



Jack Falvo III Foundation Cavatelli Dinner
in St. Anthony's Church Hall
Friday, April 13th 5-8 pm &
Saturday, April 14th 5-8 pm
All proceeds to benefit Jack's Place.
Cost: Adults \$12.00, Children (8 yrs. old & under) \$6.00
Tickets will be sold at the door, take-out will also be available.
For more information call 372-7176.



EASTER FLOWER COLLECTION

We would like to thank the following people for their donations to our Easter Flower Collection:

M/M Bruno Ando, Florinda Basile, William Civale, M/M Felice DiCocco, Elsie Farone, M/M Richard Ferro, Mrs. Michael Serafini, Floyd Simone, Ted & Annette Soroka

In Memory/ Honor of:

Mrs. Giuseppe Bianchi ~ *Giuseppe Bianchi*, M/M Albert DelSignore ~ *DelSignore & LaBounty Families*, M/M David Fusco ~ *Phillip & Mary Visco*, Loretta Kessler ~ *Robert Kessler, Mary, Vito & Andrew Polsinelli, Ann & Sal Palmieri*, Deborah Laurange ~ *Robert Laurange, Elva Laurange ~ Basile & Laurange Families*, M/M Andrew Matarazzo ~ *Emma & Frank Venditti*, M/M Donald Mennillo ~ *Mennillo Leva & Catapano Families*, Arthur Pandori ~ *Roberto & Michelina Pandori, Ray & Isabelle Lupe & Linda, Deceased Pandori Bros, Relatives & Friends*

Saint Anthony's Novena - Saint Anthony's Church will resume Wednesday evening Saint Anthony's Novena with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 6:30 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. on **April 11th**.

The Saint Joseph's Men's Group ~ El Grupo de Hombres de San José will receive confidential prayer request to be lifted-up on Wednesday evening during the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 6:30 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. Prayer request envelopes are located at both entrances to the church that are to be sealed upon making your request. You may place them in the collection basket or deliver them to the office.

 *A heartfelt thanks goes out to Sr. Maria Rosa, St. Anthony's Kitchen Crew, the Volunteers and many Supporters for making our Palm Sunday Bake Sale a huge success.*

Mark your calendar...

We Invite you to attend the 4:00 p.m. Mass at Saint Anthony's Church on **Saturday, April 28th 2018**. We will celebrate the Commissioning and Receiving of our first Lay-Chaplain who will become the Spiritual Guide to the Venerini Associates of Schenectady. Installation and receiving will be facilitated by Sister/Provincial Theresa Rose, MPV.

Starting in May, Mass will be celebrated the 2nd Saturday of each month at 4:00 p.m. with the intentions of the Venerini Associates of Schenectady. All are welcome!

 **TO SAINT ANTHONY'S CHURCH**
Parish Office hours are Monday through Friday, 8:30am to 4:30pm.

Office Hours for Fr. Carlino: St. John's Parish Office on Wednesdays from 12 Noon to 4 PM and St. Anthony's Parish Office on Thursdays from 12 Noon to 4 PM. He is available to schedule appointments at other times as well. You can call him personally 7 days a week from 6 AM to 8 PM at 518-374-4591 Extension 7. You can call him for The Last Rites of The Church 24/7 also at 518-374-4591 but at Extension 9.

Sacred Heart League News...

Sacred Heart League Mass: Sunday, April 8th at 8:30am.
Sacred Heart League Meeting: Monday, April 9th at 7:00pm.

To All Women of Our Parish Family

You are cordially invited to become members of the Sacred Heart League of Saint Anthony's Parish during the Celebration of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

To be eligible you must be over 18 years of age and attend one meeting and one league function. Meetings and functions will be listed in our church bulletins.

We are an organization that was initiated in the parish in June of 1928 and is canonically established. The Sacred Heart League is a Religious Society which aims at fostering in its members an ardent devotion, to bring about the sanctification of its members, the welfare of the Church and the spread of Christ's Kingdom. Applications will be available at the meetings. Please call any of the following if you have any questions: **President - Chris Kazmierczak (518)785-3426, Vice President - Lois Ferro (518)346-1024, Secretary - Cathy Busher (518)393-1638, Treasurer - Florence Falcone (518)372-2248.**

Please turn in your Rice Bowl Collection no later than April 8th. Thank you for your generosity.

