ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

63 Franklin Street (Silver Lake) Belleville, NJ 07109

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday
5:30pm *(Sunday Vigil Mass)*

Sunday
8:00, 10:30am & 12:00nn
10:30am—Lower Church
Religious Education Family Mass

Weekday
Monday—Friday 7:00am & 8:00am
Saturday 8:00am

Every **4th Sunday** at 5:00pm
Filipino Mass

SACRAMENTS

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

Baptism
3rd Sunday of the month at 1:30pm starting June 2021. Parents and sponsors must attend a baptismal preparation program held on the 1st Saturday of the month at 1:30pm 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:
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Telephone Number
973-481-1991

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Website Address
www.saintanthonybelleville.org

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, November 27th
5:30p Deceased Members Rizon & Gonzales Families *by Cerry Gonzales*

SUNDAY, November 28th
8:00a Nicola Zipeto *by Helen & Frank Yacullo*
10:30a People of the Parish
12:00n Clement Tome Jr. *by Maxine Cobin*
5:00p Ricardo Galvez Sr. *by June & Tess*

MONDAY, November 29th
7:00a Visitacion Stanford *by Esperanza Recio*
8:00a Sabato Panzariello *by Helen & Frank Yacullo*

TUESDAY, November 30th
7:00a Lillian Wasserman *by Peggy McNulty*
8:00a Domenick Gaglio *by Family*

WEDNESDAY, December 1st
7:00a Antonio Ingino *by Marino Family*
8:00a Rosalina Chavez *by Rose & Noli Chavez*

THURSDAY, December 2nd
7:00a Margaret Burkat *by Sigall Family*
8:00a Gilda Yacullo *by Helen & Frank Yacullo*

FRIDAY, December 3rd
7:00a Florita Cabatingan Marababel *by Family*
8:00a Melecio Docabo (BDay Blessings) *by Fr. Nol*

SATURDAY, December 4th
8:00a Living & Deceased Members Holy Name Society
5:30p Frank Palma *by Julie*

MEMORIALS FOR THE WEEK

November 21 – November 27, 2021

The **Altar Bread & Wine** will be offered for the Intention of
Ken & Rocco Constantino

The **Altar Candles** will be offered the Special Intention
People of the Parish

The **Sanctuary Lamp** will be offered for the Intention of
People of the Parish

LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK

Jerry Petrucci, Marie Catanacci, Sr. Patricia, MPF, Tammy Orthman, Louis Muhaw, Lito Jimenez, Bernardino Cadavez, Joseph Doria, Jeanette Omara, Edwin Varquez

*Note: This list is updated monthly. Please call the parish office if you need the name/s to be kept in **next week's** bulletin.*

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

REPORTS ON PREVIOUS SUNDAY COLLECTIONS WILL BE PUBLISHED IN NEXT WEEK'S BULLETIN

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!!!

"God loves a cheerful giver." (2 Cor. 9:7)

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KNOW YOUR PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS

Vice Chair, Finance Council

My name is Emelita Manulat, commonly known by friends as Emmie. I am the newly appointed Vice-Chair of the Finance Council. I am a Nurse by profession, Certified Nurse in Operating Room, a Case Manager and Utilization/Clinical Reviewer in the NJVAHCS for many years. I considered Nursing not by Occupation but a Vocation. Along the way I encountered a lot of bumps, twists and turns of challenges, struggles, trials, disappointments, frustrations, satisfactions, joy, discoveries, successes and failures. In good times and in bad I never stopped pursuing the dreams. God helped me attained my dreams and accomplished to reach the mountaintop, the height of my career. Yet, after a prayerful discernment, I decided to retire this year from the job I loved. So, in this new journey of retirement life, I hang up my "Nursing Cap" and turned off my "Florence Nightingale Lamp," but I pray that I will never cease to be "the light on a lampstand" shining before others bearing the true witnessing of care and compassion which is parallel to Nursing.

Growing up, my siblings and I were exposed by our parents, who were members of the Holy Name Society and Catholic Women's League, the joy of serving the church and the community, which we carried their legacy up to this day, the gift of servanthood.

Here I am in the next chapter of life's journey, offering my services to the Church, not only in St. Anthony Parish, but to other parishes that asked my support. I am a Covenanted Disciple of the Bukas Loob sa Diyos, a Catholic Covenant Community. For 30+ years, St. Anthony Church has been my refuge and home away from home. I'm serving as Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, the 2nd Vice-President of the Rosary Altar Society, a member of the Communication Ministry, a facilitator for the weekly Lenten Scriptural Group Sharing and had been the President of the Fil-Am Community for four years. I'm actively involved in the weekly Bible Study Group, the monthly Word Sharing Circle and other church activities.

I am greatly honored and blessed serving in my own capacity as Vice-Chair of the Finance Council. I thank the Lord for the experience and the opportunity to carry the banner of my vocation by serving others, remained faithful and true in my service to humanity. Now, as I say these words, it made me recall the answer during my interview to get into UV College of Nursing…"to serve humanity."

As I let God use me as His instrument to serve mankind, I truly believe, He will be there every step of the way to see me through, conquering all the bumps, twists and turns on the road with self-transformation as a bonus. To God be the glory!

Here's What's Happening!

FILIPINO MASS & FELLOWSHIP

Today, November 28th at 5:00pm

(every 4th Sunday of the Month)

PLEASE JOIN US IN OUR CELEBRATIONS!

