

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

63 Franklin Street (Silver Lake) Belleville, NJ 07109

Luke 18:14

I tell you this:
the one who
humbles
himself shall
be exalted.



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

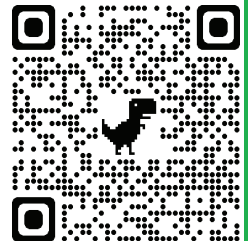
Parents and sponsors must attend a baptismal preparation program held on the 1st Saturday of the month at 1:30pm in Ferraro Hall. Please arrange for baptism and the preparation program by calling the office as soon as possible.

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:

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Newark, NJ 07107

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973-481-1991

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973-759-1417

Website:
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Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



SATURDAY, October 22

5:30p Brian Phillips *by Alberta Phillips*

SUNDAY, October 23

8:00a Patricia Uzzalino *by Halen & Frank Yacullo*
 10:30a Mario & Giovanna Stoppiello *by Emilia Percio*
 12:00n Natividad Policarpio *by Robert Policarpio & Family*
 5:00p People of the Parish

MONDAY, October 24

7:00a All Souls in Purgatory *by Herminia*
 8:00a Linda H. (Healing) *by Friends*

TUESDAY, October 25

7:00a Oscar Aguilar *by Stephanie*
 8:00a Jessica & Michael (Wedding Blessings) *by Mama*

WEDNESDAY, October 26

7:00a Thanksgiving for Blessings *by Leonora*
 8:00a Lynn Coleman *by MaryAnn Flaherty*

THURSDAY, October 27

7:00a Luigi Esposito *by Jennie Esposito*
 8:00a Antonio, Teresa, Gaetano, Aniello & Nicola
by Violante Family

FRIDAY, October 28

8:00a Thanksgiving to St. Jude
by Donna Marie Iannia & Helen & Frank Yacullo

SATURDAY, October 29

8:00a Nicholas Sessa Jr. *by Anna Marie*
 5:30p Phyllis Calzone *by Tony, Husband*

MEMORIALS FOR THE WEEK

October 23—October 29, 2022

The Altar Bread & Wine will be offered for the Intention of
All Souls in Purgatory

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, Lydia Salzano, Jean Giordano, Edward Svaglinac, Joseph Doria, Gerry Baltazar, Pedro Esguerra, Dennis Hernando, Pedro Dinglasan, Santiago Simon, Alan Goyoco, Luz Ison, Richard Caridim, Edward McNulty, Pete Sitton, Linda H.

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.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

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|-----------------------------------------------|------|----------|
| Regular Sunday Collections | - \$ | 2,984.06 |
| <i>(October 16, 2022, (including online))</i> | | |
| World Mission Sunday | - \$ | 339.24 |
| Special Collection for Nigeria | - \$ | 2,176.00 |

**THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!
 IT IS ALWAYS GREATLY APPRECIATED!**

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

PARISH STAFF

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PRAYER TO ST. ANTHONY FOR HEALING

Dear St. Anthony, you loved God so much when you lived upon the earth. You were known, even then, as a great Wonder-worker, so great did His power live in you. Now that you are in heaven, you share in God's glory and in His power in a more perfect way. Look on me with kindness as I come to you in my need. I pray for healing for myself and for those whom I love. Amen.

CATECHESSES ON THE HOLY MASS

(Part 6)

What is a homily?

A homily is a commentary, or a discussion delivered by a priest or deacon after the reading of scripture. The word homily is frequently used in the Roman Catholic, Eastern Orthodox, Anglican and Lutheran religions. The word homily is derived from the Greek word *homilia*, which means conversation. A sermon is a speech or discourse on religion or morals.

In the homily, the priest follows the example of Christ on the road to Emmaus, explaining and interpreting the Scriptures. Sometimes this interpretation is biblical, sometimes theological, sometimes moral or catechetical. Always, however, again in imitation of the Emmaus encounter (where Christ "was made known ... in the Breaking of the Bread"), it should prepare the congregation for or point us toward what is about to follow: the Liturgy of the Eucharist.

