



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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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.



Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – July 4, 2021

God bless America! We are "one nation, under God, indivisible," but people often forget that middle part. We need priests, deacons, religious, and lay ministers to remind us of our sacred duties to God & country. Is God inviting you to a Church vocation? Call Fr. Dave Baker at 716-847-5535 or visit buffalovocations.org.

July 4, 2021

DAILY MASSES & INTENTION

Sat.	7/3	4:00 PM	Kitty Duffy of Hanford Bay requested by McDonald Family
Sun.	7/4	9:00 AM	Margaret "Peg" Walders requested by Brachmann Family
		11:00	Joseph Prenevau requested by Mr. & Mrs. Howard Mandell
Mon.	7/5	9:00 AM	Alfred Mack requested by Dave & Linda
Tues.	7/6	9:00 AM	Sophie & Harold Dunkel requested by Lori & Ray Dunkel
Wed.	7/7	9:00 AM	Josephine Ball requested by Wednesday Morning Group
Thurs.	7/8	7:00 PM	Kitty Duffy requested by O'Connell Family
Fri.	7/9	9:00 AM	Michele Walker requested by Charlie Walker
Sat.	7/10	4:00 PM	Jim & Kevin Higgins (anniversary remembrance – Jim) requested by Family
Sun.	7/11	9:00 AM	Peggy & Sam Chiavetta requested by Pericak & Chiavetta Families
		11:00 AM	Mary Taylor Elliott requested by the Belling, Kuzon & Perry Families

*JULY 3 & 4: WINE-HOSTS-CANDLES – In Loving Memory of Nancy Orlando. Donated by Nicholas & Alyssa Orlando and Family

NEXT WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

SATURDAY	JULY 10, 2021	4:00PM
LECTOR	Keith Dash	
MINISTERS	Marlene McSkimming, Mary Fran O'Connell, Cheryl Waterman, Marcia Ernst	
SUNDAY	JULY 11, 2021	9:00AM
LECTOR	Glenn Cummings	
MINISTERS	Kathie Barreca, Laura Nosbisch, Sue Cummings	
SUNDAY	JULY 11, 2021	11:00AM
LECTOR	Tony Montoro	
MINISTERS	Kim Zukowski, Linda Andrzejewski, Steve Smith	

THE YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH

June – 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.

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANTHONY'S

*Saturday July 3	Patriotic Rosary 10:00 AM Confessions 3:00-3:30 PM 4:00 PM Mass <i>St. Thomas, Apostle; First Saturday</i>
*Sunday July 4	9:00 & 11:00 AM Mass <i>14th Sunday in Ordinary Time Independence Day</i>
Monday July 5	9:00 AM Mass Legion of Mary 9:30 AM <i>St. Anthony Zaccaria; St. Elizabeth of Portugal – Optional Memorial</i>
Tuesday July 6	9:00 AM Mass <i>St. Maria Goretti – Optional Memorial</i>
Wed. July 7	9:00 AM Mass
Thurs. July 8	Confessions 6:00-6:30 PM 7:00 PM Mass
Friday July 9	9:00 AM Mass <i>St. Augustine Zhao Rong and Companions – Optional Memorial</i>
Saturday July 10	Confessions 3:00-3:30 PM 4:00 PM Mass <i>Blessed Virgin Mary – Optional Memorial</i>
Sunday July 11	9:00 & 11:00 AM Mass <i>CHIAVETTA'S CHICKEN BBQ 11:30 AM-3:00 PM 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>



UPCOMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS

July 11 – Chiavetta's Chicken BBQ Drive Thru, 11:30am-3pm

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Mary Adams, Bryan Ahl, Wayne Ames, Andrea Battaglia, SantaMarie Baumea, Verna Bogdan, Michael Bolistrieri, 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 Czyn, 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.**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT

June 20, 2021 Weekly Offertory \$ 2,784.00

June 27, 2021 Weekly Offertory \$3, 085.00

Mission Co-op – Haiti \$1,698.00

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.stanthonysfarnham.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.

Please pray for the repose of the souls of Rev. John J. Mergenhausen (retired priest), and Laura J. Bley, 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.

Liturgy of the Day – July 4, 2021

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

We gather together today before the Lord and beside each other to listen to God’s word and to share in this Eucharistic meal. In remembrance of Jesus’ wonderful gift of his very self, we join in communion with the Church around the world. This weekend, we come together on the anniversary of our country’s founding, appreciative of our freedom to worship as we desire, while continually aspiring to build a more perfect union. In places of worship across this country, we gather to give praise to God.

PARISH NEWS

CHIAVETTA’S CHICKEN BBQ Here at St. Anthony’s on Sunday, July 11th, 2021. This is a DRIVE-THRU event. Dinners are \$10.00 and include ½ Chicken, boiled red potatoes, chef’s salad, roll & butter, and Dessert from 11:30 AM to 3:00 PM or sold out.

DIOCESAN GUIDELINES, COVID-19: Please use a mask when entering church, communion procession and exiting church. Mass participation Should Not be contingent on vaccination status nor should anyone be questioned regarding their vaccination status. Individuals from different households should still be encouraged to maintain reasonable separation. Those who choose to sing should wear a mask to increase safety and reduce potential exposure to others. Masks are now optional sitting in the pew but the safety of others should always be considered . Ministers of the Eucharist should continue to wear masks when distributing Communion. Holy water fonts will remain empty and hymnals should not be left in pews. Disinfecting will continue after each Mass or gathering.

