

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY – C

APRIL 27, 2025

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

63 Franklin Street (Silver Lake) Belleville, NJ 07109

Divine Mercy

SUNDAY

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CANONIZATION OF BL. CARLO ACUTIS



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday

530PM (*Sunday Vigil Mass*)

Sunday

8AM, 1030AM & 12:15PM

Weekday

Monday—Thursday 7AM & 8AM
Friday & Saturday 8AM

Every **4th Sunday** at 530PM
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

Weekly Mass Intentions

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SATURDAY, April 26

8:00a Salvatore & Luisa Coppola by Rosina Coppola & Family
5:30p Christopher Dondarski by Lopreato Family

SUNDAY, April 27

8:00a Lena & Salvatore Iannia by Grandchildren
10:30a Osvaldo Muti & Sara & Angelo Feo by Emilia Percio
12:15p Frederick Mercado, Sulpicia & Louie Vivas (Birthday)
5:30p People of the Parish (**Filipino Mass**)

MONDAY, April 28

7:00a Mr. & Mrs. Ercadio Sesa by Ramon Villablanca
8:00a Jimmy & Joe Coppola by Rosina Coppola & Family

TUESDAY, April 29

7:00a Anthony G. Vitale Jr. by Sally Villamiel
8:00a John Trabucco by Lois Trabucco

WEDNESDAY, April 30

7:00a Alfonso "Dino" DiLauro by Leonora
8:00a Christopher Dondarski by Lopreato Family

THURSDAY, May 1

7:00a Dino (Healing)
8:00a Nicholas Trabucco by Wife & Children

FRIDAY, May 2

8:00a Deceased Members of Rue, Villorente & Aguila Families

SATURDAY, May 3

8:00a In Honor of Blessed Mother by Raimo/Sigall Family
5:30p Charles Family by Rita Charles

SUNDAY, May 4

8:00a Conjetta Domenick by Donna, Paula & Lenny Iannia
10:30a Janice Apicella by Jacqueline Apicella
12:15p Living & Deceased Members of Rosary Society

MEMORIALS FOR THE WEEK

April 27 - May 3, 2025

The Altar Bread & Wine will be offered for the Intentions of
People of the Parish

The Altar Candles will be offered for the Intentions of
People of the Parish

The Sanctuary Lamp will be offered for the intentions of
People of the Parish

LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK

Edward McNulty, Grace Constantino, Carlos Zapanta, Jonel Francisco, Nicholas Castellano, Feliciano Lima, Zenaida Baltazar, Carolyn Salvatoriello, Judy Batson, Elisa Ortiz, Remedios Uy, Alfreda Surigao, Rita Charles, James De Fago III, Patrick Sitton, Gustavo Caceres, Billy Juliano, Nita Andre, John Buglione, Michael Profenno, Kaitlyn Vega, Grace Pennella, Amelia Collina, Bobby Collina, Phil Bruno

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

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

**REPORTS ON EASTER SUNDAY
COLLECTIONS WILL BE PUBLISHED
IN NEXT WEEK'S BULLETIN!**

**THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR
YOUR VERY GENEROUS EASTER
GIFTS!!!!**

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Ranulfo D. Docabo, SSL
Pastor

Rev. Jose Adrian Surigao, MA
Parochial Vicar

Ann Marie Kastner
Co-Director of Religious Education

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

Maria Granda
Bookkeeper

Leonora DiLauro-Ragab
Parish Secretary

Emiliano Cabanig
Maintenance

Karen Notare
Music Director

Michael Bruzzio & Rosario Chavez
Board of Trustees

Joseph Zarra
Finance Council Chair

Angela Cuozzo-Zarro
Pastoral Council Chair

DEATH OF POPE FRANCIS

O God, faithful rewarder of souls,
grant that your departed servant Pope Francis,
whom You made successor of Peter,
and shepherd of Your Church,
may happily enjoy for ever
in Your presence in heaven
the mysteries of Your grace and compassion,
which he faithfully ministered on earth.

