



# St. Anthony's of Farnham

"Serving the Lake Shore Community"

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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 11:00 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.....Need          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...Michelle          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.....F..Zeffiro/G.Cummings          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.

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ August 16, 2020

Although God's truth is not always well received, it is only in such truth that we can find any assurance.

Don't fool yourself about the truth of your vocation!

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

August 16, 2020

**DAILY MASSES & INTENTION**

Sat.	08/15	9:00 AM	Norma Dash requested by Dash Family
		4:00 PM	Florence McNamara requested by Don, Mary Alice & Patrick Bryne
Sun.	08/16	9:00 AM	Michele Walker requested by husband Charles
		11:00 AM	James Spratz requested by Spratz Family
Mon.	08/17	9:00 AM	Josephine Ball (Living), in celebration of her 101 <sup>st</sup> birthday requested by Family
Tues.	08/18	9:00 AM	Donn Slocum (Lieutenant) requested by Chris & Sue Hall
Wed.	08/19	9:00 AM	George Banzer (Birthday Remembrance) requested by wife Vern
Thurs.	08/20	7:00 PM	Gary Brittain requested by Family
Fri.	08/21	9:00 AM	For the People of the Parish
Sat.	08/22	4:00 PM	Herman & Phyllis Muscato requested by Family
Sun.	08/23	9:00 AM	Kerilyn S. Reisch requested by Vincent & Evalynne Ferraro
		11:00 AM	Gary Brittain requested by Family

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

Saturday August 15	9:00 AM Mass First Communion rehearsal following 9AM Mass 3:00-3:30 Confessions ( <i>In Children's Room</i> ) 4:00 PM Mass <b>THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY - Solemnity</b>
Sunday August 16	9:00 & 11:00 AM Mass
Monday August 17	9:00 AM Mass
Tuesday August 18	9:00 AM Mass
Wed. August 19	9:00 AM Mass <i>St. John Eudes – Optional Memorial</i>
Thurs. August 20	6:00-6:30 Confessions ( <i>In Children's Room</i> ) 7:00 PM Mass <i>St. Bernard - Memorial</i>
Friday August 21	9:00 AM Mass <i>St. Pius X - Memorial</i>
Saturday August 22	3:00-3:30 Confessions ( <i>In Children's Room</i> ) 4:00 PM Mass <i>The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary - Memorial</i>
Sunday August 23	9:00 & 11:00 AM Mass

**UPCOMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS**

August 24 – St. Vincent DePaul Society Meeting, 7:00 PM

**PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Mary Adams, Bryan Ahl, Wayne Ames, Andrea Battaglia, Laura Bley, Michael Bolistriero, 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, Darlean Jewell-Morales, Orin Kelkenberg, Kerry, Kristen Kielbasa-Cummings, Maria Klopff, Marke Lantry, Kathy Leiker, Sue Licht, Troy Little, Judy Lohr, Collin Lyford, Fred Makoczy, Ed Marchant, Barbara Morin, Sheri Niedermeier, Julie Ortel, Kira Palermo, Alicia Parisio, Michael Pawelek, Rylee Pierce, Gabriel John Polizzi, 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, 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.

**NEXT WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

**SATURDAY AUGUST 22, 2020 4:00PM**

LECTOR Donna Roof  
MINISTERS Walter & Nancy Klyczek, Jill Pallante, Eleanor Cox

**SUNDAY AUGUST 23, 2020 9:00AM**

LECTOR Sandie Hooge  
MINISTERS Glenn & Sue Cummings, Keith & Kris Dash

**SUNDAY AUGUST 23, 2020 11:00AM**

LECTOR Mary Hurley  
MINISTERS Linda Andrzejewski, Mary Matthews, JoAnn O'Grady

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT**

August 9, 2020 Weekly Offertory \$ 4,743.00  
Retired Diocesan Priest Medical \$ 211.00

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

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ALL SECOND COLLECTIONS ARE POSTPONED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE



Please pray for the repose of the soul of Msgr. Kevin T. O’Neill (retired priest), whose soul has returned to the care of God. We pray that the Lord will grant eternal rest and peace to his soul and bring comfort to his family and friends.

**Liturgy of the Day – August 16, 2020  
TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

We gather today, as we do each Sunday, as the Body of Christ. Together we pray, we worship God, and we are nourished with the Word and the Eucharist to strengthen us on our journey to the kingdom. In today’s first reading, the LORD says that “my house shall be called a house of prayer for all peoples.” Let us make this home of our faith community, this holy place, a home in which all peoples are welcomed to join us in worship and prayer.

**PARISH NEWS**

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS** We are beginning registration for our Faith Formation and Youth Ministry programs beginning the week of August 16<sup>th</sup>. If you are registering your child as a new student (Pre K 4, Kindergarten or new to our program) you must fill out a registration form that can be found on the St. Anthony’s website. This form can be returned in the collection basket at church or dropped off at the rectory. If your child is returning to our program, please register your child by calling Keith Dash (716-867-9199) for students in 7<sup>th</sup> - 11<sup>th</sup> grade or Kathy Brachmann (716-553-6525) for students in Pre School (4 years old) – 6<sup>th</sup> grade, so we can update information. We will notify families when classes will begin once we receive further direction from the Diocese due to Covid 19 restrictions. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Keith or Kathy. TY

**ST. VINCENT DEPAUL SOCIETY** 2<sup>nd</sup> organized meeting here at St. Anthony’s Church! ALL adult parishioners are welcome. Meeting begins at 7:00 PM on **MONDAY, AUGUST 24<sup>TH</sup>**.

**ROSARY IN THE PARK:** Our Lady of the Rosary will be at the Evangola State Park every Thursday evening through September 3rd at 7:00 PM and ending on September 10th at 6:30 PM. Follow the signs to the shelter – Rain or Shine.

**UPON THIS ROCK:** Thank You! Our participation implemented by the Diocese of Buffalo recently granted our church the 8<sup>th</sup> installment payment of \$5,870.26 which brings the total disbursement to date as \$68,837.42 – Thank you everyone for your generous support and keeping current with your pledges! The monies continue to support Faith Formation, the new Carillon Bell System, the new Office Computer, and future purchases of new refrigerator for the downstairs Hall, repair/replacement of the entrance ramp, and side parking lot repairs.

**LEGION OF MARY**

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, August 15<sup>th</sup>: Mary’s assumption is an event that concerns us precisely because every human being is destined to die. But death is not the last word. It is the passage to the eternal happiness in store for those who toil the truth and justice and do their utmost to follow Christ. ~St. Pope 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](http://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.

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES:** Struggling does not have to be a part of your new normal. You can turn to Catholic Charities for support! Our agency offers several types of counseling including: marriage counseling, substance abuse treatment, diocesan counseling for church ministers, and comprehensive assessment and counseling for children, adults and families. To get connected, call our Helpline at 716-218-1419. For more information on Catholic Charities and other services and programs we provide, visit [www.ccwny.org](http://www.ccwny.org). Join us on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter.

**STAY CONNECTED ONLINE.** The Office of Communications manages and supports many of the online platforms and associated ministries of the Diocese of Buffalo with websites and social media handles. The diocesan website ([www.buffalodiocese.org](http://www.buffalodiocese.org)) features job and ministry opportunities, a listing of all diocesan parishes, upcoming events, and information on several of the diocesan departments that support parish work throughout Western New York. In addition, the *Western New York Catholic* ([www.wnyatholic.org](http://www.wnyatholic.org)) website features ongoing and breaking news in the diocese.

**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.

**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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**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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