

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

OVER A CENTURY OF FAITH & SERVICE

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

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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.

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.



**14th Sunday in
Ordinary Time
July 5-6, 2025**

Let all the earth cry out to God with joy

Saturday, July 5th *St. Anthony Zaccaria, St. Eliz. of Portugal*

4:30 John D. Boudreau – *Myron & Darlene Susko*
Angeline Cwenar
Patrick Razzano – *Linda Hewitt*
Dolores & Bernadette – *sister, Marcia*

Sunday, July 6th

9:00 Charles Donald Alund -*Bill & Rosemary Fagan*
Int. of Tom Reilly – *Paul & Mary Ann Kehn*
Barbara Mamone – *Mary Bevevino*

12:00 Int. of Family Members – *Sylvia Rooney*
Thomas Fitch (B'day Rem) – *wife, Mary*
Gen Heffern (B'day Rem) – *daughter, Mary*
Int. Colleen LaRose – *mother, Helene*

Monday, July 7th

7:15 Madelon F. McNulty (Anniv) - *Family*

Tuesday, July 8st

7:15 Kori Jones – *E. Stewart Jones*

Wednesday, July 9th *St. Augustine Zhao Rong*

7:15 Fr. Regis Gallo, ofm

Thursday, July 10th

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Friday, July 11th

7:15 For the People of the Parish

Saturday, July 12th

4:30 David & Lydia Skiba – *Family*
Charles Hewitt – *wife, Linda*
John Boudreau – *Nancy Heffern*
Patrick A. Razzano – *Theresa Files*

Sunday, July 13th

9:00 Rocco & Saverio Valente – *Mary Bevevino*
Bud & Joyce Bessette – *Lynn & Mike Bessette*
Barbara Mamone – *Kathy Palmer*

12:00 Deceased Friends – *Virginia Fleming*
Kori Jones – *E. Stewart Jones*

**Saint of the Day
for July 10th**

St. Veronica

(Dec. 27, 1660-July 9, 1727)



Veronica's desire to be like Christ crucified was answered with the stigmata. Veronica was born in Mercatelli, Italy. It is said that when her mother Benedetta was dying she called her five daughters to her bedside and entrusted each of them to one of the five wounds of Jesus. Veronica was entrusted to the wound below Christ's heart.

At the age of 17, Veronica joined the Poor Clares directed by the Capuchins. Her father had wanted her to marry, but she convinced him to allow her to become a nun. In her first years in the monastery, she worked in the kitchen, infirmary, sacristy, and also served as portress. At the age of 34, she was made novice mistress, a position she held for 22 years. When she was 37, Veronica received the stigmata. Life was not the same after that.

Church authorities in Rome wanted to test Veronica's authenticity and so conducted an investigation. She lost the office of novice mistress temporarily and was not allowed to attend Mass except on Sundays or holy days. Through all of this Veronica did not become bitter, and the investigation eventually restored her as novice mistress.

Though she protested against it, at the age of 56 she was elected abbess, an office she held for 11 years until her death. Veronica was very devoted to the Eucharist and to the Sacred Heart. She offered her sufferings for the missions, died in 1727, and was canonized in 1839. Her Liturgical Feast Day is July 9.

Reflection: *Why did God grant the stigmata to Francis of Assisi and to Veronica Giuliani? God alone knows the deepest reasons, but as Celano points out, the external sign of the cross is a confirmation of these saints' commitment to the cross in their lives. The stigmata that appeared in Veronica's flesh had taken root in her heart many years before. It was a fitting conclusion for her love of God and her charity toward her sisters.*



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.*

CORONA SELF-HELP CENTER provides free recovery services for individuals with drug and alcohol addiction. To raise awareness of the program, which is based on the 12-steps program, CORONA will visit St. Anthony's on **July 12 & 13**. Catholic-based t-shirts will be on sale to raise funds for the program. Thank you for your support of their mission to serve our community.

