

St. Anthony's of Farnham

"Serving the Lake Shore Community"

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OCTOBER IS
RESPECT LIFE
MONTH ♥

REV. JAMES W. FLISS, PASTOR

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



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"Spread the Good News"

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Respect Life.....Angie Zajas / Legion of Mary
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CustodianGeorge Cordia
Cemetery Sexton.....F..Zeffiro/G.Cummings
Scout Troop #421 Wayne Ames
Marriage Preparation.....Keith & Kris Dash
Society of St. Vincent de Paul-MatthewBurke

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.

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ October 11, 2020

Whether we realize it or not, countless blessings are being bestowed upon us. Our very existence is itself a gift. How grateful are we for our blessings? How can we live out our appreciation? Perhaps we can do this by answering the Lord when He calls upon us.

If God is calling you to a Church vocation, call Fr. Andrew Lauricella at 716-847-5535.

October 11, 2020

DAILY MASSES & INTENTION

Sat.	10/10	1:30 PM	Wedding ♥ Tara Sager & Cameron Dawley
		4:00 PM	Edward Cerk requested by O'Connell Family
Sun.	10/11	9:00 AM	Patrick Callahan requested by Lorraine Granville
		11:30 AM	Grant Zajas requested by Family
Mon.	10/12	9:00 AM	Harold G. & Norma M. Hamberger requested by Family
Tues.	10/13	9:00 AM	Daniel P. Duhan requested by Bob & Carol Duhan
Wed.	10/14	9:00 AM	Angelo, John & Daniel Carriero requested by Angela Bedaske
Thurs.	10/15	7:00 PM	Michaline Schreier requested by Chris & Sue Hall
Fri.	10/16	9:00 AM	Mother's Day Intentions
Sat.	10/17	4:00 PM	Harold G. & Norma M. Hamberger requested by Family
Sun.	10/18	9:00 AM	Edward Ernst requested by Marcia
		11:30 AM	Chris Irwin requested by Tom & Ann

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANTHONY'S

Saturday Oct. 10	11:00 AM Rosary Rally 1:30 PM Wedding 3:00-3:30 Confessions (<i>In Children's Room</i>) 4:00 PM Mass <i>Blessed Virgin Mary – Optional Memorial</i>
Sunday Oct. 11	9:00 & 11:30 AM Mass Rite of Calling, Confirmation Class during 9AM Mass
Monday Oct. 12	9:00 AM Mass Legion of Mary 9:30 AM <i>Columbus Day</i>
Tuesday Oct. 13	9:00 AM Mass Boy Scouts 7-8:00 PM (<i>First Aid Merit Badge</i>)
Wed. Oct. 14	9:00 AM Mass <i>St. Callistus I – Optional Memorial</i> <i>Happy Birthday Fr. Jim !</i>
Thurs. Oct. 15	6:00-6:30 PM Confessions (<i>In Children's Room</i>) 7:00 PM Mass <i>St. Teresa of Jesus - Memorial</i>
Friday Oct. 16	9:00 AM Mass <i>St. Hedwig, St. Margaret Mary Alacoque – Optional Memorial</i>
Saturday Oct. 17	3:00-3:30 PM Confessions (<i>In Children's Room</i>) 4:00 PM Mass <i>St. Ignatius of Antioch – Memorial</i> <i>Sweetest Day</i>
Sunday Oct. 18	9:00 & 11:30 AM Mass Youth Ministry after 9:00 AM Mass <i>World Mission Sunday</i>

UPCOMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS

October 18 – Youth Ministry Session following 9:00 AM Mass
October 25 – Faith Formation Session following 9:00 AM Mass

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

NEXT WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

SATURDAY OCTOBER 17, 2020 4:00PM

LECTOR Donna Roof
MINISTERS Marlene McSkimming, Laura Nobsch, Tony Cerabone, Rose Cerabone

SUNDAY OCTOBER 18, 2020 9:00AM

LECTOR Mary Jayne Ginnitti
MINISTERS Kathie Barreca, Eileen Brittain, Kathy Brachmann

SUNDAY OCTOBER 18, 2020 11:30AM

LECTOR Tony Montoro
MINISTERS Steve Smith, Gail Schwartz, Kim Zukowski, Mary Matthews

Mary Adams, Bryan Ahl, Patricia Ames, Wayne Ames, Andrea Battaglia, Laura Bley, Michael Bolistrieri, John Brackett, Sheri Buczkowski, Victoria Busch, Theresa Campisi, Penny Carriero, Diane Catalfu, Lucille Chiapparo, Jerry Clark, Arica Clear, Florence Conover, Joe Cook, Callan Cooke, Amy Crawford, John Cureo, Jonah Eric DeLang, Katlin DeMaria, Carol A. Doino, Dave Dudek, Raymond Dunkel, John Durusky, Tami Faraci, Jack Fescio, Joe Ficialiano, Rev. James Fliss, Emily Gibbs, Debbie Godfrey, Dorothy Govenettio, Megan Granich, Harold Green, Fred Gugino, Rose Haak, Nancy Hargrave, Darlean Jewell-Morales, Orin Kelkenberg, Kerry, Kristen Kielbasa-Cummings, Maria Klopff, Marke Lantry, Kathy Leiker, Sue Licht, Troy Little, Judy Lohr, Collin Lyford, Ed Marchant, Marjorie Mauer, Barbara Morin, Sheri Niedermeier, Julie Ortel, Kira Palermo, Alicia Parisio, Michael Pawelek, Rylee Pierce, Carol Privitera, Vinnie Puntillo, 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, 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

October 4, 2020 Weekly Offertory \$ 2,726.00
 Monthly Offertory \$ 956.00

If you are able to make a Church donation, please mail to the Church, or donate electronically by the following ways...

