



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 11:30 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.

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ September 29, 2019

We are told to "fight the good fight," and to "run the race." This makes it clear that the will of God must be pursued with desire, passion, and commitment. Our vocations then, are not to be taken lightly, but pursued wholeheartedly. If God is calling you to a Church vocation, call Fr. Andrew Lauricella at 847-5535. You can also check out the "Priest of the Month" stories on our website - www.buffalovoactions.org.

September 29, 2019

DAILY MASSES & INTENTION

Mon.	09/30	9:00 AM	Beth Ann Zajas requested by Family
Tues.	10/01	9:00 AM	Mary Pinker requested by Family
Wed.	10/02	9:00 AM	Patrick Sadowy (Living – Birthday) requested by Lori & Ray Dunkel
Thurs.	10/03	7:00 PM	People of the Parish
Fri.	10/04	9:00 AM	Patrick Mandell requested by Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence Sinear
Sat.	10/05	4:00 PM	David Tackley Sr. requested by Cummings Family
Sun.	10/06	9:00 AM	Nathan Alvira requested by Family
		11:30 AM	Patrick Mandell requested by Dr. & Mrs. Sasse

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 END AND WEEK DAY MASSES AVAILABLE! Dedications to your loved one can be offered by signing up for a MEMORIAL FLOWER VASE, OR WINE~HOST~CANDLE offering. The available dates and sign-up sheet are located on the bulletin board near the Children's Room.

NEXT WEEKEND MINISTRY SCHEDULE

SATURDAY OCTOBER 5, 2019 4:00 PM

LECTOR Keith Dash
 MINISTERS Erik Dash, Marlene McSkimming, Mary Fran O'Connell, Eleanor Cox
 ALTAR SERVER Needed

SUNDAY OCTOBER 6, 2019 9:00 AM

LECTOR Mary Jayne Ginnitti
 MINISTERS Rose Cerabone, Tony Cerabone, Kathy Brachmann, Kathy Barreca
 ALTAR SERVER Ryan Kief

SUNDAY OCTOBER 6, 2019 11:30 AM

LECTOR Tony Montoro
 MINISTERS Colleen Roberts, Elaine Brittain, Mary Matthews, Linda Andrzejewski
 ALTAR SERVER Tyler Mitchell

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANTHONY'S

Sunday Sept. 29	9:00 & 11:30 AM Mass Faith Formation 9:45-11:00 AM Youth Ministry 12:15-1:30 PM
Monday Sept. 30	9:00 AM Mass Legion of Mary 11:00 AM <i>St. Jerome - Memorial</i>
Tuesday Oct. 1	9:00 AM Mass Boy Scouts 7:00-8:30PM (<i>Requirements</i>) <i>St. Therese of the Child Jesus - Memorial</i>
Wed. Oct. 2	9:00 AM Mass AA Meeting 8:00 PM <i>The Holy Guardian Angels - Memorial</i>
Thurs. Oct. 3	6:00-6:30 PM Confessions 7:00 PM Mass- Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick
Friday Oct. 4	9:00 AM Mass –Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after Mass ending with Benediction at 12 Noon. <i>St. Francis of Assisi - Memorial</i>
Saturday Oct. 5	3:00-3:30 PM Confessions 4:00 PM Mass <i>Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos; Blessed Virgin Mary – Optional Memorial</i>
Sunday Oct. 6	9:00 & 11:30 AM Mass Faith Formation 9:45-11:00 AM Youth Ministry 12:15-1:30 PM

UPCOMING EVENTS AND MEETING

- October 8 – Living Rosary 7:00 PM
- October 14 – Fr. Jim's 70th Birthday
- October 15 – Spiritual Growth 7:00 PM in Children's Room
- October 19 – Pork Roast Dinner after 4:00 PM Mass
- October 20 – Family Liturgy 9:00 AM Mass
- October 21 – Parish Council meeting 7:00 PM
- October 26/27 – Youth Ministry Ice Cream Social

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Mary Adams, Wayne Ames, Mayme Barone, Eileen Barry, Andrea Battaglia, Laura Bley, Michael Bolistrieri, John Brackett, Sheri Buczkowski, Victoria Busch, Theresa Campisi, Daniel Carriero, Penny Carriero, Diane Catalfu, Lucille Chiapparo, Gene Ciminelli, Jerry Clark, Arica Clear, Michael Collopy, 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, Billy Hamm, Orin Kelkenberg, Kerry, Kristen Kielbasa-Cummings, Marke Lantry, Kathy Leiker, Sue Licht, Troy Little, Judy Lohr, Collin Lyford, Rebecca Hall Marshall, Barbara Morin, Sheri Niedermeier, Julie Ortel, Kira Palermo, Michael Pawelek, Rylee Pierce, Gabriel John Polizzi, Carol Privitera, Nina Reghetti, Jim Ross, Justin Schmidle, Robert S. Sciandra, Ralph Schweers, Lynn Sellick, Joe Siciliano, Jim Smith, LouAnn Stevenson, Ruth Taggart, Robert Tamulski, Lisa Thompson, Shirley Trask, Nick Valites, Sharon Valites, BethAnne Van Horn, Don Waite, Charles Walker, Gene Welty, 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

September 22, 2019 Weekly Offertory \$ 3,181.00

Reflecting on the Gospels with Sister Janet—Sept. 29, 2019

Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Luke 16:19-31; Last week Jesus reminded us about using money. This week Jesus tells a parable about a rich man who passes a beggar named Lazarus every day but gives him nothing. When they die, the beggar is rewarded, but the rich man suffers for neglecting the needs of those around him.

