



TO SAINT ANTHONY'S CHURCH

Parish Office hours are Monday through Friday, 8:30am to 4:30pm.

PLEASE NOTE

The Church Office will be closed on Monday, October 8th in observance of the holiday. For the remainder of the week, office hours will be as follows: Tuesday, Oct. 9th 10:00am - 2:00pm and Thursday, Oct. 11th 10:00am - 12noon. The office will be closed on Wednesday, Oct. 10th & Friday, Oct. 12th.



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 7. For any other reason, you are to press 9.

PRAYER OF RE-IGNITING OUR FAITH

Bishop Edward B. Scharfenberger has given his blessing for the Re-igniting Our Faith Campaign. Please see the below Prayer of Re-igniting Our Faith that was prepared by the Bishop in support of the campaign:

God of untiring mercy, open our hearts to hear your voice. Send your living flame of love into our hearts to overflow with abundant generosity of spirit. May the burning passion of your love for all transfigure our lives, our families and our parishes.

Re-ignite in us each day the joy of spreading the Gospel. May our living faith in your Real Presence shine in our hearts so that we may bring it to whomever you lead us each day.

We place our prayer in the heart of Mary, under Her title of the Immaculate Conception, Patroness of our Nation & our Diocese, through which we consecrate ourselves to your Divine Mercy. Amen.

40 Days for Life Campaign is a community effort of a period of 40 days of prayer, fasting, community outreach and peaceful prayer vigil at the Planned Parenthood 1040 State Street, Schenectady, from 7 AM - 7 PM **Wednesday, Sept. 26 to Sunday, November 4**. Come be a witness of God's love and mercy to the mothers and fathers who find themselves in an unexpected pregnancy, by your prayerful presence at our prayer vigil. We need you to pray and discern to commit one hour per week. Contact: Viviane: 518-384-0699, or email Sarah: sch40days@gmail.com, www.40daysforlife.com/schenectady

Catholic Charities Personal Care Closet Drive

Clients served by Catholic Charities Care Coordination Services generally have a fixed limited income. After basic living expenses are met, they have little or no money left for other necessary items such as personal care items, cleaning and laundry supplies and cleaning supplies

Our parish has been asked to help collect the following personal care items to donate to Catholic Charities in providing needed items.

- SOAP (bar soap or liquid body wash) - SHAMPOO -
- DEODORANT - TOOTHPASTE - SHAVING ITEMS -
- TOILET TISSUE - TISSUES - PAPER TOWELS

Items can be dropped off in the containers provided at either entrance to the church beginning October 1st and continuing to October 28th.

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.

All Are Invited!

Señor de los Milagros Celebration

St. Anthony's Church - Sunday, October 7, 2018

10:30 AM Mass (Spanish), followed by a Procession and Reception in the Church Hall. Come and celebrate the festival of Señor de los Milagros (Lord of Miracles) at St. Anthony's Church.

SACRED HEART LEAGUE NEWS...

Sacred Heart League Mass: Sunday, October 7th at 8:30am.

Sacred Heart League Covered Dish: Monday, October 8th at 6pm in the Church Hall.

BELOVED, a marriage enrichment program that explores the true meaning of the Sacrament of Marriage hosted by Dc. Tom and Patty Gutch. Come and discover the deepest spiritual, emotional, and practical realities of what your marriage can and should be. **Beginning Saturday Oct. 13th for 6 weeks** in the St. John the Evangelist Parish Center 808 Union Street, Sch'dy @ 5pm following the 4pm Mass. Call Patty Gutch @ 372-3381 ext 229 for more info and/or to register.

Please join us for a Public Square Rosary Rally sponsored by America Needs Fatima on **Saturday, October 13th**, at 12:00 noon, in the Courtyard at St. Luke's Pastoral Center, 1241 State Street (chairs will be available). Kindly join us in offering reparation for the sins and offenses committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary and to fervently pray for the conversion of the United States.

BOY SCOUT TROOP 72 News...