It means more than just a sermon or a talk about how we are to live or what we are to believe. The homily takes that word and brings it to our life situation today. Just as a large piece of bread is broken to feed individual persons, the word of God must be broken open so it can be received and digested by the congregation.

Should a homily be given at every Mass?

A priest is required to preach a homily on Sundays and Holy Days in accordance with the Catholic Canon Laws that follow:

767 §1. *"Among the forms of preaching, the homily, which is part of the liturgy itself and is reserved to a priest or deacon, is preeminent; in the homily the mysteries of faith and the norms of Christian life are to be explained from the sacred text during the course of the liturgical year."*

767 §2. *"A homily must be given at all Masses on Sundays and holy days of obligation which are celebrated with a congregation, and it cannot be omitted except for a grave cause."*

767 §3. *"It is strongly recommended that if there is a sufficient congregation, a homily is to be given even at Masses celebrated during the week, especially during the time of Advent and Lent or on the occasion of some feast day or a sorrowful event."*

767 §4. *"It is for the pastor or rector of a church to take care that these prescripts are observed conscientiously."*

In summary, in Masses during the week, a homily is not obliged, only recommended. But it must be given on Sundays and holy days of obligation.

What is the ideal length of a homily? Is there any rule of thumb when it comes to the length of homilies?

There isn't a set time. Some priests give very concise homilies and try to make their points in just a few minutes. There are also some who give in-depth teachings that take much longer.

The length of the homily varies in different cultures. For example, some parts in Africa people travel so far to get to Mass and because that was so central as the most important thing of the week for all the people who attended (like it should be for all of us), priests are expected to preach for a very long time—often for an hour with substantial teaching. And if they did anything less than that, the people would be upset like they were shortchanged because many of them had walked for hours to get to the Mass.

It is different here in the United States. Our parish masses are usually scheduled closely together and don't allow for a homily to go on for an hour. But, if we did that here in the United States, many, if not all, people would run us out on a rail. Some people say that Sunday Mass homilies should be basically the time between commercial breaks in a television series, so that's twelve minutes at the most; and, for daily Mass, homilies should be kept within 3-5 minutes. Pope Francis has recommended to priests to cut the length of the homily down to just seven minutes on Sundays and holy days of obligation.



FILIPINO MASS

Today
October 23, 2022
at 5:00pm

FELLOWSHIP
after the Mass at
the Ferraro Hall.

COME & JOIN US!

MONDAY, OCTOBER 24

DEADLINE OF RESERVATION

CLOSING CELEBRATION OF THE PARISH
FOUNDATION DAY AT THE CHANDELIER ON THE
30TH OF OCTOBER 2022.

Tuesday, October 25

Word Circle

Prayer and Sharing

after Benediction in Ferraro Hall



EVERY WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY 7:30 PM

Sunday, October 30

**RECEPTION DINNER
CLOSING OF THE 120TH
FOUNDATION DAY ANNIVERSARY**

**THE CHANDELIER
3PM—7PM**

Let it be made known that there will be a

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

(TOWN HALL FORMAT)

ON NOVEMBER 7, 2022 (MONDAY) at 7PM
In the FERRARO HALL

All ministries of the Pastoral Council and committees of the Finance Council will present a report as to the state of their respective ministry/committee. All parishioners are highly encouraged to attend and participate. Q&A will follow. Kindly, mark your calendar for this parish activity.



VOCATION PRAYER AND ADORATION

All are invited to pray for vocations and learn about the Saint of the Month, *St. John Marie Vianney*.

TUESDAY, October 25 at the Little House at 6:00pm.

TRAVELING CHALICE

Today, October 23, the Traveling Chalice will be received by the ALBERTO family at the 10:30am Mass.

Their family will be praying for vocations this week and present it to the AGBON family on October 30 at the 10:30am Mass.

