

THIS WEEK AT

# The Church Of St. Anthony

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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

## THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JANUARY 21, 2018

Simon and Andrew, James and John were working when Jesus called them. They immediately put down their nets and followed Jesus. Can you imagine? The disciples walked away from their previous way of life and toward another, in which Jesus and his way take precedence. They put aside anything that would stand between themselves and the life of discipleship. Jonah acted similarly—he perceived the Lord's call and responded without question. He literally walked a different path, toward Nineveh. No doubt, Saint Paul's own dramatic conversion was in his mind as he wrote to the community in Corinth. The path of discipleship is about holy perspective. Do not let anything stand between you and Christ.

### LEAVE BEHIND

Simon, Andrew, James, and John abandoned their nets and followed Jesus. The nets were their livelihood, the most important tools for their work as fishermen. For these first disciples, their nets represented all they knew life to be about, and all it could be. Yet they put the nets aside, risking an unknown future in order to "catch people" as Jesus promised. What do you need to leave behind? Most people will not be asked to give up their livelihood in order to answer Christ's call. Yet we certainly must abandon everything that prevents us from living our lives authentically as followers of Jesus. Sometimes we must let go of the life we know in order to embrace a living, compelling, meaningful life of faith in Christ. Prayerfully examine your faith and life. Is there attachment to material possessions? Are there relationships or feelings that prevent you from living and growing in faith? Is there a negative habit that gets in the way? Let go of what stands between you and the Lord. Invite God's healing presence, forgiveness, and mercy to transform the nets—all that holds you back—and risk answering Christ's call to discipleship. **Today's Readings: Jon 3:1-5, 10; Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; 1 Cor 7:29-31; Mk 1:14-20(Pgs.1116)**

**ANNOUNCED MASSES FOR  
SATURDAY, JANUARY 20**

**PARISH CHURCH 5:00 PM**  
ROSE GORGLIONE

**ANNOUNCED MASSES FOR  
SUNDAY, JANUARY 21**

**SHRINE CHURCH 7:00AM**  
IGNAZIO SAL BATTAGLIA & SALVATORE RANDAZZO

**PARISH CHURCH 9:00AM**  
PAUL OBIEKWE OKEKE

**PARISH CHURCH 10:15AM**  
TIMOTHY & ADELIN FITZGIBBON

**SHRINE CHURCH 10:30AM**  
ROBERT TABACO & PROSPERIDAD RODRIGUEZ

**PARISH CHURCH 11:30AM**  
MISSA PRO POPULO

**PARISH CHURCH 12:45PM**  
DAVID PASSOS

**PARISH CHURCH 7:00PM**  
ANGELA DOMINO

**MONDAY**

6:30 AM FR. JOE DeSANTO  
9:00 AM JOHN DUSZA

**TUESDAY**

6:30 AM FRANK RIZZUTI  
9:00 AM JOHN SCARPINO

**WEDNESDAY**

6:30 AM JOHN COSTELLO  
9:00 AM ANTHONY & EVELYN LONGOBARDO

**THURSDAY**

6:30 AM HANORAH BART  
9:00 AM TESS DIAZ DON

**FRIDAY**

6:30 AM COLM & MICHAEL McDERMOTT  
9:00 AM MATT CONDENO

**SATURDAY**

9:00 AM ANTHONY & LUCY SCIARETTA  
5:00 PM HAROLD TUREK

**ANNOUNCED MASSES FOR  
SUNDAY, JANUARY 28**

**SHRINE CHURCH 7:00AM**  
GEORGE ARAUJO

**PARISH CHURCH 9:00AM**  
SUSAN KILGALLON

**PARISH CHURCH 10:15AM**  
ROMAN STAFIEJ

**SHRINE CHURCH 10:30AM**  
FRANCES BARRETT & SUSAN SECKENDORF

**PARISH CHURCH 11:30AM**  
MISSA PRO POPULO

**PARISH CHURCH 12:45PM**  
ANTONIO TRENTILLA

**PARISH CHURCH 7:00PM**  
MICHAEL LYNN



**BLESSED MOTHER SODALITY**

The Blessed Mother Sodality will hold its next meeting on Monday, January 22nd at 7:30pm in the School Cafeteria. All woman of the Parish are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served.

**ST. ANTHONY'S YOUTH MINISTRY  
MARDI GRAS POTLUCK DINNER**

Come and celebrate Mardi Gras at St. Anthony's with our parish family on February 3rd at the St. Anthony's School Cafeteria after the 5pm Mass. Fun for the whole family – music, face painting, cotton candy, Nick the Magician, 50/50 raffle and more. Cost: free. Please bring an appetizer, salad, main dish or dessert in an aluminum half pan to share with our parish family. Sign up can be either by email at st.anthonys.yg@gmail.com or before or after the 5pm, 9am, 10:15am and 10:30am Masses on January 20 and 21.

