

# 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](http://parishes.rcda.org/stanthonyofpadua)

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## 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.

## PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Clement Campana – Council President

## 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  
IN CHURCH 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.***

**12:00** Mariano DeGiorgio (12<sup>th</sup> Anniv) –*Daughters*  
Christopher Jones –*Rose & Kevin McKenna*

meeting events include the Covered Dish Dinner  
and Capital District Chapter Raffle.



**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday  
of Easter ~  
Divine Mercy  
Sunday  
April 11-12,  
2026**

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

**Saturday, April 11<sup>th</sup>**

- 4:30** Ray Skiba – wife, Sue & Sons  
Nicholas Ciannamea – Family  
Charles Hewitt – wife, Linda  
Patrick Razzano (B'day Rem) – wife, Marcia

**Sunday, April 12<sup>th</sup> Divine Mercy Sunday**

- 9:00** Ciarlone & Riley Family – Ralph & Frank  
Regina Piscitella DaPrato – Matthew &  
Angela Hallett

- 12:00** Maria DeGiorgio (B'day Rem) – Daughters  
Christopher Jones – Jim & Susan Hacker

**Monday, April 13<sup>th</sup>**

- 7:15** Int. Stacey VanBuskirk (B'day) - Family  
For a Special Intention

**Tuesday, April 14<sup>th</sup>**

- 7:15** Lawrence & Annette Bocketti – Jacques Family

**Wednesday, April 15<sup>th</sup>**

- 7:15** Int. Richard Jacques (B'day) - Family

**Thursday, April 16<sup>th</sup>**

- 7:15** For Victims of Child Abuse

**Friday, April 17<sup>th</sup>**

- 7:15** Perry Spain Sr. (B'day Rem) – Family  
Elizabeth Mooney (9<sup>th</sup> Anniv) – John & Kathy  
O'Bryan

**Saturday, April 18<sup>th</sup>**

- 4:30** Patrick Razzano – Tom Mackey & Family  
Dorothy Moon – Tom & Maureen LaLiberte  
Mary & Ed Zavis – Linda & Marie  
Rosalie Jacques – The Cardinal Family

**Sunday, April 19<sup>th</sup>**

- 9:00** Saverio & Jean Valenti (Wedd Anniv)- Family  
Charles Mamone – Sandy Alexanian & Family  
Jim McPhillips – Kathy Palmer
- 12:00** Mariano DeGiorgio (12<sup>th</sup> Anniv) – Daughters  
Christopher Jones – Rose & Kevin McKenna

**Saint of the Day  
for April 14<sup>th</sup>  
Blessed Peter  
Gonzalez  
(1190- April 15, 1246)**



Saint Paul had a conversion experience on the road to Damascus. Many years later, the same proved true for Peter Gonzalez, who triumphantly rode his horse into the Spanish city of Astorga in the 13th century to take up an important post at the cathedral. The animal stumbled and fell, leaving Peter in the mud and onlookers amused.

Humbled, Blessed Peter Gonzalez reevaluated his motivations—his bishop-uncle had secured the cathedral post for him—and started down a new path. He became a Dominican priest and proved to be a most effective preacher. He spent much of his time as court chaplain, and attempted to exert positive influence on the behavior of members of the court. After King Ferdinand III and his troops defeated the Moors at Cordoba, Peter was successful in restraining the soldiers from pillaging, and persuaded the king to treat the defeated Moors with compassion.

After retiring from the court, Peter devoted the remainder of his life to preaching in northwest Spain. Having developed a special mission to Spanish and Portuguese seamen, he is considered their patron. Blessed Peter Gonzalez died in 1246 and was beatified in 1741.

*Reflection: How often we have heard stories about some misfortune or disaster only to hear later on that it was now seen as a good thing. Not every “disaster” is truly bad in its consequences for the Lord can bring good out of what appears to be a misfortune. Such was the case for Blessed Peter. His being dumped in the mud by a falling horse turned out to be a good thing in his life.*  
[www.franciscanmedia.org](http://www.franciscanmedia.org)

**Prayers for Our Sick**

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.



