

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, NOVEMBER 24**

5:00 PM DiPierro Family

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 25

8:00 AM Living & Deceased Parishioners

10:30 AM Brianna Belmont

12:00 NN John Daher

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26

8:00 AM Maria Grazia, Antonio & Mario Aversa

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 27

8:00 AM Genevieve Hill

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 28

8:00 AM Pietro Cipriano

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 29

8:00 AM Benedetto Ciotola

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30

8:00 AM Amerigo D'Ippolito

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1

9:00 AM Antonio, Maria Grazia & Mario Aversa

5:00 PM Maria & Paolo D'Ambrosio

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 2

8:00 AM Living & Deceased Parishioners

10:30 AM Henry A. Russo

12:00 NN Dominick Scopelliti

**SANCTUARY LAMP**

In Memory of Carmela Macchia Ryan

BREAD & WINE

In Memory of Amelia DiCenso Centofanti

ROSE FOR LIFE

In Memory of Elaine Marie Bizzoco

BLESSED MOTHER'S CANDLE

In Memory of Henry A. Russo

DOING
THE MOST
GOOD

St Anthony's Parish will be partnering with the Salvation Army to volunteer as Bell Ringers inside The Westchester Mall, on Saturday, December 1st. We are looking for volunteers for a two hour shift during the hours of 10:00AM thru 8:00PM. We need two Bell Ringers per shift. Anyone under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. If you are interested in volunteering for a two hour shift, please contact: Arlene Viscomi 914 841-4263

REPORT OF PARISH STEWARDSHIP!*God gives me everything, I return my gift to Him.*

Because of the early printing deadline of this bulletin the collection figures are not available. They will be reported in next week's bulletin.

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

**OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE****Dr. Luz Maria Ibarra**

December 6th at 7:30pm in Fr. Peter Hall

"Am I not here, I, who has the honor and the joy of being your mother?" These are the words of Our Lady to all of us. Come and hear the details of her appearance. Learn about Juan Diego's famous cloak with Our Lady's image and its supernatural origin. Please join us for this unique presentation.

2018 St. Anthony of Padua Giving Tree

The "Giving Tree", a special part of St. Anthony's Advent Program, will be erected in the main vestibule of the church and decorated with gift ornaments on November 24, 2018. Please pick a color coded ornament from the tree, purchase the gift specified, and return your donated, unwrapped gift in the boxes located in the vestibule of the church by no later than December 9, 2018. Monetary gifts and gift cards can be put in the box in the Church or dropped off at the Parish Office. We have an opportunity to reach out to others in the true spirit of Christmas. Thank you in advance for your participation.



NOVEMBER 25, 2018



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

Important Dates

No Classes Sunday, November 25th part of Thanksgiving Break

Classes resume Monday, November 26th

Sunday, December 9th – 4th grade Family Mass 10:30am

What gift would you bring to Jesus' birthday party?

Refreshments will be served after Mass.

Christmas Pageant 5:00pm Christmas Eve 12/24

HOLIDAY CRAFT FAIR

Please join the West Harrison Seniors for their Holiday Craft Fair on **Saturday, December 1st from 9:00am – 4:00pm**, at the Senior Center located at 251 Underhill Ave, West Harrison. There will be food, vendors, a 50/50 Raffle and great holiday gifts for everyone!

BROTHER JUNIPER



HARRISON HOLIDAY HAPPENING



On *Saturday, December 1*, the Town-Village of Harrison is sponsoring the Harrison Holiday Happening from 3:00 to 5:00 PM in Ma Riis Park, across from Town Hall. Enjoy hot cocoa and baked goods, hear the children of Parsons and Harrison Avenue Schools sing holiday songs, visit with Santa and celebrate the lighting of our Christmas tree and menorah. This event is free of charge. Please join us! Snow date Sunday, December 9, 3:00 to 5:00 PM.



Christmas Tree Lighting and Holiday Celebration, Friday, December 7th, on the village green, 7:00pm.

Presented by the West Harrison Neighborhood Association.

