



WELCOME
TO SAINT ANTHONY'S CHURCH
Parish Office hours are Monday 9:00am
to 4:00pm, Tuesday through Thursday
7am to 3:00pm. Fridays Office Closed.



**FROM
THE
PASTOR**

To reach Fr. Carlino at St. Anthony's call
518-374-4591 or at St. John's 518-372-3381.
For Last Rites of The Church, press 335.
For any other reason, you are to press 9.

Farewell to Judy Mavente

As we have announced previously, our long time Parish Secretary, Judy Mavente, will be retiring from her position effective at the end of this month. We wish Judy happiness in her retirement. *She certainly deserves it!*

As we move forward, our new Parish Secretary will be Debbie May. Debbie joins us from St. John the Evangelist Church Office and brings a wealth of experience. This lateral move allows both St. Anthony's and St John's to be creative and best manages both Churches' budgets. As part of this change of personnel, we will also be making a change in our office hours.

Effective April 29th, Office hours at St. Anthony's will be:
Monday 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM and Tuesday through
Thursday 7:00 AM to 3:00 PM.
The office will be closed on Fridays.

Please remember that our parishioners are important to us and we can only do this with the understanding and cooperation of one and all.

FROM THE PASTORS DESK - Please note the following changes to our phone main menu:

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SACRED HEART LEAGUE NEWS

Sacred Heart League Mass- Sunday, May 5, 2019 at 8:30am.
Sacred Heart League Meeting- Monday, May 6, 2019 at 7:00pm in the Church Hall.

BISHOP'S APPEAL 2019

Next weekend is the 2019 Bishop's Appeal Commitment Sunday. This Appeal supports all of the vital ministries and programs throughout the Diocese of Albany. It is our one opportunity during the year to reach out in support of all the people of God beyond the boundary of our own parish of St. Anthony's. Please respond to the Bishop's Appeal by making a pledge that you can pay throughout the year. Your gift directly helps our parish to pay its share of the important work of the Diocese. Let us strive for 100% participation: not equal gifts, but equal sacrifice!

FIRST COMMUNION RETREAT

This weekend, our children preparing for First Communion will be on retreat with Sr. Maria Rosa making bread and learning about the parable Jesus used to explain His Kingdom. *"The Kingdom of Heaven can be compared to a woman making bread. She takes a measure of flour and mixes in the yeast until it permeates every part of the dough."* When Jesus told this parable, He was telling the people about God's love. If our heart is soft and pliable like the dough, then God's Word and Love can be kneaded and incorporated into our hearts, like the yeast is kneaded into the dough. The apostles by their preaching, went out and preached to a few people. The Word of God continued to grow and more and more Christians continued sharing the Good News with others. The Kingdom of God which started small, is still powerfully at work and continues to grow and permeate the world. In John's Gospel, Jesus tells us, *"I am the Bread of Life. Whoever comes to me will never go hungry, and whoever believes in Me will never be thirsty."* Please keep our children in your prayers as they continue to prepare to receive Jesus for the first time on May 11th.

Easter Flowers Donations continued:

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

Ando, Mrs. Bruno, Civale, William, Dagostino, Michael & Carmelina, Payne, Jeffrey & Tina, Petraccione, M/M Louis, Quinn, M/M Thomas, Stegagno, Elisabetta.

Requested by:

Angelo, Dennis P.-Angelo Family, Marzola Family, Santone/Helm Families, Napolitana Family.

Biasiucci, Mr. & Mrs. Alberto-Raffaelina Biasiucci
Brudzienski, Mrs. Gail-Jim Brudzienski, Jeffrey Brudzienski
DiCerbo, Mr. & Mrs. Gabriel-Turina DiCerbo, Edward Gejay
DiDonna, Cindy-Louise & Augie DiDonna, Marie Spadafora, Grandma's & Grandpa's, Millie Rotunda, Carm Walkup.

Durante, Mrs. Dominick-Dominick Durante, All Deceased Members of Durante & Miceli Families.