ANNUAL DIVINE MERCY CONSECRATION

Bishop Scharfenberger is inviting Catholics throughout the Diocese to join him for the annual diocesan Divine Mercy Consecration at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception on **Divine Mercy Sunday, April 8, 2018, at 5:00 p.m.** Please find more information on the dedicated webpage: www.rcda.org/DivineMercyConsecration

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

New Course in Adult Ed

Beginning Tuesday, April 10 and continuing for the next five weeks at 1 PM in Room 8 of SJE Parish Center Sr. Joan will facilitate Genesis: A Bible Study Course with Sr. Dianne Bergant, C.S.A., Ph.D. 12 DVD Lectures. Discover the Book of Genesis Anew in this brilliantly taught Bible Study course. In 12 superb lectures, you will study the primary literary forms, cultural context, and theological underpinnings of the most beloved biblical stories. As you do so, you will see how its authors, despite living in a very different world, are much like us: people who seek to be faithful to the God who loves them. There will be a \$3 fee for materials. Please use the double doors under the canopy across from the handicapped ramp to SJE Church.

Charismatic Healing Mass Date: Wednesday, April 11, 2018. Praise and Prayer 7:00 pm, Mass 7:30 pm. Healing service to follow. Christ Our Light Church, 1 Maria Dr., Loudonville, NY. All are welcome! Information: Call Jack 518-334-6503

From the Pastor's Desk...

My dear Parishioners of St. Anthony's and St. John's Churches,

On April 13, Father John Facci will celebrate his 80th Birthday. Approaching this milestone in his life, for a good number of months I thought about all we could do to remember him. I did not discuss the issue with him, because I know him well enough to say that he would not want to call attention to himself on this day.

Here is what I have decided to do. For those of you who, like me, would like to send him a monetary gift, please consider the following way to do that:

- 1. Make a check out to St. Anthony's Church
2. Write your name and address on the envelope
3. In the left hand corner of the check, write "Attention Fr. Facci"
4. In the left hand corner on the envelope, write it again.
5. Send it to St. Anthony's Parish Office, 331 Seward Place, Schenectady NY 12305

In this way on his birthday I could present him with a gift that would be the sum total of all the gifts we would send him.

I do assure you that he would be told the amount that each of you would send him, and that within a month's time you would receive from me personally a Thank You note.

There is one favor I wish to ask of you all: Please do not tell Fr. Facci about this! I wish it to be a surprise for him. After having said that, I fear that someone may still call him about it. I hope that that does not happen. Again, let it be a surprise for him. It would brighten his day and bring him and much happiness, a happiness he well deserves.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Fr. Carlino

SAVE THE DATE...

Garage Sale for the benefit of St. Anthony's Church on Saturday, May 5th from 9am to 3pm at St. John the Evangelist Parish Center (Gym).

THE KING'S MEN APOSTOLATE - All men, age 18 and over, are invited to join the Schenectady Chapter of the King's Men Apostolate. Join us each Thursday evening at 7:00 pm in the St. John's Parish Center room 8 for an evening of praying the rosary, spiritual reading, discussion, and the Divine Mercy Chaplet. No dues or obligation to attend every week. Just bring a rosary. For more info, contact Mark Roberts at 518-372-8322.

RESOURCE IN YOUR COMMUNITY - 211 is a Resource in your Community - Burning question? Dial 211. Funded by the United Way, local and state government and private nonprofit organizations, 211 is a one stop resource for food, housing, child care, health care, substance abuse, financial problems and more available 7 days a week from 9:00 am to 7:00 pm in Albany, Columbia, Fulton, Greene, Montgomery, Rensselaer, Saratoga, Schenectady, Schoharie, Warren and Washington counties. 211 offers fast, accurate information on safety, relief and recovery services during natural disaster or regional emergencies.

WORKS OF MERCY INITIATIVE... We appreciate children's gently worn or new clothing up to age 18. Clothing items may be dropped off to us at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel. Please contact us for drop off days and times at 518-347-0871. For more information go to www.worksofmercyshdy.org and click on the "Good Neighbor" Program tab.