Christmas music and refreshments. Santa and Frosty. Joining us again will be the Preston School chorus.

THE SOUNDS OF CHRISTMAS
CONCERT FOR ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS

The Music Ministries of St. Joseph's Church in Somers will present *The Sound of Christmas*, an Advent-Christmas Concert featuring works of Handle, Vittoria, Deford, Mendelssohn, Willcocks and others, on **Saturday, December 1st at 7:00pm in the sanctuary of St. Joseph's Church, 95 Plum Brook Road, Somers, NY 10589**. Performances by the combined choirs and instrumentals of St. Joseph's Church, Guest Soloists, accompanied by a Chamber Orchestra and our magnificent Austin pipe organ. Program concludes with a wonderful program of traditional and contemporary carols for all to enjoy. Holiday reception follows in the Parish Center.

Tickets are \$25 and can be purchased in advance at the Parish Office beginning Monday, November 5th. Tickets will also be available for sale in the Church Narthex after all Masses the weekend of November 24-25, and at the main doors on the evening of the concert. For more information visit the parish website at stjosephsomers.org or email the music office at sjcsmusic95@gmail.com.

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE



“Jesus Christ is the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead and the ruler of the kings of the earth. In Him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by His blood, who has made us into a kingdom of priests for His God and Father, to Him be glory and power forever. Amen.”

On the day of our baptism when the minister took the holy chrism and anointed our foreheads we were told that now we share with Jesus in the threefold role of priest, prophet and king. The name Christ means the “anointed one”. We often refer to baptism by another name “christening”.

As we bring the church year to a close, we pledge our loyalty to Jesus Christ, and dedicate ourselves to build the Kingdom of Jesus Christ. The many parables taught by Jesus described His Kingdom, the Church. Many told us of the hidden treasure, as well as the weeds and the wheat. The Kingdom of Jesus finds good and bad, strengths and weaknesses, but it’s the Kingdom of the Lord and we are part of it. Let us build the Kingdom of God, as He wishes it to be. May we pray, ‘thy Kingdom come’ with new awareness and deep devotion.

Father Chris



First Reading: Daniel 7:13-14

Daniel describes the one who will appear on the clouds of heaven and receive glory. People of every language will serve this one, and his leadership and community will be his forever.

Second Reading: Revelation 1:5-8

Jesus is so powerful, he is the ruler of kings. He loved us enough to free us from sin, and so he will be glorified forever. He will appear again and be seen by all the people of the earth. God calls himself the first and last, "the One who is and who was and who is to come," reminding all people that God will remain with us always.

Gospel: John 18:33b-37

Pilate asks Jesus if he is a king. Jesus explains that his kingdom is not of this world. Pilate asks again if Jesus is a king, to which he replies, "I came into the world to testify to the truth. Anyone committed to the truth hears my voice."

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We pray for all of our sick and homebound parishioners especially, **Elizabeth Cusack, Tom Tropea, Michael Carr, Theresa DeRubeis, Jane Lantier, Matildah Kanshamba, Laura Compitello** and **Teddy Malasky**. May our support and care bring them restoration of health.

Volunteer Eucharist Ministers Needed at Westchester Medical Center

Eucharist Minister Volunteers are needed at the Westchester Medical Center in Valhalla. If you have an hour or two to volunteer in a week, you are kindly requested to call the Catholic Priest Chaplain: Rev. Peter Claver Ugoagwa at 914-843-1767 or 914-493-7190 or email peterclaver.ugoagwu@wmchealth.org for more information and processing. If you are not trained Eucharist Minister and would like to be trained to volunteer at the hospital please feel free to call for details.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday

Dn 7:13-14; Rv 1:5-8; Jn 18:33b-37

Monday

Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5; Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday

Rv 14:14-19; Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday

Rv 15:1-4; Lk 21:12-19

Thursday

Rv 18:1-2, 21-23, 19:1-3, 9a; Lk 21:20-28

Friday

Rom 10:9-18; Mt 4:18-22

First Saturday

Rv 22:1-7; Lk 21:34-36