PARISH NEWS

ANOINTING MASS, Thursday, October 3rd, we invite you to join us for the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick. If you are in need of the healing and strength of Christ in your life, plan now to attend. Mass is at 7:00 PM.

THIS FRIDAY, October 4th, is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. We will have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after the 9:00 AM Mass and end with Benediction at 12 Noon. Our Lord is waiting for you. Stop in and pray.

WHAT ARE SOME BENEFITS OF A HOLY HOUR OF EUCHARISTIC ADORATION?: Everyone that spends time in Adoration of Jesus in the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist develops a personal relationship with Jesus, and grows in love and holiness. Quiet time with the Lord in adoration enables people to listen and recognize His voice as He speaks to their hearts. Many of the faithful who attend adoration report various miracles and healings. Parish communities experience increased Mass attendance, service of others, unity, conversions, the return of fallen away Catholics, as well as vocations to the priesthood and religious life. The laity work together to coordinate Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration, helping to build a faith filled community.

LECTOR & EUCHARISTIC MINISTER SCHEDULES are ready and available at the side entrance of the church.

STAY CONNECTED: 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.

SNOWBIRDS: Parishioners who will be away for any length of time, please call the rectory at 549-1159 and let us know the dates you leave and return so the church envelopes can be temporarily stopped. Thank you!

LIVING ROSARY: The Living Rosary, here at St. Anthony's will be held on Tuesday, October 8th at 7:00 PM. Please plan to participate. We will meet in the Church Hall by 6:30 PM. Let us please our Blessed Mother by having a wonderful turnout. Refreshments will be served afterwards. If you would like to participate, please call Nancy Klyczek at 934-7269, or the rectory at 549-1159. Please bring a friend!

ROAST PORK DINNER AND BASKET RAFFLE: Saturday, October 19, 2019 after the 4:00 PM Mass in St. Anthony's Church Hall. **BASKET RAFFLE AND 50/50 DRAWING** – Donations for the Basket Raffle are gratefully accepted! Please call Mary Fran O'Connell if you would like to make a donation; 934-4197 or 560-2000.

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.

SPIRITUAL GROWTH: Are you interested in boosting your Spiritual Growth? So are we! Come share your ideas as we "Stay with Christ"! Tuesday, October 15, 2019, 7:00 PM in St. Anthony's Children's Room. Spiritual growth could be experienced through Catholic speakers, retreats, Bible studies, lecture series, liturgical celebrations, spiritual reading resources, and evangelization initiatives. Through this ministry, parishioners are enriched in their understanding of the Catholic Faith, the teachings of the Catholic Church and current issues relating to our Faith. Any questions, contact Kathie Barreca at 549-2402.

FAITH FORMATION

As we begin our 2nd week of learning, students will read a story about the Rich Man and Lazarus. Please take time and have a discussion with your child on the following:

Promise (Grades Pre-school, K, 1): This week ask your child to tell you about how and where we can share food with those who don't have enough. Make a plan with your child to do something good for another person, or the Earth, this week.

Good News (Grades 2-3): This week's lesson taught the importance of being aware of other people's needs. Discuss how your child can use his or her gifts to help others who may be gifted in different ways.

Venture (Grades 4-6): Ask your child how could the Rich Man have treated Lazarus when they were both alive on Earth? What does Jesus want us to learn from this Gospel story?

LEGION OF MARY

October 1st, Feast of St. Therese of Lisieux, France: She is known as the Little Flower. She said, "I will spend my time in heaven doing good on earth. My mission is to lead souls to Christ."

CHRIST THE KING SEMINARY is hosting a Holy Hour in St. John Vianney Chapel and a Living Rosary around the Pond of Our Lady on the Seminary grounds, Sunday, October 13th beginning at 5:30 PM. This special prayer event is being held in honor and in remembrance of the 102nd anniversary of the final apparition of Our Lady to the three children of Fatima, Portugal and the Miracle of the Sun experienced on that grace-filled day. You are invited to come to pray with us and/or to be part of the Living Rosary itself. Please contact Rev. John Adams if you are planning to come, indicate the number and the names of those that may attend with you. Also, please state if you are specifically interested in being a part (as a living bead) in the Rosary around the lake. You can come to either one or both of the events of the Prayers for Peace. Further details will be sent to those who contact Fr. John(jadams@cks.edu; 716-655-6406) Christ the King Seminary is located at 711 Knox Road, East Aurora, NY 14052.