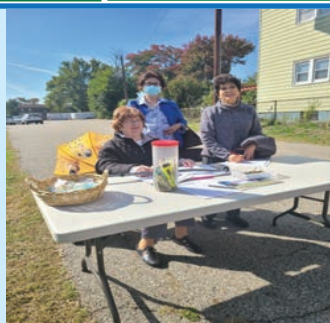
CAN YOU SPARE ONE FRIDAY A MONTH?

AS YOU MAY ALREADY KNOW, BINGO IS A BIG SOURCE OF OUR REVENUE HERE AT ST. ANTHONY'S. FOR YEARS, WE HELD BINGO ON MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS, FRIDAYS AND SATURDAYS. AFTER THE PANDEMIC IT SEEMS AS THOUGH WE LOST OUR INCENTIVE. WE NOW HOLD BINGO ONLY TWO NIGHTS, MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS. UNFORTUNATELY, WE STILL HAVE TO PAY OUR BILLS AND BINGO IS A BIG HELP. IF YOU ARE ABLE TO VOLUNTEER EVEN JUST ONE FRIDAY EVENING A MONTH IT WOULD BE A BIG HELP. IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO HELP PLEASE THINK ABOUT INCREASING YOUR DONATION AS A COMPENSATION.

Annual Appeal Reminder

Just a reminder for those of you who have pledged to the Annual Appeal. Please remember to send in your payment to the Archdiocese before the end of the year. There are still eight donors who have to complete their pledges.

Thank you for your support and may God bless you abundantly.



ST. ANTHONY'S AMERICA NEEDS FATIMA ROSARY RALLY 2022

Our Annual Rosary Rally was a great success once again. All parishioners were invited to participate. The Rosary Rally is held every year at parishes across the country to pray for peace at Our Lady of Fatima's request. If you were unable to attend this year, please remember to pray the Rosary each day. A special thanks to Rita Charles for organizing the event.

The Rosary Society would like to invite anyone interested to attend the meeting on November 15 (Tuesday) after the Benediction at the Ferraro Hall.

A Kernel of History

(Part 52)

By Christmas of 2004, new appointments were added to the altar area – new Freestanding Processional Candles, a new Processional Cross and a new Incense Stand, Incensory and Holy Water Bucket. The restoration of St. Anthony's Church proved an uplifting experience to the many that participated and generously donated towards the effort. Ongoing beautification projects were anticipated as the capital campaign continued with the community's support for the next few years. Finally, on November 24, 2007, the choir loft was completely renovated and the new organ now installed. To mark this great event a special Mass of Dedication was celebrated by Bishop Edgar Da Cunha, Regional Bishop for Essex County as he imparted a special blessing on the new organ. The 5:30pm Mass was truly spectacular as the choir sang under the direction of our Organists Guido Morsella and Tony Zimmerman. As the majestic sounds of the organ began tears could be seen on the faces of the parishioners attending. Finally, their time, talent and treasure had come alive. Fr. Joe and the entire congregation felt truly blessed and thankful. It was definitely a huge undertaking that took years to complete and, of course, the devoted parishioners were well aware that they had more work to be done in order to keep our church beautiful. As a result, there were many, many fundraisers planned by the many different parish groups like the Rosary Society, the Holy Name Society and the Choir as the Parish was very active.

More to come in future bulletins...

OUR BIG DINNER DANCE IS NEXT SUNDAY!!

October 30, 2022 ~ 3:00pm—7:00pm

@ The Chandelier ~ Belleville NJ

Price: ONLY \$75 per person



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Semi-formal * Buffet* Beer Wine & Soda * Cash Bar

Pick up an order form after Mass today or

at the Parish Office

Hurry! Seats are limited! No tickets will be sold at the door!

Deadline: October 24 (Tomorrow)



"Brother Jerome has a problem with humility, but he can't bring himself to admit it."



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