

# ST. ANTHONY'S CHURCH

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## MISSION STATEMENT

WE ENDEAVOR TO SHARE OUR  
TIME, TALENT AND TREASURE  
TO PROCLAIM THE GOSPEL OF  
JESUS CHRIST,  
AND AS HIS CHURCH,  
TO GROW IN FAITH AND LOVE,  
TO ACT IN CHARITY AND TO SERVE  
ALL OF HIS PEOPLE.



Through the intercession of  
**St. Anthony**

When I'm depressed, Help me find hope.  
When I feel alone, Help me find love.  
When I can't see God anywhere, Help me find faith.  
When I'm afraid, Help me find trust.  
When I am weak, Help me find courage.  
When I am sick, Help me find healing.  
When I am overcome by grief, Help me find comfort.  
When I am angry, Help me to let go.  
When I'm in trouble, Help me find God.  
We ask this, through Our Lord, Jesus Christ, Amen.

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## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

OUR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAMS ARE PRESENTED  
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## MASS SCHEDULE

**NO DAILY MASS**

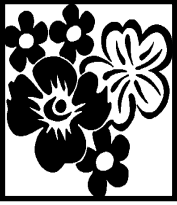
**SUNDAY MASS CELEBRATED AT 8:30 AM &  
11:45 AM (SPANISH), & 4:00 PM**

## RECONCILIATION

CALL 518-374-4591 EXT. 9 FOR AN APPOINTMENT BY THE WEDNESDAY-  
BEFORE.



## TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



### SAINT ANTHONY'S CHURCH Sunday, August 31, 2025

#### Regular Parish Office Hours

Monday 9:00am to 3:00pm

Tuesday through Thursday

7:00am to 3:00pm

*Fridays, the Parish Offices are closed.*

**Monday September 1-Labor Day-Parish Offices Closed**

#### St. Anthony's Church Extensions 518-374-4591

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#### Sunday Readings-August 31, 2025

#### Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

**1st Reading:** Sirach 3:17-18,20,28-29  
**Responsorial:** Psalm 68:4-5,6-7,10-11  
**2nd Reading:** Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24  
**Gospel Acclamation** Matthew 11:29ab  
**Gospel:** Luke 14:1, 7-14

#### OFFERING CONFESSION BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

Fr. Carlino will be hearing Confessions by Appointment only.  
 For those wishing to participate will need to call Fr. Carlino at  
 (St. John's) 518-372-3381 ext. 9 or (St. Anthony's) 518-374-  
 4591 ext. 9 no later than 3:00 pm the **WEDNESDAY** before.

**Hispanic Community-"Sundays-11:15 AM:** Rosary Prayer-Church." Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed after the Spanish Mass. **Sunday Nights-Spanish Prayer Meeting-6:00 PM-9:00 PM DeFranco Room. Monday Nights-6:00 PM-9:00 PM, Spanish Bible Study in the DeFranco Room.**



#### ANNUAL DIOCESAN MARRIAGE JUBILEE MASS

(For couples celebrating their 1st, 25th, 50th,  
or any special anniversary.)

With Bishop Edward B. Scharfenberger

Will be held Sunday, September 14, 2025

3 PM Liturgy with Reception at

Christ Our Light Church-1 Maria Drive, Loudonville, New York  
 There will be opportunity for photos with Bishop at the reception

Questions can be directed to: 518-453-6660

MarriageJubilee@rcda.org

Sponsored by the Office for Discipleship Formation

### SUNDAY, AUGUST 31, 2025-MASS INTENTIONS

**8:30 AM** Rose & Anthony Cassillo by Anthony  
 Santina DiCesare by Paul & Anna Knapick  
 Keith M. Torak by Mother  
 Ersilia & Galiotti by Rose DiSalvatore  
 Vittorio Valentino by Dominick Di Matteo  
 Filomena Fazzone by Dominick Di Matteo

**9:30 AM** St. Kateri-Union Street

**10:30 AM** St. John the Evangelist

**11:30 AM** St. Kateri-Rosa Road

**11:45 AM Spanish Mass-St. Anthony's**

**4:00 PM** St. Anthony's Bread by St. Anthony's Bread  
 Sally Ferraro by Family

Please pray for the reposed soul of:

