



**WELCOME TO
SAINT ANTHONY'S
CHURCH**



**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.

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BISHOP'S APPEAL 2019

This weekend is the 2019 Bishop's Appeal Commitment Weekend! Through this important Appeal, we follow the example of Christ to serve our brothers and sisters here in the Diocese of Albany. By joining together in stewardship, we proclaim our unity to all; thereby letting those who need us the most know that they are an important part of our Catholic family. Please be as generous as you possibly can in responding to the Bishop's Appeal.

**SACRED HEART
LEAGUE MEETING**

**Monday, May 6, 2019 at 7:00 PM
in the Church Hall.**

Rosary Making Ministry at St. Anthony's

Anyone who may be interested in joining us can contact Linda Levine at 518-399-6965. No experience is necessary. We will teach you all you need to know. We meet from *September to June at 10am*, the first Tuesday of each month. Newcomers are always welcome! We will meet on **May 7**.

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.

THANK YOU TO OUR CATECHISTS

According to the Vatican's statistics on the Church, there are 3.1 million catechists around the world. Catechists walk their path by always recalling the very first encounter they had with Christ which changed their lives. That encounter is a gift and should resonate in everything a catechist does to teach the faith, Pope Francis said. When it comes to how they carry out their role, the pope encourages us to keep in mind Jesus' style of reaching out to people: He adapted to the people around Him in order to bring them the love of God. God's message is unchanging and always the same yet our teachers have unique creativity in finding new ways to transmit that same message. There is no reason to be afraid of finding new ways to reach people, Pope Francis said, because Jesus has already done it. We are grateful to each and every one of our teachers for their unique teaching style and genuine love of our faith - Thank You for all you do for Him. Laurie Barone, Chester Bednarczyk, Christopher Borkowski, Patricia Chakas, Amanda Dorr, Patricia Eichelberger, Michael Fallacaro, Dianne Galarneau, Jennifer Iovinelli, Lisa Keefe, Yvonne Lawton, Ottavio LoPiccolo, Br. Ronald McClosky, Kristine Moore, Jodi Polsinelli, Cathy Salamone, Deborah Testa, Joyce Tremblay, Jessica Youmans.

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.

MAY CROWNING OF MARY-Every year during the month of May we honor our Blessed Mother with special songs and beautiful flowers. A statue that represents our "holy Queen enthroned above" is crowned with blossoms while our children sing Marian hymns and recite prayers associated with Mary. We honor the Mother who gave life to Jesus. All children are invited to participate in a procession to adorn Her statue with flowers. We will celebrate this beautiful Catholic tradition on Mother's Day, **May 12** at 9:30 am Mass. Children of all ages are asked to meet Mrs. Carney and Mrs. Galarneau at the main center aisle at the back of the church.

**CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES
TO OUR TROOP 72 BOY SCOUTS:**

Connor Candee, Anthony Di Matteo, Dominic Faga, Andrew Shiely, Brandon Shiely-who studied all year and achieved the **AD ALTARE DEL CATHOLIC SCOUTING AWARD** given at Auriesville Shrine by our Bishop, May 4th. Thanks to the parents who assisted all along.

THE JOURNEY BEREAVEMENT MINISTRIES

consists of a team of Bereavement Ministers available to those who are suffering the loss of a loved one. We invite those in need to call for an individual meeting with one of our ministers at 518-374-4591 ext.103 to schedule an appointment. Please leave a message with your name and phone number so we may contact you and know that all communication is held in the strictest of confidentiality.

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.

SACRED HEART COMMUNION BREAKFAST

Sunday, June 2, 2019

Turf Tavern, Scotia

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

All are Welcome.

REGISTRATION FORMS CAN BE FOUND AT BOTH ENTRANCES.

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

Important Notice Regarding Bulletin Articles

All articles must be submitted to the Church Office at least **two** weeks (**three weeks if there is a holiday during the month**) prior to the run date in order to meet transmission deadline. All submissions must be in writing and will not be accepted over the phone. **Deadline to submit is on Monday at noon.** Thank you.