James, Mrs. Robert- Bob James, M/M Enrico Bianchi, Gwen & Warren James

Miglucchi, Filomena,-Ralph & Ann Miglucchi, Ted Friers.

Moore, Mr. & Mrs. Donald R.-Helen & Don Moore, Sr.

O'Hare, Mr. & Mrs. James-Deceased Members of the DeNinno, Laura, & Amato Families.

Salvatore, Mrs. Arthur-Salvatore, Genovesi, Donato, Gallelli, Potfora Families

FLOWERS FOR LIFE SALE

On Mother's Day we honor all mothers for the love, strength & support which they provide children and the family. Would it be wonderful if all babies were welcomed into this world with joy and love? At Birthright, we strive daily to help mothers choose life for their babies. Volunteers offer loving guidance and practical help to pregnant women and mothers who are in crisis, what the reason may be. On **May 11 & 12** volunteers will be selling flowers following church services to support Birthright activities. Please help support Birthright by purchasing one or more of these flowers. Your donation will be much appreciated by many mothers and their newborns in our community. If you would like more information about Birthright & its activities please call 518-370-1532.

St. Anthony's Church Memorials

We acknowledge with great appreciation donations received from the following to our Memorial, Restoration and Food Pantry funds in memory or in honor of loved ones.

In Memory of:

Michael DiCerbo –Carmela Scripa, Joseph & Agnes Gatta.Gabriel & Evelyn DiCerbo, Richard Greene, Mary & Dan Pratico, David & Phyllis Fusco, High Adventure Ski & Bike, Gary & Jo-Anne Rafalik, Margaret King, Karen B. Johnson, Mike Della Rocco, Toni Renna, Lois & Richard Ferro, Concetta & John Cammarene, Tracie Williams, William Civale, Jacqueline Kane.

Carol & Michael DiCerbo-Marianne Hogle, Donald & Kay Ackerman, Angeline Attanasio.

Olga Adamo– Christina Viscariello & Friend, Maddalena Almaviva, Angelina Bianchi, Nancy DiCocco & Family, Mario & Marisa Gismondi.

Connie Palmo-Esther Graham, Leonard & Rosemary DePasquale, Lorraine Bailey, Sean Leathem, Louis & Iris DiCarlo, Nicholas & Barbara Nicholas, Michael Alfieri, Beverly & Gerald Tallinger, Ann Alfieri, Carol Bartz, O'Keefe Stevens, Advisory, Inc., Susan & Dominick Palmo, Mr. & Mrs. Donald Palmo, Margaret & Paul Ferro, Friends of Ellie DeBonis, Richard & Sandy Holck, Gabriel DiCerbo, Joanne Popielarz, Frank & Vicki Palmo, Anne Del Plato.

Ersilia DiCarlo-John & Christine DiCarlo, Antoinette & Albert Martino

Marylou Petta– Gail Van Kuren, Rose Giuliano

Donald Mennillo-Maria Galofaro & Family, Marianne Hogle, Michelle & Paul Griffin, Sharlene Catapano, William, Jr. & Dorothy Keogh, Laurence & Joan Giammattei, Anonymous, John & Lynn Haley, Local Union 2361BEW Retirees Club, Leva Family (Kathleen, Frank, Jr., & Joe), Rose & Kiernan, Inc., Marylou L. Cognetti, Goose Hill Gang from Nott Terrace, Rosemary & Deny Evaul, Mr. & Mrs. John Cammarene.

St. Anthony's Food Pantry is always in need of non-perishable food items. As you may be aware Sr. Maria Rosa and the Venerini Order distribute food to the needy throughout the year. Sister is able to do this with your help and participation. Please bring your food donation to the Parish Office and we will make sure Sister gets the donation. Items always needed are: coffee, canned vegetables, soups, pasta, jarred sauce, peanut butter, jams/jellies, boxed cereals, rice etc. Thank you for your generosity.