#### Week Day Masses



#### Monday, Sept. 1, 2025-Labor Day

**9:00 AM** St. Kateri, (Union Street)

#### Tuesday, Sept. 2

**9:00 AM** St. Kateri, (Union Street)

#### Wednesday, Sept. 3

**9:00 AM** St. John the Evangelist

#### Thursday, Sept. 4

**9:00 AM** St. John the Evangelist

**6:00 PM** St. Kateri, Rosa Road

#### Friday, Sept. 5

**9:00 AM** Mass St. Kateri-Rosa Road

#### Saturday, Sept. 6

**4:00 PM** Mass St. John the Evangelist

**5:00 PM** Mass St. Kateri, Union Street



**St. Anthony's Exposition  
of the Blessed Sacrament and Holy Hour**  
 Every Saturday 10:00 AM  
 518-374-4591 Ext. 8 Bro. Ron



#### Diocesan Appeal 2025-2026

The new year of the Diocesan Appeal began on July 1st! As you plan your budget, please consider a PLEDGE to the Appeal: Pledge Now, Pay by June 2026

1. It notifies your parish leader *early-on* that they can count on your help to reach the parish goal
2. You avoid solicitations (*first one is sent September 2025*)
3. You can spread out your payments for up to \*12 months! \*For pledges made in July; payment in full due by 6/30/26. **Apportion your gift to one or more areas of focus: (indicate within 'Comments' box in online form)**

- GENERAL BUDGET SUPPORT
- PARISH OPERATIONAL SUPPORT
- PARISH MISSION SUPPORT
- VOCATIONS

For details, visit *Materials* at [www.TheDiocesanAppeal.org](http://www.TheDiocesanAppeal.org)



**St. Kateri School Registration** for the 25-26 school year is now open for **Pre-K 3, Pre-K 4, and K-5**. Call 518-382-8225 schedule a tour or visit the website at: <https://stkaterischool.org/>



**COLLECTION****August 24, 2025-**

Not available due to early submission.

**Lectors: Aug. 31, 2025**

8:30 AM: Dave DiToro

11:45 AM : Maria De La Paz

4:00 PM : TBA

**Altar Linens: August 31-Sr. Christeena****Audit Team: Tuesday, Sept. 2, Team D****St. Anthony's Church**

The Venerini Associates help distribute food to needy families during the year. Help us **restock** so the good



work can continue. **No gift is too small. Monetary gifts for the food pantry should be placed in an envelope marked clearly Food Pantry c/o St. Anthony's Church. Nonperishable food items can be brought directly to St. Anthony's Church placed in the food containers by doors, 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM, Monday through Friday or to St. John the Evangelist on weeks days 7am to 11:00AM or on weekends before Masses at either church. This is what we are in need of:**

Canned Fruit, Canned Applesauce, Canned Cranberry Sauce, Canned Vegetables, Canned Green & Yellow Waxed Beans, Soups, Boxed Stuffing, Canned Sweet Potatoes, Canned Yams, Boxed Scaloped Potatoes, Canned Beans, Canned Peas, Canned Corn, Canned Stews, Pudding, Cereal, Pasta, Pasta Sauce, Jelly/Jam, Peanut Butter, Cooking Oil, Tuna Fish, Mayonnaise, Canned Meats.

**PASTORAL CARE DEPARTMENT** - Do you know someone who is homebound and would like to receive a visit/ Communion? Please call our Pastoral Care Coordinator, Ron McClosky 518-374-4591 ext. 103.

**SJE ROSARY SOCIETY'S CLOTHING SALE**

If you are thinking about cleaning out your closets this summer/fall and getting rid of those gently used clothes, please consider donating them to the St. John the Evangelist's Clothing Sale being held on **Saturday, September 27, from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.** The Rosary Society will be sponsoring this event and asking for your donations of clean clothing (men, women, children), shoes, accessories and jewelry. Donated articles may be dropped off at the Parish Center Gym Wednesday, Sept. 24, and Thursday, Sept. 25, between 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. and Friday, Sept. 26, from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon. Please enter through the parking lot door. If you have any questions, please contact Debbie DeLuca - 518-381-6281 or Kathy Carney - 518-377-7444.

The **SJE Rosary Altar Society's** first meeting of the year will be held on Wednesday, September 10 at 7 p.m. in the SJE Parish Center Cafeteria. Please come and join us in honoring our Blessed Virgin Mary in reciting the Rosary. We will review the Society's 2025-26 Calendar of Events and refreshments will be provided.



**MONDAY MOVIE NIGHT** -To view this year's films, visit St. Anthony's website at [www.stanthonychurch.net](http://www.stanthonychurch.net) click on Education then scroll down to Movie Night, **click on 2025 Film Schedule.** Snacks and beverage are provided at no cost. For more information, please email Dianne Galarneau at [dgalarneau@sjchurch.com](mailto:dgalarneau@sjchurch.com) or call 518-372-3381 ext.

