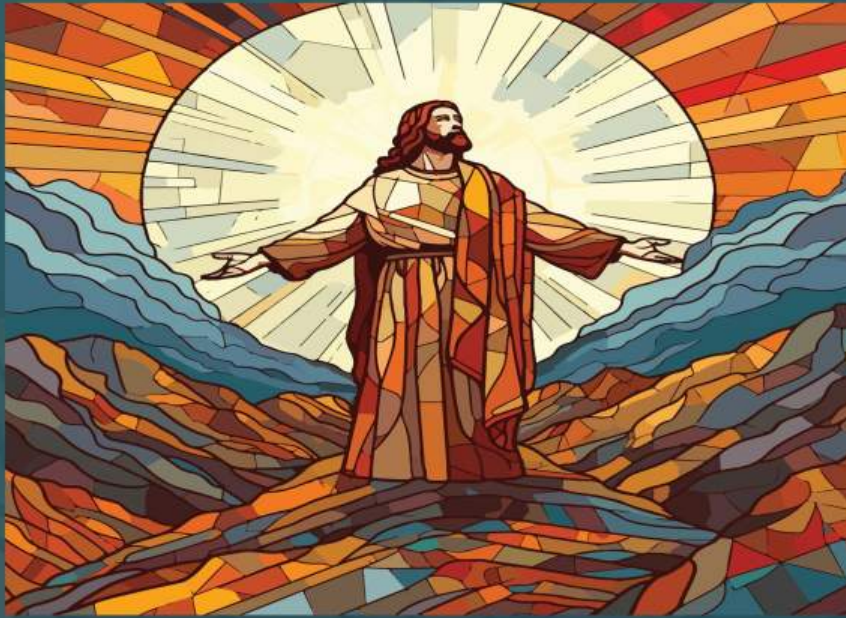


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63 Franklin Street (Silver Lake) Belleville, NJ 07109



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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday

530PM (*Sunday Vigil Mass*)

Sunday

8AM, 1030AM & 12NN

Weekday

Monday—Thursday 7AM & 8AM

Friday & Saturday 8AM

Every **4th Sunday** at 5PM

Filipino Mass

SACRAMENTS

Confession

Saturday 4:30-5:15pm
and by appointment

Baptism

3rd Sunday of the month at 130pm, except Eastertime

Parents and sponsors must attend a baptismal preparation program held on the 1st Saturday of the month at 130pm in Ferraro Hall. Please arrange for baptism and the preparation program by calling the office as soon as possible.

Marriage

Arrangements should be made at least one year before the wedding.

Anointing of the Sick

Please call 973-481-1991 to receive this sacrament. We will also gladly bring Holy Communion to the homebound upon request.



All mails addressed to:

St. Anthony Parish Office
750 N. 7th Street
Newark, NJ 07107

Telephone
973-481-1991

Bingo Hall Telephone
973-759-1417

Website:
www.saintanthonybelleville.org

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



SATURDAY, July 1

5:30p Felice Marino by Marino Family

SUNDAY, July 2

8:00a Maria & Miguel Percio by Emilia Percio Fam.
10:30a Romeo Montas by Jay Montas
12:00n People of the Parish

MONDAY, July 3

7:00a Mia Cruz (Thanksgiving) by Mely Cruz
8:00a Fermina & Tess Montas by Jay Montas

TUESDAY, July 4

8:00a Ricardo Cid (Birthday) by Carla & David Gates

WEDNESDAY, July 5

7:00a Levio Monziona by Children
8:00a Luigi & Angelina Ferraro by Family

THURSDAY, July 6

7:00a Alma Quinio (Healing) by Cecile Fabe
8:00a Jim Coppola by Rosina & Son

FRIDAY, July 7

8:00a Carmella Mollica by Daughters

SATURDAY, July 8

8:00a Abel & Roberto Picardi by Rosa & Antonio Feo
5:30p Mihok Family by Marge Lo Conte

SUNDAY, July 9

8:00a Maria & Miguel Percio by Emilia Percio Fam.
10:30a Romeo Montas by Jay Montas
12:00n People of the Parish

