

# 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  
AS A COOPERATIVE EFFORT WITH THE PROGRAMS OFFERED AT  
ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH  
GRADES PRE K- 12 - DIANNE GALARNEAU  
518-372-3381 - EXT 226

## 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.



## OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST KING OF THE UNIVERSE



### **SAINT ANTHONY'S CHURCH** **Sunday, November 23, 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.*

**St. Anthony's Mass Book is open for 2026**  
**Mass Cards Available-Mass Intentions are \$15.**

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

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#### **Sunday Readings-November 23, 2025** **Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe**

|                           |                       |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>1st Reading:</b>       | 2 Samuel 5:1-3        |
| <b>Responsorial:</b>      | Ps: 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5 |
| <b>2nd Reading:</b>       | Colossians 1:12-20    |
| <b>Gospel Acclamation</b> | Mark 11:9, 10         |
| <b>Gospel:</b>            | Luke 23:35-43         |

#### **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.**

**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 Mc Closky 518-374-4591 ext. 103.

**CAREGIVERS' PROGRAM** - please call St. John's office and leave a message at (518)-372-4619 Extension 326.

### **Sunday, November 23, 2025-MASS INTENTIONS**

**8:30 AM** Louis & Filomena Petraccione by Family  
Elvira Riccio Di Cerbo by Grand Daughter, Heather Gray

In Thanksgiving by Parishioner

**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  
Kevin Carl Maguire by Susan & Michael

We pray for the reposed souls of: Eric Fluty

### **Week Day Masses**

#### **Monday, Nov. 24, 2025**

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

#### **Tuesday, Nov. 25**

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

#### **Wednesday, Nov. 26**

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

#### **Thursday, Nov. 27-Thanksgiving Day**

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

**9:00 AM** St. Kateri, Union St.

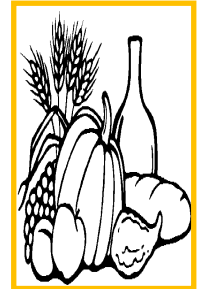
#### **Friday, Nov. 28**

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

#### **Saturday, Nov. 29**

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

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



### **Thanksgiving Day Mass** **Thursday, November 27**

**Held at: St. John the Evangelist Church-9:00 AM**  
**St. Kateri-9:00 AM -Union St.**



**2026 CALENDARS** have been generously provided by DiToro/Rossi Funeral home again. We are grateful for this wonderful and useful-gift. They will be available next week November 30th in English, Spanish & Italian. Please take one per household.

### **A GIFT FROM YOUR PARISH** - Next week

**Nov. 30th**, please do not forget to pick up your **Little Blue Books - Advent/Christmas Seasons 2025**. It is a pre-Christmas gift to you from your parish to assist you as you journey through the 43 days of the Advent/Christmas season. We suggest you start with *How to use the 'Little Blue Book* and that for each of the next 43 days you take but six minutes to let God speak to you.



**COLLECTION****November 9, 2025-Regular-\$5,158.61**

All Saints-\$168.00 All Souls-\$176.00

**Altar Linens:** 11/23-Robin Skalski 11/30-Francis Marcil  
**Audit Team:** 11/24-Team D 12/1-Team A**Lectors:** Next Week-Nov. 30, 2025

8:30 AM: Cathy Williams

11:45 AM: Maria De La Paz

4:00 PM: TBA

Give  
Thanks**SANCTUARY CANDLE****Weeks of Nov. 23-Nov. 29**

Donald Reisinger by Family

Maria D'Elia by Marlene &amp; Jim Facci

**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.

**St. Anthony's Mass Book is open for 2026**  
**Mass Cards Available-Mass Intentions are \$15.**

**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.**

Canned Fruit, Canned Applesauce, Canned Cranberry Sauce, Canned Vegetables, Canned Green & Yellow Waxed Beans, Soups, Boxed Stuffing, Canned Sweet Potatoes, Canned Yams, Boxed Scalloped 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. **Thank you.**



**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. 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.**

**ST. JOHN'S MOVIES**

Due to darker evenings this time of the year, we will also offer Sunday afternoon films.

The same film will be offered Monday evenings.

For the complete movie listing please visit our website at [www.sjchurch.com](http://www.sjchurch.com), click on Religious Education, you will find the Movie.

**"IF ONLY WE HAD LISTENED", November 30,**

**2:30 – 3:35 PM & December 1, 6:30 – 7:35 PM.**

**Saturday Movies for Children of All Ages!** We are happy to invite all children to an assortment of Saturday movies. All movies will be shown in St. John's cafeteria from 11:00AM - 12:00PM. Please join us

**December 20** to see the movie - **Holy Night – The King is Born**

Celebrate the wonder and joy of Christmas with Brother Francis in this heart-warming presentation of the birth of God's Son! This is a wonderful way to remind everyone of Who we celebrate during the Christmas season.