PANCAKE BREAKFAST sponsored by our Boy Scout Troop 72 coming up on Sunday, **October 14**, 8:00 am to 12:00 noon in the St. John the Evangelist Parish Center Cafeteria. Cost for adult \$8.00; children 12 and under \$6.00. Breakfast includes Pancake, Syrup, Sausage, Eggs, Juice, Coffee/Tea/Cocoa.

NEW ADULT ED PROGRAM - Beginning October 16th and continuing for the next five weeks Sr. Joan will facilitate a discussion at 1 PM in Room 8 of SJE Parish Center on *Meaning: Exploring the Big Questions of Science and Religion with a Vatican Astronomer*. Presented by Dr. Guy Consolmagno S.J., Ph.D. There will be a five dollar fee for materials. Please use the double doors under the canopy across from the handicapped ramp to SJE Church. If you are not already enrolled in the Tuesday Program please call Sr. Joan at 518-372-3381 ext. 224 so she can prepare the materials for you.

Saint Anthony's Mass Book, Sanctuary Lamp and Bread & Wine Calendars for 2019

The 2019 Mass Book & Calendars will open on Wednesday, October 17th at 9:00am. As in previous years there is no limit on weekday Masses but there is a limit on weekend Masses. You can book 6 weekend Masses per family per year. **Please come prepared with names, dates, and time of Mass.** If you are unable to come into the office your request can be mailed to the office or put in the collection basket during Offertory time (mark envelope Attn: Office). Please be sure to include your telephone number. Mass bookings will not be taken over the phone. All written requests will be entered on the 18th in the order received.

Religious Education and Youth Ministry News...

Registration forms may be downloaded from either church website. For further information, please email Dianne Galarneau at dgalarneau@sjchurch.com or call 518-372-3381 ext. 226.

Confirmation Registration - Students who attend a public or private high school are eligible to enroll for Confirmation preparation if they have faithfully attended a parish catechetical program consecutively during prior years. All students are prepared for the sacrament together on Sunday mornings in St. John's Parish Center. If you have any questions, please send Dianne Galarneau an email message at dgalarneau@sjchurch.com.

Important Faith Formation Update - Building Security: Over the summer we have met several times with staff, teachers, parents and the Schenectady Police Department regarding building security and safety for our children while attending faith formation in our Parish Center. Our Safety Policy and Procedure has been sent to all registered families and will be available on our websites. On the recommendation of Father Carlino and local authorities all students and parents will enter the building from the parking lot entrance only. Doors will be unlocked 15 minutes prior to the beginning of classes and locked 5 minutes after classes begin. If a student arrives late they must ring the bell and a hall monitor will let them in. The double doors will remain locked at all times. Coffee and donuts will not be available due to the need for a secure building.

Session Time: Sunday morning classes will be held from 10:45am - 11:45am only with the exception of Grade 2 which will meet additionally from 8:15am - 9:15am. Classes for students in Grades 9 and 10 will meet from 12:00pm - 1:00pm.

The **National Shrine of St. Kateri Tekakwitha** in Fonda, NY is celebrating its **80th Anniversary**. To mark the special occasion, this historical landmark will be hosting a Gala Celebration honoring The Most Reverend Edward B. Scharfenberger, Bishop of Albany on **October 17th**, at the River Stone Manor in Glenville from 6-9 pm. Please consider joining us. Details are available at www.katerishrine.com, tickets can be purchased at <https://www.eventbrite.com> or by calling the Shrine office at (518) 853-3646 or email: nationalkaterishrine@gmail.com.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR...



St. Anthony's Chicken Parmesan Dinner
Friday, October 19th & Saturday, October 20th
 4-8pm both nights

Dinner includes side of ziti, salad, Sister Maria Rosa's
 Homemade bread, dessert & coffee
 Adults \$12.00, Children \$6.00, Takeout Available

BRAINFIT - Did you know you can change your brain at any age? All the more reason to come to Brookdale's BrainFit and discover the building blocks that can keep your brain healthy. **Friday, October 26** at 1:00 PM at St. Paul the Apostle's George W. Brucker Parish Center located at 2777 Albany Street, Schenectady. RSVP to (518) 346-6935. Contact Kristin Black with questions at (518) 377-8886.

