



# ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

MASSES		INTENTIONS	RECTORY OFFICE
SUNDAY	31st SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME *Second Collection for Catholic University* 4th SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY	7:30 AM DAVID CUMMINGS+ by Sue & Tim Cummings  9 AM EARL HIGGS+ By Bonnie & Leonard DeFazio  11 AM MARIA A. PEREA+, CONNIE RUISI+, CONNIE PASCARELLA+ First by Jo Saia, Second by Josephine Saia & Family, Third by Enza & Tony Milioto	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
	REQUIEM (Missa Cantata)	ALBERT HUNTZ+ by Una Voce Buffalo	LITURGICAL SCHEDULE
MON	VOTIVE MASS FOR PEACE (Mass at 9AM & Office Closed)	INTENTIONS OF OUR COUNTRY by Una Voce Buffalo	SUNDAY
TUE	REQUIEM (Missa Cantata)	MARK FLEISCHMAN+ by Una Voce Buffalo	7:30 AM Low   9 AM Sung 11AM Italian
WED	REQUIEM (Missa Cantata)	CHARLOTTE JASKOLKA+ by Una Voce Buffalo	WEEKDAYS: 6 PM Low SATURDAY: 8 AM Low
THU	OCTAVE DAY OF ALL SAINTS	INTENTIONS OF EDNA SIMON by Amy McGuire	Confessions 30min. before each Mass.
FRI	DEDICATION OF THE ARCHBASILICA OF THE HOLY SAVIOR - ST. JOHN LATERAN	MARY ANN FRIEDMAN+ by Una Voce Buffalo	FATHER & BROTHERS OF THE ST. PHILIP NERI HOUSE
SAT	32nd SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME 5th SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY	7:30 AM INTENTIONS OF SUZANNE FINN by Richard May  9 AM INTENTIONS OF RONAN MCGUIRE by Mom & Dad  11 AM (1) CALOGERO, CALOGERA, & MARIA CAMPANELLA+, (2) ALBERT BOOTH+, (3) DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE SAIA, ODDO, & SCRIVANI FAMILIES  (1) by Gaetana & Carmelina Campanella (2) by Wife, Helen Booth (3) by Jo Saia & Family	Fr Augustine Tran - Rector Br. Paul-Pierré Maturin - Sacristan Br. René LeMaire - Admin-Asst clergy@stanthonybuffalo.org
SUNDAY			CANONICAL PASTOR & DEACONS
			Fr. Raymond G. Corbin Dcn. Carmelo Gaudio Dcn. Tom LaBelle
			COLLECTION NOTICE
			The Collection for Sunday, October 27th was: \$3,481.00  Second Collection was: \$416.00  E-Donations: \$501.00

# MONTHLY DEVOTIONAL

The month of November is dedicated to the Holy Souls in Purgatory. The Church commemorates all her faithful children who have departed from this life, but have not yet attained the joys of heaven. St. Paul warns us that we must not be ignorant concerning the dead, nor sorrowful, "even as others who have no hope ... For the Lord Himself shall come down from heaven ... and the dead who are in Christ shall rise.

The Church has always taught us to pray for those who have gone into eternity. Even in the Old Testament prayers and alms were offered for the souls of the dead by those who thought "well and religiously concerning the resurrection." It was believed that "they who had fallen asleep with godliness had great grace laid up for them" and that "it is therefore a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead, that they may be loosed from sins."

We know that a defiled soul cannot enter into heaven.

Purgatory is not eternal. Its duration varies according to the sentence pronounced at each particular judgment.

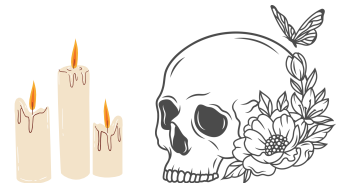
**"Eternal rest give to them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them."**

It may be prolonged for centuries in the case of the more guilty souls, or of those who, being excluded from the Catholic communion, are deprived of the suffrages of the Church, although by the divine mercy they have escaped hell. But the end of the world, which will be also the end of time, will close for ever the place of temporary expiation.

