

THIS WEEK AT

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MASSES

SUNDAY MASSES:

SHRINE CHURCH - 7:00 & 10:30AM

PARISH CHURCH - 9:00, 10:15, 11:30AM,
12:45 and 7:00PM

SATURDAY MASS VIGIL:

PARISH CHURCH - 5:00PM

(Fulfills Sunday Obligation)

CONFESSIONS:

SHRINE CHURCH - Saturday 4:30-5:30pm

DAILY MASSES:

SHRINE CHURCH

6:30 & 9:00AM Monday ~ Friday

9:00AM ~ Saturday

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JULY 17, 2016

There's a lot of traveling, delivering, and visiting going on in our readings today. In Genesis Abraham cares for the needs of three mysterious travelers. The psalm responds, celebrating the kind of righteousness that Abraham practices. Then, in his letter to the Colossians, Saint Paul describes his own ministry as almost like a delivery service: he, God's steward, brings the word of God to their community. Finally, Luke's Gospel shares the well-known story of Mary and Martha, and the different ways they welcome Jesus into their home. Amid all this coming and going, we are invited to pay attention to the ways we tend to the needs of others. Each of us can ask, *How am I present to God and others in my life?*

JESUS CHRIST, SUPERSTAR

Imagine how you would feel if a very famous person asked you to stand right by her side during a highly publicized funeral. Calling on you in her time of greatest suffering and vulnerability, she asks you to share in her suffering. As media reports on the tragedy roll in, every photograph shows you standing side by side with your famous friend, grieving together. In the midst of sadness, you would probably feel honored to serve as such a close and trusted companion.

Jesus asks something like this from us. From time to time, the Lord asks us to accompany him in suffering. Often we postpone or reject the invitation, though, preferring health, security, and prosperity. God provides all good things, but here for a little while we are sometimes asked to suffer. And who asks us? Needy family members, people who are homeless, refugees drinking contaminated water, children with special needs, irritating coworkers—all of these people are stand-ins for Jesus, asking us to suffer with him.

Today's Readings: Gn 18:1-10a; Ps 15:2-5; Col 1:24-28; Lk 10:38-42 (Worship Pgs. 1156)

**ANNOUNCED MASSES FOR
SATURDAY, JULY 16**

PARISH CHURCH 5:00 PM
JULIA, ANDREW & ANTHONY TORRENTS

**ANNOUNCED MASSES FOR
SUNDAY, JULY 17**

SHRINE CHURCH 7:00AM
RUTH GIGLIO

PARISH CHURCH 9:00AM
LUCIANO & FIDIO IOVENITTI

PARISH CHURCH 10:15AM
AGNES MARZAN & ALEXANDER BALUYUT

SHRINE CHURCH 10:30AM
ANNA EGGMANN

PARISH CHURCH 11:30AM
MISSA PRO POPULO

PARISH CHURCH 12:45PM
PEDRO FRANCISCO

PARISH CHURCH 7:00PM
MARY & EDWARD FUHRAM

MONDAY

6:30 AM ALFRDO SAGARBARRIA
9:00 AM JULIE HENRICKSEN

TUESDAY

6:30 AM JOHN FETCHER
9:00 AM VICTOR & ELSA CARABALLO
(WEDDING ANNIVERSARY)

