



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

Summer Mass Schedule: 6/6/21 thru 9/5/21: Saturday 4:00 PM; Sunday 9:00 AM and 11:00 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"

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.



Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – July 25, 2021

St. Paul encouraged the Ephesians to "live in a manner worthy of the call you have received."

But what exactly is that calling? It's different for everyone.

If your calling is a Church vocation, contact Fr. Dave Baker at 716-847-5535 or visit buffalovocations.org.

July 25, 2021

DAILY MASSES & INTENTION

Sat.	7/24	4:00 PM	Rose Pinker requested by Joyce Cureo
Sun.	7/25	9:00 AM	Regina & Anthony Pericak requested by Pericak & Chiavetta Families
		11:00 AM	Tony D'Aloisio requested by Cummings Family
Mon.	7/26	9:00 AM	Holy Souls in Purgatory requested by Carolyn & Larry Schoos
Tues.	7/27	9:00 AM	All Souls requested by St. Philip the Apostle Church
Wed.	7/28	9:00 AM	For the People of the Parish
Thurs.	7/29	7:00 PM	Mother's Day Intentions
Fri.	7/30	9:00 AM	Father's Day Intentions
Sat.	7/31	4:00 PM	Anthony Paternostro (Wedding anniversary) requested by Katie
Sun.	8/1	9:00 AM	Patricia Dickman requested by Brachmann Family
		11:00 AM	Rose Pinker requested by Geri Cureo Hill

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANTHONY'S

Saturday July 24	Confessions 3:00-3:30 PM 4:00 PM Mass <i>St. Sharbel Makhluif; Blessed Virgin Mary – Optional Memorial</i>
Sunday July 25	9:00 & 11:00 AM Mass <i>17th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>
Monday July 26	9:00 AM Mass Legion of Mary 9:30 AM <i>SS. Joachim & Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary - Memorial</i>
Tuesday July 27	9:00 AM Mass
Wed. July 28	9:00 AM Mass
Thurs. July 29	Confessions 6:00-6:30 PM 7:00 PM Mass <i>St. Martha - Memorial</i>
Friday July 30	9:00 AM Mass <i>St. Peter Chrysologus – Optional Memorial</i>
Saturday July 31	Confessions 3:00-3:30 PM 4:00 PM Mass <i>St. Ignatius of Loyola - Memorial</i>
Sunday August 1	9:00 & 11:00 AM Mass <i>18th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>

NEXT WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

SATURDAY	JULY 31, 2021	4:00PM
LECTOR	Keith Dash	
MINISTERS	Rose Cerabone, Tony Cerabone, Mary Fran O'Connell, Marcia Ernst	
SUNDAY	AUGUST 1, 2021	9:00AM
LECTOR	Mary Jayne Ginnitti	
MINISTERS	Shirley Szczublewski, Carol Duhan, Laura Nosbisch	
SUNDAY	AUGUST 1, 2021	11:00AM
LECTOR	Mary Hurley	
MINISTERS	Linda Andrzejewski, Steve Smith, JoAnn O'Grady	

UPCOMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS

September 4 – Patriotic Rosary 10:00 AM, ALL WELCOME
 September 11 – Beach Mass at Evangola State Park after 4PM Mass
 September 12 – Later Sunday morning Mass begins at 11:30 AM

