



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

Summer Mass Schedule: 6/4/17 thru 9/3/17: Saturday 4:00 PM; Sunday 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM

Regular Mass Schedule: Saturday 4:00 PM ; Sunday 9:00 AM and 11:30 AM.

Holy Days: As announced

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| <p>TrusteesSandra Hooge Frank Zeffiro, Jr. SecretarySue Cummings Business ManagerKathy Quinn Parish Council President..Theresa White Director of Religious Education Ann Kirkpatrick Youth MinistryTiffany Bauer RCIA.....</p> | <p>Music MinistrySharon Valites Mike Cerabone Eucharistic Ministers and Lectors Coordinator.....Marcia Ernst LiturgyDonna Roof Parish Advocate for the Disabled..... Sharon Valites</p> <p style="text-align: center;">“ Prayer ”</p> | <p>Family LiturgyGina Busch Parish Vocation Coordinator.....Kris Dash Spiritual Life & Worship.....Needed Respect Life..... Volunteer needed Buildings & Grounds.....James Hooge CustodianGeorge Cordia Cemetery SextonGary Brittain Scout Troop #421 Wayne Ames</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.

Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ September 3, 2017

Every vocation involves some degree of suffering and sacrifice. However, in Christ, all suffering leads to glory. Let us not allow the thought of suffering or sacrifice to deter us from our vocations. Are you being called to be a priest, deacon, brother or sister? Humbly ask the Lord. If God is calling you to a Church vocation, call Father Andrew Lauricella at 847-5535. You can also check out the “Priest of the Month” stories on our website – www.buffalovoactions.org.

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DAILY MASSES & INTENTIONS

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| Mon. 09/04 | 9:00 AM | Russell Battaglia Jr. requested by Sandie & Jim Hooge |
| Tues. 09/05 | 9:00AM | Jerry Faltus requested by Bertha, Phyllis & Frances Nortaro |
| Wed. 09/06 | 9:00 AM | Wedding Anniversary of Lori & Raymond Dunkel |
| Thurs. 09/07 | 7:00 PM | Virginia Kelly requested by Joe, Gertie, Ted & Lisa Militello |
| Fri. 09/08 | 9:00 AM | To End Abortion requested by Legion of Mary |
| Sat. 09/09 | 4:00 PM | Jerry Faltus requested by Rose & Marie Pinker, Lucy & Chip Catalano |
| Sun. 09/10 | 9:00 AM | Robert Setlock requested by Linda Reinert & Family |
| | 11:30 AM | Jerry Faltus requested by Dan & Roseann Gernatt |

If the Mass is being offered for your loved one, or for your intention, and you would like to carry the Offertory Gifts, please tell an Usher before Mass. ~Intentions are \$15, and a Mass card is available - please call the office or stop by the rectory. Many week day Masses Available!

NEXT WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 9, 2017 4:00 PM

LECTOR Keith Dash
 MINISTERS Kris Dash, Jill Pallante, Mary Fran O'Connell
 ALTAR SERVER Needed

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 10, 2017 9:00 AM

LECTOR Tom Postle
 MINISTERS Rose Cerabone, Mary Jayne Ginnitti, Kathy Barreca, Kathy Roche
 ALTAR SERVER Shane Friend, Jason Conklin

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 10, 2017 11:30 AM

LECTOR Tony Montoro
 MINISTERS Kim Zukowski , Colleen Roberts, JoAnn O'Grady, Dawn Csati
 ALTAR SERVER Tyler Mitchell

