

33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - A NOVEMBER 19, 2023

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

63 Franklin Street (Silver Lake) Belleville, NJ 07109

"Well done,
good and
faithful servant...
Enter into the
joy of your
Master."

Matthew 25:21

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday

530PM (*Sunday Vigil Mass*)

Sunday

8AM, 1030AM & 12:15PM

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

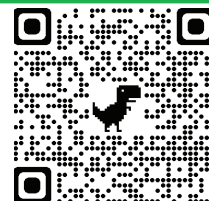
Parents and sponsors must attend a baptismal preparation program held on the 1st Saturday of the month at 130pm in Ferraro Hall. Please arrange for baptism and the preparation program by calling the office as soon as possible.

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:

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750 N. 7th Street
Newark, NJ 07107

Telephone
973-481-1991

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973-759-1417

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Weekly Mass Intentions

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SATURDAY, November 18

5:30p Monico Baltazar (Birthday) by Noli & Rose Chavez

SUNDAY, November 19

8:00a Leonard Iannia by Beloved Children

10:30a Ricardo & Crispina Galvez by Jun & Tess Galvez

12:15p People of the Parish

MONDAY, November 20

7:00a Desideria Cadavez by Edna Tan

8:00a Dorothy Table by GERALYN STRUMPH

TUESDAY, November 21

7:00a Ricardo Galvez Sr. by Jun & Tess Galvez

8:00a Presentacion De Roma by Maria Sabate

WEDNESDAY, November 22

7:00a In Honor of St. Cecelia by Donna Marie Iannia

8:00a Ivan Mercado (Birthday) by Ricky & Lorna Mercado

THURSDAY, November 23 (Thanksgiving Day)

7:00a Galvez Family by Jun & Tess Galvez

8:00a Alma Quinio (Healing) by Cecile Fabe

FRIDAY, November 24

8:00a Romulo De Roma by Maria Sabate

SATURDAY, November 25

8:00a Ryan Ramos (Birthday) by Norie & Ray Ramos

5:30p Frank Palma by Julie Palma

SUNDAY, November 26

8:00a Doris Gomez by Adriana Rivera

10:30a Romeo & Teresita Montas by Jay Montas

12:15p Mario & Maria Picardi by Rosa & Antonio Feo

5:00p (Filipino Mass) People of the Parish

MEMORIALS FOR THE WEEK

November 19—25, 2023

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

Dolores Landry

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

People of the Parish

LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK

Joseph Doria, Lydia Salzano, Lorraine Snowman, Edward McNulty, Nida Andre, Patricia Chideo, Arlenia Salomon, Carolyn Salvatoriello, Amelia Collina, Nathan Rosa, Jaxson & Jacob Rivera, Feliciano Lima, Elvira Varquez, Jonel Francisco, Thomas Moore, Matilda Salem, Jackie & Chris Hosford, John Buglione

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

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Regular Collections - \$ 3,302.81
(November 12, 2023 including online)

YOUR CONTINUED GENEROSITY IS VERY MUCH APPRECIATED!

"One gives freely, yet grows all the richer; another withholds what he should give, only suffers wants."

Proverbs 11:24

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PRAYER FOR ALL SOULS IN PURGATORY

"Eternal Father, I offer Thee the Most Precious Blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the Masses said throughout the world today, for all the Holy Souls in Purgatory, for sinners everywhere, for sinners in the universal Church, those in my own home, and within my family. Amen."

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord; and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithfully departed rest in peace. Amen.

REST IN THE PEACE OF CHRIST



VICTORIA AUFIERO

MESSAGE OF HIS HOLINESS POPE FRANCIS FOR THE 2023 WORLD DAY OF THE POOR

19 November 2023, Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Do not turn your face away from anyone who is poor” (Tob 4:7)

Pope Francis has released his message for the annual World Day of the Poor, stressing that a “great river of poverty is traversing our cities”, and that every Christian is called to become “personally involved” in the struggle against it. His message for the World Day, which is celebrated today, 19th November, takes the form of an extended reflection on the Book of Tobit.

The scale of the problem

Pope Francis begins his message by stressing that “a great river of poverty is traversing our cities and swelling to the point of overflowing; it seems to overwhelm us, so great are the needs of our brothers and sisters who plead for our help, support and solidarity.”

“We are living”, he continues, “in times that are not particularly sensitive to the needs of the poor. The pressure to adopt an affluent lifestyle increases, while the voices of those dwelling in poverty tend to go unheard.”

In particular, he stresses “new forms of poverty”, such as “peoples caught up in situations of war”, the “inhumane treatment” of many workers, and “speculation in various sectors”, which he said had led to “dramatic price increases that further impoverish many families”.