WEDNESDAY

6:30 AM JOHN J. ARMSTRONG
9:00 AM JOHN & EILEEN CUMMINGS

THURSDAY

6:30 AM ED CALINGASAN
9:00 AM TIMOTHY McDERMOTT

FRIDAY

6:30 AM MARIE C. SHINGLER
9:00 AM GLORIA FOTI & FAMILY

SATURDAY

9:00 AM BERSITO & CONDELLO FAMILIES
5:00 PM FRANK RIZZUTI

**ANNOUNCED MASSES FOR
SUNDAY, JULY 24**

SHRINE CHURCH 7:00AM
ANN RUBINO

PARISH CHURCH 9:00AM
PATRICK FAGAN

PARISH CHURCH 10:15AM
STANGL & TESARIK FAMILIES

SHRINE CHURCH 10:30AM
LUCY & TONY SCIARETTA

PARISH CHURCH 11:30AM
MISSA PRO POPULO

PARISH CHURCH 12:45PM
INEZ & LORENZO BARRERA & THERESA SZABADOS

PARISH CHURCH 7:00PM
LAURENCE MULCRONE

FAREWELL TO FR. FERNANDO

On Sunday July 31st after the 12:45 Mass we will be having a Farewell Party for Fr. Fernando in the School Gym. Please come and help us thank Father for his Ministry and Dedication to all of us here at St. Anthony's. He will be greatly missed.

BIBLE STUDY

St. Anthony's Bible Study will be starting up again on Thursday, July 28 and all Thursdays in August from 10:00am to 11:00am in the Rectory Living Room. Sr. Michelle McKeon will be the presenter and the study will be on the Epistles. All are welcome to attend. For more information call rectory office at 623-2138.

BECOMING A CATHOLIC

Is someone you know thinking about becoming a Catholic? Baptized in another denomination? Not baptized yet? St. Anthony's is currently holding information sessions on the RCIA [Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults] process for those thinking about joining our parish. Please call Barbara Peters at (845)598-1136 if you are interested.

ALL PARISHIONERS

Please notify the Rectory of any change of address. Your envelopes or any letters from the Parish will not get forwarded. Every parishioner should be registered. If you are not, we cannot serve you by issuing testimonial letters for the sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation. We cannot give recommendations or character references if we do not know you.

PARISH PAY

If you are interested in a new way to electronically contribute each week to St. Anthony's, you can sign-up with this new program. You may do so by visiting our website at www.thechurchofstanthony.com or calling 1-866-PARISH1.

PARISH ORGANIZATION LEADERS

LAST CALL-Request for Fall Schedule

Please submit your Fall Schedule to the Rectory, **as soon as possible**. Be sure to list all dates individually; starting and ending times; location requested; and a contact name and phone number. After all schedules are reviewed, you will be notified of any conflicts or adjustments. Please send your schedules; attention: Lucy, (Reminder: to use a facility at St. Anthony's, for a day or a season, a written request must be submitted and approved.)



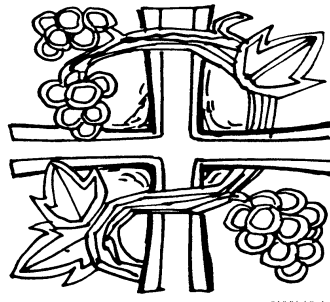
We pray for our country as we work through the current racial and police tensions. We pray for all the victims and their families in Louisiana, Minnesota, and Texas! Let us know that God is with us in this!

Fr. Fernando will celebrate the 12:45PM Mass on Sunday, July 31, 2016. After Mass, we will have a reception in the School Gym as he transitions to Our Lady of Consolation and St. Thomas Moore in NYC. Our primary Fr. Fernando Farewell Event will be in the Fall. We will have a meeting for those who would like to plan the Fall event on Wednesday, July 20th at 7:00PM in the Shrine Basement.

Fr. Ronelo Anung will be joining our parish family at the end of July and early August. He comes to us from Staten Island, New York. We welcome him to our Parish Family!

With Prayer and Gratitude, Fr. Jerry

TITHING NEWS: Last week our collection totaled \$17,980.50. Last year our collection totaled \$19,578.50. Thank you!



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BAPTISMS: First and Fourth Sundays of the month at 2:00 PM. Instructions for parents of children to be Baptized must be arranged with the Priests of the Parish. Only instructed Catholics should be invited as Godparents. A copy of the child's birth certificate is required when you meet with the priest.

CONFESSIONS: Saturday afternoon 4:30 - 5:30 PM in the Shrine Church.