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANTHONY'S

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| Sunday Sept. 03 | 9:00 & 11:00 AM Mass <i>Memorial Flower Vases</i> In Memory of Charles Sperrazza Donated by Lauren Bonnie |
| Monday Sept. 04 | 9:00 AM Mass Legion of Mary 11:30 AM <i>LABOR DAY</i> |
| Tuesday Sept. 05 | 9:00 AM Mass |
| Wed. Sept. 06 | 9:00 AM Mass AA Meeting 8:00 PM |
| Thursday Sept. 07 | 6:00-6:30 PM Confessions 7:00 PM Mass |
| Friday Sept. 08 | 9:00 AM Mass <i>The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary - Feast</i> |
| Saturday Sept. 09 | 3:00-3:30 PM Confessions 4:00 PM Mass 5:15 PM Beach Mass at Evangola State Park <i>St. Peter Claver - Memorial</i> |
| Sunday Sept. 10 | 9:00 & 11:30 AM Mass |

UPCOMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS

September 9th & 10th – Welcome Seminarian Speaker, James Palmatier
 September 17 – Catechetical Sunday; Religious Education and Youth Ministry Classes begin
 September 18 – Parish Council Meeting 7:00 PM

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Mary Adams, Colleen Allen, Andrea Battaglia, Laura Bley, John Brackett, Gary Brittain, Sheri Buczkowski, Caitlin Burbige, Victoria Busch, Theresa Campisi, Penny Carriero, Diane Catalfu, Lucille Chiapparo, Gene Ciminelli, Barbara Clark, Jerry Clark, Michael Collopy, Florence Conover, Callan Cooke, Jim Cox, Amy Crawford, Joyce Cureo, Jonah Eric DeLang, Katlin DeMaria, Carol A. Doino, Raymond Dunkel, John Durusky, Janice Farrell, Jack Fescio, Joe Ficialiano, Emily Gibbs, Dorothy Govenettio, Megan Granich, Harold Green, Fred Gugino, Rose Haak, Billy Hamm, Mary Ann Jordan, Kerry, Marke Lantry, Sue Licht, Troy Little, Judy Lohr, Collin Lyford, Mary Mazur, Angelo Militello, Barbara Morin, Phyllis Muscato, Sheri & Ernie Niedermeier, Julie Ortel, Kira Palermo, Michael Pawelek, Rylee Pierce, Carol Privitera, Nina Reghetti, Jim Ross, Marie Ann Scalise, Justin Schmidle, Robert S. Sciandra, Eric Schultz, Ralph Schweers, Lynn Sellick, Bill Sheehan, Joe Siciliano, Jim Smith, Joan Smith, Bonnie Spence, LouAnn Stevenson, Brett David Sturble, Ruth Taggart, Joan Tamulski, Shirley Trask, Sharon Valites, BethAnne Van Horn, Don Waite, Jo Ann Waterman, Gene Welty, Gregory Winger Jr., Ed Wroz, Matthew Young, 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
August 27, 2017 Weekly Offertory \$ 3,297.00

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Elizabeth J. Schnobrick, 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.

Bringing the Sunday Gospels Home – September 3, 2017
Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

In today's Gospel, which confused and shocked the apostles, Jesus began to predict his coming suffering and passion. The apostles thought he was to be a conquering Messiah. Jesus tries to teach them that they, too, need to be like him, taking up their "crosses of suffering" to live a life of love.

PARISH NEWS

NEXT SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH Later morning
Mass time -changes back to **11:30 AM.**

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & YOUTH MINISTRY

REGISTRATION: It is time to register for Religious Education and Youth Ministry for 2017-2018. Please register as soon as possible, as we will need to plan for the year. Registration forms can be located at the doors of the Church. Please return asap by mailing to the rectory, or place in the collection baskets during any of the weekend Masses. We are still in need of Catechists, please call if you can help.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Please contact Ann Kirkpatrick, CRE, with any questions or concerns at 716-934-7341. Classes begin on Sunday, September 17, 2017, Grades K-6th. Classes are in session from 9:45-11:00 AM.

YOUTH MINISTRY: Classes begin on Sunday, September 17, 2017, Grades 7-11). **NEW!! CLASSES ARE IN SESSION FROM NOON-1:30 PM.** (After the 11:30 am Mass) Teachers are also needed! Please contact Tiffany (Bauer) Parker, YMC, at 341-0978, with any questions or concerns.

