

# *Church of Saint Anthony of Padua*

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## **SAINT ANTHONY OF PADUA**

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## **EUCHARIST:**

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

## **BAPTISM:**

Celebrated on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of each month at 1:30 pm. Parents should phone the parish office to make arrangements with one of the priests 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 8:00 am Mass.

Novena to St. Anthony: Thirteen Tuesdays (before June 13<sup>th</sup>) following the 8:00 am 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 every day for personal prayer and meditation until 6:00 pm. Every Wednesday Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 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 22**

9:00 AM Carmela Carruzzo

5:00 PM Margaret (Peggy) Orfei

**SUNDAY, APRIL 23**

8:00 AM Living &amp; Deceased Parishioners

10:30 AM Bevis Joseph Lopez

12:00 NN Lorenzo &amp; Gaetana Macchia

**MONDAY, APRIL 24**

8:00 AM Peter VanArthos

**TUESDAY, APRIL 25**

8:00 AM Mary &amp; Angelo Mariano

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26**

8:00 AM Rosa Delfico

**THURSDAY, APRIL 27**

8:00 AM Rosa Fucile

**FRIDAY, APRIL 28**

8:00 AM Antonio DiLeo

**SATURDAY, APRIL 29**

9:00 AM Rosa D'Antona

5:00 PM Celia &amp; Ernest Avallone

**SUNDAY, APRIL 30**

8:00 AM Living &amp; Deceased Parishioners

10:30 AM Maria Cicoria

12:00 NN Francesco &amp; Rosa Iannacchino

**SANCTUARY LAMP**

In Memory of Genevieve McKeon

**BREAD & WINE**

In Memory of Frances Morasco

**ROSE FOR LIFE**

In Memory of Vera Blake

**ALTAR FLOWERS**

In Memory of Lavinia McKeon

**ALTAR CANDLE**

In Memory of Matthew Foglia

**ST. JOSEPH'S CANDLE**

In Memory of Maria &amp; Francesco Scopelliti

**BLESSED MOTHER'S CANDLE**

In Memory of Ellen Domizio



Please support the **Holy Rosary Society's Bake Sale** after all the Masses next weekend.

**REPORT OF PARISH STEWARDSHIP!***God gives me everything, I return my gift to Him.***Offerings Easter Sunday 2017 - \$28,869****Attendance – 2,705****Offerings Easter Sunday 2016 - \$29,256****Attendance – 2,488**

**Thank you for your continued generous support  
of Saint Anthony of Padua Parish.**



**the** **CARDINAL'S**  
ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP APPEAL  
*Sharing God's Gifts*

Parish Goal: \$71,000

Pledged to date: \$58,178

Donor Goal: 299 Families

Number of donors to date: 186 Families

The 2017 Archdiocesan Stewardship Appeal is continuing. We are hopeful that **EVERY** parish family will contribute something to the Appeal this year. To date we have received **\$58,178 in pledges** from **186 families**. We are deeply grateful to these families for their generosity. Over the next couple of weeks please pray about what part your family can play to make the Appeal this year successful for our parish especially if you have not given in the past. And, thank you in advance for your generous gifts which will make the 2017 Cardinal's Appeal successful!

**Correction**

Please be aware that the name of one of our deceased parishioners was mistakenly written in our parish bulletin on February 26, 2017 as Raffaella Sgobbo who is **NOT** deceased. The correct name of our parishioner who passed away is **Raffaella Castonguay**. We apologize for this error and any confusion it may have caused.

**Easter Thanks**

A special word of thanks to **EVERYONE** who in any way contributed to the beauty of the Holy Week and Easter Liturgies here at Saint Anthony's. It was a truly special and grace-filled time for all of us.

APRIL 23, 2017

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

**REGISTRATION**

Registration has begun for the 2017-2018 school year. Packets will be available in the stars office and the vestibule of the church. 1st grade and new students must visit the office as a copy of the baptismal certificate is needed. You can also email the stars office at [stanthonyreled@optonline.net](mailto:stanthonyreled@optonline.net) and we will email the packet to you. Please register early!!

4:00 Session on Monday – 1st,2nd,3rd,4th grade classes are now closed.

4:00 Tuesday 6th grade class is closed.

**Important Dates**

**1st Communion Rehearsal – Thursday, April 20th**  
5:30 to 7:30 in the lower church.

**Final 1st Communion Rehearsal – Thursday, April 27th**  
5:30 to 7:30 in the Lower church.

**First Holy Communion Mass – Saturday, April 29th – 11am**

**Sunday, May 7th – May Crowning 10:30 Family Mass.**  
All 2nd graders invited to be part of the procession. Please wear your Communion attire.

**Tuesday, May 9th, 6:30 Confirmation Rehearsal**  
8th grade Candidates and their sponsors should report to the lower church.