On Sunday, April 26, 2026 at 12:00pm. The Capital District Chapter Columbiettes meeting will be held at Waterford Knights of Columbus Council, 76 Grace Street, Waterford, 12188. The meeting events include the Covered Dish Dinner and Capital District Chapter Raffle.

# Parish Offerings

## April 4-5, 2026

Easter Mass Time	Collection
7:30 pm Vigil	\$ 1244.00
9:00 am	\$ 2165.00
12:00 pm	\$ 1138.00
<b>Easter Mailed In</b>	\$ 140.00
<b>Total Easter Offerings:</b>	<b>\$ 4687.00</b>



Thank you for your generous donations to the Easter flower envelope. The flower list will be emailed with this week's bulletin. Additional copies are available in the vestibule.

### Victims Survivors Compensation Settlement Agreement

Father Richard ofm will speak briefly at today's liturgy regarding the diocesan bankruptcy settlement and our parish's financial obligation towards the agreement. A parish town hall meeting with Father Richard will be planned in the coming weeks in order for parishioners to learn more and ask questions. To read the Bishop's March 27, 2026 press release detailing the settlement visit:

<https://www.rcda.org/news-events/media-center/news-releases/>  
Additional copies are available in the vestibule.

<b>Budgeted Easter Collection:</b>	<b>\$ 6000.00</b>
Total Easter donations:	\$ 5872.00
(Inc. donations received prior to Easter Sunday)	
Amount under budget:	(\$ 128.00)

<b>Holy Thurs: \$711</b>	<b>Good Fri.: \$691</b>
Flowers: \$145	Insurance: \$200
Candles: \$140.87	Monthly: \$230
Weekly: \$210	

**Counters for Monday, April 13<sup>th</sup>**  
Margaret F., Kathy P., Steve C.

### LIVE STREAMING MASS

Sunday liturgy is available on YouTube. Our channel is [@StAnthonyofPaduaTroy](#). There is a link on our webpage where you can easily access our YouTube channel.



### DIVINE MERCY WEEKEND

National Shrine of Divine Mercy, Stockbridge MA. **Saturday, April 11<sup>th</sup>**. Confessions 9am-5pm. Solemn Novena 3pm, Vigil Mass 4pm  
**Sunday, April 12<sup>th</sup>** Confessions 9am-5pm and Solemn Mass 1pm.

Volunteers needed. For more info, see flyer on our bulletin board or visit Divine Mercy Shrine website <https://www.shrineofdivinemercury.org/>

### Capital Region Caregiver Coalition

If you are caring for an aging loved one, need support or would like to learn more about senior housing options in the Capital Region contact the Capital Region Caregiver Coalition or visit website at: [www.capitalregioncaregiver.com](http://www.capitalregioncaregiver.com) or email: [meredith@communitycaregivers.org](mailto:meredith@communitycaregivers.org).



Pray for the repose of the souls of **James M. McPhillips** whose funeral was held last week & **Richard S. Haydock** whose funeral will be held on Monday at St. Anthony's. May they rest in peace, Amen

### SAVE THE DATE September 21, 2026

Rev. Kenneth Doyle Golf Tournament  
Capital Hills Golf Course  
Proceeds to benefit Albany Diocese Catholic Schools. More info at: <https://www.rcda.org/>

### ST. JOSEPH'S SPEAKER EVENT

St. Joseph's Church, Troy, NY is hosting a Pro-life Speaker Event on Saturday, April 25 at 2:00 PM in the Madden Center (Basement Level, Door is on 3rd Street side.) St. Joseph Church's Pro-Life group, The Society of Our Lady of Guadalupe is hosting the Students for Life of America, Northeast Regional Coordinator, Penelope Rose as guest speaker. You will learn about the facts of human development and abortion to help communicate to others the truth that softens hearts and changes minds. Become the Pro-life Generation!





