

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

OVER A CENTURY OF FAITH & SERVICE

Served by the Order of Friars Minor (The Franciscans) since 1926



PARISH OFFICE

28 STATE STREET, TROY, NEW YORK 12180

PHONE: 518-273-8622 FAX: 518-273-2731

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday – Thursday 9:00am - 2:00pm

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Saturday 4:30 pm

Sunday 9:00 am

12:00 pm

PARISH WEBSITE & EMAIL

parishes.rcda.org/stanthonyofpadua

SAPTroy@rcda.org

DAILY MASS

Monday – Friday 7:15am

HOLY DAY MASSES

Holy Days will be announced.

PASTORAL STAFF

Fr. Richard Donovan, OFM – Pastor

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RECONCILIATION

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

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Clement Campana – Council President

PASTORAL CARE

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

PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE

Margaret Fitzgerald – Committee Chair

BAPTISM

Please call to schedule Baptism.

PARISH TRUSTEES

Margaret Fitzgerald, Dr. John O'Bryan

MARRIAGE

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

PARISH REGISTRATION:

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

ROSARY

JOIN US FOR THE ROSARY

LIVE ON FACEBOOK OR IN PERSON

EVERY WEDNESDAY AFTER DAILY MASS

THE ROARKE CENTER

107 Fourth Street, Troy 273-8351

An outreach for people in Troy; offering its
members crisis intervention and advocacy.

*The mission of St. Anthony of Padua Church
is to minister spiritually, sacramentally and physically to all who enter our doors.*



Divine Mercy Sunday

April 26-27, 2025

*Give thanks to the Lord for he is good,
his love is everlasting*

Saturday, April 26th

4:30 David & Lydia Skiba – *Family*
Dorothy Moon – *Tom & Maureen LaLiberte*
Ed & Mary Zavis – *Marie & Linda*
Mary Marble – *Marie & Chuck McGinniss*

Sunday, April 27th *Divine Mercy Sunday*

9:00 Carole DeGiorgio – *Family*
Nadine Pasinella Wedro – *Family*
Mary & Ted Potenza – *Children*
Ricky Fulgan – *Vivian Stuart*

12:00 Michael Caluccio (B'day Rem) -*Grandparents*

Int. of Parish Members – *Sylvia Rooney*
Judy "Liza" Angley – *Aliceann Flynn*
Int. Lorraine Jacques (B'day) – *husband,
Richard*

Monday, April 28th *St. Peter Chanel*

7:15 Pope Francis RIP

Tuesday, April 29th *St. Catherine of Siena*

7:15 Int. of Lorraine Jacques (B'day) – *Children*

Wednesday, April 30th *St. Pius V*

7:15 Rev. Thomas W. Griffith SVD – *Peg Gulliver*

Thursday, May 1st *St. Joseph the Worker*

7:15 Mary Romano – *Marianne Dabkowski*

Friday, May 2nd *St. Athanasius*

7:15 Deceased Members of the Farano Family

Saturday, May 3rd *Sts. Phillip & James*

4:30 Ray Skiba – *wife, Sue & sons*
Dr. Ferdinand Haverly – *Family*
Charles Hewitt – *wife, Linda*
Rose DelSignore – *daughters, Marie & Linda*

Sunday, May 4th

9:00 Antoinette Yamin (Anniv) – *Family*
George & Peggy Hallett – *Matthew & Angela*
Maryann Julian (B'day Rem) – *Family*
Liza Angley – *Deacon Chuck & Dolores
Wojton*

12:00 Joseph Rooney – *wife, Sylvia*
Edward Washock – *Frank Debboli & Family*

St. of the Day for April 28th

Saint Peter of Chanel

(1803 – April 28, 1841)



Anyone who has worked in loneliness, with great adaptation required and with little apparent success, will find a kindred spirit in Peter Chanel.

Born in France, Peter's interest in the missions began in school, when he read letters missionaries to America sent back home. As a young priest, Peter revived a parish in a "bad" district by the simple method of showing great devotion to the sick. Wanting to be a missionary, he joined the Society of Mary, the Marists, at 28. Obediently, he taught in the seminary for five years. Then, as superior of seven Marists, he traveled to Western Oceania. The bishop accompanying the missionaries left Peter and a brother on Futuna Island northeast of Fiji, promising to return in six months. He was gone five years.

