

Church of Saint Anthony of Padua

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The Lord's Day 5:00pm (Sat. Evening), 8:00, 10:30, 12Noon.

Holy Days at 7:00pm Vigil (evening prior to Holy Day)

8:00am, 12Noon

Weekdays at 8:00am

Saturday at 9:00am

RECONCILIATION:

Saturday from 4:00pm to 4:45pm. You may phone one of the priests for a private confession at a mutually agreeable time.

BAPTISM:

Celebrated on the 2nd Sunday of each month at 1:30pm.

Parents should phone the parish office to make arrangements for Baptism Instructions as well as the Baptism date.

MATRIMONY:

Arrangements are made by the bride and groom with one of the priests at least six months before the proposed date of the wedding to allow sufficient time to participate in the Marriage Preparation Program and gather necessary documents. Arrangements should be made with the Church prior to reserving the reception hall to avoid any scheduling conflict.

COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND:

We would like to help our parishioners who cannot join the Sunday Assembly due to illness, age or physical impairment. Arrangements can be made to have Holy Communion brought to the homebound by Eucharistic Ministers from our Sunday celebrations. Mass is televised every Sunday at 9:00am and daily at 8:30am on cable channel 10 (WLNY-TV) and daily at 8:00am and 12 noon on cable channel 68 (EWTN).

DEVOTIONS:

Miraculous Medal Novena: Every Monday following the 8:00am Mass.

Novena to St. Anthony: Thirteen Tuesdays (before June 13th) following the 8:00am Mass.

Rosary every morning at 7:30am before the 8:00am Mass.

Holy Hour: First Saturday of each month 9:30am–10:30am.

The church is open during the week for personal prayer and meditation during daylight hours.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament every Wednesday from 8:30am until 4:00pm in church with Rosary at 2:30pm and Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00pm.

WELCOME:

Catholics are always welcomed home; non-Catholics are invited to join us in prayer. Catholics who are new to our parish are respectfully requested to introduce themselves to one of the priests after Mass and register at the parish office during the week. Only in this way can the parish issue documents attesting to parish membership and Catholic practice. Kindly notify us if you change your address. If you are Catholic and have not been practicing your faith we especially welcome you to Saint Anthony of Padua Parish. Parishioners are encouraged to invite family and friends to Mass.

**SATURDAY, APRIL 27**

5:00 PM John & Rosemary Dotti

SUNDAY, APRIL 28

8:00 AM Living & Deceased Parishioners

10:30 AM Rosa Iannacchino

12:00 NN Millie DeSimone & Vivian Servedio

MONDAY, APRIL 29

8:00 AM Francesco & Maria Scopelliti

TUESDAY, APRIL 30

8:00 AM Emilia Agazzi

WEDNESDAY, MAY 1

8:00 AM Vincent Ferri

THURSDAY, MAY 2

8:00 AM Gertrude Balint

FRIDAY, MAY 3

8:00 AM Iisdoro Fusca

SATURDAY, MAY 4

9:00 AM Rosa D'Antona

5:00 PM Trifone, Anna & Vincenzo Mondelli

SUNDAY, MAY 5

8:00 AM Living & Deceased Parishioners

10:30 AM Our Lady of the Holy Rosary

12:00 NN Anthony D'Auria

**BREAD & WINE**

In Memory of Vincenzo Gulla

ROSE FOR LIFE

In Memory of Annette Shallo

ALTAR FLOWER

In Memory of Vincenzo Gulla

BLESSED MOTHER'S CANDLE

In Memory of Henry A. Russo

UNANNOUNCED MASS

In Memory of Giacomo Bulfamante

REPORT OF PARISH STEWARDSHIP!*God gives me everything, I return my gift to Him.***Offerings Easter Sunday 2019 - \$30,722.00****Attendance -2,145****Offerings Easter Sunday 2018 - \$28,578****Attendance - 2,117****Thank you for your continued generous support
of Saint Anthony of Padua Parish****2019 FESTA ITALIANA!**

will be held on June 7th, 8th and 9th. Over the years, the Festa has become a popular community event that attracts people from all over Westchester County. This success is due to the 300 parishioners that volunteer their time which allows us to add new attractions and games every year. Please consider being a volunteer for a 3-4 hour shift or help with set-up or clean up and we can be assured of having another great year! The proceeds from our Festa are used to subsidize the cost of maintenance, and upkeep of our church. Please go to our website [SaintAnthonyofPaduaWH.org/Festa Italiana](http://SaintAnthonyofPaduaWH.org/Festa%20Italiana) and fill out the volunteer form.

FESTA RAFFLE

The \$10,000 Festa raffle tickets are being sold after all Masses. Make sure to get your lucky number for the chance to win \$10,000, \$1,000 or \$500!! Please see Denise at the table in the vestibule after Mass for details.

**SPONSOR A LILY FOR OUR
FESTA ITALIANA**

Just sign your name to the yellow bird attached to the envelope. Pin it to the lily tree, then drop the envelope with your contribution into the weekly collection basket.

*In Loving Memory*

We extend our prayers and consolation to the family and friends of **Rocco Damiano** who passed away recently. May he rest in peace.