Our response

Faced with problems of this magnitude, Pope Francis writes, our responsibility is clear. We must heed Tobit’s words to Tobias: ““Do not turn your face away from anyone who is poor.”

“In a word,” he continues, “whenever we encounter a poor person, we cannot look away, for that would prevent us from encountering the face of the Lord Jesus.”

Thus, “the parable of the Good Samaritan (cf. *Lk* 10:25-37) is not simply a story from the past; it continues to challenge each of us in the here and now of our daily lives. It is easy to delegate charity to others, yet the calling of every Christian is to become personally involved.”

The political process

Pope Francis goes on to point out that this year is the 60th anniversary of the publication of Pope John XXIII’s landmark encyclical *Pacem in Terris*, in which he urged that “Every human being enjoys the right to life, to bodily integrity and to the means necessary for the proper development of life, including food, clothing, shelter, medical care, rest, and, finally, the necessary social services.”

How to act, Pope Francis asks, in the face of the failure of the political process to deliver these goods?

The answer, he says, is two-fold. There is, on the one hand, “a need to urge and even pressure public institutions to perform their duties properly”, but, on the other, “it is of no use to wait passively to receive everything “from on high””.

Those living in poverty, Pope Francis stresses, ought also to be included in this search for “change and responsibility.”

Taken from [Vatican News](#) and Joseph Tulloch, where this article originally appeared. To read the entire message of Pope Francis, go to:

Seventh World Day of the Poor, 2023: “Do not turn your face away from anyone who is poor” (Tob 4:7) | Francis (vatican.va)



TODAY, SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19

2024 Mass Book Opens

After Each Mass

Church Vestibule

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20

PARISH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

7:00pm

Ferraro Hall

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 21

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

**(WITH MIDDAY PRAYER &
BENEDICTION at 12 Noon)**

**starts at 830am – and ends with
Benediction at 12nn**

Ferraro Hall



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parish Trips & Pilgrimages

APRIL 4, 2023 (THURSDAY)

Sight & Sound Millenium Theatre
Lancaster PA

"Daniel"

\$200 per person

(This price includes premium seat,
transportation, lunch and light snacks)

May 28—June 7, 2024

Marian Pilgrimage to Portugal, Spain
and France (with highlights in Fatima,
Montserrat, Lourdes)

September 9-19, 2024

Pilgrimage to Scotland and Ireland

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An Advent Carol

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PLAYWRIGHT: J.S. Pecorella

FEATURING: Pasqualino Beltempo, Nikki Casseri*, Annie Lewis, Leo Grinberg,*
Rebekah Rawhouser,* Brandon Schram! Tony Bartoli, Percussionist
*Courtesy of Actors' Equity Association

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SUNDAY DECEMBER 10th
4:00 PM

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Annual Appeal Reminder

Just a gentle reminder for those who have pledged to the Annual Appeal 2023. Please remember to send in your payment to the Archdiocese before the end of the year. There are still nine donors who have to complete their pledges. Thanks!

Adoration Schedule



ADORATION AND BENEDICTION

Tuesdays starting at 8:30am and ending
with **Benediction at 12nn**
at the Little House.

CCD Advent Penitential Service

In preparation for Christmas, our CCD children will have their advent reconciliation on **December 4, 2023 (Monday)** at 6pm in the Church. Parents are also encouraged to lead their children in receiving the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

ALTAR SERVERS' SCHEDULE (1030am Mass)

November 19, 2023

Samantha Llaban

Chloe Llaban

Joseph Bunk-Grant

Ryan Paurom

November 26, 2023

Sydney Anya

Claire Anya

Lucas Tiankee

Reagan Ocampo

TRAVELING CHALICE

Today the Traveling Chalice will be received by the **VILLABLANCA FAMILY** at the 8:00am Mass. They will be praying for vocations this week and present to the **FORNAROTTO FAMILY** next Saturday at the 5:30PM Mass. With these families, let us continue to pray for priestly & religious vocations in our parish!

Rejoice With the Choir

We are currently in the process of forming our Choir. If you have ever thought about bringing back the beautiful sound of voices singing praise to the Lord at St. Anthony's, then this is your chance! The Christmas Season is the perfect time to bring back our Choir. Let us praise Him with music and song for all He has done. Call our Music Minister, Karen Notare, at 908-745-1344 to sign up.



Who's Got Talent??? Use It Wisely!!!

Christmas is coming and we are looking for musicians to volunteer to play for the upcoming Christmas liturgies. So, if you play any string (including guitar), wind, brass, or percussion instrument, do not hesitate to contact our Music Minister, Karen Notare, at 908-745-1344 or by email: karennotare@aol.com.

Additionally, we are looking for musicians to volunteer their time and talent to play not only at Christmas or Easter, but at various liturgies and services throughout the year. Thank you.

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