BEACH MASS & PARISH PICNIC! Saturday, September 9, 2017 at 5:15 PM, 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!

PARISH RESPECT LIFE COORDINATOR NEEDED: Please speak with Fr. Jim if interested. The Coordinator helps keep the Respect Life Committees and pro-life issues visible in the parish. Thank you for your prayerful consideration.

PRAY THE ROSARY: To commemorate the 100th Anniversary of Fatima, 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.

SNOWBIRDS: Parishioners who will be away for any length of time, please call the rectory at 549-1159 and let us know the dates that you leave and return so that we can temporarily stop delivery of your church envelopes. When you are temporarily away, the Post Office will only deliver your first class mail...the envelopes are third class and they get returned to the church at a cost. Thank you!

ORDINARY TIME IN THE CHURCH: During the month of September (but not only September), the Catholic Church celebrates Ordinary Time. That doesn't mean these Sundays are insignificant. The word "ordinary" comes from the Latin word *ordinalis*, which refers to a series of numbers. The term "Ordinary Time" reflects the way the Sundays are numbered. The Ordinary Time we celebrate this month actually started after Pentecost Sunday and will continue until the First Sunday of Advent. There is another period of Ordinary Time beginning after the Christmas season and continuing until Lent begins. During Ordinary Time, the priest's vestments are green, which symbolizes hope.

ROSARY IN THE PARK: Our Lady of the Rosary will be at the Evangola State Park every Thursday evening at 7:00 PM and ending on September 14th at 6:30 PM. Follow the signs to the shelter. Rain or Shine!

LEGION OF MARY

September 8th is the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin. Happy Birthday Dear Mother Mary.

COUPLES WHO WILL OBSERVE THEIR 50TH, 60TH, AND 70TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES:

Couples who celebrate their Golden and Diamond Anniversaries of Marriage in 2017 are invited to a special Mass at St. Joseph's Cathedral on Sunday, October 15, 2017 at 3:00 PM. During Mass couples will renew their marriage vows. A reception will follow at the Adam's Mark Hotel. Please contact the Church Office (549-1159) by September 15th if you plan to attend – there is limited seating. Family members are encouraged to attend and most welcome to attend both the Mass and reception. If you are unable to attend the celebration, a certificate (scroll) signed by the Bishop will be sent to our Parish.

CHRIST THE KING SEMINARY: Responding in faith. Faith is the foundation upon which we build a life of service to God and others. Read about how our newest diocesan priests and seminary alumni responded to God's call in their lives at cks.edu and share your faith journey on the seminary's Facebook page. **NEXT WEEKEND** our parish will hold our annual collection to benefit Christ the King Seminary during all the Masses. There are many people ready to answer the call to ministry to meet the needs of today's church in our diocese. Please help them to do so by giving generously and remembering Christ the King in your prayers. For more information on our seminary's mission or programs, or to give online, go to www.cks.edu.

THE SPIRITUAL EXERCISES OF ST. IGNATIUS RETREAT FOR THIS FALL:

Pope Francis has made the full Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius Retreat at least 2 times in his life. Last year many persons made this retreat with great enthusiasm. The Spiritual Exercises is an in-depth experience of praying with Scripture in an Ignatian tradition. It involves daily prayer using selected Scripture passages and small group meetings, weekly for the first month then twice a month for 7 months. For information: Gini Schultz 837-6020, Joseph Ritzert 627-5530.

HURRICAN HARVEY SECOND COLLECTION:

A special collection will take place on September 16th & 17th, for the victims of Hurricane Harvey. Catholic Charities USA have conveyed that along with Category 4 hurricane winds, over 28 inches of rain fell in the Houston area on one night alone!

