



16th Sunday After Pentecost & 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 13, 2026

ROMAN CATHOLIC ORATORY OF ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

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

MASSES		INTENTIONS	ORATORY OFFICE
T O D A Y	9/13 SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	7:15 AM In Thanksgiving for blessings received by The de Rosa Family 9:15 AM Ann Alvira-Buchnowski † by Husband Chris Buchnowski 11:15 AM (1) Salvatore Milazzo † by Wife & Children (2) Calogero, Calogera & Maria Campanella † by Gaetana & Carmelina Campanella (3) Anna Tischler † by Margherita Russo (4) Agnese and Mabel Perrella and Angela Ramos † by Claudio Perrella and Family	160 Court St. Buffalo, NY 14202 PHONE: 716-854-2563 Saturday & Sunday: Closed Weekdays (Mon-Fri): 9 AM - 1 PM Closed on civic and religious holidays Mary Atlas - Bookkeeper Mary Balistreri - Admin-Asst contact@stanthonybuffalo.org
	9/14 EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS (MISSA SOLEMNIS)	Diane Fucina † by Anthony Fucina	LITURGICAL SCHEDULE
	9/15 SEVEN SORROWS OF THE BVM (MISSA SOLEMNIS)	Gavin David McMicken by McMicken Family	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
	9/16 STS. CORNELIUS & CYPRIAN	Father Salvatore DeStefano by Marilyn Mostowj	THE ST. PHILIP NERI HOUSE
	9/17 IMPRESSION OF THE STIGMATA OF ST. FRANCIS (MISSA SOLEMNIS)	Pio Thomas Wright (Birthday) by Tom and Maria Wright	Fr. Augustine Tran - Rector Br. Paul Pierre Maturin - Sacristan clergy@stanthonybuffalo.org
	9/18 ST. JOSEPH OF CUPERTINO (MISSA SOLEMNIS)	Father Roger Kwan by Marilyn Mostowj	DEACONS
M O N T U E S D A Y	9/19 ST. JANUARIUS (MISSA SOLEMNIS)	Rev. Secondo Casarotti and Suora Maria Teresa Casarotto † by Friends	COLLECTION NOTICE
S U N D A Y	9/20 SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST Second Collection for Seminarian and Deaconate Formations TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	7:15 AM Alek Sajewski † by Marilyn Mostowj 9:15 AM Ann Alvira-Buchnowski † by Husband Chris Buchnowski 11:15 AM (1) Giuseppe Carlino † by Wife Angela and Family (2) Maria SS Del Soccorso (In honor of) by Nick Ingroa (3) Raymond V. Paolini, Sr. † by Richard May and Family (4) Maria Sicari Saia † by Luica and Mario Ballarin	Sunday, August 23: \$3,697.00 ONLINE: \$810.00

SAINT OF THE WEEK

ST. JANUARIUS

St. Januarius was a bishop who gave his life with his friends during a Christian persecution in the Roman empire. He is best known for a recurring miracle that involves his relics.

Two deacons and a layman were imprisoned after confessing their Christian faith. Januarius was good friends with one of the deacons, and he visited his friend in prison. Guards noticed, and he was arrested, along with another deacon and a layperson.

Januarius and his companions were all beaten, and made to wear iron chains and march in front of the governor's chariot. They were thrown into jail with the friends Januarius had originally visited.

The group of Christians were condemned to die by being thrown into an arena with wild beasts, but



“The blood of
the martyrs is
the seed of the
church”

when this was carried out, the beasts could not be enticed to attack. They were sentenced to beheading instead.

This account of Januarius and his companions comes down to us from tradition, and it is difficult to know if it can be trusted. Best guesses indicate he died sometime around 305; the saint seems to have been honored from the fifth century and after.

There is a unique veneration of Januarius' relics in Naples, where he was bishop. A vial of the saint's dried blood stands in a reliquary in a church dedicated to him. Several times a year, on dates that correspond to events in the saint's life and death, people observe the blood in that vial to liquefy, sometimes coming to froth and increase in volume. It is a miracle that has been examined carefully and no explanation has been found. In 2015, the blood liquified when Pope Francis made a visit, which was rare because it occurred outside of one of these special feast days.

Relics of St. Januarius rest in the reliquary chapel in the Basilica.