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Mary Adams, Bryan Ahl, Wayne Ames, Andrea Battaglia, SantaMarie Baumea, Verna Bogdan, Michael Bolistriero, John Brackett, Sheri Buczkowski, Victoria Busch, Nicholas Byer, Theresa Campisi, Jared Canto, Penny Carriero, Diane Catalfu, Lucille Chiapparo, Arica Clear, Florence Conover, Joe Cook, Callan Cooke, Amy Crawford, John Cureo, Jennifer Czyz, Kris Dash, Mark DeCarlo, Jonah Eric DeLang, Katlin DeMaria, Carol A. Doino, Dave Dudek, Raymond Dunkel, John Durusky, Stacy Erickson, Tami Faraci, Jack Fescio, Joe Ficialiano, Rev. James Fliss, Emily Gibbs, Debbie Godfrey, Jerry Gorczyca, Dorothy Govenettio, Megan Granich, Harold Green, Fred Gugino, Rose Haak, Inez Hacker, Sue Hall, Nancy Hargrave, Darlean Jewell-Morales, Orin Kelkenberg, Kerry, Kristen Kielbasa-Cummings, Maria Klopff, Marke Lantry, Patty Latimore, Kathy Leiker, Sue Licht, Troy Little, Judy Lohr, Collin Lyford, Ed Marchant, Rebecca Hall-Marshall, Renee' McMullen, Barbara Morin, Linda Muscato, 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, Kathy Solly, LouAnn Stevenson, Ruth Taggart, Robert Tamulski, Sharon Valites, BethAnne Van Horn, Thomas Van Wie, Don Waite, Kenneth Waterman, 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.**

THE YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH

July – Joseph Most Faithful

Fidelity connotes steadfastness. In the vicissitudes of life, one needs steadfast love, that is, fidelity, when encountering confusion, suffering, and failure. The image of Joseph finding a place in which the Child could be born was his movement in all of life. Failure simply meant one went on in fidelity and found by failure what God had intended for the fruitfulness of His will.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT

July 18, 2021 Weekly Offertory \$ 2,431.00

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Please pray for the repose of the soul of Cathy Jumper whose soul has returned to the care of God. We pray that the Lord will grant eternal rest and peace to her soul and bring comfort and consolation to her family and friends.

Liturgy of the Day – July 25, 2021
Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

“The whole is greater than the sum of its parts,” we hear from time to time, meaning that a collection of things put together can be greater than what would be expected when each is alone. Today we hear two accounts of times when a seemingly inadequate number of loaves of bread provided plenty for a huge crowd to eat. We hope to exemplify the same saying when we join together as Church. Separately, we may feel inadequate to carry on the mission of Jesus. But together we form the body of Christ, capable of building the kingdom of God here on earth. Joining together today to be nourished in the Eucharist, let us dream of how together we can change the world.

PARISH NEWS

CHIAVETTA’S CHICKEN BBQ THANK YOU again to all the supporters of St. Anthony’s BBQ on Sunday, July 11th! - We ‘sold out’ on the Rainy BBQ Day at approximately 1:45 PM! Thank you volunteers for your help in setting up, baking, boiling, preparing, serving and clean up! After all expenses we profited \$992.

DIOCESAN GUIDELINES, COVID-19: If you are not fully vaccinated, masks are required during Mass. Mass participation should not be contingent on vaccination status nor should anyone be questioned regarding their vaccination status. Ministers of the Eucharist should continue to wear masks when distributing Communion. Holy water fonts will remain empty. Disinfecting will continue after each Mass or gathering.

ROSARY IN THE PARK: Our Lady of the Rosary will be at the Evangola State Park every Thursday evening beginning on August 5th at 7:00 PM and ending on September 9th. Follow the signs to the shelter – Rain or Shine.

PRAY THE ROSARY: To commemorate the Miracle and the Message of Fatima on October 13th, 1917, St. Anthony’s invites you to come to Church and participate by praying the Rosary before each weekday Mass. We begin 45 minutes before Mass.

PATRIOTIC ROSARY: Everyone is welcome to join the Legion of Mary in reciting the Patriotic Rosary on Saturday, September 4th at 10:00 AM, here at St. Anthony’s Church.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR ST. ANTHONY’S BEACH MASS & PARISH PICNIC: Saturday, September 11, 2021 at 5:15 PM in Evangola State Park, Shelter 1-A. Please bring a lawn chair, plates with utensils, cups, drinks and a POT LUCK dish to pass. Hot dogs, rolls and condiments will be provided! Everyone is invited. Please join us!