—Roman Missal

Divine Mercy Sunday

Second Sunday of Easter

In a series of revelations to St. Maria Faustina Kowalska in the 1930s, our Lord called for a special feast day to be celebrated on the Sunday after Easter. Today, we know that feast as Divine Mercy Sunday, named by Pope Saint John Paul II at the canonization of St. Faustina on April 30, 2000.

The Lord expressed His will with regard to this feast in His very first revelation to St. Faustina. The most comprehensive revelation can be found in her *Diary* entry 699:

My daughter, tell the whole world about My inconceivable mercy. I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and a shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners. On that day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the fount of My mercy. The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment. On that day are opened all the divine floodgates through which graces flow. Let no soul fear to draw near to Me, even though its sins be as scarlet. My mercy is so great that no mind, be it of man or of angel, will be able to fathom it throughout all eternity. Everything that exists has come from the very depths of My most tender mercy. Every soul in its relation to Me will contemplate My love and mercy throughout eternity. The Feast of Mercy emerged from My very depths of tenderness. It is My desire that it be solemnly celebrated on the first Sunday after Easter. Mankind will not have peace until it turns to the Fount of My mercy.

Nevertheless, Divine Mercy Sunday is NOT a feast based solely on St. Faustina's revelations. Indeed, it is not primarily about St. Faustina — nor is it altogether a new feast. The Second Sunday of Easter was already a solemnity as the Octave Day of Easter. The title "Divine Mercy Sunday" does, however, highlight the meaning of the day.

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Here's
What's
Happening!

TODAY, SUNDAY, APRIL 27

**FILIPINO MASS &
FELLOWSHIP**

5:30pm

Church & Ferraro Hall

TUESDAY, APRIL 29

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
AND MIDDAY PRAYER WITH
BENEDICTION & ANOINTING
OF THE SICK**

8:30am—12:30pm

Church

SATURDAY, MAY 3

**FLORES DE MAYO
3:00PM**

Church & School

SUNDAY, MAY 4

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

10:30am-Older Children

12:15pm-Younger Children

Church

MAY CROWNING

12:15pm

Church

**ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY
MEETING**

1:15pm

Ferraro Hall

FLORES DE MAYO 2025

#FloresDeMayo2025 #FaithAndJoy #JoinTheFun

This is a wonderful time to honor our Blessed Mother through joyful songs, prayers, and exciting activities.

There will be

FUN GAMES, **AWESOME PRIZES**, & **DELICIOUS FOOD** waiting for everyone! Don't miss this chance to celebrate, learn, make new friends and have fun with faith and joy.

Bring your friends and join us –see you there!

For more details, contact:

Mia Rue 862 220 6940 ↓ IRENE LIMCUANDO 973 4159624
DARLENE DEYPALAN 862 371 7588 ↓ ARBIE ENTERO 848 459 3300
EVERY SATURDAY OF MAY AT 230 IN THE AFTERNOON

SANTA CRUZAN

SUNDAY, MAY 25, 2025
AT 330 IN THE AFTERNOON

ST ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH
63 FRANKLIN ST, BELLEVILLE NJ 07109



ALTAR SERVERS' SCHEDULE (1030am Mass)

April 27, 2025

*Ethan Venturi
Taina Venturi
Lucas Tiankee
Reagan Ocampo*

May 4, 2025

*Samantha Llaban
Chloe Llaban
Joseph Bunk-Grant
Clarie Anya*

TRAVELING CHALICE

Sunday, April 27, The Traveling Chalice will be received by **ARBIE ENTERO & FAMILY** at the 10:30am Mass. They will be praying for vocations this week and present to **MARIA VENTURI & FAMILY** next Sunday at the 10:30am Mass. Let us continue to pray for priestly & religious vocations in our parish!

NEXT WEEK'S 2nd COLLECTION

The 2nd Collection next week, May 3 & 4, will be for *Monthly Assessment*. Thank you for your generous donations and God bless you always!

