

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

63 Franklin Street (Silver Lake) Belleville, NJ 07109



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday

5:30pm (*Sunday Vigil Mass*)

Sunday

8:00, 10:30am & 12:00nn

Weekday

Monday—Friday 7:00am & 8:00am

Saturday 8:00am

Every **4th Sunday** at 5:00pm

Filipino Mass

SACRAMENTS

Confession

Saturday 4:30-5:15pm
and by appointment

Baptism

3rd Sunday of the month at 1:30pm starting June 2021.

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 Number

973-481-1991

Fax Number

973-481-1993

Website Address

www.saintanthonybelleville.org

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



SATURDAY, January 1st

5:30p Living & Deceased Members of Holy Name Soc

SUNDAY, January 2nd

8:00a People of the Parish

10:30a Thomas Vadakedam *by Anonymous*

12:00n Deceased Members of Sibilia & Spatrisano Families *by Leonora Ragab*

MONDAY, January 3rd

8:00a Pedro Torres *by Nicky & Daisy Torres*

TUESDAY, January 4th

7:00a Nilda Anonuevo *by Emma*

8:00a Natividad Policarpio *by Robert Policarpio & Family*

WEDNESDAY, January 5th

7:00a Jenny Rosa *by Carmen & Kathy Fornarotto*

8:00a Nazak Sheta *by Leonora Ragab*

THURSDAY, January 6th

7:00a Cecilia Munoz *by Jackie Rizzi & Family*

8:00a Joseph & Margaret Raimo *by Raimo-Sigall Family*

FRIDAY, January 7th

7:00a Neusa Della Torre *by Miriam Lima*

8:00a Dino & Donna Maria (healing) *by Mom*

7:00p Santo Nino (1st Day of Novena)

SATURDAY, January 8th

8:00a Carmen Del Gra *by Family*

5:30p Nilda Anonuevo *by Emma*

7:00p Santo Nino (2nd Day of Novena)

MEMORIALS FOR THE WEEK

January 2, 2021—January 8, 2022

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

The Altar Candles will be offered for the Special 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

Jerry Petrucci, Marie Catanacci, Sr. Patricia, MPF, Tammy Orthman, Louis Muhaw, Lito Jimenez, Bernardino Cadavez, Joseph Doria, Jeanette Omara, Lito Jimenez, Imee Vineza, Jaxson Rivera

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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| Sunday Regular Collection | - \$3,056.00 |
| <i>(December 19, 2021, including online)</i> | |
| Retirement Fund for Religious | - \$ 42.00 |
| <i>(additional)</i> | |
| Simbang Gabi Collection | - \$ 958.00 |
| <i>(December 20, 2021)</i> | |
| Simbang Gabi 50/50 Raffle | - \$ 285.00 |
| <i>(December 20, 2021)</i> | |

**THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR
GENEROUS GIFTS & OFFERINGS!!**

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

MERRY CHRISTMAS EVERYONE!

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A very Joyous New Year and a Happy Feast of the Epiphany to my dear parishioners and friends!

On this second day of the New Year 2022, we are reminded of the Lord's revelation to all people. The three gifts received by the Holy Family represent the three wise men who travelled from distant places. They came from various backgrounds and cultures. Yet, they were joyfully welcomed and embraced by Jesus, Mary and Joseph.

The gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh are quite interesting reminders for us here at St. Anthony's as these gifts are analogous to the three types of people in our parish: (1) active parishioners who joyfully participate in all our activities; (2) parishioners who may be less participative, yet quietly support us through their prayers and financial help; and (3) non-parishioners (former parishioners or would-be parishioners) who are very willing to participate and contribute to our activities with their time, talent and treasure. Like the gifts of the three kings, everyone shares his/her gold (treasures), frankincense (prayers), and myrrh (sacrifices). Since these people are "gifts" to our parish, let us warmly welcome and embrace them as the Holy Family did to the three wise men. Let us befriend and treat them as our brothers and sisters. Let us be grateful to one another for we belong to the same parish family and let us joyfully work with them as members of Christ's vineyard.