226. *This is fun - bring your friends, and plan to make new ones!*  
**Sept. 8th-PADRE PIO-MIRACLE MAN**-shown in 3 parts.

Part 1-Sept. 8-6:30 -8:00 PM

Part 2-Sept. 15-6:30-7:30 PM

Part 3-Sept. 22-6:30 -7:30 PM

**ROSARY MAKING MINISTRY**

Come join us! We meet the First Tuesdays of September to June-10:00 AM to 11:00 AM in St. Anthony's Church Hall. All are welcome. Learn to make rosaries with cord and beads. Take kits home and make rosaries at your leisure. Return made rosaries for distribution. For inquiries call Linda 518-399-6965 and leave a message. The desire to help fulfill the endless request for rosaries is all that is required.

**Eucharistic Procession-Triumph of the Holy Cross**-(Fr. Isopo invites all to participate in this year's procession.)

On **Sunday, September 14**, Feast of the celebration of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross, St. Luke's will celebrate our annual Eucharistic Procession for religious freedom and respect for life issues at **2:00pm**. We will begin in Church with Scripture and the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament which will then be taken in procession through the Central State Street neighborhood with hymns and prayers. The procession will conclude in Church with Benediction. For those who would like to participate but find it difficult to walk, the rosary will be offered in Church during the procession. You are encouraged and welcome to join with many parishes as we give witness to our Roman Catholic faith.

**Pilgrims of Hope...Disciples on Mission Diocesan Jubilee Gathering****Saturday, September 20, 2025-8:30 AM to 2 PM****St. Matthew's Church - 25 Mountainview Street, Voorheesville, NY 12186**

As the Jubilee Year 2025 draws to a close, and as our diocese embarks on the "ReMade for Mission" initiative, we will gather as fellow pilgrims and disciples to pray together, and to fan the flame of hope through inspiring presentations by Fr. Frank Donio, S.A.C., director of the Catholic Apostolate Center in Washington, D.C.

Fr. Frank will help us to reflect on what it means to be pilgrims of hope. This Jubilee Gathering will include morning refreshments, a festive morning prayer, two talks by Fr. Donio, lunch, and a synodal listening session and sharing. **There is no cost to attend. However, advance registration is required. Please register by September 10!** To register go to <https://webapps.rcda.org/ParishFaithFormation/>. For further information, please visit <https://www.rcda.org/offices/office-discipleship-formation> or call the Office for Discipleship Formation (518) 453-6670. We look forward to seeing you there!

AUGUST 31, 2025

**FAITH FORMATION  
REGISTRATION IS  
NOW OPEN FOR 2025-2026**



We are happy to invite parents to register your children for faith formation sessions beginning in the fall. Students in grades 1 - 10 will meet on Sundays in the parish center from 11:30am - 12:30pm. Please visit our websites to learn more about our program and to download a registration form. For St. John's [www.sjchurch.com](http://www.sjchurch.com) and for St. Anthony's [www.stanthonychurch.net](http://www.stanthonychurch.net). For more information please contact Dianne Galarneau at [dgalarneau@sjchurch.com](mailto:dgalarneau@sjchurch.com) or 5158-372-3381 ext. 226. We have exciting plans for this new term and a wonderful team of catechists to serve your families.

**ADULT FAITH FORMATION**-We are never finished learning, if you feel the desire to grow in faith, we are here to help you do just that. Our faith-life is grounded in developing a personal relationship with Jesus. As its first goal, faith formation helps us acquire a conversion of heart, trusting in God's love, obeying His will and putting us in communion with Jesus Christ. If you wish to receive the sacraments, or simply have questions about the process, please call Dianne Galarneau via email at [dgalarneau@sjchurch.com](mailto:dgalarneau@sjchurch.com) or 518-372-3381 ext. 226 or We have a wonderful team ready to welcome you and walk with you along this journey.



**SJE THE KING'S MEN APOSTOLATE**-All men ages 18 and above are invited to join the Schenectady Chapter of the King's Men Apostolate. We meet now each **Tuesday evening at 7:00 PM** in the St. John's Parish Center, room 8 to pray the Rosary, Divine Mercy Chaplet, spiritual reading & discussion. There are no dues or obligation to attend every meeting. For more information, contact Michael Zaccaria at 518-779-2317.