**SENIOR CLUB MEETING**

There will be on senior meeting if temperature is 30° or lower - snowing or icy.

**BECOMING A CATHOLIC**

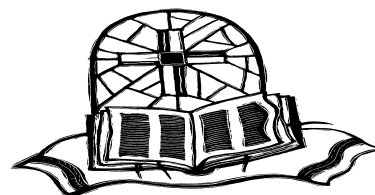
Is someone you know thinking about becoming a Catholic? Baptized in another denomination? Not baptized yet? St. Anthony's is currently holding information sessions on the RCIA [Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults] process for those thinking about joining our parish. Please call Barbara Peters at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

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 or LPI's number 1-800-950-9952 and dial 1 for "We Share Customer Support".





***We welcome Chris Bell from Good Counsel Homes to our Parish Family!*** We can as a Parish Family support his ministry of assisting women who are carrying a child and have no place to stay during the pregnancy. Chris and his dedicated staff provide access to education and job skills programs that help them to become independent in their futures! He has multiple homes. We thank God for his dedicated ministry!

Also, we remember those groups that provide positive programs which inculcate a deeper **“Respect for Life”** from conception to natural death! **Birthright of Rockland County & Rockland County Right to Life** do so much to support LIFE!

The **Sisters of Life** provide Retreat experiences for men and women involved in past abortions who wish to experience God’s Love, Mercy and Forgiveness. These are very powerful!

With Prayer and Deep Gratitude, Fr. Jerry

**TITHING NEWS:** Last week our collection totaled \$18,477.00. Last year our collection totaled \$19,091.00. Thank you!

### **HEATHER LEIGH COLON SCHOLARSHIP**

The Heather Leigh colon Scholarship applications will be available soon for 8<sup>th</sup> grade CYO basketball players who are planning to attend a Catholic High School in the fall of 2018. For further information kindly contact: Barbara Colon at 914-447-5782 or email [Hllesfund@gmail.com](mailto:Hllesfund@gmail.com). Mark Colon at 914-447-5962 email [mmcweathertite@aol.com](mailto:mmcweathertite@aol.com).



**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 and sponsor certificates for the Godparents are 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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**TODAY:** CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD at the 9:00 & 10:15am Masses will be for Kindergarten thru 4<sup>th</sup> Grade.  
JUNIOR CHOIR REHEARSAL from 2:00pm- 3:00pm in the Parish Church.  
YOUTH GROUP will meet at 5:15pm in Shrine Church Hall.  
SECOND COLLECTION will be for Good Council.

**MONDAY:** MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA at 8:00pm in the Shrine Church.  
BLESSED MOTHER SODALITY at 7:30pm in School Caf .

**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.  
P.R.E.P. Classes for 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> year students from 7:00 - 8:30pm.  
P.R.E.P. Classes for 8<sup>th</sup> year students ~ sign-in before 6:20pm (doors will be lock at 6:20pm).

**WEDNESDAY:** SENIOR CLUB MEETING from 12:00pm - 3:00pm in the Shrine Church Hall.  
P.R.E.P. Classes for 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> year students from 7:00 - 8:30pm.  
ADULT CHOIR REHEARSAL at 7:30pm in the Parish Church.

**THURSDAY:** NO BIBLE STUDY

**SATURDAY:** P.R.E.P. Classes for 1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> year students from 9:00 - 10:30am.  
CONFESSIONS from 4:30 to 5:30pm in the Shrine Church.

**NEXT SUNDAY:** CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD at the 9:00 & 10:15am Masses will be for Kindergarten thru 4<sup>th</sup> Grade.  
JUNIOR CHOIR REHEARSAL from 2:00pm- 3:00pm in the Parish Church.  
SECOND COLLECTION will be for Evangelization.

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### **PRIEST - CELEBRANTS FOR JANUARY 27 & 28**

<b>SCHEDULE:</b>		<b>MASS SCHEDULE:</b>	
<b><u>SATURDAY, JANUARY 27</u></b>		<b><u>SUNDAY, JANUARY 28</u></b>	
<b>CONFESSIONS:</b>	4:30 -5:30PM FR. JERRY FR. RONELO	SHRINE CHURCH	7:00AM FR. JERRY
		PARISH CHURCH	9:00AM FR. ED
		PARISH CHURCH	10:15AM FR. ED
<b>MASS SCHEDULE:</b>		SHRINE CHURCH	10:30AM FR. RONELO
PARISH CHURCH	5:00PM FR. CRESUS	PARISH CHURCH	11:30AM FR. JOE
		PARISH CHURCH	12:45PM FR. JOE
		PARISH CHURCH	7:00PM FR. CRESUS