## *Easter Flower Donations 2026*

### *In Memory/Honor of*

Paul & Vincenza Apicella, Jack & Grace Freeman by  
M/M Paul Apicella

Lydia & David Skiba, Patrick Barth by Jeff & Lisa Barth  
John & Jane Granato, Bud & Joyce Bessette, Richard  
Bessette by Michael & Lynn Bessette

Dominic Bevevino by Mrs. Dominic Bevevino  
M/M Joseph Alexander, Henry & Kate McConnell, Dale  
Alexander, Helen Burnett, Frances Bielawa by Bernard  
& Jane Bielawa

Betty, Paddy, Joe & Ron Elligott, Joseph Humes, Dan  
G. & Rocco Farano, Rose Ann McCann, by Betty  
Bott

Marie & Richard Cairns, Sheila Giammo, Mary &  
Daniel Palladino, Virginia & John Cairns by Maria  
Cairns

Deceased Members of the Calacone Family by  
Stephen Calacone

Michael F. Carlow, Jim & Esther Carlow, Ferdinand &  
Rosemary Haverly, Joan & Jim Ashton by Carol  
Carlow

Josephine Casale Carpenter, Lucille A. Gaglione by  
Elizabeth Carpenter

Rysedorph Family by Joanne Cesare

Nicholas A. Ciannamea by Mary R. Ciannamea

Jean Ciarlone, Ciarlone Family by Frank Ciarlone

Joseph & Mildred Boudreau, Salvatore & Mary Crispo,  
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Michael F. Carlow, Sr., Walter Croson, Sr., Jim &  
Esther Carlow, Dr. Ferdinand & Rosemary Haverly  
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Charles R. Wood by M/M Anthony Crudo

Len Dabkowski, Family & Friends by Marianne  
Dabkowski

Fiorangelo & Lucy Debboli, Lawrence & Lorraine  
Winslow, Fortunato D'Eboli, Angela Iannacito,  
August & Elizabeth Derenthal, Nicola Ricciuto,  
Chiara D'Eboli, Clark & Mary Winslow by Frank &  
Liz Debboli

Maria & Mariano DeGiorgio by Family  
Carole DeGiorgio, Rose DeGiorgio, Sebastian DeGiorgio,  
Anthony DeGiorgio by Joseph DeGiorgio

Ralph & Frances DeSina by Family

Richard Detko, Mary Ellen Detko by Millicent Detko

Lucille Muckle (Cupolo) Dolan by John Dolan

Rocco & Carmella Turriglio, William & Jessie May,  
Richard & Joan Foglia, Michael Savino by Mr. &  
Mrs. Andy Ethier

Farron Family by Phyllis Farron

Thomas Fitch, Albert Fitch, Gene & Art Heffern,  
Elizabeth & Charles Fitch, Pat & Haley Fisk by Mary  
Fitch

Daniel DeTorto, Gerald & Marion Fitzgerald by  
Margaret Fitzgerald

Mrs. Dorothy Brust by Tom & Linda Furman  
Perry & Pat Spain, Joe & Carol Gabriel by Joe & Tricia  
Gabriel

Rose Mawad, Deceased members of Piscitella Family  
by Angie Gavin

Donald Hourigan, Mabel Hourigan, Barbara Grimmick,  
Lisa Hourigan, Patrick Hourigan by Susan Grimmick

Deceased Family Members by Rich & Pat Haydock  
Charles Hewitt, Louis, Rose, Lorraine & Louis J.