MEMORIALS FOR THE WEEK

July 2—July 8, 2023

The Altar Bread & Wine will be offered for the Intention of

People of the Parish

The Altar Candles will be offered for the Special Intention of

People of the Parish

The Sanctuary Lamp will be offered for the Intention of

Anthony D. Uzzolino

LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK

Joseph Doria, Lydia Salzano, Jean Giordano, Gerry Baltazar, Lorraine Snowman, Edward McNulty, Jimmy Ragab, Empson Venturi, Nida Andre, Patricia Chideo, Norma Jaramillo, Arlenia Salomon, Carolyn Salvatoriello, Mercy Solante, Roger Forshage, Amelia Collina, Nathan Rosa, Jaxson & Jacob Rivera, Feliciano Lima

Please call the parish office if you need to be kept in next week's bulletin.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Regular Sunday Collections	- \$ 3,119.85
<i>(June 18, 2023 including online)</i>	
St. Peter's Pence Collections	- \$ 521.00
H.E.L.P. Collections	- \$ 395.00

THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR GENEROSITY and YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT TO OUR PARISH!

One gives freely, yet grows all the richer; another withholds what he should give, and only suffers want.—Proverbs 11:24

ANNUAL APPEAL 2023 UPDATE

(as of June 16, 2023)

Goal this year is \$21,091

Total Pledged = \$27,065

% of Goal Reached (in Pledges) = 128.32%

Amount Received = \$23,435.72

Number of Contributors = 59 pax/family

*For those who have already made their pledges, thank you so much! Otherwise, kindly make your pledges or contributions to the arch-diocese or to our parish office **before June 30, 2023.***

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Ranulfo D. Docabo, SSL
Pastor

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Co-Director of Religious Education

Mari Ippolito, B.A.
Co-Director of Religious Education & Youth Director

Cristian Esguerra
Office Manager & Bookkeeper

Leonora DiLauro-Ragab
Parish Secretary

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Office Receptionist

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Pastoral Council Chair

REST IN THE PEACE OF CHRIST



CATHERINE BIZZARRO
CYNTHIA REYES-MAGNO

Cardinal Tobin calls for action, responsible stewardship of God's creation

My dear sisters and brothers in Christ,

In recent weeks, the smoky haze arising from nearly 150 wildfires burning outside Quebec, Canada, coated much of the northeast of the United States including our four counties of northern New Jersey. According to the Environmental Protection Agency, this caused serious air quality issues here and as far south as northern Florida. In our part of the country, skies are darkening, and government officials are warning residents to stay inside and limit outdoor exposure as much as possible.

*I am reminded of the prophetic warning of Pope Francis in his 2015 encyclical *Laudato Si'* (*On Care for Our Common Home*). In this letter, the Holy Father builds on the teaching of his predecessors (especially St. John Paul II and Pope Benedict XVI) and calls for a conversion of mind and heart regarding our attitude toward the environment. He also challenges us to act in ways that are both eco-friendly and committed to resolving the problems of human society.*

Laudato Si' is controversial. In many ways, it is a prophetic statement that is guaranteed to make everyone uncomfortable one way or another. "A true ecological approach always becomes a social approach," Pope Francis insists. "We must integrate questions of justice in debates on the environment, so as to hear both the cry of the Earth and the cry of the poor" (#49).

*Although it is a prophetic statement with many challenges for us to consider, *Laudato Si'* is also a song of hope and joy inspired by the "Canticle of the Sun" written by St. Francis of Assisi as a hymn of praise to the Lord of all creation. "Praised be you, my Lord, with all your creatures, especially Sir Brother Sun, who is the day and through whom you give us light. And he is beautiful and radiant with great splendor; and bears a likeness to you, Most High" (#87). Our world is confronted with serious challenges—social, political, economic and environmental—that the pope tells us are, in reality, one crisis of "integral ecology" (#137)*

"We are not God" (#67), the Holy Father says. The Earth that we inhabit does not belong to us; we belong to the Earth. As we are reminded vividly on Ash Wednesday, we are dust. We come from the dust of the Earth, and every one of us will return to dust one day. In the meantime, we are called to be stewards of all God's gifts, and this fundamental change of perspective from owner to steward changes everything.

