

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

MORE THAN A CENTURY YEARS OF FAITH & SERVICE

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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 and 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
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.



**28th Sunday
in
Ordinary
Time
October 11-12,
2025**

The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power

Saturday, October 11th *St. John XXIII*

4:30 Ray Skiba – wife Sue & Sons
Charles Hewitt – wife, Linda
Mary Marble – Dan O’Connell
Rosemary Haverly – Family

Sunday, October 12th

9:00 Arthur LaPine – granddaughter, Barbara
Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence Winslow – Liz & Lorie

12:00 Sebastian A. Costa – Lilianna DeGiorgio

Monday, October 13th

7:15 CHURCH CLOSED ~ NO MASS

Tuesday, October 14th *St. Callistus*

7:15 Giuseppino DeGiorgio - Sisters

Wednesday, October 15th *St. Teresa of Jesus*

7:15 Thanksgiving to St. Lucy

Thursday, October 16th *St. Hedwig*

7:15 For an end to Political Violence

Friday, October 17th *St. Ignatius of Antioch*

7:15 For the Sick of our Parish

Saturday, October 18th *St. Luke*

4:30 David & Lydia Skiba – Family
Angeline Cwenar
Patrick Razzano – Nick & Fran Casale
Shirley Hickman – Paul & Joanne Crispo

Sunday, October 19th

9:00 Lisa Bevevino Christopher – Aunt Mary
& Family

12:00 Barbara Borkowski – Matt & Suzanne Turner
Karen Goldston – Vince Commis

**Saint of the Day
for
October 14th
St. Carlos Acutis**

May 3, 1991 – October 12, 2006



Born in London and raised in Milan, Saint Carlo’s wealthy parents were not particularly religious. Upon receiving his first communion at age seven, Carlo became a frequent communicant, making a point of praying before the tabernacle before or after every Mass. In addition to Francis of Assisi, Carlo took several of the younger saints as his role models.

Carlo Acutis tried to comfort friends whose parents were undergoing divorce, as well as stepping in to defend disabled students from bullies. After school hours he volunteered his time with the city’s homeless and destitute. Considered a computer geek by some, Carlo spent four years creating a website dedicated to cataloguing every reported Eucharistic miracle around the world.

Diagnosed with leukemia, Carlo offered his sufferings to God for the intentions of the sitting pope—Benedict XVI—and the entire Church. His longtime desire to visit as many sites of Eucharistic miracles as possible was cut short by his illness. Carlo died in 2006 and was beatified in 2020.

As he had wished, Carlo was buried in Assisi at St. Mary Major’s Sanctuary of Spoliation, where Francis had returned his clothes to his father and began a more radical following of the Gospel. Among the thousands present for Carlo’s beatification at Assisi’s Basilica of St. Francis were many of his childhood friends. Presiding at the beatification service, Cardinal Agostino Vallini praised Carlo as an example of how young people can use technology to spread the Gospel “to reach as many people as possible and help them know the beauty of friendship with the Lord.”

Reflection: *Carlo Acutis did not strive to become famous but rather to cooperate as generously as possible with God’s grace. That journey brought him many experiences, but they were all united by a burning desire to serve God and others as generously as possible.*

**OCTOBER
RESPECT LIFE MONTH**



Parish Offerings

October 4-5, 2025

Mass Time	Collection
4:30 pm	\$ 1155.00
9:00 am	\$ 1878.00
12:00 pm	\$ 342.00
Mailed In	\$ 185.00
Total Offerings:	\$ 3560.00

Budgeted Weekly Collection:	\$ 2693.00
Total weekly collection	\$ 3560.00
Amount over budget	\$ 867.00

World Mission: \$55	Insurance: \$65
Candles: \$239.67	Bldg. Repairs: \$270
Monthly: \$1738	Cath. University: \$62
All Saints: \$25	All Souls: \$25



The next Parish Council meeting will take place in the Friary on Tuesday, October 14th at 6:00pm. Come and share your time and talent...the parish needs your input!

Counters for Tuesday, October 14th

Vivian S., Bernie B., Paul A.



MONTHLY FOOD PANTRY DRIVE

The food collection to support the Roarke Center Food Pantry will take place on **October 18-19 (3rd Sunday of the month)**. Please leave non-perishable food items in the bins in the church vestibule.

Oct. 18 & 19, Second Collection is for Mission Sunday, Propagation of the Faith.

World Mission Sunday was instituted by Pope Pius XI in 1926 as a mandatory, global collection to support places that have not heard the Gospel, are newly developing a Catholic presence, or are persecuted for their Catholic faith. Today there are 1,150 of such areas. The Pope hosts World Mission Sunday in the spirit of Jesus's charge to "Go therefore and make disciples of all nations" (Matthew 28:19).

PLEASE NOTE: The week of October 8th -16th, the parish office will have limited hours. If you need assistance, the office will be open Monday – Thursday from 9am-12pm. Thank you.



LIVE STREAMING MASS

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

DINE TO DONATE

We have received a total of **\$509.24** from the Dine to Donate evening. Many thanks to those that were able to dine at the Recovery Room and to those who could not make the event but sent us a donation.

RCDA Vocation Office Invitation

"DUC in ALTUM: Discernment Nights"

For Men Discerning the Priesthood

Men, 16 years and older, interested in the discernment program are invited to attend any of the 20 weekly programs at the St. Isaac Jogues House of Formation in Cohoes NY from September 2025 – June 2026. [Click here](#) for more details. *"Don't be afraid to answer the call of Christ"*

Worldwide Marriage Encounter: God will give you insight in your relationship. Check out and sign up for a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience ~ January 23-25, 2026 in North Easton, MA. Worldwide Marriage Encounter sponsors a variety of in-person and virtual marriage experiences. Couples explore their relationship with each other, God, and the Church. Registration is limited; there is a \$100 application fee. For more information or to apply, call Frank & Margie Pearson at 860-337-2447 or <https://www.mectw.org/>. **2 Timothy 2:11-12** *"If we have died with Him we shall also live with him; if we persevere we shall also reign with Him."*

Gentle Woman of Praise ~ Chapter Meal

Saturday, November 15th

The Vista, Van Patten Golf

Club, Clifton Park. 9:00- 12:00pm. Guest Speaker:

Mary Dolores Fay. More info and [Register Here](#)



<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 Bocketti</i> 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>