Meanwhile, Peter struggled with this new language and mastered it, making the difficult adjustment to life with whalers, traders, and warring natives. Despite little apparent success and severe want, he maintained a serene and gentle spirit, plus endless patience and courage. A few natives had been baptized, a few more were being instructed. When the chieftain's son asked to be baptized, persecution by the chieftain reached a climax. Father Chanel was clubbed to death.

Within two years after his death, the whole island became Catholic and has remained so. He was canonized by Pope Pius XII in 1954. Peter Chanel is the first martyr of Oceania and its patron.

Reflection: *Suffering for Christ means suffering because we are like Christ. Very often the opposition we meet is the result of our own selfishness or imprudence. We are not martyrs when we are "persecuted" by those who merely treat us as we treat them. A Christian martyr is one who, like Christ, is simply a witness to God's love, and brings out of human hearts the good or evil that is already there.*

Dear Parishioners:

Many thanks to those who helped decorate the church for Holy Week and Easter and to the many who donated to the Easter Flower envelopes. The list of donors has been emailed to you and paper copies are available in the vestibule.

Fr. Primo ofm and I are grateful for the cards and goodies sent to us this Holy Season. We hope you enjoyed a blessed day with your families.

Also, it is with gratitude that I also thank you for your generous offerings to the Easter collection. Through your goodness, we have well-exceeded our budgeted Easter amount for this year.

God Bless, Fr. Richard ofm

Parish Offerings

April 19-20, 2025

| Easter Mass Time | Collection |
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| 7:30 pm Vigil | \$ 951.00 |
| 9:00 am | \$ 2410.00 |
| 12:00 pm | \$ 1248.00 |
| Mailed In Easter | \$ 610.00 |
| Total Offerings: | \$ 5219.00 |
| Easter Offering received prior | \$ 345.00 |

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| Budgeted EASTER Collection: | \$ 4500.00 |
| Total Easter collection to date | \$ 5564.00 |
| Amount <u>over</u> budget to date | \$ 1064.00 |

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| Monthly: \$1030 | Weekly Offertory: \$430 |
| Candles: \$347.45 | Building Repairs: \$50 |
| Holy Thurs: \$589 | Good Fri.: \$462 |
| Easter Flowers: \$55 | BLNA: \$25 |
| Catholic Relief Services: \$35 | |

Counters for Monday, April 28th

Vivian S., Bernie B., Paul A.

LIVE STREAMING MASS



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

SAVE THE DATE

Diocese of Albany -- Step Up Men's 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, 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.

<https://www.rcda.org/StepUp>



Roman Catholic Diocese of Albany invites you to attend a Memorial Mass for Pope Francis to be held at the **Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception on Divine Mercy Sunday, April 27, 2025, at 5p.m.** *"Let us come together in prayer, as a family in faith, to celebrate the Pope's life and the hope that his example continues to bring to each of us."* Bishop Edward B. Scharfenberger

Global Catholic Network Channel EWTN: Throughout this period of official Church mourning leading up to the funeral of the Pope, EWTN will pre-empt its regular schedule to offer exclusive programming, including live coverage from the Vatican, prayers and a variety of specials highlighting the life of Pope Francis. In coming weeks, as the Church transitions into the Papal election process and eventually the announcement of a new Pope, you can log onto www.ewtn.com for up-to-date news, programming announcements and to watch live broadcasts.

Pray for the repose of the soul of
Patrick Razzano
whose funeral will be held
at St. Anthony's on May 19th.
May he rest in peace, Amen



*The Sanctuary Lamp,
Altar Wine, and Altar
Bread are being offering
in loving memory of
Nicholas Ciannamea*



Please note: The broadcast of **Blessed Carlo Acutis' Canonization** in Rome -originally scheduled for April 27th - has been temporarily suspended due to the death of Pope Francis.