CONGRATULATIONS to St. Francis High School student and parishioner of St. Anthony’s, Braden Hill, on achieving Fourth Quarter Honor Roll.

LEGION OF MARY

July 26th is the Memorial of Saints Joachim and Anne, the Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary

CATHOLIC CHARITIES: School is out? Not at Catholic Charities. If you’re ready to earn your high school equivalency diploma or become career ready, contact our Department of Workforce and Education at 716-893-3500. Services offered for youths and adults in Erie and Niagara counties include tutoring, high school equivalency preparation instruction, basic skills upgrades, employment readiness preparation, post-secondary school education planning and more. To learn more, call 716-893-3500. For more information on Catholic Charities and other services and programs we provide, visit www.ccwny.org. Join us on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter.

CELEBRATION OF LIFE: The 23rd Anniversary of the Shrine to the Unborn. St. Mary’s Roman Catholic Cemetery, Rt. 60, Dunkirk 14048 on Wednesday, July 28, 2021 at 7:00 PM. Bring a chair. If rain, service held at St. Anthony’s Church, 33 Cushing St., Fredonia 14063. Sponsored by the St. Gianna Pregnancy Outreach Center. Info call Pat 207-6509 or 401-3324.

VOCATION CONFERENCE FOR YOUNG ADULTS 18-39: Marriage; Single Life; Priesthood; Religious Life. August 7th, Noon-5:30 PM at St. Amelia Church, 2999 Eggert Rd., Tonawanda. Keynote speaker is John Finch from the Vigil Project Mass with Bishop Mike Fisher. Cost is \$20/person, \$25 includes Chiavetta’s Chicken Dinner and trivia with prizes. Register/Info at stamelia.com

BRANT-FARNHAM CONCERT SERIES: Monday nights at 7:00 PM: July 26th ‘Crash Cadillac’, Aug. 2nd ‘Pyramid Dance Band’, Aug. 9th ‘Joseph Michael Mahfoud Band’, Aug. 16th ‘97 Rock Tailgate Band’.

ST. MARY OF THE LAKE BEACH MASS on Saturday, July 31 at 6:00 PM, Hamburg Town Park. Covid regulations will be followed. Food and beverage provided. For more info or a parking permit, call 716-627-3123.

ST. MARY OF THE LAKE LAWN FETE on September 11th featuring Chiavetta’s Chicken dinner (sit down or take out); Dennis George Quiz Master Game Show; Beer and Band tent featuring the band “Hit and Run”; Basket Raffle and Attic Treasures. Info call 627-3123.

SAVE THE DATE: ANNIVERSARY MASS. The Diocese of Buffalo and the Office of Pastoral Ministries wishes to honor couples who will observe their 50th, 60th and 70th wedding anniversaries and recognize the beauty of their faithfulness, sacrifice, challenges and comforts in daily married life. This will be held at St. Joseph Cathedral on Sunday, October 24. Please look for further details from your parish. If you have any questions, call 716-847-2205.

WORD OF LIFE-JULY 25: “Married love differs from any other love in the world. By its nature, the love of husband and wife is so complete, so ordered to a lifetime of communion with God and each other, that it is open to creating a new human being they will love and care for together. ...That power to create a new life with God is at the heart of what spouses share with each other.”

~ANNOUNCEMENTS~

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CONCERTS AT THE GAZEBO in Angola's Centennial Park began on Wednesday, July 7th at 7PM. Concerts continue every Wednesday thru August 18th with new entertainment each week from 7-9pm. Bring a lawn chair.

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 or call the church office. Great 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, 4:30-6:30pm 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 CHANGE.**

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.



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THE BRANT POST OFFICE FROM 1914-1922. THEY
DONATED THE IRONWORK ON THE CROSS IN THE
OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL CEMETERY.

Town of Brant Historian, Patty Friend

*Meetings the 3rd Wednesday each month at
7:00 PM- Everyone is welcome!*