



ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

MASSES		INTENTIONS	CHURCH OFFICE
SUNDAY	CHRIST THE KING *SECOND COLLECTION FOR THE CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT (PER DIOCESE)* 24th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST	7:30 AM Ethel Henninger+ by Sue & Tim Cummings 9 AM Pamela DeFazio+ by Bonnie & Leonard DeFazio 11 AM (1) Salvatore Milazzo+ (2) Frank J. Balistreri+ (3) Lawrence J. Chirico+ (4) William A. Domedion+ (1) by Wife & Children (2) by McMicken Family (3) by Lisa M. Ratka (4) by Deborah & Robert Sweeney	PHONE: 716-854-2563 Saturday & Sunday: Closed Weekdays (Mon-Fri): 9 AM - 1 PM Closed on civic and religious holidays Pat Perfetto - Bookkeeper Mary Balistreri - Admin-Asst contact@stanthonybuffalo.org
	ST. CATHERINE OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGIN & MARTYR	For the Intentions of Genevieve Shoemaker by Godmother Amy	LITURGICAL SCHEDULE
	ST. SYLVESTER, ABBOT	In celebration of the Birthday of Genevieve Shoemaker by Parents	SUNDAY 7:30 AM Low 9 AM Sung 11 AM Italian WEEKDAYS: 6 PM Low SATURDAY: 8 AM Low Confessions 30 min. before each Mass
	MASS FOR PEACE	Anniversary of the Baptism of Genevieve Shoemaker by Parents	CANONICAL PASTOR & DEACONS
	VOTIVE OF ST. PHILIP NERI Thanksgiving Day Mass at 9AM	For the Intentions of Weston James & Gavin David McMicken by The McMicken Family	Fr. Raymond G. Corbin Dcn. Carmelo Gaudioso Dcn. Tom LaBelle
MON	VIGIL OF ST. ANDREW	Anniversary of the Baptism of Colin Shoemaker by Wife and Children	FATHER & BROTHERS OF THE ST. PHILIP NERI HOUSE
TUE	ST. ANDREW, APOSTLE (Missa Cantata)	For the Intentions of Marian Lily McMicken by The McMicken Family	Fr. Augustine Tran - Rector Br. Paul-Pierré Maturin - Sacristan Br. René LeMaire - Admin-Asst clergy@stanthonybuffalo.org
WED	1st SUNDAY OF ADVENT	7:15 AM Patrica Cummings+ by Sue & Tim Cummings 9:15 AM Michael Hogan+ by Michele & Mitch Staskiewicz 11:15 AM (1) John Sr. & Delores Palmisano+ (2) Livianna Collana & Maria DiSalvo+ (3) In Memory of Anna Maniscalco (1) Requested by Palmisano Family (2)Requested by Familia Collana (3) Requested by Angela & Joe Carlino	COLLECTION NOTICE The Collection for Sunday Nov. 17: \$3,514.00 E-Donations: \$196.00
THU	NEW MASS TIMES Sunday 7:15 AM Low, 9:15 AM Sung, and 11:15 AM Italian. Saturday Mass at 9 AM		
FRI			
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SAINT OF THE WEEK

St. Andrew, also known as Andrew the Apostle, was a Christian Apostle and the older brother to St. Peter. Much like his younger brother, Simon Peter, Andrew was also a fisherman. Andrew's very name means strong and he was known for having good social skills.

In the Gospel of Matthew, it is said Jesus was walking along the shore of the Sea of Galilee and saw Andrew and Simon Peter fishing. It is then he asked the two to become disciples and "fishers of men." However, the Gospel of John tells a separate story, stating Andrew was a disciple of John the Baptist. When Jesus walked by one day, John the Baptist stated, "Behold, the Lamb of God!" It is then that Andrew and another made the decision to follow Jesus.

Per Christian tradition, Andrew went on to preach the Good News around the shores of the Black Sea and throughout what is now Greece and Turkey.



It is believed Andrew requested to be crucified this way (on the X cross), because he deemed himself "unworthy to be crucified on the same type of cross as Jesus."

Andrew was martyred by crucifixion in Patras. He was bound, rather than nailed, to a cross, as is described in the Acts of Andrew. He was crucified on a cross form known as "crux decussata," which is an X-shaped cross or a "saltire." Today this is commonly referred to as "St. Andrew's Cross." It is believed Andrew requested to be crucified this way, because he deemed himself "unworthy to be crucified on the same type of cross as Jesus."