"By assisting them we shall not only give great pleasure to God but will

acquire also great merit for ourselves. And, in return for our suffrages, these blessed souls will not neglect to obtain for us many graces from God, but particularly the grace of eternal life. I hold for certain that a soul delivered from Purgatory by the suffrages of a Christian, when she enters paradise, will not fail to say to God: 'Lord, do not suffer to be lost that person who has liberated me from the prison of Purgatory, and has brought me to the enjoyment of Thy glory sooner than I have deserved.'" - St. Alphonsus Liguori

The Catholic, therefore, is jealous to expiate and suffer for the "poor souls," especially by offering the Eucharistic Sacrifice, wherein Christ's infinite expiation on the Cross is sacramentally represented, and stimulating and joining itself with the expiatory works of the faithful, passes to the Church Suffering according to the measure determined by God's wisdom and mercy.



## 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...



### SUNG REQUIEMS

On Monday (11/4), Wednesday (11/6), and Thursday (11/7) we will have sung Requiem Masses with Catafalque at our regular 6PM daily Mass.



### ANNUAL MONTEMAGGIORE BELSITO SOCIETY MASS

On Sunday, November 17 at the regularly scheduled 11 AM Italian Mass.

## 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. 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!



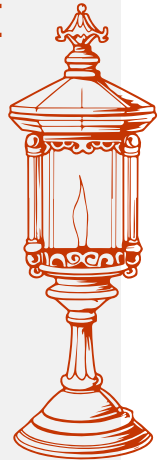
## WANT TO BECOME CATHOLIC?

Contact the office at [contact@stanthonybuffalo.org](mailto:contact@stanthonybuffalo.org)



## SANCTUARY CANDLE

The Sanctuary Candle is lit for for Albert Booth in the month of November.



## VOTE NO ON PROP ONE!

The "Equal Rights Amendment" is very broad and could have dangerous consequences if enacted. Areas of concern include limiting parental rights, the right to abortion on demand, possibly allowing males to participate in female sports and limiting protections on outreach and services provided by religious institutions. The NYSCCB has advised us to VOTE NO.



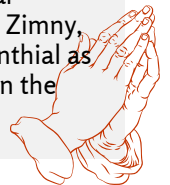
## ELECTION DAY ADORATION

Adoration from (after 9AM Mass) 10AM to 11PM on Tuesday, November 5th. Join us in praying for the country.



## PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Fr. Justus's Mother, Ryan Cavaretta, Ellen Schreier, Pat Miller, the Pierro-Gioeli-Montagna Families, Tina Licata, Grazia Giuliani, 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, Fr. Vincent Becker, Cody Beuce, 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.Lilenthial 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 Cancelations, Holiday Schedule, Sung Masses, Funerals, and other special events please go to [stanthonybuffalo.org/subscribe](http://stanthonybuffalo.org/subscribe) or scan the QR Code.



## Special Donation Opportunities...



### St. Gianna Molla Center Collection

Need Bottles (especially medium flow 3+ months), Bibs, Wash & Lotion, Diapers Size 1, Wipes, Clothing Sizes 3T/4T. See crib in vestibule.



### Little Flowers Girl Club Rural Outreach Collection

Collecting non-perishable canned food to donate to the ROC to assist meals for impoverished families. Check vestibule for sign and basket.



## THINKING ABOUT A VOCATION?

Interested in discerning with the St. Philip Neri House? One can discern to be a priest or lay brother. Declare your interest to the Father and Brothers either verbally or written so we can schedule a dinner visit. After the dinner visit, there is a week visit, then a month visit to determine if you fit in with the community.

Interested in joining the clergy in the Diocese of Buffalo? "You are a priest forever according to the order of Melchizedek." Priestly ordination lasts forever. Marriage is for this life only, which is why one can remarry after the death of a spouse. But a priest on earth remains a priest in Heaven. Find out more! Call Fr. Dave Baker at 716-847-5535 or visit [buffalovocations.org](http://buffalovocations.org)

## LADIES ALTAR SOCIETY

A great way to be a part of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass is by preparing the very 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!

Email [jkraft@stanthonybuffalo.org](mailto: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

**DONATE** ❤️



## 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 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 Texas is having trouble selling and we have approximately \$2.5k 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 \$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 QR code or go to [www.spnhouse.org](http://www.spnhouse.org).

