



# St. Anthony's of Farnham

"Serving the Lake Shore Community"

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Parish Office Hours: Monday - Friday 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Regular Mass Schedule: Saturday 4:00 PM ; Sunday 9:00 AM and 11:30 AM

Daily Mass Schedule: Mon., Tues., Wed., Fri. 9:00 AM, Thurs. 7:00 PM

Holy Days: As announced

<p>Trustees .....Sandra Hooge          ..... Frank Zeffiro, Jr.          Secretary .....Sue Cummings          Business Manager .....Eleanor Cox          Parish Council President..Theresa White          Director of Faith Formation.....          ....Kathleen Brachmann          Youth Ministry .....Keith Dash          RCIA.....Needed          Sacramental Program.....Kris Dash</p>	<p>Music Ministry .....Sharon Valites          ..... Mike Cerabone          Eucharistic Ministers and Lectors          Coordinator.....Marcia Ernst          Liturgy .....Donna Roof          Parish Advocate for the Disabled.....          ..... Sharon Valites          Children's Liturgy of the Word...Michele          Baumgarden  <b>"Stay With Christ"</b></p>	<p>Family Liturgy .....Theresa White          Parish Vocation Coordinator.....Kris Dash          Spiritual Life &amp; Worship....Kathie Barreca          Respect Life.....Legion of Mary          Buildings &amp; Grounds.....Larry Leonard          Custodian .....George Cordia          Cemetery Sexton .....Charles Walker          Scout Troop #421 ..... Wayne Ames          Marriage Preparation.....Keith &amp; Kris Dash</p>
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## SACRAMENTAL MINISTRIES

**CELEBRATION OF EUCHARIST** "Do this in memory of me..."

**RECONCILIATION** "Peace is my gift to you..."

Confessions - Thursday evening 6:00 - 6:30 PM

Saturday afternoon 3:00 - 3:30 PM

**BAPTISM** "Unless you are born again..."

Arrangements can be made with the parish priest. Parents should be registered in our parish. Baptismal classes are held for parents the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00 PM - only when needed. Call the rectory one week in advance.

**SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY** "What God has joined..."

Engaged couples should phone the rectory to make an appointment with the parish priest to set the date and time for their wedding at least six months in advance. Attendance at a Pre-Cana Conference is also required.

**CARE OF THE SICK** "Come to me you who are weary..." Please

notify the rectory office for a pastoral visit to any family member who is sick, confined at home, hospitalized or in a nursing home. Arrangements for the reception of sacraments of the Eucharist can be made through the rectory office. Ministers of the sick are available to bring communion to shut-ins on a weekly basis.

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the sick is administered each First Thursday after the 7:00 PM Mass and upon request.

**ADULT INSTRUCTION AND RCIA** "Go and teach all nations..."

Adults interested in the Catholic faith are cordially invited to contact the rectory office for information about Adult Inquiry Classes, the Catechumenate, and preparation for adult reception of the Sacraments of Christian Initiation (RCIA) .

**LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION** "By their fruits you will know them..."

For those who have been asked to be sponsors for Baptism or Confirmation, we gladly issue recommendations for parishioners who: (1) are baptized and confirmed; (2) are at least 16 years old; (3) are registered for at least 6 months; (4) attend Mass regularly; (5) if married, have done so in conformity with the laws of the Church; (6) if they are parents, are sending their children to Catholic School or Religious Instructions; (7) if they are students, are attending Catholic School or Religious Instructions.

**PARISH MEMBERSHIP** "That they may all be one..."

We always welcome new members to our parish family. Please contact the parish priest or the rectory.

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ January 19, 2020

The miracle that Jesus performed at the Wedding at Cana made it clear that Jesus came to do remarkable acts of love for us. These acts continue, and Jesus asks some of us to assist him in very privileged ways. Is God call you to the commitment of being a priest, deacon, brother or sister? If so, call Fr. Andrew Lauricella at 716-847-5535.

