



*The Mother church of Western New York and Southern Ontario's Italian communities.*

# ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA R.C. CHURCH

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## RECTORY OFFICE SCHEDULE

Saturday & Sunday: Closed  
Weekdays (Mon-Fri): 9am-1pm

*Closed on civic and religious holidays.*

Pat Perfetto - Bookkeeper  
Mary Balistreri - Admin-Asst

*Ministered by the Fathers & Brothers of the The St. Philip Neri House*

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## LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Sunday  
7:30am Low | 9am Sung | 11am Italian

Weekdays  
6 pm Low  
Saturday  
8 am Low

*Confessions 30min. before each Mass.*

*Part of the Downtown Family Parish of Buffalo, NY*

**Canonical Pastor**  
Fr. Raymond G. Corbin

**Deacons**  
Dcn. Carmelo Gaudio  
Dcn. Tom LaBelle

**St. Louis**  
780 Main St.  
716-852-6040 x2  
[stlouischurch.org](http://stlouischurch.org)

**Perpetual Help**  
115 O'Connell St.  
716-884-0053  
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**Blessed Sacrament**  
1029 Delaware Ave.  
716-884-0053  
[blessedsacramentbuffalo.org](http://blessedsacramentbuffalo.org)

**St. Michael's**  
651 Washington St.  
716-854-2564  
[stmichaelbuffalo.org](http://stmichaelbuffalo.org)

**St. Joseph Cathedral**  
50 Franklin St.  
716-854-5855  
[buffalocathedral.org](http://buffalocathedral.org)

Go to [buffalodiocese.org/weekend-mass-times](http://buffalodiocese.org/weekend-mass-times) to see a complete list of weekend Mass times across the diocese.

**Other Options for Confession:**

**St. Joseph Cathedral**  
WED/FRI 11:45 AM  
SAT 4 PM

**St. Louis**  
SAT 3:15-3:45 PM

## COLLECTION NOTICE

The collection for Sunday, September 15 was

**\$5023.00**

**E-Donation \$398**

## MASS INTENTIONS 9/22-29/24

### SUNDAY 9/22

**25th Sunday of Ordinary Time**  
**18th Sunday After Pentecost**

**7:30 AM ERIMINO ZINOBILE+**  
by Wife and Sons  
**9 AM ANN HOGAN+ & LIGIA MATHEUS+**  
Former by Dan and Joan Blum, latter by Children Jose, Ricardo, and Carolina  
**11AM SALVATORE MILAZZO+, FRANCESCO GIACOBBE, MD.+**  
Former by wife & children, latter by Luciana Galante & Phil Tarantino

**MONDAY 9/23 6:00PM**  
**St. Linus, Pope & Martyr**

**FOR THE INTENTIONS OF KATIE & CHARLES McMICKEN**  
by the McMicken Family

**TUESDAY SEPT 9/24 6:00PM**  
**Our Lady of Ransom**

**MARY PALMISANO+**  
by Palmisano Family

**WEDNESDAY 9/25 6:00PM**  
**Feria - Requiem Mass**

**JOAN RECCHIA+**  
by Rosemaria Recchia

**THURSDAY 9/26 6:00PM**  
**Ss. Cyprian & Justina, Virgin, Martyrs**

**MARY BRENNAN+**  
by Amy McGuire

**FRIDAY 9/27 6:00PM**  
**Ss. Cosmas & Damian, Martyrs**

**PATRICIA HYNES+**  
by Thomas Hynes

**SATURDAY 9/28 6:00PM**  
**St. Wenceslaus, Duke & Martyr**

**FOR THE CHILDREN OF THE BUFFALO LATIN MASS COMMUNITY**  
by DeRego Family

**SUNDAY 9/29**  
**26th Sunday of Ordinary Time**  
**Dedication of St. Michael the Archangel**

**7:30 AM MARY BRENNAN+**  
by the Religioso Family  
**9 AM THEODORE KOPACZ, SR.**  
by Theodore Kopacz, Jr.  
**11AM ALFREDO SCOLLA+ & THELMA B. FRAUENHOFER**  
Former by Trigilio Family and the latter by Luciana Galanteand and Phil Tarantino

## UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS

### SUN 9/22

**Madonna di Loreto Patroness of Vallenga P. Caltanisetta**

### WED OCT 2

**Sung Mass for the Feast of the Guardian Angels**

### SUN OCT 6

**Madonna del Rosario Patroness of Montedoro P. Caltanisetta**

## PRAYER LIST

*Please pray for:*

Pat Miller, the Pierro-Gioeli-Montagna Families, Tina Licata, Grazie Giuliani, G.C. Barbara Gangi, Kira Ciuppek, Lori and Tim Biddle, Helen Schwendler, Judy Tasca, Helen Booth, Alan Schadel, Dan Minnick, Vita Milkie, Deanna & John Vitrano, Ralph Perfetto, John & Karen Hogan, Geraldine Heubbers, Philip Huebbers, Mary Whalen, Fr. Vincent Becker, Cody Beuice, Msgr. Fred Voorhes and all those in the armed forces, Harrison Carriker, Bernadette Hughes, Diana Wright, MaryAnn Friedman, the Hurley Family, Fal Lombardo, Nancy Zimny, Patty Stunmetz, Thomas Burns, L. Lilenthal, all those intentions held in the silence of our hearts.

## SANCTUARY CANDLE

*The Sanctuary Candle is lit for:* Parishioners and Friends of St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church. To donate to have the sanctuary candle lit for someone or a particular intention please contact the office.

## RCIA

Want to become Catholic? Please contact the parish at [contact@stanthonybuffalo.org](mailto:contact@stanthonybuffalo.org).

## ALTAR SERVING

Interested in learning to serve? Any male who has received his First Communion and is at least 10 years old is welcome to join. Parents or men please email [liturgy@stanthonybuffalo.org](mailto:liturgy@stanthonybuffalo.org) to declare you or your child's interest and we will get you involved!

## URGENT NOTICE

*The new series of Church Envelopes are ready and waiting for you to take home. They are in the Church vestibule in alphabetical order. If yours is missing, call the rectory. If you donate through WeShare please take your box home so you have a parishioner ID.*

## MONTHLY DEVOTIONAL OUR LADY OF SORROWS

Since the 16th century Catholic piety has assigned entire months to special devotions. Due to her feast day on September 15, the month of September has traditionally been set aside to honor Our Lady of Sorrows. All the sorrows of Mary (the prophecy of Simeon, the three days' loss, etc.) are merged in the supreme suffering at the Passion. In the Passion, Mary suffered a martyrdom of the heart because of Our Lord's torments and the greatness of her love for Him. "She it was," says Pope Pius XII, "who immune from all sin, personal or inherited, and ever more closely united with her Son, offered Him on Golgotha to the Eternal Father together with the holocaust of her maternal rights and motherly love. As a new Eve, she made this offering for all the children of Adam contaminated through his unhappy fall. Thus she, who was the mother of our Head according to the flesh, became by a new title of sorrow and glory the spiritual mother of all His members."



Prayer:

**INVOCATIONS** Mary most sorrowful, Mother of Christians, pray for us. Virgin most sorrowful, pray for us.

**TO THE QUEEN OF MARTYRS** Mary, most holy Virgin and Queen of Martyrs, accept the sincere homage of my filial affection. Into thy heart, pierced by so many swords, do thou welcome my poor soul. Receive it as the companion of thy sorrows at the foot of the Cross, on which Jesus died for the redemption of the world. With thee, O sorrowful Virgin, I will gladly suffer all the trials, contradictions, and infirmities which it shall please our Lord to send me. I offer them all to thee in memory of thy sorrows, so that

every thought of my mind, and every beat of my heart may be an act of compassion and of love for thee. And do thou, sweet Mother, have pity on me, reconcile me to thy divine Son Jesus, keep me in His grace, and assist me in my last agony, so that I may be able to meet thee in heaven and sing thy glories. Amen.