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| <p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF THE DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE FRANCESE FAMILY <i>WE MISS YOU,</i> From the Lupe Family</p> | <p>IN MEMORY OF <i>"TROY'S FINEST & BRAVEST"</i> <i>TROY P.D. & TROY F.D.</i> MAGNETTO FAMILY <i>Never Forget</i></p> | <p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE THORPE FAMILY We will never forget sons Bob & John</p> |
| <p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF JOSEPH FARRON, SR. YOU'RE STILL WITH US EVERY DAY <i>Love, The Family</i></p> | <p>GRETHEN-CAHRENGER MEMORIALS MONUMENTS MARKERS LETTERING 58 114th Street, Troy, NY 518-235-3312</p> | <p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF DAVID M. SKIBA & MOTHER, LYDIA SKIBA By the Family</p> |
| <p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF THE VALENTI & PEREZ FAMILIES <i>Peace and Love.</i> Valenti & Perez Families</p> | <p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF JAMES VINCENT COCCA <i>LOVE AND MISS YOU, WIFE, CHERYL & CHILDREN</i></p> | <p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF JOHN, MARY & MARGARET DeLORENZO PATRICK & KATHRYN MACKEY ANTHONY & JOSEPHINE RAZZANO</p> |
| <p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF ROTHERHAM, MOSHER KENNEDY & ZULLO FAMILIES <i>By Family</i></p> | <p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE STUART & LECLAIR FAMILIES by Vivian Stuart</p> | <p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF JOSEPH & MARYANN JULIAN <i>We LOVE AND MISS YOU</i> Love Forever, Your Family</p> |
| <p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF CHARLES HEWITT LOUIS, ROSE, LORRAINE & LOUIS J. DELSIGNORE MARY & ED ZAVIS <i>Love and Miss you, Linda & Marie</i></p> | <p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF THE BEVEVINO & VALENTE FAMILIES <i>With love,</i> <i>Mary Valente Bevevino</i></p> | <p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF THE DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE FILES, FULGAN, PERFETTI, PATERNIANI, DAYTON & MURRAY FAMILIES</p> |
| <p>ST. PETER'S CEMEMETERY FOUNDED 1858 OAKWOOD AVENUE, TROY NY GRAVES AVAILABLE FOR SALE 518-273-8622</p> | <p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF BRENDA "NANA" RYAN NANCY "NINEE" RYAN J. PAUL "POPIE" RYAN Love, Chris & all the Children</p> | <p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF THE FITCH, HEFFERN & FISK FAMILIES <i>LOVE, MARY & CHILDREN</i></p> |
| <p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF THE <i>Colarusso-Cioffi</i> & <i>Kazmierczak-Kolach</i> <i>Families</i></p> | <p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF THE DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE LAFONTAINE, LAPINE & GELINEAULT FAMILIES Barbara Bellantoni</p> | <p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF MARIO R. & ROSE M. JULIAN <i>LOVE, YOUR FAMILY</i></p> |
| <p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF THE DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE CALACONE FAMILY WE LOVE AND MISS YOU, SON, STEVE & GRANDSON, FRANK</p> | <p>DeFazio's Pizza & Deli <i>Homemade Italian Foods & Catering</i> 518-271-1111 518-274-8866 264-266 4th Street Troy, NY 12180</p> | <p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF MARGARET & FRANK J. MILANESE <i>SONS: JOHN F. & MICHAEL F.</i> <i>GRANDSONS: FRANK M. & JOHN M.</i> <i>FRIENDS: MARY & NICK CONSUELA</i> <i>SHALOM, MARGE MILANESE</i></p> |
| <p>St. Augustine's Adoration Chapel 25 115th Street, Lansingburgh OPEN DAILY 8:00AM-8:00PM Visit and experience the Power of the Eucharistic</p> | <p>LIVE BETTER ELECTRICALLY with ERIC KNIELE 518-273-5638 or 518-528-1306 Fully Licensed & Insured</p> | <p>Lazzaro's Autobody, Inc. 24 Hour Towing Insurance Claims & Estimates Complete Collision Service Uni-body Repairs 518-273-6500 60 Arch Street, Green Island, NY 12183</p> |
| <p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF CHRISTI J. HANSEN WE LOVE & MISS YOU, CHARLIE & ANDREW LOGGI</p> | <p><i>Wm. Leahy</i> Bocketti Funeral Home Inc. Since 1853 Funeral Home Family Owned Operated by Leahy Bocketti Harasymiak LLC 336 3rd Street Troy, NY 12180 518-272-3541 518-274-4710</p> | <p>MARK HAEGELE QUACKENBUSH & HAEGELE Plumbing Heating A/C Refrigeration (518) 235-3465 <i>323 Fifth Avenue, Troy 12182</i></p> |



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