The "dominion" over all creation that has been given to all humankind (cf. Genesis 1:28) is not to be exercised as a form of domination, but rather as an exercise of the kind of reverent care and nurturing cultivation and pruning that a sensitive gardener gives to his or her garden. "A fragile world, entrusted by God to human care, challenges us to devise intelligent ways of directing, developing and limiting our power" (#78), the pope tells us.

What can you and I do? We are called to conversion, to see with new eyes and an open heart. We're also challenged to act differently. How do we do this?

First, we have to see God's creation, our common home, differently. This requires prayer and meditation on the wonders of the world we have been given as stewards. Then we have to make decisions on issues that are not always clear, and that people of good will can disagree about. Finally, we have to act.

Here are a few of the things that Pope Francis hopes will be stimulated by his encyclical:

Lifestyles that are simpler, healthier and less dependent on material resources.

A new covenant between humanity and the environment based on responsible stewardship of all God's creation.

A renewed sense of the sacredness of everyday things we use and too often take for granted.

Substantive change in laws and social policies concerning the environment and care for the poor and most vulnerable members of our society.

*As stewards of all God's creation, we have to change the way we live. We have to advocate for new laws and policies in our local, national and world communities that respond to both "the cry of the Earth" and "the cry of the poor." Change does not come easily to us. That's why *Laudato Si'* is a prophetic statement, as well as a hope-filled song of praise.*

Sincerely yours in Christ the Redeemer,

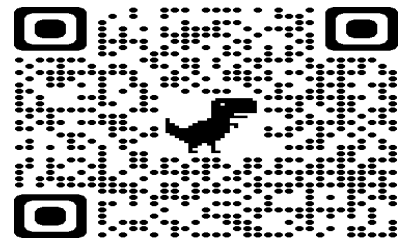
Cardinal Joseph W. Tobin, C.Ss.R
Archbishop of Newark

Here's
What's
Happening!

Happy 4th of
JULY

The Parish Office will be closed
for the holiday.
Celebrate our Independence!!
And Stay Safe!

Summer's Here!! Do Something Fun
in the Sun but don't forget to
attend Mass.
Reminder—if you are away this summer you can sign up for online giving. It's easy, just go to saintanthonybelleville.org to our online giving page or just scan the QR Code below.



EVERY SATURDAY
SATURDAY BINGO IS BACK!!
12:30 PM—3:00 PM
*(we still need volunteers please call the
Parish Office to sign-up)*
School



**Pilgrimage to The Basilica National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington DC
September 16, 2023 (pending)**

**Pilgrimage to the Holy Land & Egypt
November 3-16, 2023**

**Sight & Sound Millenium Theatre Lancaster PA
Daniel—April 4, 2024**

**Pilgrimage to Spain with Fatima, Lourdes and
Sagrada Familia
May 28—June 7, 2024**

**PICK UP YOUR REGISTRATION FORM AT CHURCH
OR CALL THE PARISH OFFICE FOR MORE INFO**

**SATURDAY BINGO IS BACK!!
12:30—3:00 PM**

**Volunteers are requested to come at 11:00 am.
Call the Parish Office for more info.**



Sometimes we find it impossible to give financially but everyone has a couple of hours to give. Please consider signing up for Saturday Bingo — Bingo is a huge part of our income at this time. Also, please pray we find another way to add to our Parish funds.



A very special Thank You to Liz Piza, owner of Just Parties and a long-time Parishioner, and to all the volunteers for their time and talent on the opening of our Saturday Bingo. May God bless you abundantly!

**Sponsor A New Hymnal for
St. Anthony of Padua
Hymnals Still Available!**

Just in case you haven't sponsored a hymnal in memory or in honor of a loved one, we now have some available. Your dedication will not only honor your loved one, but it will also help with the cost of these beautiful new hymnals for our Church.

Complete the form below and submit with your payment.

COMPLETE THIS FORM &

SUBMIT IT TO THE PARISH OFFICE WITH YOUR DONATION

SPONSOR'S NAME

PHONE NUMBER

PLEASE CLEARLY PRINT YOUR DEDICATION BELOW.

We have resumed printing of our hymnals. If you ordered one in the past few months they will soon be available in our pews. We are now sold out of the blue Glory and Praise Hymnal. We now have the green Journey Songs available for dedication in memory of your loved ones.