The Community Hospice - Have an hour a week to share? Become a volunteer with the Community Hospice. Make friendly visits, provide companionship and support for Hospice patients and their families in their homes, at nursing homes and hospitals. Spring Day Time Training Series: May 9, May 11, May 16 and May 18, 10am - 4:00pm If interested please call Paula Symanski, Coordinator of Volunteer Services at 518-377-8846.

PARISH SUPPORT
March 25, 2018: \$6,359.57
Candles: \$106.50
Easter Flower (additions): \$246.00

If you know of a parishioner that is no longer able to attend Mass and would like to receive Communion, please contact the church office at 518-374-4591 ext. 5.

St. Anthony's Parish - Parishioners are individuals who are formally registered and active in our Parish. Please complete this form if you wish to join our Parish family. You may return this form to the Parish Office by dropping it in the collection basket or mailing it to the Parish Office. Check One: New Registration (Please Send Parish Registration Form) or Change of Address (New address is listed)
Name:
Address:
City: Zip Code:

APRIL 8, 2018



Monday, April 9 – The Annunciation of the Lord

8:00 am Marina Cavoli by Cavoli Family

Tuesday, April 10 – Easter Weekday

8:00 am St. Jude by Devotee

Wednesday, April 11 – Saint Stanislaus, Bishop and Martyr

8:00 am Mass

Thursday, April 12 – Easter Weekday

8:00 am John Ettore by Wife & Son

Friday, April 13 – Easter Weekday

8:00 am Mass

Saturday, April 14 – Easter Weekday

8:00 am Benefactors of St. Anthony's Bread by St. Anthony's Bread

4:00 pm For the People

Annie Calentone Morelli by Claire Falcone
Carmine, Adelaide & Nicolina Borrelli by Family
Giovannina Memmo by Family
Fr. John Facci (Living– Happy Birthday) by Arthur
& Jacqueline Smith

Sunday, April 15 – Third Sunday of Easter

8:30 am Luigi, Maria & Gina DeMatteo by Albert & Rosa
Giuseppina DiMarco by Vita Serafini
Helen Apreta by Genoveffa Mastroianni
Florence LaPorta by Faye Falvo Rispoli
Marjorie Ditoro by Mary Borrelli
Ralph Capoccia by Family

10:30 am Spanish Mass

PRAYER TO SAINT MICHAEL

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle; be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

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April 15, 2018

Altar Linen: Judy Mavente
Ellis Hospital & Long Term Care Center: Ron McClosky

Important Notice to our Audit Teams:

Please report to St. Anthony's Chapel at 9:00 am.

Audit Team — Team 2, Tuesday, April 17:

Danielle DePaula, Leonard DePasquale, Carol DiCerbo, Lois Ferro

Lectors April 14th & 15th:

Saturday, 4:00 pm— Mike Basile, Elizabeth Ciccone

Sunday, 8:30am - Vince Lecce, Cara Olsen

10:30am- Ana Diaz, Ramon Diaz



PRAYERS * PRAISE* PETITIONS

**COME JOIN US IN OUR WEEKLY
DEVOTIONS**

PERPETUAL NOVENA TO SAINT ANTHONY

Every Wednesday (except during Lent) in St. Anthony's Church at 6:30pm with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 7:30-9PM. Includes prayers in both English and Spanish. The Saint Anthony's Bread Apostolate will receive your special request for prayer that will be "lifted-up" in silence at the Saint Anthony's Novena on Wednesday evenings. Those requests will be received by email only and thereafter placed in our "Book of Remembrance" for one year. Please submit your prayer request to saintanthony_bread@nycap.rr.com

**EVERY SATURDAY FOLLOWING
THE 8:00 AM MASS**

The Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary is offered. First Saturday devotions will continue, led by the Secular Carmelites attending St. Anthony's Church.

EVERY SUNDAY FOLLOWING THE 10:30 AM MASS

We pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet in Spanish in St. Anthony's Church.

**EVERY FIRST FRIDAY (except during Lent)
DEVOTIONS OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
from 7:30PM - 9:00PM.**

ALL ARE WELCOME * LET US PRAY TOGETHER

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