January 19, 2020

**DAILY MASSES & INTENTION**

<b>Mon.</b>	<b>01/20</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>Father's Day Intentions</b>
<b>Tues.</b>	<b>01/21</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>Alfred Mack requested by Dave &amp; Linda Sauter</b>
<b>Wed.</b>	<b>01/22</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>To End Abortion requested by Legion of Mary</b>
<b>Thurs.</b>	<b>01/23</b>	<b>7:00 PM</b>	<b>People of the Parish</b>
<b>Fri.</b>	<b>01/24</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>Daniel Carriero requested by Sandie &amp; Jim Hooge</b>
<b>Sat.</b>	<b>01/25</b>	<b>4:00 PM</b>	<b>Theresa Quagliana requested by Sandie &amp; Jim Hooge</b>
<b>Sun.</b>	<b>01/26</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>Mary Kief requested by Faith Formation Group</b>
		<b>11:30 AM</b>	<b>Daniel Carriero requested by Mayme Barone</b>

*If the Mass is being offered for your loved one, or for your intention, and you would like to carry the Offertory Gifts, please tell an Usher before Mass. ~Intentions are \$15, and a Mass card is available - please call the office or stop by the rectory. MANY WEEK END AND WEEK DAY MASSES AVAILABLE!*

*Dedications to your loved one can be offered by signing up for a MEMORIAL FLOWER VASE, OR WINE~HOST~CANDLE offering. The available dates and sign-up sheet are located on the bulletin board near the Children's Room.*

**NEXT WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

**SATURDAY JANUARY 25, 2020 4:00 PM**

LECTOR Keith Dash  
 MINISTERS Erik Dash, Marlene McSkimming, Mary Fran O'Connell, Marcia Ernst  
 ALTAR SERVER Needed

**SUNDAY JANUARY 26, 2020 9:00 AM**

LECTOR Mary Jayne Ginnitti  
 MINISTERS Rose Cerabone, Tony Cerabone, Kathy Brachmann, Kathie Barreca  
 ALTAR SERVER Ryan Kief

**SUNDAY JANUARY 26, 2020 11:30 AM**

LECTOR Bob Duhan  
 MINISTERS Carol Duhan, Eileen Brittain, Mary Matthews, Steve Smith  
 ALTAR SERVER Tyler Mitchell

**THIS WEEK AT ST. ANTHONY'S**

<b>Sunday Jan. 19</b>	<b>9:00 &amp; 11:30 AM Mass</b>
<b>Monday Jan. 20</b>	<b>9:00 AM Mass Legion of Mary 11:00 AM Bible Study 7:00-8:30 PM Martin Luther King Jr., Birthday Observed St. Fabian, St. Sebastian - Optional Memorial</b>
<b>Tuesday Jan. 21</b>	<b>9:00 AM Mass Boy Scouts 7:00-8:30 PM (Rank Advancement) St. Agnes - Memorial</b>
<b>Wed. Jan. 22</b>	<b>9:00 AM Mass AA Meeting 8:00 PM Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children</b>
<b>Thurs. Jan. 23</b>	<b>6:00-6:30 PM Confessions 7:00 PM Mass St. Vincent, St. Marianne Cope - Optional Memorial</b>
<b>Friday Jan. 24</b>	<b>9:00 AM Mass St. Francis de Sales - Memorial</b>
<b>Saturday Jan. 25</b>	<b>3:00-3:30 PM Confessions 4:00 PM Mass The Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle - Feast</b>
<b>Sunday Jan. 26</b>	<b>9:00 &amp; 11:30 AM Mass Faith Formation 9:45-11:00 AM Youth Ministry 12:15-1:30 PM</b>

**UPCOMING EVENTS AND MEETING**

- February 8 - Reconciliation Class 9:30-11:30 AM
- February 16 - No Rel. Ed or Youth Ministry Class (President's Day)
- February 22 - Reconciliation Class 9:30-11:30 AM
- February 26 - Ash Wednesday, 9:00 AM & 7:00 PM Mass
- February 29 - First Penance Ceremony 1:00 PM

