

## The Church of St. Anne

Centennial 1919 - 2019

Remember – Rejoice – Renew

555 Eighteenth Avenue, East Moline, Illinois 61244
Telephone (309) 755-5071

August 14, 2018

Dear Parish Members,

St. Anne Parish will be honored by the presence of Bishop Daniel Jenky at a special Mass on Sunday, July 28, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. This Mass, along with a final parish event, will be the culmination of our 100-Year Anniversary "Year of Celebrations". I am very pleased to inform you of this special recognition by the Bishop of the importance of St. Anne Parish and the work being undertaken to prepare for the next 100 years.

Please, **Save the Date** – Mark your calendars now and plan to attend this special Mass as we **REJOICE** together with gratitude to God for success in our past, pride in our present, and hopes for our future.

Also, **Thank You** - A very sincere "Thank You" to all of you who have pledged your financial support to make the vision of a **RENEWED** church and sanctuary a reality! Thank you also to those who have supported the Centennial Events that have already been held, and to all who will support the events yet to come.

Finally, **A Reminder** – If you haven't already done so, there is still time to show your support by making a pledge or a donation. Making your pledge intentions clear will enable us to proceed in prioritizing the improvements that can be accomplished with the funds raised. Our goal is to have all work on the church completed by the summer of 2019, so that Bishop Jenky can share in the joy of fulfilling our vision.

If you would like to make a pledge, and you no longer have a pledge card, you can insert a note in the **ST. ANNE CENTENNIAL FUND DRIVE** – **RENEW** envelope included in the monthly packet (with a red border) and return it to the Rectory Office or put it in the collection basket. You may also use this envelope to make a donation to the Fund or to fulfill your pledge.

With our Centennial journey nearing the *RENEW* phase, I look forward to making our exciting vision for the future of St. Anne Parish a reality.

Sincerely in Christ,

Fr. Antonio Dittmer, Pastor, St. Anne Parish