MARRIAGES: Arrangements should be made at least six months before the marriage takes place.

SICK CALLS: Any time. Do not neglect to call a priest to a person seriously ill (while the person is conscious, if possible).

NOCTURNAL ADORATION: Each First Friday 7:00pm until 8:00pm in the Shrine Church.

NOVENAS: To St. Anthony: Tuesdays after the 9AM Mass; Miraculous Medal: Monday at 8PM in the Shrine Church.

HOLY HOUR - EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT, BENEDICTION: on Tuesdays from 7:00-8:00pm in the Shrine Church.

SOCIETIES:

BLESSED MOTHER'S SODALITY: Meeting on Monday after 3rd Sunday, at 7:30 PM in the School Cafeteria.

SHRINE TO THE UNBORN AT ST. ANTHONY'S - A Shrine to the Unborn is installed in St. Anthony's Shrine Church. The centerpiece of the shrine is an image of Our Lady of Perpetual Help. A Book of Life is enshrined there. Those who have suffered the loss of an unborn child, through stillbirth, miscarriage or abortion, or of a child who lived for just a short time, may have his or her name inscribed in the Book. If you wish to have an unborn child included; applications are available at St. Anthony's Church office 623-2138 between 8:30am & 3:30pm. There is no fee but donations will be received with gratitude.

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- MONDAY:** **MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA at 8:00pm in the Shrine Church.**
- TUESDAY:** **NOVENA TO ST. ANTHONY following the 9:00am Mass in the Shrine Church.**
HOLY HOUR from 7:00-8:00pm in the Shrine Church.
- WEDNESDAY:** **SENIOR CLUB MEETING from 12:00pm-3:00pm in the Shrine Church Hall.**
- FRIDAY:** **POLISH AMERICAN CREATIVITY SOCIETY FOR CHILDREN - from 6:00pm to 7:30pm**
in the School.
- SATURDAY:** **CONFESSIONS from 4:30 to 5:30pm in the Shrine Church.**
- NEXT SUNDAY:** **SECOND COLLECTION will be for Evangelization.**
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PRIEST - CELEBRANTS FOR JULY 23 & 24

SCHEDULE: <u>SATURDAY, JULY 23</u>		MASS SCHEDULE: <u>SUNDAY, JULY 24</u>	
CONFESSIONS:	4:30 -5:30PM FR. JERRY FR. FERNANDO	SHRINE CHURCH 7:00AM FR. CRESUS PARISH CHURCH 9:00AM FR. JOE PARISH CHURCH 10:15AM FR. JERRY SHRINE CHURCH 10:30AM FR. FERNANDO	
MASS SCHEDULE:	PARISH CHURCH 5:00PM FR. JOE	PARISH CHURCH 11:30AM FR. ED PARISH CHURCH 12:45PM FR. ED PARISH CHURCH 7:00PM FR. CRESUS	

As of July 8th 2016 our parish has received **\$138,673.00** in pledges/gifts toward the 2016 Cardinal's Appeal, from **391** families. For this Appeal to be truly successful, we must have the support of all of our families. The Appeal is a vital source of funding for the programs and ministries that sustain the parishes across our Archdiocese. Please be as generous as you can. Thank you for your kind support. ***Please consider giving if you have not already done so.*** Our parish goal is **\$153,500.00**.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The French Revolution is hardly a "treasure" in our story, yet in 1789 it began to dismantle the way the world was organized: feudalism. The collapsed society had three basic divisions: those who work, those who fight, and those who pray. There wasn't a great deal of movement among the ranks, yet one way to move out of the workers and the fighters was in the direction of the folks who prayed. These were the First Estate, the clergy.

One of the key persons in any manor or village was the priest. He could read, at least a bit, and so was the source for pronouncements and news from government and Church. He was assigned to celebrate the sacraments frequently and in conformance with certain rules.