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Mary Adams, Bryan Ahl, Wayne Ames, Mayme Barone, Eileen Barry, Andrea Battaglia, Laura Bley, Michael Bolistriero, John Brackett, Sheri Buczkowski, Victoria Busch, Theresa Campisi, Penny Carriero, Diane Catalfu, Lucille Chiapparo, Gene Ciminelli, Jerry Clark, Arica Clear, Florence Conover, Joe Cook, Callan Cooke, Amy Crawford, Jonah Eric DeLang, Katlin DeMaria, Carol A. Doino, Dave Dudek, Raymond Dunkel, John Durusky, Jack Fescio, Joe Ficialiano, Rev. James Fliss, Emily Gibbs, Debbie Godfrey, Dorothy Govenettio, Megan Granich, Sue Hall, Harold Green, Fred Gugino, Rose Haak, Billy Hamm, Darlean Jewell-Morales, Orin Kelkenberg, Kerry, Kristen Kielbasa-Cummings, Maria Klopff, Marke Lantry, Kathy Leiker, Sue Licht, Troy Little, Judy Lohr, Collin Lyford, Rebecca Hall Marshall, Barbara Morin, Sheri Niedermeier, Julie Ortel, Kira Palermo, Alicia Parisio, Michael Pawelek, Rylee Pierce, Gabriel John Polizzi, Carol Privitera, Nina Reghetti, Jim Ross, Justin Schmidle, Robert S. Sciandra, Ralph Schweers, Lynn Sellick, Joe Siciliano, Jim Smith, LouAnn Stevenson, Ruth Taggart, Robert Tamulski, Shirley Trask, Nick Valites, Sharon Valites, BethAnne Van Horn, Don Waite, Charles Walker, Gene Welty, Marian Wesolowski, Gregory Winger Jr., Matthew Young, Chris Zgoda, Judith Zielinski, Doreen Zimpfer.

We are happy to honor requests for prayers for the sick especially when they are in the hospital, in rehabilitation, in hospice or in a post op recovery. When they are improved we remove their names to make room for others. **Those of you who call in requests should notify us when they are better.**

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT**  
January 12, 2020 Weekly Offertory \$ 2,608.00

Please pray for the repose of the souls of Daniel G. Carriero and Theresa M. Quagliana, whose souls have returned to the care of God. We pray that the Lord will grant eternal rest and peace to their souls and bring comfort and consolation to their families and friends.

Reflecting on the Gospels with Sister Janet—January 19, 2020  
SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*John 1:29-34:* John the Baptist had the honor of preparing the way for Jesus. Because of John's preaching and baptizing, the people's hearts were ready for Jesus, who John called the Lamb of God. John makes it clear to the people that it was God who helped him recognize Jesus as God's chosen one through his life of prayer, studying God's Word and preaching.

PARISH NEWS

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION / YOUTH MINISTRY: There will be no classes on Sun., Jan. 19<sup>th</sup> in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. birthday. Classes resume on Sunday, Jan. 26<sup>th</sup>, 2020!

BIBLE STUDY- Meets on Monday, January 20, 7-8:30 PM.

YEAR END CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS will only be sent if requested. Please call the rectory if you would like yours.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER AND LECTOR SCHEDULES are ready and available at the side entrance of the Church.

