

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

63 Franklin Street (Silver Lake) Belleville, NJ 07109



"Take care against all greed, for though one may be rich, one's life does not consist of possessions."

Luke 12:15

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday

530PM (Sunday Vigil Mass)

Sunday

8AM, 1030AM & 12NN

Weekday

Monday—Thursday 7AM & 8AM

Friday & Saturday 8AM

Every **4th Sunday** at 5PM

Filipino Mass

SACRAMENTS

Confession

Saturday 430-515pm
and by appointment

Baptism

3rd Sunday of the month at 130pm, except Eastertime

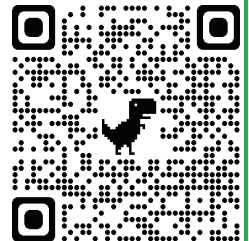
Parents and sponsors must attend a baptismal preparation program held on the 1st Saturday of the month at 1:30pm in Ferraro Hall. Please arrange for baptism and the preparation program by calling the office as soon as possible.

Marriage

Arrangements should be made at least one year before the wedding.

Anointing of the Sick

Please call 973-481-1991 to receive this sacrament. We will also gladly bring Holy Communion to the homebound upon request.



All mails addressed to:

St. Anthony Parish Office
750 N. 7th Street
Newark, NJ 07107

Telephone
973-481-1991

Bingo Hall Telephone
973-759-1417

Website:
www.saintanthonybelleville.org



STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Regular Sunday Collections	- \$ 4,291.33
<i>(July 24, 2022, including online)</i>	
Filipino Mass	- \$ 1,074.00
Air Conditioning	- \$ 720.00

**THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!
PLEASE CONTINUE TO SUPPORT OUR PARISH.**

“God loves a cheerful giver.” (2 Cor. 9:7)

SATURDAY, July 30

5:30p Jerry Petrucci by Tony & Andrea Zimmerman

SUNDAY, July 31

8:00a Jerry Petrucci by Emilia Percio
10:30a Gerardo, Maria & Martha Picardi by Rosa & Antonio
12:00n People of the Parish

MONDAY, August 1

7:00a Lysel & Mia Cruz (Thanksgiving) by Mama & Papa
8:00a Antoinette “Toni” Carfagno by Catenacci Family

TUESDAY, August 2

7:00a Fr. Gino de la Rama (Bday) by Palileo Family
8:00a Alfonsina & Carmine DeBenedetto
by Marie Catenacci

WEDNESDAY, August 3

7:00a Melvyn, Elsa, Georgia & Liam (Thanksgiving) by Elsa
8:00a Frank “Mal” Lo Conte by Friends

THURSDAY, August 4

7:00a Robert & Mike Biase by Frank Valeso
8:00a Antonio, Teresa, Gaetano, Aniello & Nicola
by Violante Family

FRIDAY, August 5

8:00a Concordia Martillano by Edeza Llave

SATURDAY, August 6

8:00a Carmine Mattia by Daughter, Connie
5:30p Marie Russo by Jennie Esposito

PARISH STAFF

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MEMORIALS FOR THE WEEK

July 31- August 6, 2022

The **Altar Bread & Wine** will be offered for the Intention of
People of the Parish

The **Altar Candles** will be offered for the Intention of
People of the Parish

The **Sanctuary Lamp** will be offered for the Intention of
People of the Parish

LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK

Jacob & Jaxson , Tammy Orthman, Jean Giordano, Edward Svaglinac, Joseph Doria, Gerry Baltazar, Pedro Esguerra, Dennis Hernando, Pedro Dinglasan, Madeline

Note: This list is updated monthly. Please call the parish office if you need the name/s to be kept in next week's bulletin.

REST IN THE PEACE OF CHRIST



ANTOINETTE “TONI” CARFAGNO

“Go into the whole world, especially the periphery”

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Since Pope Francis was elected pope a little more than nine years ago, he has been urging the Church, which is all of us, to “get out of ourselves and go toward the periphery.” This insight of the Holy Father is central to our understanding of the Church’s mission. On the day the risen Lord returned to the Father, he commanded his disciples to “Go into the whole world and proclaim the Gospel to every creature” (Mk 16:15). These last words of Jesus to his disciples urge them (and us) to get out of themselves (ourselves) and go to the periphery. Where do we find the periphery?

The dictionary definition of periphery is “the outside edge of an area or the area that surrounds a place or thing.” Pope Francis is referring to those areas that contain people who are social outcasts, on the “margins” of social acceptability, as being “the periphery.” He admonishes us to step outside of our comfort zones (another of Pope Francis’s frequent expressions) and to open our hearts to others, especially those who have been rejected by society.

In the Gospels, Samaritans are clearly “on the periphery” of Jewish society. So are lepers and those caught in sins such as adultery.

As we read in St. Matthew’s Gospel, “While he was at table in his [Levi’s/ Matthew’s] house, many tax collectors and sinners came and sat with Jesus and his disciples. The Pharisees saw this and said to his disciples, ‘Why does your teacher eat with tax collectors and sinners?’ He heard this and said, ‘Those who are well do not need a physician, but the sick do. Go and learn the meaning of the words, “I desire mercy, not sacrifice. I did not come to call the righteous but sinners” ’ ” (Mt 9: 10–13).

In other words, the periphery is not confined to geography or social, economic or legal status or to our religious or political points of view. Anyone who is different from us stands outside our comfort zone. This can include people who disagree with us on issues of politics, economics or social policy. It can also mean friends, family members or fellow parishioners who see the world differently from us.

Getting outside ourselves and going to the periphery can mean any effort to reach out to others with compassion and understanding. It does not mean necessarily that we abandon our beliefs, principles or way of life. But it does mean that we open ourselves to those who are different from us and, in so doing, share with them the good news that all are loved by God and redeemed in Christ. We may find that those on the periphery help us to understand better the Gospel. They may even soften the hardness of our hearts.