Andrew's remains were originally preserved at Patras, Greece. However, some believe St. Regulus, who was a monk at Patras, received a vision telling him to hide some of Andrew's bones. Shortly after Regulus' dream, many of Andrew's relics were transferred to Constantinople by order of Roman emperor Constantius II around 357. Regulus later received orders in a second dream telling him to take the bones "to the ends of the earth." He was to build a shrine for them wherever he shipwrecked. He landed on the coast of Fife, Scotland.

In September 1964, Pope Paul VI had all of St. Andrew's relics that ended up in Vatican City sent back to Patras. Now, many of Andrew's relics and the cross on which he was martyred are kept in the Church of St. Andrew in Patras.

EMERGENCY LINE

716-217-1913

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!

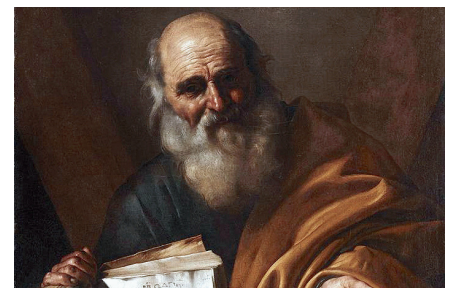


Events Coming Up...



THANKSGIVING MASS FOR PEACE

The Office is Closed Wed-Fri and Mass is at 9 AM on Thanksgiving Thursday!



SATURDAY MISSA CANTATA FOR ST. ANDREW, APOSTLE

At the new Mass time of 9 AM.

ALTAR BOY 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. Please email liturgy@stanthonybuffalo.org to declare you or your child's interest and we will get you involved!



OFFICE CLOSED

The church office will be closed Wednesday, Nov 27th - Friday Nov 29th for the Thanksgiving Holiday. The office staff wishes all the parishioners and friends of St. Anthony's a Blessed Thanksgiving.

Buone feste a tutte le parrocchiane e amici di Sant'Antonio.



SANCTUARY CANDLE

In November the Candle will be lit for Albert Booth and William A. Domedion. In December it will be lit for Mary & Albert Millanti, Mary & Frank Amato and their Deceased Family Members, and for Marie J. Sweeney.



PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF A SOUL



In your prayers please remember the soul of Mr. Stephen Hadrovic who was laid to rest from our church this past week. He died at the age of 95 on November 5, 2024. May his soul and all the souls of the dearly departed rest in peace Amen.



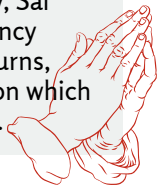
WANT TO BECOME CATHOLIC?

Contact the office at contact@stanthonybuffalo.org



PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Fr. Justus's Mother, 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, Alan Schadel, 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., Thomas Burns, L.Lilenthal as well as those intention which we hold in the silence of our hearts.



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.



Special Donation Opportunity...

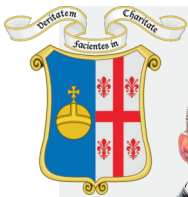


HOMELESS NEEDS

Some of you may have noticed that we have been helping out a homeless lady by the name of Chrissy. Thank you for your tremendous work in getting items! There is still a homeless help bin in the vestibule.

Notice Regarding Homeless: We recommend that you do NOT give cash as many of them are struggling with drug abuse. It is better to purchase for them food and store gift cards to places downtown. (They don't have a car so it needs to be in walking distance from our church or downtown.)

Please continue to be kind to them, say you are praying for them, and encourage them to meet with Br. René regarding their needs. He will make sure they are not abusing the good will of people and receiving what they need.



ADVENT MISSION WITH CANON HUBERFELD

Canon Huberfeld of the ICKSP will be here from Friday, December 13 - Sunday, December 15.

Friday December 13: 6 PM Low Mass & Adoration-Benediction

Saturday December 14: 6:30 AM Solemn High Rorate Mass followed by breakfast and talk in the Mother Cabrini Hall.

Sunday December 15: 9:15 AM Gaudete Mass, 5 PM Vespers followed by dinner and talk in the Hall.



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.

This coming SATURDAY NOV 30, after morning Mass is the info/training day.



SCHOLA & CHOIR

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

Email jkraft@stanthonybuffalo.org to declare your interest.



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. Currently we are looking at a deficit of \$1000 each month. Please prayerfully consider becoming a monthly donor. Thank you for your generosity thus far, the last two months were covered IN FULL. Scan the QR code or go to www.spnhouse.org.