Please complete the form in our bulletin to place your order. Just \$50.



Please let us know if you are planning to attend the 2023 Archdiocese Pilgrimage to the Basilica National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception. Our Parish has participated in this event for the past number of years and it is an honor to be able to show our devotion to Our Blessed Mother. Be sure to use the sign-up sheets located at the entrances of the church or call the Parish Office. We need to know how many parishioners will attend in order to plan for this holy and spiritual journey. Thank you and God bless.

Tree of Life Leaf Memorials

Have you ever noticed our Tree of Life Memorial at the church entrance by the sacristy?

This special memorial tree was created for us by Sanford Werfel Studios and first introduced for our 100th Anniversary. Since then we have had a good amount sold. But, there are still some available leaves.

Purchasing one of these memorial leaves would give your loved one or family a permanent remembrance at our church and, of course, help our parish in this time of need. Please contact the Parish Office for more information.

ALTAR SERVERS' SCHEDULE (1030am Mass)

July 2, 2023

Ethan Venturi

Taina Venturi

Samantha Llaban

Cloe Llaban

July 9, 2023

Reagan Ocampo

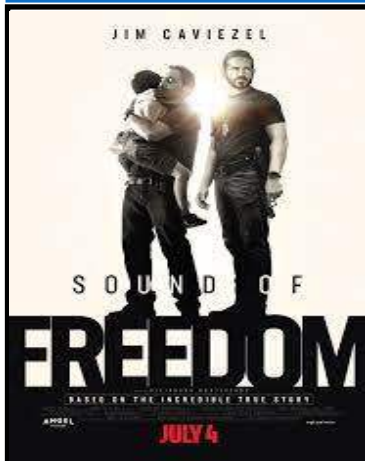
Ryan Paurom

Sydney Anya

Claire Anya

THE CHOSEN

The showings of The Chosen will be paused for July and August. We will resume our Movie Night and Bible Reflection of this amazing depiction of the Life of Our Savior in September. Enjoy your Summer without neglecting your spiritual needs by attending Mass and reading your Bible daily.



Coming to your local movie theatre this week is The Sound of Freedom starring Jim Caviezel (he played Jesus in the Passion of Christ). You won't want to miss this shocking and stunning movie. Everyone should be aware of the brave men and women who fight for the victims of human trafficking.

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY ANNUAL FUNDRAISER

Dine in, Take Out or Call for Delivery

Thursday, July 13, 2023

Noon to 10:00 PM

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The
Fun!*



UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

July–December 2023

July 13 (Thursday)

Fund Raising Lunch/Dinner at Angelo's Pizzeria
from 12nn–10pm
(sponsored by the Altar Rosary Society)

July 23 (Sunday) at 12nn (Church)

Filipino Mass

(with visiting Bishops and Priests from Bohol,
Philippines)

from 130–5pm (Ferraro Hall)

Fellowship

(Parishioners & Guests)

August 12 (Saturday) at 7pm (Church)

Concert for a Cause

(Singing Priests from Bohol—The Jeduthun)

August 19 (Saturday) 7am –7pm

Atlantic City Trip

(sponsored by the Multicultural Ministry)

August 27 (Sunday) at 9am (School)

In Person CCD Registration

Sept 10 (Sunday) at 3pm (Ferraro Hall)

Movie & BBQ for CCD

September 16 (Sat) starts at 630am

Trip to National Shrine

September 17 (Sunday) at 9am (School)

CCD Classes Begins

October 22 (Sun) at 3pm (Ferraro Hall)

CCD Tricky Tray

Nov 20 (Monday) at 7pm (Ferraro Hall)

Parish General Assembly



We continue the research of our beautiful stained glass windows. In all there are 16 windows. Five on each side of the nave, 2 above the confessional, 2 above the gallery of saints, 1 in the vestibule and 1 above the choir loft. The names of donors have been memorialized in the windows.

Some surnames are D'Avella, Auriemma, Solimine, Albertine, Zarro and Tribuno. If you have any information about any of these please contact the Parish Office. The HISTORICAL MINISTRY is planning to commemorate these families in our new version of the History of our Church.

Thank you for any information you have to offer.

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#WHATSMYNAME

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