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### **CATHOLIC TEACHER IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS ANNUAL RETREAT DAY**

The Archdiocesan Catechetical Office is sponsoring an Annual Retreat Day for Catholic Teachers in Public Schools on Saturday, February 3, 2018 from 9:00am to 1:30pm. Retreat includes Conference, Holy Hour & Liturgy, Refreshments and Lunch. It will be held at Maryknoll Fathers and Brothers 55 Ryder Road Ossining, NY 10562. If interested please mail check for \$25.00 a person to Regional Catechetical Office at 56 Dunston Ave, Yonkers, NY 10701. Please include name, email address, cell phone number, number of attendees, and name of attendees. Any questions call 914-965-0490 or email [Zelide.ceccagno@archny.org](mailto:Zelide.ceccagno@archny.org) or [Artisanmusician80@msn.com](mailto:Artisanmusician80@msn.com).

### **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](mailto:hopeandhealing@sistersoflife.org). For men, call Theresa Bonopartis at Lumina: 877-586-4621 or email: [Lumina@postabortionhelp.org](mailto:Lumina@postabortionhelp.org).



**CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK – January 28 – February 3**

As we celebrate Catholic Schools Week, we welcome you to see the wonderful things our Catholic Schools have to offer!

**Rockland Catholic Elementary Schools to host Open Houses on these dates:**

- Sacred Heart School (UPK, Pre K-8)** 60 Washington Avenue Suffern  
**Sunday, Jan 28, 10:15am – 1:00PM, Tuesday, Jan 30, 9-11AM**
- Saint Anthony School (PreK3 -8)** 34 West Nyack Road Nanuet  
**Tuesday, Jan 30, 9 – 11AM**
- Saint Gregory Barbarigo (UPK, PreK3 -8)** 29 Cinder Road Garnerville  
**Tuesday, Jan 30, 9-11AM**
- Saint Margaret School (PreK-8)** 34 North Magnolia Pearl River  
**Sunday, Jan 28, after Mass, Tuesday, Jan 30, 9-11AM, Feb. 1, 12:30 – 2pm**
- Saint Paul School (UPK, PreK-8)** 365 Kings Highway Valley Cottage  
**Tuesday, Jan 30, 9-11AM**

**REMAINING TOURING TUESDAYS: January 30, February 13, March 13, and April 24 from 9-11 am.**

Prospective families interested in applying for grades Pre-K 3 to Grade 8 can apply and learn about scholarships and financial assistance in several ways:

- online at [www.ApplyCatholicSchoolsNY.org](http://www.ApplyCatholicSchoolsNY.org)
- By phone at 646-794-2885
- In person, at the school of interest

To learn more about our faith-based Pre-K, Kindergarten or elementary school programs, visit [www.CatholicSchoolsNY.org](http://www.CatholicSchoolsNY.org) or call 646-794-2885 to speak with a Catholic School representative.

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**BUS TRIP TO K OF C MUSEUM IN NEW HAVEN**

On Saturday, Jan. 27, join the Triune Council #2052 and McCloskey Council #4565 of the Knights of Columbus (K of C) on a trip to the K of C Museum at their national headquarters in New Haven, CT. \$20 fee includes bus, museum tour, and exhibit, “Peace on Earth — Creches of the World.” Additionally, there is lunch for \$20. The day will include mass at St. Mary’s Church in New Haven, the church of Fr. McGivney, founder of the K of C. For information or reservations, please call Frank Traina at 201-248-0053 or Lou DiMauro at 914-391-8901.

**EMMAUS MINISTRY FOR GRIEVING PARENTS**

Losing a child under any circumstance is terrible. Focusing on the spirituality of the grieving process can help tremendously. **Emmaus Ministry: for parents whose children of any age have died by any cause.** Please join us. All are welcome. Saturday retreats offered throughout the Archdiocese in 2018. February 24: Church of the Magdalene, Sleepy Hollow (Westchester), 9:30 AM – 7:30 PM; April 28: St. Peter/St. Mary, Haverstraw **Spanish-language retreat** (Rockland), 9:30 AM – 8:00 PM; October 20: St. Francis of Assisi (Manhattan). 9:30 AM – 7:30 PM Cost: \$25 per person, \$40 per couple Includes breakfast, lunch, dinner. Scholarships are available. To register online, [www.emfgp.org/2018-archny](http://www.emfgp.org/2018-archny), or contact Sue DiSisto, Parenting and Family Life Education: [susan.disisto@archny.org](mailto:susan.disisto@archny.org) or (646) 794-3191