**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 Parish Center-Upcoming Activities-December**

**Thursday, December 4, 11:30am-1:00pm** for Intro to Chair Yoga.

**Wednesday, December 17, 1:00-2:30pm** for Crafting Fun

**Please RSVP to Kristin Black at [stlukescares@gmail.com](mailto:stlukescares@gmail.com) or 518-347-9955**

**CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS EVE PAGEANT**

All children from Kindergarten to 8th Grade are invited to participate in the 2025 Children's Christmas Eve Pageant that will take place at the 4:00PM Christmas Eve Mass at St. John the Evangelist Church. Needed are angels and shepherds, kings and stable animals, Mary and Joseph, narrators and choir members. Participants will be required to attend rehearsals on the following Sundays from 12:45-1:30PM. November 23, December 7, 14 and 21. All participants will sing! Student participants who attend Faith Formation classes will simply stay in the gym or cafeteria after class as directed by their teachers until rehearsals begin. Students who do not attend Sunday Faith Formation classes at St. John's will need to be escorted by their parent/guardian into the parish center gym or cafeteria by 12:30PM. Please enter the parish center through the Eastern Avenue parking lot. **If you are interested in helping with the pageant** email Laurie Barone at [lauriebarone@gmail.com](mailto:lauriebarone@gmail.com)

**If your child/ren are interested in participating in the pageant,** email Dianne Galarneau at [dgalarneau@sjchurch.com](mailto:dgalarneau@sjchurch.com). Please provide child's name, grade, home/cell phone number, parent/s name/s and email address. Additional telephone number of second adult. Thank you!



La Novena en honor de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe va a tener lugar entre el 28 de noviembre y el 6 de diciembre a las 7 pm en el salon De-Franco. El domingo 7 de diciembre rezaremos el Santo Rosario a las 10 AM, seguido por la Santa Misa a las 11:45 AM. Después de la Misa, todos están cordialmente invitados a compartir un almuerzo en el Salon de la iglesia.

NOVEMBER 23, 2025

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



#### Faith Formation News

We invite everyone to join our faith formation students and adults preparing for the sacraments in a beautiful prayer experience. **Pray the Family Rosary**, it began **November 2**, now through to **November 2, 2026**. Why? On May 13, 1917 Our Lady of Fatima requested of us to **"Pray the Rosary every day in order to obtain peace for the world."** There is grace in one prayer, one decade, or one Rosary. Benefits? + Enjoy 20 extra minutes of family time and by God's grace - peaceful homes. + Share each other's gratitude and concerns through prayer intentions. + Explore our faith through the Rosary's Mysteries. + Find strength through Mary's intercession and God's grace to withstand life's trials by promoting peace within our families, and the world. + If older children say they don't have time ... check their screen time. + "The Family that prays together - stays together." Venerable Fr. Patrick Peyton.

#### HOLIDAY CRAFT SHOW & BAKE SALE

St. John the Evangelist's Rosary Altar Society is having their Annual Holiday Craft Show & Bake Sale on **Saturday, December 13th from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Parish Center**. A variety of delicious foods will be available for purchase for lunch. Admission is free.

--There will be many fabulous vendors selling a variety of items which would be great for gifts.

--We will raffle great gift baskets that include generous donations from area restaurants and businesses.

**Our Annual Bake Sale table is in need of your delicious baked goods.** You may drop off your baked goods either **Friday, December 12th from 12 noon to 6 p.m.** or **Saturday, December 13th from 8 a.m. to 9 :30 a.m.** Please call Joanne McGrath at 518-356-2996 if you have any questions. **Thank You!!**

Also, our "Elegant Leftovers" (aka White Elephant Sale) will be accepting your donations of gently used items (please no large items) on **Friday, December 12th from 12 noon to 6 p.m.**

Please join us at our Annual Holiday Event

**Live Streaming- Sunday, 8:30 AM Mass go to website:**  
[www.stanthonychurch.net](http://www.stanthonychurch.net). Click on YouTube Live Icon.

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#### THANKSGIVING BAKE SALE

**Saturday November 22-8:00 AM to 5 :00 PM  
& Sunday, November 23-8:00 AM to 1:00 PM.**

**St. Anthony's Church Hall  
331 Seward Place**

**Stop in and see entire selection!**

Pies-Apple, Pumpkin, Assorted Biscotti, Morzette-Frosted, Pepper Cookies, Wine Cookies, Italian Bread, Rolls, Rosette's, Guanti, Pizzelle, Frozen Dough, Pasta, Stuffed Shells, Pickled Eggplant, and more. Delicious!

#### FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Masses

**Monday, December 8**

**St. Anthony's Church 7:00 AM**

**St. Kateri Tekakwitha Church, Union St. 9:00 AM**

**St. John the Evangelist Church 12:15 PM**

**St. Kateri Tekakwitha Church, Rosa Road, 7:00 PM**



#### Annual Christmas Party Buffet Luncheon

Hosted By

**St. Anthony's Sacred Heart League  
&**

**St John The Evangelist Rosary  
Altar Society**

**Where** - Turf Tavern, 40 Mohawk Ave Scotia NY 12302

**When** - Sunday, December 14, 2025

**Time** - 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM

**Cost** - \$25 members & \$30.00 non-members

**\*Checks payable to Sacred Heart League**

**Mail check to: Cathy Busher, 211 Lincoln St. Scotia NY 12302** Any question call 518-366-2307.

**Buffet: Chicken, Fish and Vegetarian selections**

**Checks payable to SJE Rosary Altar Society**

**Mail check to:**

**Catherine O'Rourke, 24 Rivers Run Dr., #103, Niskayuna NY 12309.**

Any questions call (518) 557-2004

**Please fill out, detach and mail no later than  
December 1, 2025**

**Member's**

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Amount:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Guest (s)**

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