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 Extension 103 to schedule an appointment. Please leave a message with your name and telephone number so we may contact you and know that all communication is held in the strictest of confidentiality.

Nocturnal Adoration Society - For one hour each month, the Schenectady Chapter of the Nocturnal Adoration Society meets on the first Friday at 7:00 pm at St. Luke's Church on State Street. This invitation is open to all churches in the Schenectady area. Come join us in prayer and meditation.

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.

ATTENTION SINGLE WOMEN: Could God be calling YOU?

Do you think God may be calling you to the religious life – a life of love and service through the vows of poverty, chastity, and obedience? Would you like to learn more about such a life? If you would like to learn more about the religious life, please contact Sister Laurie-Marie, C.R. at lauriemarie.parisi@rcda.org or call (518) 453-6690 for more information. *Our Lady of Vocations, pray for us!*

Emmaus Ministry for Grieving Parents Spiritual Retreat - Saturday, November 17, 2018, 9:30am-7:00pm at St. Kateri Tekakwitha Parish, 1803 Union St., Schenectady. A Spiritual One-Day Retreat for Parents Who Have Experienced the Death of a **Child of Any Age, By Any Cause, No Matter How Long Ago**. Find compassion, rest, and peace... at least for a time. All Are Welcome! Donation: \$25 Individuals; \$40 Couples. Scholarships are available. Pre-registration is required. To register, go to: www.emfgp.org. For more information, contact Kristine Rooney at 518-370-3136, Ext 239.



Monday, October 8, 2018
Have a happy day!

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: _____

OCTOBER 7, 2018



Monday, October 8 – Weekday/Columbus Day

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

Tuesday, October 9 – Weekday

8:00 am Mass

Wednesday, October 10 – Weekday

8:00 am Ann Frese by Judy Mavente

Thursday, October 11 – Weekday

8:00 am Mass

Friday, October 12 – Weekday

8:00 am Anthony Cassillo Jr. by Son

Saturday, October 13 – Weekday

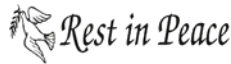
8:00 am Benefactors of St. Anthony's Bread by St. Anthony's Bread
Marina & Vigilio Cavoli by Cavoli Family

4:00 pm Bernadette Krosky by Camille & Dee
Liz & Frank Ferro by Family
Robert Parchetta by Parchetta Family
Carmine, Adeline & Nicky Borrelli by Family

Sunday, October 14 – Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 am For the People
Joseph Vegezzi & Deceased Family Members by Laurange Family
Irma Catenacci by Family
Ann Frese by Diane & Ken Morris
Theodore Soroka Jr. by Sylvia Palombo

10:30 am Spanish Mass



*Please pray for the repose of the souls of
Peter Giammatteo, Angelo Catalano and Marietta Popolizio.*



**Sanctuary Lamp for the week of
October 7th - October 13, 2018**

Anthony Cassillo Jr. by Son

Theresa Rose Caruso by Husband & Children

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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Altar Linen: Joanne Parchetta

Ellis Hospital & Long Term Care Center: Chris & Ed Kazmierczak

Important Notice to our Audit Teams: Please report to the DeFranco Room at 9:00 am. Audit Team #4, Tuesday, October 16: Danielle DePaula, Sandy Felthousen, Paul Freudigman, Ramon Diaz, Juan Lopez

Lectors October 13th & 14th:

Saturday, 4:00 pm – Chris Kazmierczak, Remo Muscedere

Sunday, 8:30am - Vince Bianchi, Vince Lecce

10:30am - Omar Crozier, Lucia Gutierrez

PARISH SUPPORT

September 23, 2018: \$4,299.50 Candles: \$73.00

Catholic University \$253.00



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.

**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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