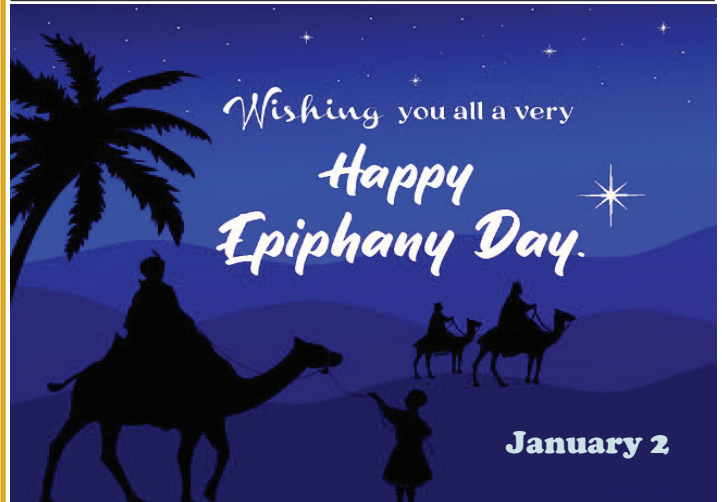
May Jesus be truly welcomed in our own lives, and in our community!

Wishing you all a peaceful New Year and a warm and calming Feast of the Epiphany!

Fr: Nol

** I wrote this letter two weeks before its publication this weekend. There were many liturgical services and social events lined up for Christmas and New Year (hopefully the omicron variant did not affect our parish and your family celebrations), I can only hope that they pushed through successfully.*

Here's
What's
Happening!



**NOVENA OF
MASSES
HONORING
SENYOR
SANTO NINO**

**starting this
Friday (Jan 7)
until Saturday
(Jan 15) at 7pm**



"LET US BEGIN A TIME OF PRAYER AND LISTENING,"
- CARDINAL JOSEPH W. TOBIN, C.S.S.R.

Synod
2021
2023

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rcaan.org/Synod2023

A Kernel of History

(Part 10)

In 1956 Father Gillick left for a new assignment at Saint Rose of Lima in Short Hills and was replaced by two assistants—Father Joseph Laudati and Father Nick Carlino. Father Carlino, who had studied art in Mexico helped raise money for the parish by producing a trio of operas which were held at Bloomfield Senior High School. Olindo D’Amadio, aka “Lindy”, a parishioner who was also a professional opera singer, sang the tenor leads. Father Carlino also acted as Scenic Designer as well as Production Manager. He also repainted some of the statues which were showing their age. Father Laudati found himself involved in the planning and organization of a testimonial dinner in honor of Father Menegus for the 25th Anniversary of his ordination. The affair was held at the Terrace Ballroom on Broad Street in Newark with the Honorable Thomas Holleran serving as Toastmaster. Then, in June 1957, two new assistants were assigned—Father John Netta and Father Anthony Campesi. Father Netta was very active with the Holy Name Society and the CYO. The CYO was going strong then and they presented a minstrel—“High Jinks of 1958” - at Bloomfield Junior High School. The Holy Name Society also going strong and sponsored the very first Mardi Gras Dinner Dance.

More to come in future bulletins.

THE ARTICLE BELOW MAY HELP US PREPARE FOR THE LISTENING SESSION SCHEDULED ON **JANUARY 20, 2022** IN THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH IN MONTCLAIR, NJ:

On May 21, 2021, Pope Francis surprised the Church by announcing that the Synod of Bishops, postponed due to the pandemic, will be preceded by a synodal process that includes “listening to all of the baptized” in every local diocese before the bishops gather again in 2023.

The Archdiocese of Newark joined dioceses throughout the world in celebrating a special Opening Mass on Oct. 17 to launch “Synod 2021-2023: For a Synodal Church,” a two-year re-examination of the way the Catholic Church is listening to and walking with its parishioners.

Like other dioceses worldwide, the opening Mass was the Archdiocese’s first significant step in participating in the worldwide “synod on synodality” initiated by Pope Francis on Oct. 10. Next, as part of its synodal journey, the Archdiocese will coordinate listening sessions for its 212 parishes, at which Catholics will be encouraged to share their opinions on what is expected of today’s Church. Sessions will be guided by universal questions for dioceses worldwide examining the perceptions of today’s Catholics.