IS ABORTION EVER OKAY?

The fifth commandment forbids doing anything with the intention of indirectly bringing about a person's death. The moral law prohibits exposing someone to mortal danger without grave reason, as well as refusing assistance to a person in danger. *Catechism of the Catholic Church* #2269

ST. ANTHONY'S BREAD APOSTOLATE

The St. Anthony's Bread Apostolate will receive your special request for prayer that will be "lifted-up" in silence at the St. 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. If you are inclined, submit your prayer request to saintanthony_bread@nycap.rr.com.

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.

PASTORAL CARE DEPARTMENT ELLIS HOSPITAL

is in need of volunteers to distribute Holy Communion to hospital patients. If there are any Eucharistic Ministry volunteers who are interested in this ministry, please contact the Catholic Chaplain, Angie Marczewski: marczewska@ellismedicine.org or 518-243-4176. **Training will be provided. Thank you.**

Also looking for Volunteers to provide compassionate, friendly visits to patients and their families. Training is provided. Minimum of 4 hours per week. Contact Fr. Tony Green, Director of Pastoral Care green@ellismedicine.org or 518-243-4064.

HOME FURNISHINGS PROGRAM

Needs of the Month: Furniture, small living room pieces, small kitchenettes, small flat desks, chairs.

Furnishings: dinner folks especially and other flatware, medium and large size sauce pans, metal baking pans, can openers, toasters/toaster ovens, curtains.

To donate, call Jamie Doriguzzi, Program Director, at 518-346-2444. Email: homefurninc@aol.com.

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: _____

MAY 5, 2019

 **Mass Intentions
for the Week**

Monday, May 6– Easter Weekday

8:00 am Mass

Tuesday, May 7–Easter Weekday

8:00 am Sacred Heart & St. Theresa by Devotee

Wednesday, May 8–Easter Weekday

8:00 am Blessed Mother by Devotee

Thursday, May 9– Easter Weekday

8:00 am Philip & Mary Visco by Family
Kay Carlino by husband, Frank & Family

Friday, May 10– Easter Weekday

8:00 am Mass

Saturday, May 11–Easter Weekday

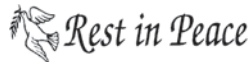
8:00 am Benefactors of St. Anthony's Bread by St. Anthony's Bread

4:00 pm Rev. Edward Tanski, Jessie Sasinowski, Bernadette Krosky by Camille
Rae & Tony Friello by Mae Friello
Carlita Miano by Family
Marina Cavoli by Cavoli Family
Carmela Ragazzino by Mae Friello
Francesco Cardiello by Family

Sunday, May 12– Fourth Sunday of Easter

8:30 am Giuseppina & Maria DeMarco by Felicia & Paul DeMarco
Tina & Rose Bianchi by Lisa & Vince
Philip & Mary Visco by Family
Dolores Malandro & Annunziata DiMatteo by M/M J. DiMatteo & Family
Vincenza Polsinelli by Children
Mary Budel by Daughter, Maria

10:30 am **Spanish Mass**
For the People



*We pray for the resposed souls of our faithfully departed:
Joseph Silverio*



Sanctuary Lamp for the week of
May 5– May 11, 2019
*Antoinette DeRuscio & Christopher Ciancetta
by Family*

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 12, 2019

Altar Linen: Sue Connelly

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 13:**
Danielle DePaula, Leonard DePasquale, Lois Ferro, Marlene Facci
Lectors May 4th & May 5th:

Saturday, 4:00pm - Marco Spataro, Ottavio LoPiccolo

Sunday, 8:30am- Cathy Williams, Ron McClosky

10:30am - Rocio Pallares, Salomon Garcia

PARISH SUPPORT

Easter April 21, 2019: \$ 7,074.88

Candles: \$ 78.00



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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