**ST. JOSEPH REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL PRESENTATION**

The **St. Joseph Regional High School** Award Winning Performing Arts Program presents **CURTAINS**, the whodunit musical comedy from the creators of Cabaret and Chicago, on the stage of the Inserra Theater at **St. Joseph Regional High School**, 40 Chestnut Ridge Road, Montvale, NJ. **Performance dates are:** Friday, January 26 at 7:00pm; Saturday, January 27 at 2:00pm and 7:00pm; Sunday, January 28 at 3:00pm; Thursday, February 1 at 7:00pm; Friday, February 2 at 7:00pm; and Saturday, February 3 at 2:00pm and 7:00pm. Tickets are \$23 & \$19 each. Our Senior Citizen Preview performance is Wednesday, January 24 at 3:00pm with unreserved seating and tickets will be sold at the door (\$5 each for seniors) for this performance. Students may purchase tickets online to the Thursday performance at \$15 with student identification provided at admission. Groups of 10 or more are eligible for a Group Discount of \$15 per ticket - contact [sjrtickets.com](http://sjrtickets.com).

**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 February 19, 2018. For more information call 845-429-2077 or the Marian Shrine at 845-947-2200.

**FORMED**

FORMED is an innovative online platform through which our parishioners can have access to a wide range of top-quality faith formation resources from Bishop Robert Barron, the Augustine Institute, Father Michael Gaitley, Lighthouse Catholic Media, and several others. It is an effective tool that can support your efforts in the areas of adult faith formation, sacramental preparation, youth ministry, marriage ministry and more. A number of Spanish-language resources are also available on FORMED, and new materials are being added regularly. With a parish subscription, every parishioner will have free access to a wide variety of video programs, movies, audio talks, electronic books, and downloadable workbooks, at any time and on any device with an internet connection. Our subscription has been extended for another year. We encourage new users to join. To access FORMED go to [formed.org](http://formed.org) and enter the St. Anthony's access code: W8GKWT

**OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE CANCER SUPPORT GROUP**

St. Aedan's Church hosts a cancer support group (Our Lady Queen of Peace csg) every second (2nd) Tuesday of each month (excluding inclement weather). Our facilitator is Margie and can be reached at any time by phone at 845-323-9665, text or email ([sjems7@gmail.com](mailto:sjems7@gmail.com)). We meet at 7pm in the parish meeting room. This horrific disease affects more than the cancer warrior - it affects all those around them. The group is opened to victims, survivors, family members, friends or anyone who is hurting because of this dreadful disease.

**XAVIER SOCIETY FOR THE BLIND**

With an existing catalog of over 1,400 braille and audio titles, Xavier Society for the Blind provides inspirational, spiritual and religious reading materials in braille, audio and/ or large print to the blind and visually impaired community of faithful free of charge. If you know of a family member, friend or fellow parishioner who could benefit from our services please: visit our website-[xaviersocietyfortheblind.org](http://xaviersocietyfortheblind.org) or email us at [info@xaviersocietyfortheblind.org](mailto:info@xaviersocietyfortheblind.org) or call 800-637-9193.

**REPORTING ABUSE**

Anyone who needs to report an alleged incident of sexual abuse of a minor by priest, deacon, religious or lay person serving in the Archdiocese of New York is asked to contact Sr. Eileen Clifford, O.P. at 212-371-1000 x2949. Sister may also be reached via e-mail at [victimassistance@archny.org](mailto:victimassistance@archny.org). Information can also be found on the Archdiocesan website, [www.archny.org](http://www.archny.org). In keeping with the Archdiocesan policy regarding sexual abuse of minors, this information is provided to ensure that our children remain safe and secure.

**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."

**ST. JOSEPH'S SEMINARY**

Eucharistic Adoration Seminar at St. Joseph's Seminary (Yonkers) on Friday, February 16, at 7pm. Presentation by James Monti, Author of "Praying in the Presence of Our Lord". More information and registration: [nyliturgy.org/workshops](http://nyliturgy.org/workshops). Contact: [liturgy@archny.org](mailto:liturgy@archny.org) or 914.968.6200, x8177.

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**REQUEST FOR YEAR END STATEMENT**

If you wish to receive a statement for your contributions for the year 2017, please fill in all the information below. You may mail it to the rectory, drop it in the collection basket or e-mail it to: [stanthonys.church@verizon.net](mailto:stanthonys.church@verizon.net).

We will gladly mail one out to you **as soon as they become available.**

**St. Anthony's Church, 36 West Nyack Rd, Nanuet, N.Y. 10954, Attn: Contribution Request  
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