



Sunday w/n the Octave of the Ascension & Seventh Sunday of Easter

JUNE 1, 2025

ROMAN CATHOLIC ORATORY OF ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

The Mother Church of Western New York & Southern Ontario's Italian & Latin Communities

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MASSES

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SUNDAY WITHIN THE
OCTAVE OF THE
ASCENSION

Second Collection for the
St. Philip Neri House

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF
EASTER

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WITHIN THE ASCENSION OCTAVE

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WITHIN THE ASCENSION OCTAVE

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ST. FRANCIS CARACCILOLO

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OCTAVE DAY OF THE ASCENSION

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ST. NORBERT (MISSA
CANTATA)

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VIGIL OF PENTECOST

6/8

PENTECOST SUNDAY

Second Collection for the
Catholic Communications Campaign



INTENTIONS

7:15 AM
† Phyllis M. Zinoble
by Tomani Family

9:15 AM
(1) Seraphina Anne Guadalupe
Mombrea by Margaret & Noah
Mombrea
(2) † Pamela DeFazio
by Leonard & Bonnie DeFazio

11:15 AM
(1) † Maria J. Cino
by Daughter Maria
(2) † Brian Booth
by Helen Booth & Family
(3) Blessings Received

† Albert Huntz
by Bonnie Huntz

Jeanne Corrallo
by Goddaughter Alice Blackley

Lori Biddle
by Phil Tarantino

† Lissette Maria Dernier OP
by Mary Williams

For the Children of the Latin Mass
Community by The Religioso Family

Bishop Michael Fisher
by Una Voce Buffalo

7:15 AM
Abigail Van Horn
by Sofia Religioso

9:15 AM
† Ronald Chmliewski
by Richard May

11:15 AM
(1) † Christina Genco
by Grandma Rita Attardo
(2) † Christine Balistreri
by MaryLou Stephan
(3) † Calogero, Calogera & Maria
Campanella
by Gaetana & Carmelina
Campanella

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Saturday & Sunday: Closed
Weekdays (Mon-Fri): 9 AM - 1 PM
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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

SUNDAY

7:15 AM Latin Low
9:15 AM Latin Sung
11:15 AM Italian/English
WEEKDAYS: 6 PM Latin Low
SATURDAY: 9 AM Latin Low
Confessions 40 min. before each Mass

PASTOR & DEACONS

Fr. Raymond G. Corbin
Dcn. Carmelo Gaudio
Dcn. Tom LaBelle

THE ST. PHILIP NERI HOUSE

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COLLECTION NOTICE

Sunday, May 25: \$2,119.00

ONLINE: \$605.00

SAINT OF THE WEEK

ST. NORBERT

MISSA CANTATA 6/6/25

St. Norbert was born at Xanten in the Rhineland, about the year 1080. The early part of his life was devoted to the world and its pleasures. He entered upon the ecclesiastical state in a worldly spirit.

Norbert, who had always chosen the easy way, would never have deliberately gone on a journey that promised danger, risk, or discomfort. He had moved easily from the comforts of the noble family he was born into at about 1080 to the pleasure-loving German court. He had no hesitations about joining in any opportunity to enjoy himself, no matter what the source of that pleasure.

But now high winds pushed and pulled at his fashionable coif, rain slashed at his fancy clothes, and dark roiling clouds pressed night down upon his light thoughts.



“If you would be perfect, go, sell what you possess and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow Me.”

A sudden flash of lightning split the dark and his horse bucked, throwing Norbert to the ground. For almost an hour, the still form of the courtier lay unmoving. Even the rain soaking his clothes and the howl of thunder did not bring him back to consciousness and life. When he awoke his first words were, "Lord, what do you want me to do?" -- the same words Saul spoke on the road to Damascus. In response Norbert heard in his heart, "Turn from evil and do good. Seek peace and pursue it."

He immediately returned to the place of his birth, Xanten, to devote himself to prayer and penance. He gave everything he owned to the poor and to go to the pope for permission to preach.

With this commission in hand, he became an itinerant preacher, traveling through Europe with his two companions. In an extreme response to his old ways, he now chose the most difficult ways to travel -- walking barefoot in the middle of winter through snow and ice. In a lonely valley called Prémontré, he began his community with thirteen canons - the Canons Regular of Prémontré. Now it is a globally active order of priests.

At the end of his life he was made an archbishop but he died soon after on June 6, 1134 at the age of 53. Norbert was canonized by Pope Gregory XIII in the year 1582, and his statue appears above the Piazza colonnade of St. Peter's Basilica in Rome.

EMERGENCY LINE

716-202-2627

We now have an emergency line for people to call for SACRAMENTAL emergencies, i.e., they need a priest for Anointing or Last Rites. Save the above number in your phone!



Events Coming Up...



BLESSING TABLE

Please be aware that the blessing table will be on the first Sunday of each month. This will normally be after the 9:15 am Mass in the Cabrini hall.



CHILDREN'S SPRING CONCERT

Save the date! The children of St. Anthony's will host a spring concert on Thursday, June 5.

WANT TO BECOME CATHOLIC?