**Wednesday, May 10th –Mass of Confirmation 6:00pm**  
All Candidates and sponsors report to the lower church by 5:00pm.

**ST. ANTHONY'S ANNUAL FESTA ITALIANA**

will be held on June 2nd, 3rd and 4th. 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 or you can call Maryann Morasco at 914-761-1882



We congratulate and welcome to the Catholic faith **Ryan Daniel Welgos, Stephanie Lopez, Masako Ocubo, Stephen Bobker** who were recently baptized here at Saint Anthony of Padua Church. God bless them and their families.

**Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Fatima Shrine**

Come on a beautiful pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Fatima at the National Blue Army in Washington, New Jersey on Saturday, May 13, 2017 for the *100th Anniversary* of the 1<sup>st</sup> Apparition of Our Lady of Fatima. The day's schedule: confession, rosary/procession with the Pilgrim Virgin Statue, special speaker, Holy Mass with benediction and Divine Mercy Chaplet and more. Bus leaves at 8:30am from St. Anthony's Church and will return at approximately 6:30pm. Cost will be \$35. For more information and reservations please call Bruna Barbieri at 428-0532.

**REVIVE MISSION**

Coming to Mass every Sunday, but still feel a longing for more? Come join us for an evening of reflection on God's love and to understand His plan for us. The three-day Revive mission will be held on Monday May 8<sup>th</sup> thru Wednesday May 10<sup>th</sup> at Saint Pius X, 92 Secor Road, Scarsdale in English at 6:00 PM and St. Bernard's, 51 Prospect Street, White Plains in Spanish at 7:00 PM. Please visit [www.FaithEveryDay.com](http://www.FaithEveryDay.com) for more information and to register.

**COMMUNION BREAKFAST**

The *Ave Maria Guild's* Annual Communion Breakfast will be held on **Sunday May 7th** in Father Peter Hall after the 10:30 Mass. The guest speaker is Charlotte Taomina, Ph.D. Clinical Neuro Psychologist and former Maryknoll sister. Her topic will be "*Awakening Your Brain to the Fruits of the Year of Mercy*". The breakfast will be catered by Jon Mancini. The cost of the breakfast will be \$20. The Guild will start selling tickets after the Masses this weekend. Reservations are needed. Please save the date.

**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.

## SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER



“They devoted themselves to the teaching of the apostles and to the communal life, to the breaking of the bread and to the prayers... All who believed were together and had all things in common... Every day they devoted themselves to meeting together in the temple area and to breaking bread in their homes... and every day the Lord added to their numbers.”

Such a description seems ‘too good to be true’ but this is the description of the first disciples of the Lord. The teaching of the apostles, the kerygma, telling of the resurrection of Jesus and His victory gave their discipleship new meaning. Like a family, they formed a support group, sharing joy, as well as fears, anxieties and triumphs because Christ was alive. The Eucharist became the common bond, uniting them with Christ and one another. Prayer became a binding force.

Can we not see that our life in our parish, our small group, is a mirror of those described by St. Luke or of those gathered in the upper room? Can the presence of Christ in our life, lead us to recognize His presence in others? Can we truly believe that we are not alone in our faith and move from ‘God and me’ to ‘God and we?’ On Divine Mercy Sunday, it can happen.

*Father Chris*



We pray for all of our sick and homebound parishioners especially **Angela Villalba, Louis Petrulo, Niall Murray, James Gerard Daly, Dan Bailey, Jack Klein, Sister Monica Quigley, Elizabeth Cusack, Anthony DellaValle, and Carmella Rocco.** May our support and care bring them restoration of health.



We extend our prayers and sincere condolences to the family members and friends of **Mary Schaeffner** and **Monsignor Howard Calkins** who passed away recently. May they rest in peace. Amen.



## SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER OR SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY

### First Reading: Acts 2:42-47

In the early days of the Church in Jerusalem, the faithful listened intently to the teachings of the apostles. They lived a communal life, sharing all property in common and praying and taking their meals together.

### Second Reading: 1 Peter 1:3-9

In this first letter from Peter, he speaks to the Christians with great joy and confidence, reminding them that through Christ's resurrection, they have been given a new birth and are heirs to the kingdom of heaven.

### Gospel: John 20:19-31

After his resurrection, Jesus appears to his disciples and gives them the power to forgive sins. Thomas, who is absent, sees Christ later and believes in His resurrection after feeling His wounds. Christ admonishes Thomas by saying, “You became a believer because you saw Me. Blessed are they who have not seen and believed.”

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### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

#### Sunday

Acts 2:42-47; 1 Pt 1:3-9; Jn 20:19-31

#### Monday

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

#### Tuesday

1 Pt 5:5b-14; Mk 16:15-20

#### Wednesday

Acts 5:17-26; Jn 3:16-21

#### Thursday

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

#### Friday

Acts 5:34-42; Jn 6:1-15

#### Saturday

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

### Welcome Rev. Mathew Kuruvilla Illikattil

This weekend, we welcome **Rev. Mathew Kuruvilla Illikattil** is with us to celebrate Masses and tell us about the work of Unbound, a lay Catholic sponsorship ministry that helps children and elderly in 20 developing countries. To learn more, call (800) 875-6564 or visit Unbound online at [www.unbound.org](http://www.unbound.org). WELCOME FATHER MATTHEW!