LIFE CHAIN: Sunday, October 6, 2019, 2:00-3:00 PM, Blessed Mary Angela Parish, 275 Lakeshore Drive, Dunkirk 14043. We have a couple people representing St. Anthony's and anyone is welcome to join! You can register (let them know you're from St. Anthony's) by calling Pat at 207-6509. You will stand for one hour (2-3PM), hold a sign and pray. Reception, 3:30 PM in Blessed Mary Angela Lyceum. All welcome to pray.

HEALING MASS OF REMEMBRANCE on Mon., Oct. 14, pm St. Martin of Tours, 1140 Abbott Rd. The Healing Mass will be offered by pastor, Fr. Bill Quinlivan, for anyone who has experienced the loss of a child, born and unborn. Women and families who have lost a child through abortion, miscarriage or stillbirth will be invited to bring up a rose in honor of their child. Info: www.stmartinbuffalo.com, email Dawn diacono@stmartinbuffalo.com.

~ANNOUNCEMENTS~

HAPPY OCTOBER BIRTHDAY! Grace Alvira, Wayne Ames, Hayden Anello, Harper Bauer, Adam Bitnun, Penelope Boismeau, Rudolph Buchheit, Judy Burke, Ken Campbell, Karyn Carriero Michael Cerabone, Joe Coil, Kelley Como, Devan Conklin, Anna Costa, Susan Costa, Kristine Dash, Linda Dolce, Father Jim Fliss, Nathan Gardner, Kathleen Garrigan, Debbie Godfrey, Maya Gorman-Knoph, Meghan Granich, Inez Hacker, Marion Hagen, Pierce Hamilton, Brecken Herc, Krystle Herc, Mary Hurley, Andrea Jakiel, Brian Jenkins, Heather Kaczor, Jenny Kuzala, Sarah Kuzala, Brett Klaczyk, Dennis Klaczyk, William Kowal, Mathew McCabe, Linda McFarland, Mary Beth Michnik, Keith Mulawka, Sharon Niedermeier, Rose Marie O'Neill, Tiffany Parker, Jordan Percoco, David Pericak, Thomas Postle, James Reinert, Peggy Rigby, Colleen Schaefer, Cristiano Schifano, Theresa Scholl, Todd Schraft, Laurie Schultz, Megan Schwartz, Michael Shouldice, Laura Smith, Duncan Stockman, Hunter Stockman, Heidi Tasker, Brian Trembath, Loretta Vaticano, John Ward, Katherine Wehrfritz, Thomas Whelan, Terrance White, Kelly Wiktor, Matthew Zarkovich, Frank Zeffiro, Peter Zimpfer.

SHOP AT HOME AND EARN MONEY FOR ST. ANTHONY'S: Visit <http://shop.com/stanthonyvsfarnham>, set up your account, and use the 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.

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, 7-8pm 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.

ROAST BEEF DINNER: Sunday Sept. 29th, Noon-sold out, Family style. Epiphany of Our Lord, 10893 Sisson Hwy, N. Collins. All you can eat. Admission adults \$12, age 5-12 \$6, 5 & under free. Take out available. Baked goods, Basket Raffle, Lottery Raffle.

CANISIUS HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE: Sunday, October 6th, between 9:30AM-12:30PM, and Monday, October 7th between 5:30-7:30 PM. Information and details www.canisiushigh.org

ST. FRANCIS HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE: Sunday, October 6th 10am-Noon; Monday, October 7th 5:30-7:00 pm. Young men in grades 6-8th and their parents are invited. St. Francis is a college preparatory high school for young men administered by the Franciscan Friars Conventual and staffed by both religious and lay faculty -4129 Lake Shore Rd, Hamburg register at www.stfrancishigh.org or 716-627-1200 ext. 582.

ST. FRANCIS PIEROGI TEAM: Farmers Cheese, Sauerkraut, Potato, Cheddar Potato Pierogi's on sale beginning Oct. 12th. Deadline for orders is Nov. 16th. Last day of sales December 14th. Orders can be picked up at the Social Center, 4263 St. Francis Drive, 10AM-Noon on Wednesday and Saturday's. Donation, \$5 per half dozen and \$10 per dozen. Information or place an order, Bernadette Sikorski 822-1599.

DONATE ELECTRONICALLY: Online you can make a donation on our website: www.stanthonyvsfarnham.org.

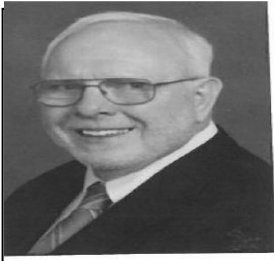
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Town of Brant Historian, Patty Friend Meetings the 3rd Wednesday each month at 7:00 PM- Everyone is welcome!