St. Januarius, you are the martyr with miraculous relics who died for your friends and your faith, pray for us!

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!



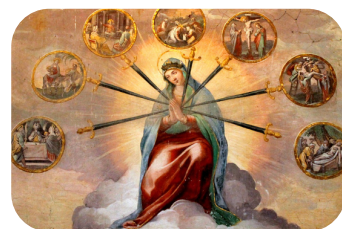
Events Coming Up...



EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

MISSA SOLEMNIS 9/14/26

There will be a Solemn Mass for the Exaltation of the Holy Cross on Monday, September 14 at the regular 6:00 pm Mass time.



SEVEN SORROWS OF THE BVM

MISSA SOLEMNIS 9/15/26

There will be a Solemn Mass for the Seven Sorrows of the BVM on Tuesday, September 15 at the regular 6:00 pm Mass time.

WANT TO BECOME CATHOLIC?

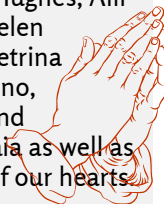
Contact Fr. Augustine at
atran@stanthonybuffalo.org



PLEASE PRAY FOR:

If you would like prayers for anyone in the hospital, end of life care, or in special need of prayers please call the rectory. When this time passes please call and request the name to be removed.

Stacy Donahue, Ellen Liszewski, Ryan Cavaretta, Ellen Schreier, Tina Licata, G.C. Barbara Gangi, Kira Ciupek, Judy Tasca, Helen Booth, Dan Minnick, Mary Whalen, Cody Beuce, Diana Wright, Bernadette Hughes, Nancy Zimny, Patty Stunmetz., L. Lilenthal, Patrick Hughes, Alli Urbanski, Eileen T., Russell Cirino, Mary K., Helen Schwendler, Karen Laurent, Christian Vinci, Petrina Roberts, Bill Booth, Joan Kern, Vincent LoJacono, Margaret Saia, Josette Saia, the Pierro, Gioli and Montagna Family, Alenka Heyer, Josephine Saia as well as those intention which we hold in the silence of our hearts.



SANCTUARY CANDLE

In September, the sanctuary candle is lit for Frances and Charles Saia † by Saia Family

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



FORTY HOURS DEVOTION

We will celebrate the 40 Hours Devotion again this year, beginning after the 6pm Mass on Thursday, September 17th, and ending on Saturday, September 19th, after the 12 noon Mass (there will be no 9am Saturday Mass). **We need 80 adorers to sign up (2 per hour) to ensure someone is always keeping Our Lord company.** Please visit the Adoration Portal and sign up.



STOP ABORTION PILLS

The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops have launched a nationwide campaign to stop the spread of the abortion pill.

Now through October, join the U.S. bishops in prayer and action in support of life!

Please use the QR code for resources:



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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 or scan the QR Code.



CHESTERTON ACADEMY EVENT

You are invited to the **Chesterton Barrel & Burn**. Join Chesterton for a wonderful evening in support of the Chesterton Academy students! Your ticket includes a BBQ dinner, beer, whiskey, and wine tastings. This event also features live music and entertainment and a cigar tent. Come enjoy great food, great company, and a good cause!

When: Saturday, October 10th at 6:30 PM

Where: Chesterton Academy, 5331 Genesee St, Bowmansville, NY
Tickets: Visit cabuffalo.org to purchase tickets or call 716/674-8101

Your support helps us form the next generation of joyful leaders and saints. We hope to see you there!



CHESTERTON ACADEMY
OF BUFFALO

FRANCISCAN JUBILEE YEAR



The Franciscan Jubilee Year 2026-2026 marks the 800 Anniversary of the Death of St. Francis of Assisi!

Join the Felician Sisters at Mass as they celebrate on Sunday, September 13, 2026 at 9:30 am and/or Sunday, October 4, 2026 at 9:30 am. The address: 600 Doat St., Buffalo, NY.

A plenary indulgence is granted to those who make a pilgrimage to a place of worship dedicated to St. Francis, participate in Mass and Eucharistic Communion, receive the Sacrament of reconciliation, and pray for the Pope.

PAPAL INTENTION

Papal intention for September: for the care of water...

Let us pray for a just and sustainable management of water, a vital resource, so that everyone may have equal access to it.



ST. ANTHONY OF BUFFALO

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To join the schola, please contact Jakob Kraft:
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