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 will begin 45 minutes before Mass.

NEEDED! LECTORS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS: If you are interested in becoming a Lector or Eucharistic Minister, please see Fr. Jim, call the church office, or speak to one of the ministers. (Lectors are trained here at church)

YOU MAY BE WONDERING about the decorated cross on the altar. At Easter time , the children in our Faith Formation Program were asked to write a note or draw a picture of something they would like to say to Jesus, but not to ask him for something. The children then nailed their note to the cross! They thoroughly enjoyed and understood the concept of this activity! Because we loved the cross so much we decided to decorate it for spring and summer months. The children made flowers and butterflies to represent the resurrection!!! We hope you enjoy our Cross!!

MISSION COOPERATIVE: Thank you, parishioners of St. Anthony’s Parish, for supporting the Diocese of Norwich Outreach to Haiti. Our ministry in Haiti serves God’s poorest, faith-filled community of Christ the King in Port-au-Prince, Haiti. In the values of the Gospel, our mission provides medical care, nutritional supplements, food, sponsoring children’s education, support for orphanages, twinning, and efforts to rebuild the medical clinic. Thank you for your generosity. Please pray of us and for Haiti. www.outreachtohaiti.org.

LEGION OF MARY

“We inherit physical and spiritual life, and we pass it on because God has planted in us the seeds to do so. It is part of His perfect plan for humanity.” ~*Miraculous Medal Booklet*

PRAYER TO SAINT ANTHONY TO RECOVER LOST THINGS: O blessed Saint Anthony, the grace of God has made you a powerful advocate in all our needs and the patron for the restoring of things lost or stolen. I turn to you today with childlike love and deep confidence. You have helped countless children of God to find the things they have lost - material things - and, more importantly, the things of the spirit: faith, hope, and love. I come to you with confidence; help me in my present need. I recommend what I have lost to your care, in the hope that God will restore it to me, according to His holy Will. Amen.

SHAKE HAND WITH HISTORY: On Sunday, July 18th, 11:00 AM – 4:00 PM at the Evans Historical Museum, the current Evans residents will portray early Town Citizens. Refreshments available and the Museum will be open!

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

ST. JOHN PAUL II PARISH: 11th Annual Parish Lawn Fete, July 9th – 11th. Raffles, Food, Drinks, Music, Classic Car Show, Meat Raffle, Chicken BBQ.

SOUTHTOWNS CATHOLIC SCHOOL: Preschool 3 to Grade 8. Call today, spots available! 627-5011.

SOUTHTOWNS CATHOLIC SCHOOL IS HIRING: We are currently interviewing for Teachers – grades 1, 2, 3, 5; Middle School ELA and Social Studies teacher; Technology teacher; Pre-K and Kindergarten aides; Cafeteria Manager; Before school Program Coordinator; Custodian/Cleaners. To apply please send resume to Mr. Marc Bandelian at mbandelian@southtownscatholic.org

BRANT-FARNHAM CONCERT SERIES: Monday nights at 7:00 PM: July 12th ‘Busted Stuff’, July 19th ‘Rockabilly Steve and BR3’, July 26th ‘Crash Cadillac’, August 2nd ‘Pyramid Dance Band’, August 9th ‘Joseph Michael Mahfoud Band’, August 16th ‘97 Rock Tailgate Band’.

~ANNOUNCEMENTS~

JULY- HAPPY BIRTHDAY: CAITLIN ALLAIRE, HALEIGH ALVIRA, OLIVIA ALVIRA, JOSEPHINE BATTAGLIA (Happy 99th♥), IVAN BITNUN, LINDA BOBOWICZ, VERA BOGDAN, AMANDA BRUNELLI, ROSE CERABONE, ELIZABETH CHIAVETTA, PETER CHIAVETTA, SANDRA ESCHBERGER, SYDNEY ESCHBERGER, ZACHARY EVANS, DENISE FLITTON, JANINE GOODWIN, LINDSAY GRANICH, RANDY GRUPP, LEON HACKER, BREANN HUBERT, RICHARD JANIK, CAYDEN KETTLE, MAREK KOWAL, RYLIE LEONARD, DAVID LUDWIG, SARA LYFORD, KIM MANCUSO-OAKES, AMELIA MANGUSO, PATRICIA MARCHANT, RAYMOND MARKIEWICZ, SEAN MCGARRITY, LAUREN MEYER-NEWMAN, SUSAN MICHALOWSKI, MATTHEW MICHNIK, TYLER MITCHELL, SCOTT MURAWSKI, JULIA MUSCATO, CHARLOTTE ORLANDO, NICHOLAS ORLANDO, NICHOLE PAWLAK, SARA PAWLAK, JANICE PERICAK, ROWAN PIGNONE, DAVID POSTLE, MARYANN POSTLE, MEAGAN POSTLE, SHARON RIEHLE, COURTNEY ROSIEK, SYDNEA SCHIEDEL, BYRNETTE SCHONHART, LEANNE SCHWARTZ, OLIVIA SILLS, RILEY SILLS, LONDON SLAWINSKI, BRIAN SMITH, MATTHEW THOMPSON, ADELE TOCHA, THOMAS TOPLISEK, JERROD VAIL, COLE VAN SLYCKE, JOHN VOGEL, JAMES WACKOWSKI, NICHOLAS WILSON, KELLY WURSTER, MICHAEL ZEFFIRO.

CONCERTS AT THE GAZEBO in Angola's Centennial Park begin 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.nvcatholic.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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