We pray for all of our sick and homebound parishioners especially, **Elizabeth Cusack, Tom Tropea, Michael Carr, Jane Lantier, Laura Compitello, Teddy Malasky, James Lana, Dominick Condosta and Rick Kuhlmann.** May our support and care bring them restoration of health.

APRIL 28, 2019



St. Anthony S.T.A.R.S.

1st, 2nd and 3rd grades are reviewing their prayers and learning about the life of Mary. 4th, 5th and 6th graders are reviewing the life of Mary and the rosary. 7th graders are viewing the movie “ The Encounter”. 8th graders are preparing for Confirmation.

Important Dates

Sunday, May 5th – May crowning at the 10:30am Mass. All second graders are invited back in their communion outfits to be part of the crowning procession.



following
CHRIST
a seven-week journey

We are starting the second series of the Christ Life program: **Following Christ**. All those who attended Discovering Christ are encouraged to attend. Every Thursday evening from 6:45-8:45pm in Fr. Peter Hall beginning May 9th through June 27th with the retreat on Saturday, June 15th.

Registration is required at:

www.saintanthonyofpaduawh.org/following-christ.



RENEW+
REBUILD

Season of Stewardship

We have a lot to be grateful for!

THANK YOU to ALL who have so far participated in the Renew and Rebuild Campaign.

Due to your extraordinarily generous support we have reached 89% of our \$798,000 campaign goal! To date we have raised \$713,701. \$84,299 remains to meet our goal.

If you have not yet participated in this important parish effort, please prayerfully consider making your gift NOW.



BLUE MASS

Our 12th Annual Blue Mass will be celebrated by **Archbishop Bernardito Auza**, Personal representative of Pope Francis to the United Nations, on **Saturday, May 11th at the 5:00PM Mass**. Please join us as we Honor all members of the Police Dept., Fire Dept., Ambulance Corps, Civic Officials, men and women in our military as well as all of our Veterans.

FAMILIES FOR FAITH

Join Families for Faith Wednesday, **May 1st at 7:30pm** in the lower church hall. Families for Faith's mission is to support catholic families to know, live, and love their catholic faith and to be a light of God's truth for all those around them. This month's topic is **Mother Mary** with the discussion led by our very own, **Father George Kanshamba**. All are welcome to attend. For more information contact Helena Kirk (914) 830-0671 or via email lilshark827@yahoo.com.

COMMUNION BREAKFAST

The Ave Maria Guild's annual Communion Breakfast will be held on Sunday, May 5th after the 10:30am Mass in the lower Church hall. The cost of the breakfast is \$20.

Tickets will be sold this weekend after all Masses and until May 5th. You can also buy your tickets at the parish office or call Peggy Kmetz at 428-7967.

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER



“Many signs and wonders were done among the people at the hands of the apostles. They were all together in Solomon’s portico. None of the others dared to join them, but the people esteemed them. Yet more than ever, believers in the Lord, great numbers of men and women, were added to them.”

The story of the early church, as related in the Acts of the Apostles, not only records what happened, but motivates us today, to continue the apostolic work. We sometimes fail to see that our hands are the hands of the apostles, or even the hands of Christ working in our world today. Do you remember the story of the reconstructed chapel destroyed by bombs in Europe? American GIs restored almost everything, but a shattered statue of the Sacred Heart lacked fingers and hands. They wisely placed a sign in front of the icon reading ‘I have no hands but yours.’

We are the hands of the Lord, because we are baptized, missionary disciples. A kind word, a gracious invitation, a gentle reminder of the love of Jesus to one who is hurting or lonely, can restore the church in the heart of someone. Reach out! Today, the Spirit of God asks us to hit the streets and find those seeking, waiting and yearning for God’s gift.

Father Chris



First Reading: Acts 5:12-16

The people held the apostles in great esteem and brought sick people to them to be healed. Although some were afraid to be known, the number of Jesus' followers continued to grow steadily.

Second Reading: Revelation 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19

John depicts a vision of lamp-stands of gold and one like the Son of Man in a robe with a sash of gold. This apparition told John he had nothing to fear and then described himself as one who was dead but now lived again. He then instructed John to record any other visions he might have.

Gospel: John 20:19-31

Jesus appeared to the disciples and breathed on them saying, "Receive the Holy Spirit." He gives them the power to forgive people's sins or hold them accountable. Thomas, who was not present, refused to believe Jesus had appeared until he came to them once more. Jesus told Thomas to believe and added, "Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed."

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Sunday

Acts 5:12-16; Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19;
Jn 20:19-31

Monday

Acts 4:23-31; Jn 3:1-8

Tuesday

Acts 4:32-37; Jn 3:7b-15

Wednesday

Acts 5:17-26; Jn 3:16-21 or, for the Memorial,
Gn 1:26-2:3 or Col 3:14-15, 17, 23-24; Mt 13:54-58

Thursday

Acts 5:27-33; Jn 3:31-36

First Friday

1 Cor 15:1-8; Jn 14:6-14

First Saturday

Acts 6:1-7; Jn 6:16-21