DeSignore, Ed & Mary Zavis by Linda Hewitt  
Mario R. & Rose M. Julian by Mark & Karen Julian  
Joseph & Maryann Julian, Nicholas & Anna Barone,  
Frank & Frances Julian by Lisa Julian

James Kane & The Hipwell Family by Marcia Kane  
Patricia & Perry Spain, Julie & Charles LaLiberte by  
Tom and Maureen LaLiberte

Matthew Hipwell, Helen Hipwell by Helene LaRose  
Richard E. LaRose, Henry Carl by M/M Richard LaRose  
Tom & Joann Mackey by Family

Peter & Rose Magonetto, Dan & Edna O'Connell, Joseph  
Riley, Barbara Lynn Casale, Chris Marchard, Anna  
M. Gross by Anthony & Linda Magonetto

Thomas M. Fitch, Sr., Albert A. Fitch, Sr., Edward F.  
Manny III, Frank Mastan, Jr., Don Grady, Lisa  
Miller, Patricia Bryant, Patsy Fisk, Melissa Harnish  
by Eric & Meghan Manny

Edward F. Manny III, William D. Grady, Mary Lou  
Riegert, Michael L. Raymond by Martha E. Manny

Carofano Family, Bob & Mary Beth McBain by  
Joan McBain

John & Stella Bieniek, Eric & Ann Muellecker by M/M  
Eric Muellecker, Jr.

Sallie & Eddie Murray, Rollin "Butch" Greene by  
Theresa A. Murray

Joseph & Helen O'Bryan, Ellen Walkinshaw, Albert  
Graber by John & Kathy O'Bryan

Donald Oeffler by Maria Oeffler

Perry & Patricia Spain, Dorothy Moon, Mary Spain,  
Sharon Spain, Perry Spain, Jr., John & Betty  
McVeigh, Barbara Curtis Jean Gamache by Kathleen  
Palmer

Patrick A. Razzano by Family

Belinda & Toby Rubino, Donato Rubino, Adelmina  
Mongiello, Living & Deceased Members of St.  
Anthony's Parish Family, Sofia & Joe Lawrence,  
Living & Deceased Veterans by Joseph Rubino

M/M H. William Rupp by daughter, Patty Rupp

Rocco & Carmella Turriglio by Lena Savino

Patricia Scales, Roger Scales, Ralph & Helen Woodruff,  
Alex & Betty Scales by Ben Scales

Eric Schofield, Sr., Frances & Leonard Duffy by  
Jason Schofield

Matthew & Julia Skiba, Lydia & David Skiba, Joseph &  
Julia Smulsky, Francis & Olga Canfield by Matt  
Skiba

Helen S. Snyder, Peter M. Snyder by Mr. Stephen J.  
Snyder

Walter Stuart, M/M Jean Leclair, Georgeen Peebles  
Jason Brown, Diana Chapko, Karyl Smith by Vivian  
Stuart

John & Kathryn Withkowski by Mary K. Withkowski

Wojton, Sorriento & Walsh Families by Deacon Charles  
& Dolores Wojton

Edward & Antoinette Yamin, Saverio & Jean Valenti by  
Michael & Antonette Yamin

The Mosher & Zullo Families, Nancy Rayno by Karen  
Zullo



*Additional thanks to  
parishioners who also made  
Easter Flower envelope  
offerings:*

Tony Behan  
M/M Lawrence Boudreau  
Carl & Ann Clemente  
Vince Commis  
Anna DeCianni  
Yolanda Derarakelian  
Joan A. Gordon  
Matthew & Angela Hallett  
Luz Marie Lopez  
Gail Lundstrom  
M/M Briggs Montero  
Thomas Rienzo  
Louis Tangredi