In his homily at Lampedusa, a large island near Sicily that has witnessed the tragic drowning of hundreds of African refugees attempting to find asylum in Italy, Pope Francis lamented what he called the anesthesia of the heart. “We are a society which has forgotten how to weep, how to experience compassion for [suffering with] others; the globalization of indifference has taken from us the ability to weep!”

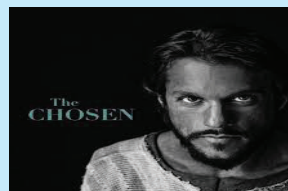
“Anesthesia of the heart” is not a Christian virtue. As we continue our synodal journey, let’s recommit ourselves to obeying Jesus’ command. Let’s go out of our comfort zones into the whole world, especially the periphery, to proclaim his Good News!

Sincerely yours in Christ the Redeemer,

Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin, C.Ss.R.
Archbishop of Newark

Here's What's Happening!

SERIES BEGINS THIS WEEK
MONDAY AUGUST 1
Ferraro Hall 7pm—9pm



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Church Parking Lot or Ferraro Hall



Saturday, August 6, 2022 & every Saturday at 9AM

A Kernel of History

(Part 40)

Continuing to make significant changes, on October 2, 1994, the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, Fr. Dennis initiated a new tradition at St. Anthony's which continued to this day (only interrupted by COVID) – the blessing of the animals in the church parking lot. Children were encouraged to bring their pets to the church for a special blessing. As we entered the new year of 1995, Fr. Cestaro retired on New Year's Day. He had been Pastor of St. Anthony's for 25 years. A special Mass was held at 10:30 AM on January 8, followed by a reception in the school cafeteria with over 300 people in attendance. Of the many fundraising programs at St. Anthony's, Bingo was the single most significant one. By 1995 Bingo had realized an even greater resurgence due to new regulations which allowed a progressive jackpot. The bingo halls were extended to include the center part of the cafeteria, now able to accommodate over 260 people. At times, people had to be turned away due to capacity limitations. The Cadillac Ball, another major fundraiser since its first event in 1965, had contributed \$37,000 to the parish to offset church and renovation costs. In 1995, the committee began raffling off a \$10,000 cash prize instead of the Cadillac due to escalating costs.

More to come in future bulletins.

UPCOMING PARISH ACTIVITIES

August–September 2022

August 01, 2022 (Monday)

CHOSEN SERIES: Season 1—Episode 1
Ferraro Hall 7pm—9pm

August 21, 2022 (Sunday)

CCD In-person Registration Begins
Ferraro Hall 9am—1130 am

September 11, 2022 (Sunday)

Last Day of CCD In-person Registration
BBQ & Movie
Church Parking & Ferraro Hall
4pm-830pm

September 12, 2022 (Monday)

Staff Meeting
via Zoom 7pm-9pm

September 15, 2022 (Thursday)

CHOSEN SERIES: Season 1 -Episode 2
Ferraro Hall 7pm—9pm

September 18, 2022 (Sunday)

CCD Classes Begin
School 9am—1030am

September 19, 2022 (Monday)

Finance Council Meeting
Ferraro Hall 7pm-9pm

September 26, 2022 (Monday)

Pastoral Council Meeting
Ferraro Hall 730pm-930pm



Trip to Blue Army Shrine

Washington NJ

Sponsored by St. Anthony's Rosary/Altar Society

October 13, 2022

Depart at 9 AM ~ Return by 5 PM

(Pick up a flyer/registration form after Mass)

Call Parish Office or Complete Form to Register

FUNDRAISER REPORT

Our Rosary/Altar Society
Raised a Whopping \$400.00
at Angelo's

Thank You to All Who Participated



AN IMPORTANT REMINDER!
CCD IN-PERSON REGISTRATION
AUGUST 21—9am to 11:30am
FERRARO HALL
Download your registration form at
www.saintanthonybelleville.org



SAVE THE DATE!!!
SEPTEMBER 11, 2022 SUNDAY
BBQ & MOVIE
AT THE
CHURCH PARKING LOT AND FERRARO HALL
4 PM—830 PM

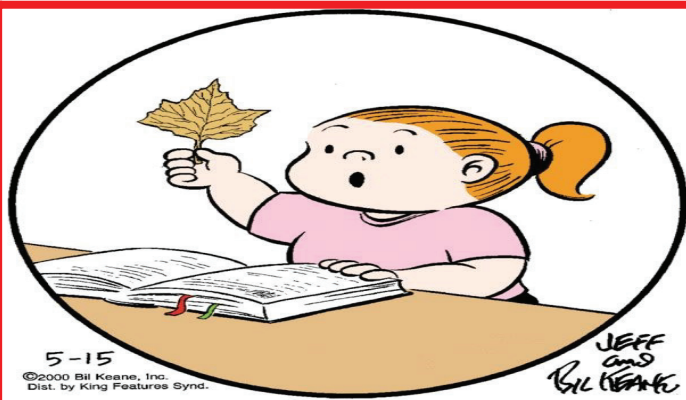
Are You a Registered Parishioner?

You may think you are registered—but if you are not receiving envelopes for your weekly donations there is a big chance you are not registered. It is very important that you register at the Parish Office and use your weekly envelopes for giving. The reason for this is because all parishes report the number of parishioners in their Parish yearly and also when a parishioner needs proof that he or she is a Catholic in good-standing it makes the process very simple. You may need this proof if you are asked to be a sponsor for Baptism or Confirmation or when preparing for Marriage. You are encouraged to confirm your registration with our Parish Office by calling Leonora at 973.481.1991 during our office hours 10-4 Monday through Friday.

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