larry Schaefer | Patty W., Becky Harris<br>Pam Monaghan        | Ruthie R., Karina Castillo<br>Abraham Landa | Tom Bronner<br>Bill Dunning        | Harris Family                         |
| September 23 | Kathy Anderson                     | Mary Frame, Phyllis J.<br>Mark Andersen       | Dan Jones<br>Wyatt Prince                   | Jim Anderson<br>Jerry Benson       | Jim Anderson<br>Family                |
| September 24 | Youth                              | Kaye & Lonnie George<br>Joann Santa Maria     | Conrad P., Jontae J.<br>Kaelynn Johnson     | Youth<br>(Tom Bronner)             | Youth                                 |
| September 30 | Ed Kizima                          | Ellen B., Lettie B.<br>Gary Braman            | Dan Jones                                   | Randy Patterson<br>Phyllis Johnson | Ana Waggoner<br>Mark & Jionela A.     |
| October 1    | John Cain<br>Mike Gamino           | Martha W., Becky H.<br>Tina Cole              | Libby W., Quentin Pace<br>Mayra Martinez    | Kaye George<br>Lonnie George       | Morris Family                         |

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|-------------|---------------------------------|---|--|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| October 7   | Gary Braman                     | Mary Frances Jones<br>Julie W. T., Paula M. | Dan Jones<br>Wyatt Prince                  | Tom Brinkmeyer<br>Ellen Brinkmeyer | Ellen Brinkmeyer<br>Nancy/Clarence E. |
| October 8   | Martha Wolf<br>Richard Paladino | Lavonne Dunning<br>Glecy Weir, Sherrie Gill | Gretchen & Vincent R.<br>Angel Martinez    | Dallas Barnack<br>Grad Wright      | Suszczynski<br>Family                 |
| October 14  | Donnie Keib                     | Mary Frame, Phyllis J.<br>Mark Andersen     | Dan Jones                                  | Ana Waggoner<br>Geri Jones         | Tito Family                           |
| October 15  | Larry Schaefer<br>Pam Monaghan  | Kaye & Lonnie George<br>Joann Santa Maria   | Eli Wright, Luis Ruiz<br>Omar Ruiz         | Bill Dunning<br>Tom Bronner        | Summers Family                        |
| October 21  | Kathy Anderson                  | Lettie B., Gary Braman<br>Ellen Brinkmeyer  | Dan Jones<br>Wyatt Prince                  | Jim Anderson<br>Jerry Benson       | Jim Anderson<br>Family                |
| October 22  | Phyllis Holt<br>Patty Wright    | Debra & Larry Schaefer<br>Sharon Ruhlander  | Tejal M., Frank Brown<br>Lucy Ruiz-Sanchez | Kaye George<br>Lonnie George       | Vazquez Family                        |
| October 28  | Ed Kizima                       | Mary Frame, Phyllis J.<br>Mark Andersen     | Dan Jones                                  | Randy Patterson<br>Phyllis Johnson | Randy Patterson<br>Family             |
| October 29  | Youth                           | Patty W., Sherrie G.<br>Pam Monaghan        | Ruthie R., Tommy B.<br>Karina Castillo     | Youth<br>(Grad Wright)             | Youth                                 |