<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF THE DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE <b>FRANCESE FAMILY &amp; LISA LUPE</b> <i>WE MISS YOU,</i> Love, The Lupe Family</p>	<p>IN MEMORY OF <i>"TROY'S FINEST &amp; BRAVEST"</i> <i>TROY P.D. &amp; TROY F.D.</i> MAGNETTO FAMILY <i>Never Forget</i></p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF <b>DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE THORPE FAMILY</b>  We will never forget sons Bob &amp; John</p>
<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF  <b>JOSEPH FARRON, SR.</b> <b>YOU'RE STILL WITH US EVERY DAY</b>  <i>Love, The Family</i></p>	<p><b>GRETHEN-CAHRENGER MEMORIALS</b> <b>MONUMENTS MARKERS LETTERING</b> 58 114th Street, Troy, NY <b>518-235-3312</b></p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF <b>DAVID M. SKIBA &amp; MOTHER, LYDIA SKIBA</b>  By the Family</p>
<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF THE <b>VALENTI &amp; PEREZ FAMILIES</b>  <i>Peace and Love.</i> Valenti &amp; Perez Families</p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF <b>JAMES VINCENT COCCA</b>  <i>LOVE AND MISS YOU, WIFE, CHERYL &amp; CHILDREN</i></p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF  <b>JOHN, MARY &amp; MARGARET DeLORENZO PATRICK &amp; KATHRYN MACKEY ANTHONY &amp; JOSEPHINE RAZZANO</b></p>
<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF  <b>ROTHERHAM, MOSHER KENNEDY &amp; ZULLO FAMILIES</b>  <i>By Family</i></p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF  <b>DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE STUART &amp; LECLAIR FAMILIES</b>  by Vivian Stuart</p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF  <b>JOSEPH &amp; MARYANN JULIAN</b>  <i>WE LOVE AND MISS YOU</i> Love Forever, Your Family</p>
<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF <b>CHARLES HEWITT LOUIS, ROSE, LORRAINE &amp; LOUIS J. DELSIGNORE MARY &amp; ED ZAVIS</b>  <i>Love and Miss you, Linda &amp; Marie</i></p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF THE  <b>BEVEVINO &amp; VALENTE FAMILIES</b>  <i>With love,</i> <i>Mary Valente Bevevino</i></p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF THE DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE  <b>FULGAN, FILES, PERFETTI, PATERNIANI, DAYTON &amp; MURRAY FAMILIES</b></p>
<p><b>MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING</b> ONLINE ONLY ~ INDIVIDUAL &amp; COUPLES CDPHP MVP FIDELIS CARELON &amp; OTHERS <b>LYNN C. MONROE, LMHC</b> (518) 379-8333</p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF <b>BRENDA "NANA" RYAN NANCY "NINEE" RYAN J. PAUL "POPIE" RYAN</b> Love, Chris &amp; all the Children</p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF THE  <b>FITCH, HEFFERN &amp; FISK FAMILIES</b>  <i>LOVE, MARY &amp; CHILDREN</i></p>
<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF THE <i>Colarusso-Cioffi</i> &amp; <i>Kazmierczak-Kolach</i> <i>Families</i></p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF THE DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE <b>LAFONTAINE, LAPINE &amp; GELINEAULT FAMILIES</b>  Barbara Bellantoni</p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF  <b>MARIO R. &amp; ROSE M. JULIAN</b>  <i>LOVE, YOUR FAMILY</i></p>
<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF  <b>THE DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE CALACONE FAMILY</b>  WE LOVE AND MISS YOU, SON, STEVE &amp; GRANDSON, FRANK</p>	<p><b>DeFazio's Pizza &amp; Deli</b>  <i>Homemade Italian Foods &amp; Catering</i> <b>518-271-1111      518-274-8866</b> 264-266 4th Street Troy, NY 12180</p>	<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF  <b>MARGARET &amp; FRANK J. MILANESE JOHN F. &amp; LORRAINE MILANESE MICHAEL C. &amp; SONS: FRANK &amp; JOHN</b>  <b>MARY &amp; NICK CONSUELA</b> <i>SHALOM, MARGE MILANESE</i></p>
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<p>IN LOVING MEMORY OF  <b>CHRISTI J. HANSEN</b>  WE LOVE &amp; MISS YOU, CHARLIE &amp; ANDREW LOGGI</p>	<p><i>Wm. Leahy</i> <b>Bocketti</b> Funeral Home Inc. Since 1853      Funeral Home  Family Owned Operated by Leahy Bocketti Harasymiak LLC <b>336 3rd Street Troy, NY 12180</b>  <b>518-272-3541      518-274-4710</b></p>	<p>MARK HAEGELE <b>QUACKENBUSH &amp; HAEGELE</b> Plumbing Heating A/C <b>(518) 235-3465</b>  323 Fifth Avenue, Troy 12182</p> 