~ANNOUNCEMENTS~

'SEPTEMBER' HAPPY BIRTHDAY! Rita Ambrose, Jared Ames, Cathy Ball, Kyle Ballard, Thomas Banzer, Douglas Baumgarten, Bob Benzing, Alice Blajszczak, Ed Bodkin, Eileen Brittain, Linda Brunelli, Adam Buczkowski, Sheri Buczkowski, Danielle Buerger, Jennifer Carriero, Nikole Clark, Florence Coil, Paulette Combs, Tammy Conklin, Mitchell Considine, George Cordia, Marilyn Cordia, Alexander Costa, Phillip Csati, Ettore Damiani, Brandon Dentice, Jack Dentice, Andy Driscoll, Steven Durusky, Richard Dygulski, Marcia Ernst, Maggie Fitzgerald, Grace Flickinger, Susan Forth, Shane Friend, Lynn Fulton, James Ginnitti, Kathy Gugino, Linda Gutowski, Andrew Hamilton, Andrew Kief, Sarah Kief, Mary Kielich, Tom Kielich, Patrick Kramer, Anthony Krtanek, Lawrence Leonard, Nicole Leonard, Joanna Mancuso, Paige Manning, Barbara Markiewicz, Mary Mazur, Heidi McFarland, Jessica McFarland, Nancy Michalski, Sean Mitchell, John O'Neill, Nick Orlando, Heather Paszkiewicz, Michael Paszkiewicz, Mark Postle, Mark Privitera, David Pruchnicki, Grace Restivo, Robert Sager, Douglas Schifano, Virginia Schilling, Alexis Serio, Elizabeth Sicurella, Jeffrey Smith, Joan Tamulski, Audrey Telaak, Mike Trembath, Nicholas Valites, Calen Vogl, Katharine Wattie, Jonathan Wilson, Jan Young, Deborah Youngberg.

ST. ANTHONY'S SHIRTS: Order forms for T-shirts, sweatshirts & hooded sweatshirts are at church entrances.

SHOP AT HOME AND EARN MONEY FOR ST. ANTHONY'S: Visit <http://shop.com/stanthonyvsfarnham>, and use the referring email: emavcee195@gmail.com

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!

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 - and also offering Eucharistic Adoration the same day following 8am morning Mass. 716-941-3549.

LABOR DAY WEEKEND: Farnham celebrates 125 years! Celebration in the Park, 445 Commercial St.-Village wide garage sale, Saturday, 9/2 & Sunday, 9/3. Saturday, 5k register begins 7:30am, race at 9am; car show 10:30am-5pm; Ruby Dan's Rib Off (\$1.00 per rib to benefit Farnham Fire Dept; Music by Dixie Road, 2:00-6PM. Sunday is Farnham famous Chicken BBQ Noon-sold out; Music by Rustic Ramblers 2-6pm.

TOWEL BINGO: Sunday, September 10, 2017 at 1:00 PM (Doors open at Noon), Brant Fire Hall, Route 249, Brant; Admission \$3.00, sponsored by the Brant Ladies Auxiliary. Basket Raffle, 50/50 Raffle, Refreshments!

CHICKEN BBQ: Sunday, 9/10/17, 10:30-4 or sold out. \$10 adult; \$5 12 & under. Holy Spirit Church, 2017 Halley Rd., N. Collins NY 14111.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ANNUAL PRIEST APPRECIATION DINNER, Sunday, Sept. 17th at Holy Trinity Church in Dunkirk. Tickets \$15, purchased by 9/5/17. Call Louis 716-673-1068, 532-4806.

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF FATIMA: An Hour of Prayer and Devotion. Chapel at Most Precious Blood Church. February through October on the 13th of each month at 11:30 AM. All welcome.

LOOK FOR THE TOWN OF EVANS SENIOR CENTER NEWSLETTER AT THE DOORS OF THE CHURCH.

PLEASE NOTE: Any articles to be published in the weekly bulletin must be submitted by Wednesday 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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