



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

**PLEASE USE FACEBOOK FOR DAILY AND WEEKEND MASSES – ST. ANTHONY'S OF FARNHAM-
OR GO TO YOUTUBE.COM, SEARCH, 'ST. ANTHONY'S CHURCH FARNHAM NY',
FOR DAILY MASS AFTER 9:00 AM- EXCEPT SATURDAY**

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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.

Sixth Sunday of Easter ~ May 17, 2020

Today we hear that all people, regardless of where they come from, are called to dwell in the heavenly Jerusalem. Christ has appointed people to remind His children of this, and to help them to live accordingly.

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



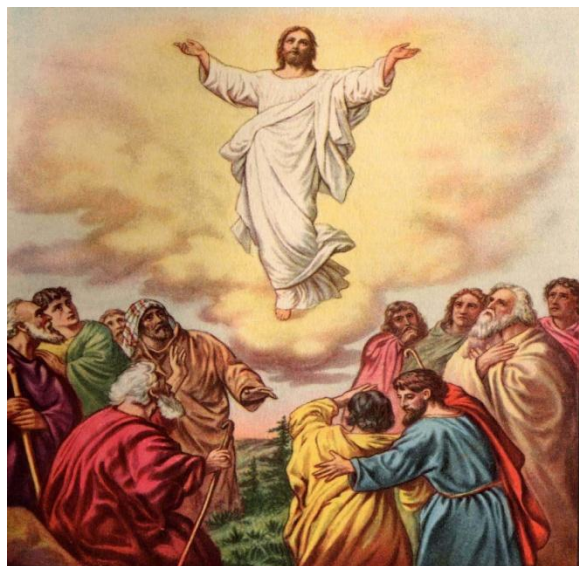
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DAILY MASSES & INTENTION

Sat.	05/16	Marie Trask requested by Shirley Trask
Sun.	05/17	Edward Ernst requested by Marcia
Mon.	05/18	Russ Battaglia Jr.(Birthday Remembrance) requested by Jo Battaglia
Tues.	05/19	Julia Pauline DeRooy requested by DeRooy Family
Wed.	05/20	David Fennessey (Anniversary of Death) requested by sister Vern
Thurs.	05/21	Theresa Quagliana requested by Lori & Ray Dunkel
Fri.	05/22	For the People of the Parish
Sat.	05/23	Amy Duhan (living), and all expectant mothers and all babies during this pandemic requested by Bob & Carol Duhan
Sun.	05/24	Patrick Mandell requested by Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence Sinear

SCHEDULED MASSES WILL BE PRIVATELY SAID IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE BISHOPS DIRECTIVES.

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Saturday May 16	<i>Armed Forces Day</i>
Sunday May 17	10:00AM-1:00PM – Church open for private pray 6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER
Monday May 18	10:00AM-3:00 PM – Church open for private prayer <i>St. John I – Optional Memorial</i>
Tuesday May 19	10:00AM-3:00 PM – Church open for private prayer
Wed. May 20	10:00AM-3:00 PM – Church open for private prayer <i>St. Bernardine of Siena – Optional Memorial</i>
Thurs. May 21	10:00AM-3:00 PM – Church open for private prayer THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD – HOLY DAY
Friday May 22	10:00AM-3:00 PM – Church open for private prayer <i>St. Rita of Cascia – Optional Memorial</i>
Saturday May 23	
Sunday May 24	10:00AM-1:00PM – Church open for private prayer 7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

UPCOMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS

***PLEASE CHECK ON YOUR ELDERLY NEIGHBORS**

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, 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, Thomas Postle, Carol Privitera, Vinnie Puntillo, Nina Reghetti, Jim Ross, Justin Schmidle, Robert S. Sciandra, Liz (Hall)Schwab, 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 bet**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT

May 10, 2020 Weekly Offertory \$ 2,728.00

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:

www.stanthonyvfarnham.org.

Smartphone: You can Text to Donate: Text to *716-215-2401 (Simply text amount to the *number and follow prompts to complete)

“Give+ Mobile App: Download “GivePlus Church” to set up donation. Search zip code 14061 for our church.

“QR Code: Download QR Code reader App, Scan the code with your smartphone.....as seen here.....→ follow prompts to complete transaction.



ALL SECOND COLLECTIONS ARE POSTPONED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

Please pray for the repose of the souls of Msgr. Edward J. Scanlan (retired priest), and Rev. Francis Schimscheiner, OSFS, 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 May 17, 2020

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

During the Last Supper, Jesus reminds his apostles of the most important things. Recalling the intensity of our call to love, Jesus promises that he will ask the Father to send the Holy Spirit to help them (and us), for he knew that it would not always be easy.

PARISH NEWS

MOTHER’S DAY return envelopes with the person’s name, living or deceased can be returned either by mail or drop off at the rectory (*driveway side entrance has a mailbox in the small breezeway*)

DURING THE WEEK, MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY, THE DOORS OF THE CHURCH WILL BE OPEN FOR THOSE WISHING TO MAKE PRIVATE DEVOTIONS, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 10:00 AM AND 3:00 PM AND SUNDAY 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM. If you have any questions regarding the time, please call the rectory.

AS THE EASTER SEASON EXTENDS UNTIL PENTECOST, YOU MAY STILL FULFILL YOUR “EASTER DUTY” EVEN AFTER EASTER SUNDAY – PARTICIPATING IN THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION AND ATTENDING MASS.

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 FOR LIVE-STREAMED CELEBRATIONS OF THE EUCHARIST AS WELL.

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.

TO ACCESS INFORMATION BY THE BUFFALO DIOCESE,

PLEASE VISIT THE DIOCESAN WEBSITE AT WWW.BUFFALODIOCESE.ORG (GUIDELINES, MASS, EDUCATION)

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LEGION OF MARY

The Ascension, May 21st: “He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right had of God the Father Almighty, from thence he shall come to judge the living and the dead...”

APPEAL 2020 CATHOLIC CHARITIES: Catholic Charities is doing everything possible to continue to serve our neighbors in need at this time. We are operating every service we safely can and especially those most vital at this time such as basic emergency assistance, including our food pantries (all nine are up and running, assisted by CC staff from other departments) and counseling and mental health services. We are here to help! Many of our staff are working remotely and returning office calls daily. For the Appeal, our office at 741 Delaware Ave. is closed to visitors. Parishes (and even individual parishioners) are asked to mail donations to our office, 741 Delaware Ave., Buffalo, NY 14209, Attn: Appeal Department. We also encourage online donations: <https://www.ccwny.org/donation> when possible. Appeal staff are working remotely and returning office calls daily. Please call Clara Moran, 716-713-4410, with questions or concerns. We are grateful for the returns that are being mailed already! For a daily update about Catholic Charities, go to our home page at www.ccwny.org. Thank you!

~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 EARN MONEY FOR ST. ANTHONY'S <http://shop.com/stanthonyvsnarnham>, set up acct, use referring email: 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.

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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Town of Brant Historian, Patty Friend
Meetings the 3rd Wednesday each month at 7:00 PM- Everyone is welcome!