**Back-to-School Clothing Donations Needed!** Help the Good Neighbor Program provide clothing to kids in our community. New and gently-used clothing in children's sizes 2T-18, and new only socks, underwear, and sneakers of all sizes are needed. **Clothing may be dropped off on Tuesdays only from 10am-1pm at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish Center.** Monetary donations are also appreciated and may be mailed to: Works of Mercy Initiative, c/o St. Luke's Church, 1241 State Street, Schenectady, NY 12304. Visit our website for more information: [worksofmercyschdy.org](http://worksofmercyschdy.org)

**SAVE THE DATE for a Jubilee Year Pilgrimage**

We are planning a pilgrimage trip to New York City to visit the Shrine of Mother Cabrini on **Sunday, October 26**. We will travel via Wade coach, departing from St. John's parking lot at 7:00am returning by 5:00pm. The movie, CABRINI will be shown enroute. Fr. Carlino will accompany us and offer Mass at the shrine. There will be minimal walking involved. Frances Xavier Cabrini MSC, also known as Mother Cabrini, was a prominent Italian-American religious sister and the first American saint. In 1889, New York was filled with chaos and poverty, and into this new world stepped Mother Frances Cabrini and her sister's organized catechism and education classes for immigrants and provided for the needs of the many orphans. **The cost is \$75.00 for adults and \$45 for those under 18.** For more information, please contact Irina Clark at [iclark2@msn.com](mailto:iclark2@msn.com) or text 646-942-0924. Checks may be made payable to Irina Clark and mailed to St. Johns to her attention at 806 Union Street, Schenectady, 12308. For the complete itinerary please visit our websites at [www.sjchurch.com](http://www.sjchurch.com) or [www.stanthonychurch.net](http://www.stanthonychurch.net)

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**LITTLE ITALY STREET FEST 2025**

This will be our 20th year for Little Italy.

*A Schenectady Tradition!*

Little Italy Street Fest will be held on **Saturday, September 6, 2025, from 12:00 pm - 9:00 pm**. There will be live music, shopping, food, and more. Union at N. Jay Street. **Sr. Maria Rosa will have a booth there also.** Pepper Cookies, Wine Cookies, Rosette's, Pickled Peppers, Marinara Sauce and more. Come join the fun.

**St. Anthony's Sacred Heart League is hosting an OPEN HOUSE on Sunday, September 7, immediately following the 8:30 AM Mass in the church Hall. Refreshments will be served. Please join us! Bring a friend!**



**MAGNIFICAT**

Gentle Women of Praise Chapter is hosting a Day of Reflection

Theme: "Mary, our life, our sweetness, our hope"

**Saturday, September 13, 2025**

**10:am to 2:30 PM**

**Sisters of the Resurrection**

**Provincial House**

**35 Boltwood Avenue**

**Castleton-on-Hudson, NY 12033**

**Free will donation**

**To Register: [albanyMagnificat@gmail.com](mailto:albanyMagnificat@gmail.com)**

**Kathleen Carroll @ 518-930-8380 (Call after 6 PM)**

**Bring a bag lunch and a beverage**

**SCHENECTADY SOCIAL CLUBS**-Catholic Charities offers opportunities for seniors 55+ to gather to socialize, share a meal and participate in activities to improve emotional and physical health. **Current social clubs meet on Mondays at St. John the Evangelist Parish Center and Fridays at Bellevue Cafe. St. Luke's Senior Social Club-Join us on Wednesdays from 1-2:30pm at the St. Luke's Pastoral Center.** Please RSVP by the day prior to: 518-507-5456. **September 17 Mosaic Coasters Craft /September 24 Trivia.** Come join in for the special activity of the day, or just come for coffee and conversation if you prefer. All seniors 55+ are welcome. Transportation is available if needed. **Contact Kristin Black with any questions at or 518-347-9955, or [stlukescares@gmail.com](mailto:stlukescares@gmail.com)**

**You are invited: On Sunday, October 19 at 3pm, St. Kateri Tekakwitha Parish** will have the honor of sponsoring a concert at our Union Street Church by the world-renowned concert organist, **Vincent Dubois who serves as the Titular Organist at the Cathedral of Notre Dame in Paris, France.** We invite anyone who might be interested in being a benefactor for this concert to please contact our Director of Music Ministry Dominick Giaquinto at [dgiaquinto@stkateriparish.org](mailto:dgiaquinto@stkateriparish.org) If you are interested in making a donation, please send a check made out to St. Kateri Parish and send it to 2216 Rosa Road, Schenectady, NY 12309, Attn: Dominick Giaquinto. Please save this date and invite friends and family to join us for this once in a lifetime concert!



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