Parish Offerings

June 28-29, 2025

Mass Time	Collection
4:30 pm	\$ 1073.00
9:00 am	\$ 1327.00
12:00 pm	\$ 576.00
Mailed In	\$ 241.00
Total Offerings:	\$ 3217.00

Budgeted Weekly Collection:	\$3077.00
Total weekly collection	\$3217.00
Amount over budget	\$ 140.00

Ascension: \$15 Candles: \$184.68
Feast Day: \$45 Father's Day: \$45
CCC: \$15

Counters for Monday, July 7th

Margaret F., Kathy P., Steve C.



LIVE STREAMING MASS

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

4th Annual Diocese of Albany's Young Adult (20-39 yrs.) Adoration, BBQ & Corn Hole Tournament:

St. Clement's Church, 231 Lake Avenue, Saratoga
Thursday, July 24, 2025

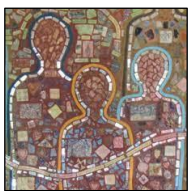
Adoration & Reconciliation at 5:30pm. BBQ

Dinner at 6:30pm. Corn Hole

Tournament & Ice Cream Social.

Attendee's must register:

<https://forms.gle/EFQ624xK2ndkNnTy8>



The Roarke Center located in the former parish school, 107 4th Street, always welcomes new volunteers. If you can spare a few of hours a week to assist in their mission of community outreach, please contact Elisabeth at 518-273-8351.

START YOUR SUMMER WITH PRAYER

A deeper relationship with Jesus starts with prayer; quiet reflection, Scripture, Mass.

The dioceses offers some prayer suggestions and links to Scripture at

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

Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you. --- 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18



RECONCILIATION

Confessions are being heard in the church confessional every Saturday afternoon from 3:30-4pm. or by appointment at the Friary during office hours. Please call or email to schedule. 518-273-8622

MONTHLY FOOD PANTRY DRIVE

The food collection to support the Roarke Center Food Pantry will take place on **July 19-20 (3rd Sunday of the month)**. Please leave non-perishable food items on the table in the church vestibule.

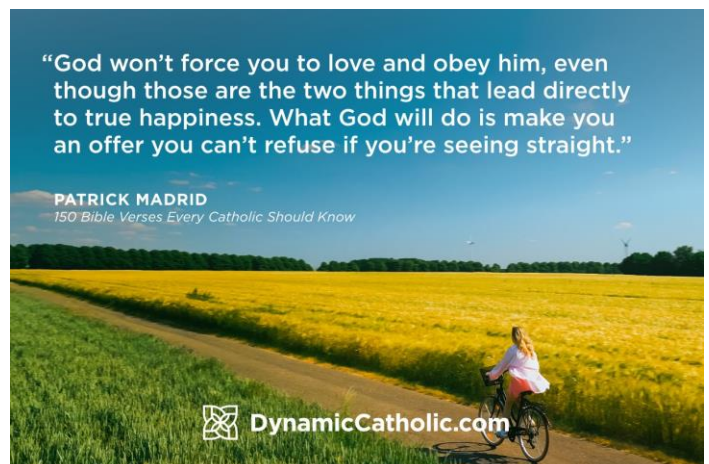


ITALIAN COMMUNITY CENTER TUESDAY BINGO

1450 Fifth Avenue, Troy. We will be serving ziti and meatballs, salad and fried dough. Come and join us for bingo, pull tabs, some good eats and the Queen of Hearts! Get out of the heat and into our air conditioning for some fun and a chance to win! Doors open at 4:30, kitchen opens at 5:00 and bingo starts at 7:00.

"God won't force you to love and obey him, even though those are the two things that lead directly to true happiness. What God will do is make you an offer you can't refuse if you're seeing straight."

PATRICK MADRID
150 Bible Verses Every Catholic Should Know



 [DynamicCatholic.com](https://www.DynamicCatholic.com)

<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 323 Fifth Avenue, Troy 12182</p>