Seminaries did not exist before the Reformation. Astute Protestant reformers then forced the Catholic world toward a more educated and able clergy. Before that, young men apprenticed with a priest to learn the essentials, and would be presented to the bishop for ordination. Other priests emerged from the university system, where students were required to be invested as clerics. Still others were monks, ordained not so much for ministry outside the monastic walls, but to offer Mass only for the intentions of the community's benefactors.

ST. ANTHONY PREP [Parish Religious Education Program]

Registration time is here again!

Registration forms for families who are already a part of PREP have already been mailed. **IF YOU ARE REGISTERING A NEW STUDENT**, you must register **IN PERSON** at the Religious Education Office between the hours of 10:00am and 1:00pm Monday through Thursday. Evening Registration will be on Wednesday August 10, 2016 from 7:00pm to 8:00pm at the PREP Office. If these hours do not work for you, please call the PREP Office to schedule an appointment.

THERE WILL BE NO NEW REGISTRATIONS ACCEPTED DURING THE FIRST WEEK OF CLASS NOR THE WEEK IMMEDIATELY BEFORE CLASSES BEGIN.

REGISTRATION FEE

One [1] child	\$170.00
Two [2] children	\$210.00
Three [3] or more children	\$240.00

If financial circumstances make it impossible to pay the registration fee in full, please do not let that prevent you from registering. Call us to make arrangements. The parish is always happy to extend this courtesy.

All families must be registered members of St. Anthony's Parish. Weekly Mass attendance at St. Anthony's with your child is a requirement. Parents/Guardians are the best and primary educators in their children's Catholic faith journey.

ALL NEW REGISTRANTS MUST BRING:

- Baptismal Certificate [unless baptized at St. Anthony's]. No registration is processed without it.
- For 3rd grade registrants and up, First Communion and First Penance records.
- For 2nd grade registrants and up, record of prior religious ed. program or Catholic school.

If you have any questions, please call the Religious Education Office [624-2230].

PRO-LIFE MASS

There is a Pro Life Mass celebrated every 1st Monday night of the month at 7:30pm at St. Francis of Assisi Church, 128 Parrott Road in West Nyack. The next Pro Life Mass will be on Monday, August 1st.

THE NATIONAL ALLIANCE ON MENTAL ILLNESS

If you have a family member or friend with mental illness...you are not alone. Come to a NAMI FAMILY – A Family Support Group Meeting on the first Wednesday of every month at 7:30pm at the Dr. Robert L. Yeager Health Center, Building F, Room 119, Sanatorium Road, Pomona, NY. For further information call 845-359-8787.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES COMMUNITY SERVICES

CCCSR is kicking off their 20 Year Anniversary with a fund raising campaign: Putting Lives Together “Brick by Brick.” By purchasing a brick you can help pave the way to “Meet the Need” in Rockland. Your pride will be permanently set and prominently displayed outside the Community Garden of Love. Your purchase will not only become a permanent part of the community garden, but will help us to continue to touch the lives of thousands of individuals and families living in Rockland. For more information on how to order your brick please visit us at www.ccsrockland.org or call Wilson Cadet/LuAnn Kelley at 845-942-5791.

SISTERS OF LIFE HOPE AND HEALING

Have you suffered an abortion? Experience God's love and mercy and begin the journey of healing. Please call the Sisters of Life at 866-575-0075 or hopeandhealing@sistersoflife.org. For men, call Theresa Bonopartis at Lumina: 877-586-4621 or email: Lumina@postabortionhelp.org.

FINANCIAL WRONGDOING HOTLINE

“The Archdiocese of New York takes the stewardship of your donations and its resources seriously. If you have knowledge of financial misconduct or suspect that it might be occurring, please report your concerns via a toll free hotline, at 877-820-0541, or on the internet, at <http://www.reportlineweb.com/ADNY>. Both are available 24 hours per day.”

WIDOW AND WIDOWERS CLUB

The Catholic Widow and Widowers club of Rockland County will be meeting on 7/17/16 at 6:30pm at St. Augustine's Church (downstairs). Dessert and coffee will be served. Guests are welcome. For information call Dotty at 845-623-1739.