LEGION OF MARY

“Faith is a gift that keeps alive a profound and beautiful certainty; that we are God's beloved children.” ~*Curate's Diary*

PRO-LIFE: Governor Cuomo Unveils 16<sup>th</sup> Proposal of 2020 State of the State: Legalizing Gestational Surrogacy. Governor Andrew Cuomo just wrapped up his State of the State Address, and there is not much new to report regarding life issues. He once again stated his intention to cheerlead the effort to lift New York's ban on commercial surrogacy contracts. He said that New York needed to do this to “stand in solidarity with the LGBTQ community.” ABORTION EXPANSION BILL: Contact your state legislator and express your view of their vote on the abortion expansion bill. <https://www.nyscatholic.org>

CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES: Next week, our parish will take up The Catholic Relief Services Collection (CRSC). Funds from this collection provide food to the hungry, support displaced refugees, and bring Christ's love and mercy to all people here and abroad. Next week, please give generously to the CRSC and help Jesus in disguise. Learn more about the collection at [www.usccb.org/catholicrelief](http://www.usccb.org/catholicrelief).

TUITION ASSISTANCE FOR PRIVATE GRAMMAR SCHOOLS. The BISON Children's Scholarship Fund provides tuition assistance to economically eligible children entering Kindergarten-8<sup>th</sup> grade throughout the eight counties of Western New York. The BISON Fund's scholarship pre-application is now available for NEW families for the 2020-21 school year. If selected, the scholarships can be used at any private grammar school in WNY. The deadline to apply is February 28. You can apply online at [www.bisonfund.com/our-scholarships/](http://www.bisonfund.com/our-scholarships/). [www.bisonfund.com](http://www.bisonfund.com) or call 716-854-0869.

OPEN HOUSE AND TOUR on Sunday, January 26 from 11 am-1 pm at Christ the King School, 2 Lamarck Dr., Snyder. Meet teachers, staff, and parents. Rigorous Academic Excellence in a faith-based environment; accredited; proven success. Join us.

MARIAN CONSECRATION, “33 DAYS TO MORNING GLORY,” on Facebook LIVE at “Basilica of St. Mary of the Angels Olean” daily at 7 pm through February 2. Fr. David Tourville leads us in prayer and adoration as we continue the Marian Consecration, “33 Days to Morning Glory.” What a gift of healing and grace! It's never too late to jump in and complete this beautiful retreat. It will change your life!

MARCH FOR LIFE 2020: January 23, 2020, Join the Buffalo Diocese and hundreds of thousands of Catholics and others in solidarity for a pilgrimage of public witness, penance, and prayer for all those affected by the 1973 Roe v Wade Supreme Court decision legalizing abortion, and for the conversion of those who misguidedly perpetuate it. We look forward once again to a unified and powerful stand against the Roe v Wade decision <https://www.buffalodiocese.org/prolife-events#marchforlife>.

ALUMNI MASS IN SOUTH BUFFALO. If you are alumni of St. Martin of Tours, St. Thomas Aquinas, St. Teresa, St. Agatha, Holy Family, St. John the Evangelist or St. Bonaventure, you are cordially invited to a Reunion Mass on Sunday, January 26 at 4 pm at Our Lady of Charity Parish (St. Ambrose worship site), Buffalo. A light reception will follow the Mass, giving you an opportunity to visit with classmates and catch up. Hope to see you there!

STROKE SUPPORT GROUP on Tuesday, January 28 at 12:45 pm at Kenmore Mercy Hospital, 2950 Elmwood Ave., Kenmore. Speech pathologist Deborah Insalac will discuss aphasia, the recovery process, and how people with aphasia communicate. Kenmore Mercy Hospital's Stroke Support Group meetings, 716-447-6205 or [www.chsbuffalo.org/events](http://www.chsbuffalo.org/events).

LIVE CONCERTS. The Cardinal O'Hara High School Alumni Association will present the BBC Band concert on January 31 at 8 pm and Strictly Hip concert on February 21 at 8 pm at Cardinal O'Hara High School, 39 O'Hara Rd., Tonawanda. Tickets at [www.cardinalohara.com](http://www.cardinalohara.com) or call 716-695-2600, ext. 311. Proceeds benefit the continuing restoration of the Performing Arts Center and the alumni scholarship fund.