Contact Fr. Augustine at
atran@stanthonybuffalo.
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PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Stacy Donahue, Ellen Liszewski, Ryan Cavaretta, Ellen Schreier, Pat Miller, the Pierro-Gioeli-Montagna Families, Tina Licata, G.C. Barbara Gangi, Kira Ciupek, Lori Biddle, Helen Schwendler, Judy Tasca, Helen Booth, Dan Minnick, Vita Milkie, Deanna and John Vitrano, Ralph Perfetto, John & Karen Hogan, Geraldine Huebbers, Philip Huebbers, Mary Whalen, Msgr. Vincent Becker, Cody Beuice, Msgr. Fred Voorhes, all those in the Armed Services, Harrison Carriker, Bernadette Hughes, Diana Wright, for the Hurley Family, Sal Lombardo, Bernadette Hughes, Nancy Zimny, Patty Stunmetz., L. Lilenthial as well as those intention which we hold in the silence of our hearts.



SANCTUARY CANDLE

In June, the sanctuary candle is lit for † Albert Booth by Wife Helen Booth.

\$25 Monthly Sanctuary Candle are available. Please contact the OFFICE to reserve.



PLEASE PRAY FOR:

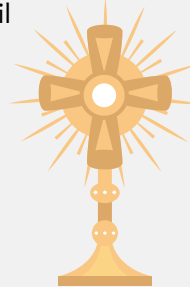
Please pray for the repose of the soul of Rev. Santo Cigolini, C.S. who died on Wednesday, May 14, 2025 in Canada.

Fr. Santo was 95 years old and in his 67th year of the priesthood with the Scalabrinian Fathers. He was the Assistant Pastor here from 1965-1972



FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

Would you like to do something meaningful for Our Lord? Consider spending time in front of the Lord every First Friday from 12 pm to 6 pm. Men's nocturnal adoration begins at 7 pm Friday night until 9 am Saturday morning.



MARRIAGE BANS

The marriage of Elena Osmanski to Logan Monroe (both of St. Gabriel's in Elma, NY) will take place on June 14, 2025 (second asking).



The purpose of bans is to enable anyone to raise any canonical or civil legal impediments to the marriage, so as to prevent invalid marriages.

EMAIL & SMS SIGN UP FORM

To receive regular emails AND occasional texts regarding Mass Cancellations, Holiday Schedule, Sung Masses, Funerals, and other special events please go to stanthonybuffalo.org/subscribe or scan the QR Code.



40 HOURS DEVOTION & CORPUS CHRISTI

We will be having a Corpus Christi procession on Thursday, June 19. If your child made his/her First Communion this year, they are welcome to join in the procession. There will be no external solemnity on the following Sunday.

After the Corpus Christi Mass and procession, the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for a continuous 40 hours, called *quarante'ore*. We will need 80 volunteers in total, open to all, to keep vigil with Our Lord until Saturday.

There will be a Noon Sung Mass on Saturday, June 21 to close this long period of Exposition.



PALESTRINA 500

St. John Paul II Schola Cantorum presents "Palestrina 500: Celebrating the Quincentenary Birthday of a Great Catholic Composer." Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina was born in 1525 and is considered one of the greatest Catholic choral composers.

There will be two performances: Sunday, June 8 at 5 pm at St. Louis Church, 780 Main St., Buffalo and Sunday, June 15 at 3 pm. at Our Lady of Victory Basilica, 767 Ridge Rd., Lackawanna.

For more information, follow the Schola on Facebook and Instagram @JP2Schola or email JP2Schola@gmail.com.

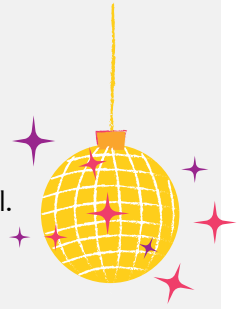
ST. ANTHONY DINNER DANCE

SAVE THE DATE!

The St. Anthony's annual dinner dance is scheduled for Sunday, June 22 in the hall.

Mass at 11:15 am with a procession. Followed by dinner/dance in the Hall. Doors open at 1 pm. Parking is free.

Dinner/Dance tickets \$45 per person pre-sale only (children under 5 free of charge). Contact the rectory for tickets 716-854-2563



LADIES ALTAR SOCIETY

A great way to be a part of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass is by preparing the linens and taking care of the church used to hold Our Lord. Please scan the QR code below to join the Signal Group.



SCHOLA & CHOIR

Can you sing better than Br. René? Do you want to sing for God? If so, please join our schola or choir!

To join the choir, please contact Sharbel Simon: ssimon@stanthonybuffalo.org

To join the schola, please contact Jake Kraft: jkraft@stanthonybuffalo.org



YOUNG ADULT GROUP

Please join our Signal Group using the QR Code below to receive relevant events and updates for the Young Adult Ministry.



SPN HOUSE QR CODE

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DONATE TO THE FATHER & BROTHERS...

YOU CAN HELP US OUT DIRECTLY

The Father & Brothers of the St. Philip Neri House do not receive direct financial support from the Diocese of Buffalo. We rely on the salaries given for our work in the diocese and the generosity of monthly donors to help pay for seminary and supplemental living costs. Sadly, our house in Texas is having trouble selling and we have approximately \$2.5k a month that has to go to that until it sells (mortgage and upkeep). With the move, we lost the majority of our Tyler monthly donors, which covered this expense, along with seminary costs, and miscellaneous living expenses. Please prayerfully consider becoming a monthly donor. Thank you for your generosity thus far, the last FIVE months were covered IN FULL. Scan the QR code or go to www.spnhouse.org.