CROP HUNGER WALK 2019

The **Crop Hunger Walk 2019** will take place on **Sunday, May 5th**, at Emmanuel Friedens Church, 218 Nott Terrace. 1:00 pm registration, 1:30 pm Opening Remarks, 2:00 pm Walk begins. New Blues Band performing The Donna Tritico Band. Help end poverty here in the US and overseas. Make a pledge or donation. For more information contact Ottavio LoPiccolo ottaviolopicollo5@gmail.com or 518-370-4476.

SACRED HEART LEAGUE

SAVE THE DATE

Sacred Heart Communion Breakfast

Sunday, June 2, 2019

Turf Tavern, Scotia

(Following the 8:30 AM Mass at St. Anthony's)

All are Welcome. **Details to Follow.**

FESTA 2019 NEWS

*Looking for Vendors/Crafters For FESTA 2019
June 7th, 8th & 9th*

Do you know someone who may be interested? -
limited spaces available!

For more information contact us by email at

StAnthonysFestaVendors@yahoo.com

IS ABORTION EVER OKAY? "Fewer women would have abortions if wombs had windows." *Dr. Bernard Nathanson, former abortionist turned Pro-Life, in his 1979 book Aborting America*



Garage Sale

We are having a Garage Sale sponsored by the St. Anthony's Hispanic Community on **Saturday, May 4th**, from 9am to 3pm at St. John the Evangelist Parish Center Gym. If you would like to donate, please contact **Alina (518-630-6576)** prior to May 4th to make arrangements for drop off of your donated items. Only items in good condition will be accepted. **Also, we will be receiving donations on May 1st and 2nd from 10 am to 2 pm and May 3rd from 10 am to 6 pm.**

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. 6.

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 28, 2019

 **Mass Intentions
for the Week**

Monday, April 29– St. Catherine of Siena, Virgin & Doctor of the Church

8:00 am Rev. Mike Benson by Frank Carlino & Family

Tuesday, April 30–Easter Weekday

8:00 am Nicolas Palombo by Wife & Daughters

Wednesday, May 1–Easter Weekday

8:00 am Paul M. Barbolla by Mother & Son

Thursday, May 2– St. Athanasius, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

8:00 am Paul M. Barbolla by brother, Michael
Pasquale Ruggiero by sister, Fil

Friday, May 3– Saints Philip & James, Apostles

8:00 am (Living) Peter F. Orsini by St. Anthony's Finance
Committee

Saturday, May 4–Easter Weekday

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

Americo Paniccia by Wife

4:00 pm Carmen DeLorenzo by Daughter, Marylyn Lane

Larry Connelly by Stella & Family

Ann Fossella by Family

Andrea DiCaprio by Mazzucco Family

Augie & Louise DiDonna by Robert Rotunda

Sunday, May 5– Third Sunday of Easter

8:30 am Deceased Members Sacred Heart League &
Intentions of Venerini Associates
Deceased Members of Basile Family by Family
Americo Paniccia by Wife
Irma Catenacci by Catenacci Family
Louie, Maria & Gina DeMatteo by Albert & Rosa
Mastroianni
Luigi & Elia Lecce by son, Vince

10:30 am **Spanish Mass**

For the People

 *Rest in Peace*

Dominick Mazzucco, Robert Slater



Sanctuary Lamp for the week of
April 28– May 4, 2019
Joszeza Sasinowski by Camille & Dee

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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May 5, 2019

Altar Linen: Robin Skalski

Ellis Hospital & Long Term Care Center: Ron McClosky

Important Notice to our Audit Teams: Please report to the De-Franco Room at 9:00 am. **Audit Team #1, Monday, May 6:** Danielle DePaula, Melba Granlees, Bernice Honicki, Bill Kaehler, Sharon Ferro.

Lectors April 27th and April 28th:

Saturday, 4:00pm - Chris Kazmierczak, Cam Soroka

Sunday, 8:30am- Ron McClosky

10:30am - Carmen Camillo, Omar Crozier

PARISH SUPPORT

April 14, 2019: \$5,970.36

Candles: \$135.17

Holy Land: \$888.50



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

El Grupo de Hombres de San José (Saint Joseph's Men's Group) 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.

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.

ALL ARE WELCOME * LET US PRAY TOGETHER

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