SUPER BOWL SUNDAY Pancake Breakfast & Theme Basket Auction on February 2 from 9 am-12 pm (or until sold out) at St. George Parish, 74 Old Glenwood Rd., West Falls. Menu includes: pancakes, sausage, eggs and beverages. Tickets available at the door. Theme basket donations are most welcome. For more information, call the parish office at 716-652-3153 or email [stgeorge.wf@gmail.com](mailto:stgeorge.wf@gmail.com).

“HEART-TO-HEART” on Wednesday, February 12 from 1-2:30 pm at St. Francis Park, 5229 South Park Ave., Hamburg. While more than 600,000 Americans die from heart related conditions each year, heart disease is preventable and treatable if you know the risk factors and warning signs. Join Catholic Health RN and Patient Educator, Maureen McCabe, as she discusses the causes of heart disease for men and women and what you can do to reduce your risk. This event is free and open to the public. Reservations are required by calling 716-649-1205 before February 7. Parking is available around the perimeter of the building.

DOMINICAN SISTERS OF HAWTHORNE: We invite women ages 19-44 who are discerning a religious vocation to join us for a weekend to experience our prayer and apostolate. Reservations are required. Vocation Discernment Weekend in Hawthorne, NY, March 6-8, and August 14-16. More information contact Sr. CatherineMarie, OPat 1-845-745-1319; [vocationdirector@hawthorne-dominicans.org](mailto:vocationdirector@hawthorne-dominicans.org). Poster, flyer and calendar located by side entrance near crying room.

~ANNOUNCEMENTS~

**RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults):** NEEDED, someone who would like to share their Catholic Faith with those who want to learn about it! Please speak to Fr. Jim or call the rectory for information and further details.

**SHOP AT HOME AND EARN MONEY FOR ST. ANTHONY'S:** Visit <http://shop.com/stanthonyvsfarnham>, set up account, use referring email: [emaycee195@gmail.com](mailto:emaycee195@gmail.com)

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**ST. ANTHONY'S SHIRTS:** T-shirts, sweatshirts & hooded sweatshirts are available to purchase. They are here at St. Anthony's! If you would like to purchase or order a non-stock item, please fill out an order form (at Church entrances). Great Christmas Gifts!

**ST. ANTHONY'S COOKBOOK** can be purchased for \$3 each or two for \$5. If you would like to purchase, please call or stop by the Church Office.

**ST. PADRE PIO** Anointing of the Sick Healing Mass at St. John the Baptist R.C. Church, 6895 Boston Cross Rd., generally held the second Wednesday of each month, 7:00 PM, also offering Eucharistic Adoration the same day following 8am morning Mass. 941-3549

**STAY CONNECTED** with all the latest information and events in our parish by signing up on our Facebook page. We share bulletin announcements, pictures of events that happen at St. Anthony's, and meditations to enhance spiritual growth.

**FEED THE HUNGRY:** Please remember to support those in need in our community by donating non-perishable food OR clothing to Operation Good Neighbor. Collection boxes are at the entrances of our church. Your support helps fight hunger 365 days a year! **OPERATION GOOD NEIGHBOR:** Operation Good Neighbor has two locations – one in Evans at 2030 South Creek Rd., Evans NY 14112, Food Pantry on Tuesdays 12:30-2:30pm, 6-8pm and Clothing on Tuesdays 12:30-2:30, Fri 10-2, Sat. 10-1pm.; and at Most Precious Blood School, 22 Prospect St., Food Pantry on Tues. 1-5pm. See posters on bulletin boards for eligibility guidelines.

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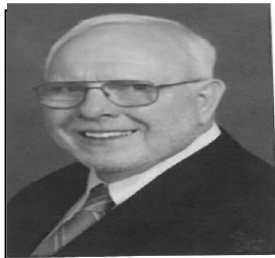
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**PLEASE NOTE:** Any articles to be published must be submitted by Wednesday 10:00 AM to be included in the weekend bulletin. Pulpit announcements will be limited to emergency announcements only. Please plan ahead. Thank you.



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