H.A.N.D.S. (Healing and Nurturing Distraught Survivors)

H.A.N.D.S. sponsors a **BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP** for parents who have lost a child. It is facilitated by Ann Carucci, founder of H.A.N.D.S. who lost her son & daughter-in-law in a boating accident. Their bodies were never recovered. All groups meet from 6:30 to 8:00pm. The next meeting is July 19th and are held at International Headquarters, 9 Scott Drive, New City, NY 10956. Services are free of charge. Ann is also available for personal one-on-one counseling sessions.

H.A.N.D.S also now has a **WIDOWS AND WIDOWERS GROUP** facilitated by Ann Carucci, who lost her husband. These meetings are held every Monday at 9 Scott Drive, New City. For further information please contact Ann Carucci at 634-6706.

THE RACHEL MINISTRY

Every 20 seconds an unborn child is aborted in the United States. In the 30 years since Roe vs. Wade, the U.S. Supreme Court decision that legalized abortion on demand, the death toll has reached over 55 million. But the statistics do not document the other casualties: the mothers, fathers, grandparents and friends who are emotionally and spiritually affected. The Rachel ministry is a CONFIDENTIAL ministry for those scarred by abortion, miscarriage or stillbirth. Come and heal every third Monday of the month at the Marian Shrine in the Cafeteria Building in West Haverstraw, at 7:00pm. The next meeting is on July 18th. For more information call 845-429-2077 or the Marian Shrine at 845-947-2200.

THE FAMILY LIFE/RESPECT LIFE OFFICE IN COLLABORATION ENCOURAGE

ENCOURAGE is a Catholic Apostolate for those who have family members with same sex attraction. A new website has been created to help faithful who are searching for information about Encourage, the Church's teaching on same sex attraction and spiritual support: www.encourage.com.

ALBERTUS MAGNUS HIGH SCHOOL

Albertus Magnus High School is in need of a Theology teacher for the fall. If there are any interested candidates please send resume to Mr. Chris Power, Principal, Albertus Magnus High School at cpower@albertusmagnus.net.

DOMINICAN COLLEGE SUMMER SPORTS CAMPS

CO-ED Mini Skills Basketball August 16-18 (9-12:30Monday-Thursday, Fee \$125). Boys Basketball Camp July 18-22, August 1-5 & August 8-12 (Hours 9-3 Monday –Thursday and 9-1 Friday, Fee \$195). Girls Basketball Camp July 25-29 (Hours 9-3 Monday –Thursday and 9-1 on Friday, Fee \$195). Girls Softball Camp July 18-21, August 15-18 (Hours 9-1 Monday-Thurs, Fee \$195). For more information go to www.chargerathletics.com in camp section or contact campsandclinics@dc.edu. Local parish discounts available for all camps.

IONA ROCKLAND GRADUATE CENTER

An MBA Graduate Information Session will be held on Wednesday July 20, 2016 at 6:00pm at our campus located at 2 Blue Hill Plaza in Pearl River, NY. Please call 845-620-1350 or register online at ionaevents.org.

ST. PAUL-ANN BEREAVEMENT

Bereavement Support Group: A Time to Mourn...All those who have suffered the loss of a loved one are welcome to attend a 4-week Bereavement support group, at St Ann's church on Friday mornings from 10am-11:30am. Dates: July 22nd, July 29th, August 5th and August 12th. Various topics related to grieving will be discussed followed by sharing and prayer. Location: St Ann's school, enter through main entrance across the street from St Ann Church: 16 Jefferson Street, Nyack, NY. Parking in the school parking lot. Contact: Nancy Conroy at 845-642-7073.

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 17, 2016

It is [Christ] whom we proclaim,
admonishing everyone and teaching
everyone with all wisdom, that we may
present everyone perfect in Christ.

— *Colossians 1:28b*

