ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

OVER A CENTURY OF FAITH & SERVICE

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PARISH OFFICE

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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday – Thursday 9:00am - 2:00pm

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PARISH REGISTRATION:

Please use registration forms in the back of church. Return completed forms to the friary. WELCOME!

THE ROARKE CENTER

107 Fourth Street, Troy 273-8351 An outreach for people in Troy; offering its members crisis intervention and advocacy.

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Saturday 4:30 pm Sunday 9:00 am 12:00 pm

DAILY MASS

Monday – Friday 7:15am

HOLY DAY MASSES

Holy Days will be announced in bulletin

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 3:30-4:00pm in Church or by appointment in the Friary

PASTORAL CARE

Please call to arrange for pastoral visitation including Anointing of the Sick and Communion calls to the hospitalized and homebound.

BAPTISM

Please call to schedule Baptism.

MARRIAGE

Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance. Couples must attend a one- day Pre-Cana Marriage Preparation program.

ROSARY

JOIN US FOR THE ROSARY LIVE ON FACEBOOK OR IN PERSON EVERY WEDNESDAY AFTER DAILY MASS

The mission of St. Anthony of Padua Church

is to minister spiritually, sacramentally and physically to all who enter our doors.



6^h Sunday of Lent Palm Sunday Apríl 12-13, 2025

Saturday, April 12th

4:30 Ray Skiba – wife, Sue and sons
Charles Hewitt – wife, Linda
Ricky Fulgan – Tim & Mary Lou Doney
Mary Marble – Tom & Maureen LaLiberte

Sunday, April 13th Palm Sunday

9:00 Ciarlone & Riley Families – Ralph & Frank Saverio & Jean Valenti (Anniv) – Family Regina Deprota – Matthew & Angela Hallett Serafina Calacone Cacchiotti (B'day) – Steve Calacone

12:00 Mary Agnes Early Judy "Liza" Angley – *Christine Pomykacz*

Monday, April 14th

7:15 Mary Marble – *Steve Calacone*

Tuesday, April 15th

7:15 Int. of Richard Jacques (B'day) – *Family* Mass of Thanksgiving

Wednesday, April 16th

7:15 Perry Spain, Sr. (B'day Rem) - Family

Thursday, April 17th Holy Thursday **6:00 pm** The Lord's Supper

Friday, April 18th Good Friday **12:00 pm** Stations of the Cross **3:00 pm** The Passion of the Lord

Saturday, April 19th Holy Saturday **7:30 pm** Easter Vigil

Sunday, April 20th Easter Sunday

9:00 Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord
12:00 Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

Saint of the Day for April 19 (Oct. 4, 1922 - April 28, 1962)

In less than 40 years, Gianna Beretta Molla became a pediatric physician, a wife, a mother and a saint!



She was born in Magenta near Milano, the tenth of Alberto and Maria Beretta's 13 children. An active member of the St. Vincent de Paul Society and a leader in the Catholic Action movement, Gianna also enjoyed skiing and mountain climbing. She earned degrees in medicine and surgery from the University of Pavia, eventually specializing in pediatrics. In 1952, Gianna opened a clinic in the small town of Mesero, where she met engineer Pietro Molla.

Shortly before their 1955 marriage, Gianna wrote to Pietro: "Love is the most beautiful sentiment that the Lord has put into the soul of men and women." In the next four years the Mollas had three children: Pierluigi, Mariolina, and Laura. Two pregnancies following ended in miscarriage.

Early in her final pregnancy, doctors discovered that Gianna had both a child and a tumor in her uterus. She allowed the surgeons to remove the tumor but not to perform the complete hysterectomy that they recommended, which would have killed the child. Seven months later in April 1962, Gianna Emanuela Molla was born at the hospital in Monza, but post-operative complications resulted in an infection for her mother. The following week Gianna Molla died at home, and was buried in the cemetery of Mesero.

Gianna Emanuela went on to become a physician herself. Gianna Beretta Molla was beatified in 1994 and canonized 10 years later. Her liturgical feast is celebrated on April 28.

Reflection; With great faith and courage, Gianna Molla made the choice that enabled her daughter to be born. We can often wish that we were in different circumstances, but holiness frequently comes from making difficult choices in bad situations. (www.franciscanmedia.org)

Prayers for Our Sick: Please pray for the sick of our parish family: Willie Feliciano, Glenn Anthony Reiniger, Pat Bond, Jim McPhillips, Madeline Kilcullen, Steve Bouchey, Rami Shehadeh and for all those in need of our prayers and support.

Parish Council Lottery Tree

Raffle Tickets sales begin Saturday, April 26th for the Lottery Ticket Tree sponsored by the Parish Council. Winning ticket will be drawn on June 8th



Parish Offerings April 5-6, 2025

Mass Time	Collection		
4:30 pm	\$ 823.00		
9:00 am	\$ 531.00		
12:00 pm	\$ 588.00		
Mailed In	\$ 216.00		
Total Offerings:	\$ 2158.00		

Budgeted Weekly Collection: \$ 3077.00Total weekly donations: \$ 2158.00Amount under budget: (\$919.00)

Monthly: \$1069 Easter: \$25

Candles: \$218.46 Building Repairs: \$30

Holy Thurs: \$30 Good Fri.: \$30

Counters for Monday, April 14th

Margaret F., Kathy P., Steve C.

LIVE STREAMING MASS

Sunday liturgy is available on **YouTube** at @StAnthonyofPaduaTroy A **link is on our** webpage **to easily access our YouTube channel.**

SAVE THE DATE <u>Diocese of Albany -- Step Up Men's</u> Conference 2025

The Diocese of Albany is hosting the Step Up Men's Conference on Saturday, August 9 from 8:15 AM to 3:30 PM at St. Edward the Confessor Church in Clifton Park.

The Step Up Men's Conference will give men the tools needed to grow in holiness in their everyday lives. The event will include presentations from Deacon Harold Burke-Sivers and Fr. James Walsh, Reconciliation, Mass, Adoration, Rosary, refreshments, and lunch.

The early registration cost is \$45 per person until July 31 and includes lunch. College age and younger men are FREE, but must register.

For more information and registration: https://www.rcda.org/StepUp



Holy Thursday, April 17th

6:00 pm Mass of the Lord's Supper Exposition until 9:00 pm (concluding with Evening Prayer)

Good Friday, April 18th

12:00 pm Stations of the Cross 3:00 pm The Passion of the Lord

Holy Saturday, April 19th

7:30 pm Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday, April 20th

Mass of the Resurrection 9:00 am and 12:00 pm

INDIVIDUAL CONFESSIONS

There will be the opportunity for private confessions on Wednesday, April 16th from 5:00-6:00pm in church.

Parish Schedule for Easter Holiday

The parish office will be closed Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Monday ~ There will be no 7:15 am Daily Mass on those days. Have a Happy Easter!

NEWMAN MINISTRY: Eighty percent of students stop practicing faith in college. Help your high school and college students stay connected. The Newman Ministry will invite them to practice wherever they are and connect them to other Catholics on campus. Connect your student at: **NewmanMinistry.com**



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