St. Anthony's is hosting another

Protecting God's Children Seminar

December 3, 2021

(Friday)

@ 7 PM

Ferraro Hall

Go to virtusonline.org to sign up

Or call the Parish Office for more information

A Kernel of History

(Part 5)

Classes to prepare for First Holy Communion at that time were conducted by lay teachers and the visiting Filippini sisters. Father Gillick taught the Confirmation classes and Bishop Walsh performed the very first Confirmation ceremony in the new church in 1939. Father Gillick became acquainted with all the parishioners visiting the homes in the area and conducting a census of the Catholic families. He talked to them, listened to their complaints and problems and the end result was that church attendance increased not only with the children but the parents as well. In 1938 several men in the parish wanted to start a scouting program in the parish. Father Alessi gave his permission to the organizing committee and Troop 387 was initiated. The first scoutmaster was Pete Mosco followed by Mr. Earl, Tony Recenello and Tom Sibilia, who served for over 40 years until his death in 1988. In February of 1939 the Christian Mothers' Society was formed. The purpose was to educate the mothers to rear their children according to the example of Jesus Christ and the church under the special patronage of the Holy Family. The Altar Boys' Society grew under the leadership of Father Gillick. After serving the Parish for 34 years, Father Alessi passed away on December 11, 1939 – most of those years as the only priest at St. Anthony's. He struggled financially, due to the fact that most of the parishioners were Italian immigrants who worked for low pay and could not afford to give much. Even so, he was able to make some amazing accomplishments. Outside of serving the parish in a spiritual way, he was able to help found Immaculate Conception Parish and achieve the final realization of having the new church built.

More to come in future bulletins.

CHRISTMAS PARTY & PAGEANT

On **December 19, 2021** (Sunday), the students of CCD will have their ***Christmas Party*** at the School Cafeteria (Bingo Hall) from 9:00 to 10:00 in the morning.

Then, the ***Christmas Pageant*** will start before the 10:30am Mass (around 10:15am) in our Church. Let us support our children with their parents and teachers as they celebrate the Birth of the Lord!

Sundays at 10:30am

Grades 4 & below (ages 10 & below)

starts next Sunday

December 5, 2021

(2nd Sunday of Advent)

CCD Needs Your HELP!!!

Please Donate Winter Items For The Less Fortunate!

The 8th Graders are collecting

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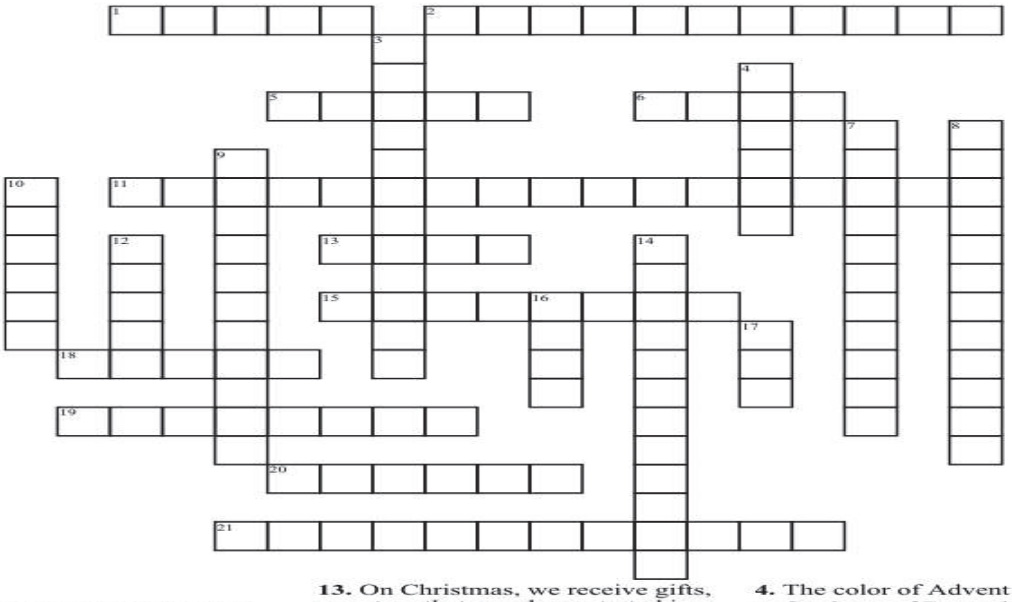
Advent Crossword Puzzle



Across

1. On Christmas we celebrate the birth of……..
2. The Advent wreath is a symbol of…….for the coming of Christ
5. Every human being is loved by god and has dignity and……
6. Advent begins……Sundays before December 25.
11. ……..is a sequence of specific seasons and feasts that are celebrated in the liturgy during a year's time.
13. On Christmas, we receive gifts, a custom that may have started in remembrance of the….from the East who brought gifts to the infants Jesus.
15. What month does Advent begin in?
18. The color for Christmas is……..
19. Jesus is the……
20. What season does the liturgical year begin in?
21. When is Jesus born?

Down

3. The vigil mass takes place on
4. The color of Advent is……
7. On the….of December Jesus was born.
8. During the 4 weeks of Advent we prepare to celebrate the……..
9. Christmas is a time to…… with thankfulness in our hearts
10. …….is the father of Jesus
12. At Christmas we celebrate the great……. that each one of us is loved by God
14. The Christmas season begins with the…..
16. ……..is the mother of Jesus.
17. The color of Christmas [white] is a symbol of……

Food Pantry Collection

We will be collecting food for the Food Pantry at St. Peter's Church every day.
Please bring non-perishables to the church or to the parish office (rectory).

Vocation Promotions

Women and men who feel called to the religious life, and men called to Holy Orders, should contact the Vocations Office at 973-497-4365

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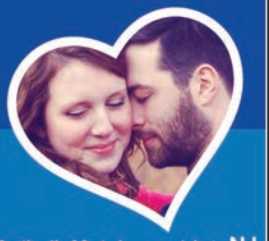
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