UPCOMING 2nd COLLECTIONS SCHEDULE

May 10 & 11 – Mothers' Day Mass Remembrance
May 24 & 25 – none
May 29 – Ascension
May 31 & June 1 – Monthly Assessment
June 7 & 8 – Feast of Saint Anthony
June 14 & 15 – Fathers' Day Mass Remembrance
June 21 & 22 – Heat, Electric, Light, Power
June 28 & 29 – St. Peter's Pence
July 5 & 6 – Monthly Assessment
July 12 & 13 – none



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SCHOLARSHIP FUND FOR INNER-CITY CHILDREN

The Scholarship Fund for Inner-City Children invites you to apply for a partial tuition scholarship for your child for the 2025-26 School Year. This application window is open and will close on May 1, 2025. Applications are available by visiting their website at www.sficnj.org. Partial-tuition scholarships are awarded based on financial need without regard to race, religion or ethnicity. Current recipients and families who have applied in 2024, will receive a unique link via email. Applications must be completed each year with a \$35 fee (per family) and the required financial documentation.

ST. ANTHONY'S MOTHER'S DAY MASS & BREAKFAST

SUNDAY, MAY 11, after the 8:00 AM Mass

JUST \$20pp

Invite Your Mom, Your Grandmother, Your Godmother and Your Siblings—Make This an Extra Special Day

RSVP DEADLINE—MAY 8 — NO WALK-INS

Join Us for the Traditional Annual Festivities in Honor of Saint Anthony of Padua!

Mark your calendars for **June 14 & 15 (Sat & Sun)** as we celebrate our beloved patron saint! The festivities will take place in the **school parking lot**.

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Volunteers are needed for:

- Set-up and preparation
- Manning booths and events
- Clean-up after the celebration

Whether you can give an hour or a day, your time and effort will make a big difference. The success of our celebration depends on all of us coming together as a parish family.

Let's honor St. Anthony with joy, unity, and service!



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**NOVENA
ST. ANTHONY OF
PADUA**
Tuesdays
Within 8:00 AM Mass

**EUCCHARISTIC
ADORATION &
BENEDICTION**
Tuesdays
8:30 AM—7:30 PM

**NOVENA
OUR MOTHER OF
PERPETUAL HELP**
Wednesdays
Within 8:00 AM Mass

**NOVENA
OUR LADY OF
MIRACULOUS MEDAL**
Saturdays
Within 8:00 AM Mass

BINGO
Wednesdays & Fridays
7:30—10:00 PM
Saturdays
12:30—3:00 PM
School Cafeteria

**CCD CLASSES HAS
ENDED AND
WILL RESUME
IN SEPTEMBER 2025**

May 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		F I F T H D R A W CALENDAR RAFFLE 2025 May 18, 2025 <i>Ferraro Hall</i>		1 Feast of Saint Joseph the Worker	2 Holy Hour 830-930am <i>Church</i>	3 Pre-Baptismal Instructions 1:30 PM <i>Ferraro Hall</i> Flores de Mayo 3:00 PM <i>Church</i>
4 First Communion & May Crowning 1215pm Mass <i>Church</i>	5 Mother's Day Committee Mtg. 7pm <i>Ferraro Hall</i>	6	7	8	9	10 El Shaddai Mig 1:00 PM <i>Ferraro Hall</i> Flores de Mayo 3:00 PM <i>Church</i>
11 MOTHER'S DAY Communion Breakfast After 8am Mass <i>Ferraro Hall</i>	12 St. Anthony Feast Committee Mtg. 7pm <i>Ferraro Hall</i>	13 Society of St. Anthony Meeting 7pm <i>Ferraro Hall</i>	14	15	16	17 El Shaddai Mig 1:00 PM <i>Ferraro Hall</i> Flores de Mayo 3:00 PM <i>Church</i>
18 Baptism within the 1215pm Mass <i>Church</i>	19 Movie Night "THE CHOSEN" Season 4-Episode 4 7pm <i>Ferraro Hall</i>	20 Vocation Prayer, Benediction & Anointing 830am—1230pm <i>Church</i>	21	22 Finance Council Meeting 7pm <i>Ferraro Hall</i>	23	24 Flores de Mayo 3:00 PM <i>Church</i>
25 Flores de Mayo & Processions 330pm <i>Church Neighborhood</i> Filipino Mass & Fellowship 530pm <i>Church & Ferraro Hall</i>	26 Memorial Day 8AM MASS only	27	28	29	30	31