Pope Francis invites the entire Church to reflect on a theme that is decisive for its life and mission: “It is precisely this path of synodality which God expects of the Church of the third millennium.”

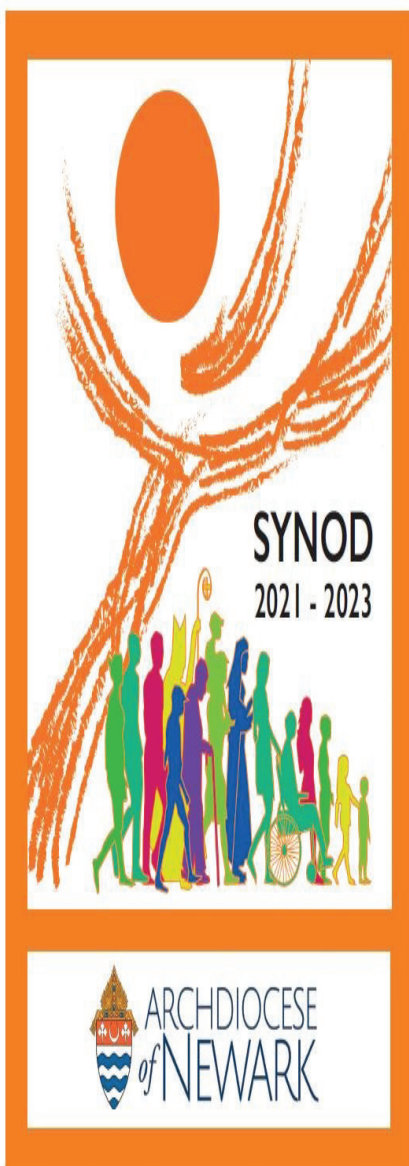
In April, the Archdiocese will gather, analyze, and synthesize information from all parish listening sessions into one report that will be submitted to the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB). Similarly, dioceses across the U.S. and globally will submit their local findings, which will ultimately be consolidated into reports for discussion among the world’s bishops and the Vatican to help guide Pope Francis on decisions about how the Church should proceed in the future.

During his homily on Oct. 17 at the Cathedral Basilica of the Sacred Heart in Newark, Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin, C.Ss.R., explained that a “synod” is a global process of discussion and reflection on a topic of particular importance to the Church. He cautioned that the synodal process “is not simply a series of meetings,” but “an effort to open ourselves to a permanent conversion of heart.”

“The synod will shine a light on the cracks of our church” and is an opportunity for a “change of a culture of our Church at all levels,” he said.

“The synod recognizes that the people of God – those who have been called out of darkness into light by virtue of their baptism — is called to walk the same road. And sometimes it means they realize they’re going the wrong way,” Cardinal Tobin said.

Learn more about the synodal process by visiting the [Vatican Synod website](#).



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FEAST OF SANTO NINO (HOLY CHILD)

JANUARY 16, 2022 (SUNDAY)

HOLY MASS AT 3:00 PM



**DAILY NOVENA AND HOLY MASS
FROM JANUARY 7 (FRI) TO JANUARY 15 (SAT)
AT 7PM**

- Day 1 (Jan. 7, Fri) = *Santo Nino: Healer of Our Souls*
- Day 2 (Jan. 8, Sat) = *Santo Nino: Cause of Our Joy*
- Day 3 (Jan. 9, Sun) = *Santo Nino: Core of Our (Baptismal) Mission*
- Day 4 (Jan. 10, Mon) = *Santo Nino: Reformer of Our Lives*
- Day 5 (Jan. 11, Tue) = *Santo Nino: Lord of Our Health and Life*
- Day 6 (Jan. 12, Wed) = *Santo Nino: Consoler of Our Afflictions*
- Day 7 (Jan. 13, Thu) = *Santo Nino: Strength of Our Merciful Hearts*
- Day 8 (Jan. 14, Fri) = *Santo Nino: Forgiver of Our Sins*
- Day 9 (Jan. 15, Sat) = *Santo Nino: Judge of Our Deeds*

Nightly sponsors will be published in the next Sunday bulletin.



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