**TO THE MOTHER OF SORROWS** Most holy Virgin. and Mother, whose soul was pierced by a sword of sorrow in the Passion of thy divine Son, and who in His glorious Resurrection wast filled with never-ending joy at His triumph; obtain for us who call upon thee, so to be partakers in the adversities of Holy Church and the sorrows of the Sovereign Pontiff, as to be found worthy to rejoice with them in the consolations for which we pray, in the charity and peace of the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

**IN HONOR OF THE SORROWS OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY** O most holy and afflicted Virgin! Queen of Martyrs! thou who didst stand motionless beneath the Cross, witnessing the agony of thy expiring Son--through the unceasing sufferings of thy life of sorrow, and the bliss which now more than amply repays thee for thy past trials, look down with a mother's tenderness and pity on me, who kneel before thee to venerate thy dolours, and place my requests, with filial confidence, in the sanctuary of thy wounded heart; present them, I beseech thee, on my behalf, to Jesus Christ, through the merits of His own most sacred death and passion, together with thy sufferings at the foot of the cross, and through the united efficacy of both obtain the grant of my present petition. To whom shall I resort in my wants and miseries if not to thee, O Mother of Mercy, who, having so deeply drunk of the chalice of thy Son, canst compassionate the woes of those who still sigh in the land of exile? Offer for me to my Savior one drop of the Blood which flowed

from His sacred veins, one of the tears which trickled from His divine eyes, one of the sighs which rent His adorable Heart. O refuge of the universe and hope of the whole world, do not reject my humble prayer, but graciously obtain the grant of my petition.

**TO OUR LADY OF SORROWS** O most holy Virgin, Mother of our Lord Jesus Christ: by the overwhelming grief you experienced when you witnessed the martyrdom, the crucifixion, and the death of your divine Son, look upon me with eyes of compassion, and awaken in my heart a tender commiseration for those sufferings, as well as a sincere detestation of my sins, in order that, being disengaged from all undue affection for the passing joys of this earth, I may sigh after the eternal Jerusalem, and that henceforward all my thoughts and all my actions may be directed towards this one most desirable object. Honor, glory, and love to our divine Lord Jesus, and to the holy and immaculate Mother of God. Amen. --Saint Bonaventure



### 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](http://stanthonybuffalo.org/subscribe) or scan the QR Code below.



## LADIES ALTAR SOCIETY

### CALLING ALL LADIES AGES 12+

We are asking ladies in the parish if they would like to learn how to clean/prepare altar linens & help clean church. Girls under 18 will need to do this under Mom's permission and watchful eye. It is a great opportunity to be a part of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass by preparing the very linens and taking care of the church used to hold Our Lord. This task would take place on a weekly rotation, involve collecting the linens, drying, ironing, and folding. Church cleanings would take place monthly. Moms or adult ladies please scan the QR code below to join the Signal Group.



## YOUNG ADULT GROUP

### CALLING ALL YOUNG ADULTS 18-40

Please join our Signal Group using the QR Code below to receive relevant events and updates for the Young Adult Ministry. Our goal is to have at least one event a month. The events will be various socials with spiritual talks, movie nights, and whatever else might be recommended by the group.



## SCHOLA & CHOIR

Can you sing? Do you want to sing for God? Join our schola or choir! Email [jkraft@stanthonybuffalo.org](mailto:jkraft@stanthonybuffalo.org)

## DONATE DIRECTLY TO THE ST. PHILIP NERI HOUSE

The Father & Brothers of the St. Philip Neri House do not receive direct financial support from the Diocese of Buffalo. We internally 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 Tyler is having trouble selling and we have approximately \$3k a month that has to go to that till 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. Currently we are looking at a deficit of \$1500 each month. Additionally, with the cost of the \$10k-15k move we really need help getting back even on the year. Please prayerfully consider supporting us. [www.spnhouse.org](http://www.spnhouse.org)

*\*All weekday sung Mass collections will go to our community.\**