Online you can make a donation on our website:

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Liturgy of the Day – October 11, 2020

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

We are invited to a feast today. We gather around the table of the Lord, summoned by the Holy Spirit to share in this Eucharistic meal with family, friends, and neighbors, fellow pilgrims on the journey. May this feast nourish and sustain us as we go forth in joy to continue building the kingdom in our little corner of the world and beyond.

PARISH NEWS

RITE OF CALLING for the following Candidates as they finish their final year of preparation for Confirmation will be recognized on Sunday, October 11, 2020 during the 9:00 AM Mass. Please pray for the following Candidates:

- David Erickson
- Tyler Mitchell
- Casey Taylor

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS: The theme this year is “Spread the Good News”. Due to Covid restriction we will be holding classes every other week for each group. Youth Ministry’s first session will be October 18th and Faith Formation will have its first session on October 25th after the Sunday, 9:00 AM Mass. If you have any questions regarding either program, please feel free to contact Kathy Brachmann 648-4873 or Keith Dash 867-9199.

OCTOBER IS RESPECT LIFE MONTH:

THE COLLECTION FOR the Ministries for Mom’s & Babies will be this weekend, October 10th/11th. The Diocesan Ministries have served over 1,500 families at the locations of the St. Gianna Pregnancy Outreach Centers and Mother Teresa Home.

LEGION OF MARY

Our Lady of the Rosary, October 7th: “Through the Rosary, the faithful receive abundant grace, as though from the very hands of the mother of the redeemer.” ~St. John Paul II

THE OBLIGATION TO KEEP THE LORD’S DAY HOLY CAN BE FULFILLED BY MAINTAINING A PRAYERFUL ATTITUDE AND THROUGH PERSONAL AND FAMILY PRAYER.PLEASE VISIT WWW.BUFFALODIOCESE.ORG

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION PRAYER

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES: If you or someone you know is struggling with addiction, consider this your sign to reach out for help. Catholic Charities Substance Abuse Treatment Program is a New York State OASAS license outpatient program that aims to treat addiction with a combination of therapy and medicine. www.ccwny.org/addiction. 716-895-1033. Additionally, counseling for individuals and families is available at our offices across Western New York.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY: World Mission Sunday will be celebrated in our local Church and throughout the world on the weekend of October 17th & 18th. Through the second collection, the Society for the Propagation of the Faith helps the Society to provide resources to missionaries in 1,111 mission dioceses throughout the world to care for Christian communities in need and for the proclamation of the Gospel to the ends of the earth.

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OPEN HOUSE; CANISIUS HIGH SCHOOL, 1180 Delaware Ave., Buffalo 14209: Open House will be held on October 17, 18, 20. canisiushigh.org/openhouse. Space is limited. Pre-registration required. 716-882-0466.

OPEN HOUSE; ST. FRANCIS HIGH SCHOOL: 4129 Lake Shore Rd., Hamburg, NY. St. Francis has Virtual and In-Person Tour Opportunities. 716-627-1200 ext 582, or www.stfrancishigh.org.

FALL FESTIVAL: The Altar & Rosary Society of Queen of Angels will be holding a Fall Festival on Sunday, October 18 from 11 am-3 pm at the Church Social Center, Warsaw St. & Electric Ave., Lackawanna. The Festival will feature Wendel’s Chicken Dinner, which includes roasted potatoes, salad, roll and dessert. Take-out only. Pre-sale tickets available. The Festival will feature a 100+ prize raffle. For further information, call 716-826-0880.

ARE YOU WONDERING WHAT TO DO WITH YOUR LIFE? Do you want to follow God but aren’t sure how? Do you have questions about religious life, married life, the diaconate, single life or the priesthood? Come to a Discernment and Vocations night at St. Bernadette Parish, 5930 South Abbott Rd., Orchard Park: for high school/teens on November 6 from 6:30-8:30 pm; for college students and older on November 10 at 7 pm. Learn helpful tips for discerning your purpose, hear vocation stories and experience the many ways God calls us all to service. Questions and RSVPs, contact Sister Colleen at srcolleen@saintbopny.org or 716-649-3090, ext. 109.

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!

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. **DUE TO COVID19 THE INFORMATION ABOVE MIGHT HAVE CHANGED.**

ABORTION EXPANSION BILL: Contact your state legislator and express your view of their vote on the abortion expansion bill. <https://www.nyscatholic.org> and click on Action Center **OFFICE OF PRO-LIFE ACTIVITIES - TELEPHONE HOTLINE NUMBERS.** Unplanned Pregnancy, Abortion Alternatives & Healing: 716-847-2205. St. Gianna Pregnancy Outreach Centers, helping mothers and fathers in need: 716-842-BABY (2229) Buffalo, 716-203-7593 Chautauqua County, 716-284-BABY (2229) Niagara County. Project Rachel, post-abortion reconciliation: 716-847-2211



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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.

	<p>THOMAS "TOM" VAN WIE Licensed Real Estate Salesperson</p> <p>The Certo Team "Helping you find your way HOME"</p> <p>CELL: 716-984-8661 TVWAMBIT@gmail.com 4779 Transit Rd., Ste. 17 Depew, NY 14043 716-668-7000 Fax: 716-668-6804</p> 	<p align="center">FOR ANYONE UNABLE TO ATTEND MASS PLEASE USE FACEBOOK FOR DAILY AND WEEKEND MASSES – ST. ANTHONY'S OF FARNHAM OR YOUTUBE.COM, SEARCH, 'ST. ANTHONY'S CHURCH FARNHAM NY'</p>
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*Town of Brant Historian, Patty Friend
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