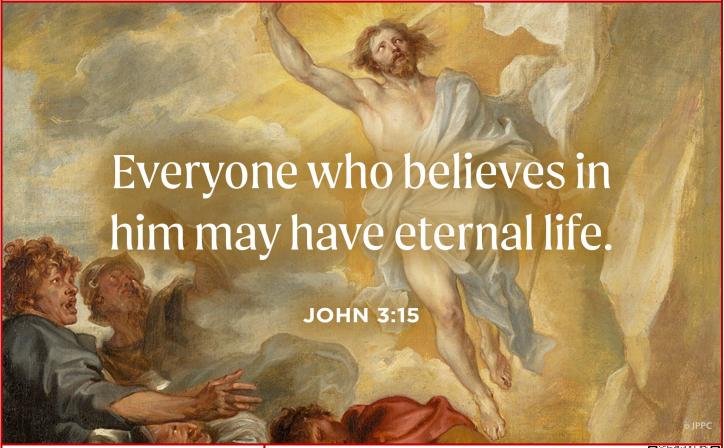
EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS - C SEPTEMBER 14, 2025

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

63 Franklin Street (Silver Lake) Belleville, NJ 07109



MASS SCHEDULE Saturday

5:30PM (Sunday Vigil Mass)

Sunday

8AM, 10:30AM & 12:15PM

Weekday

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

Every **Last Sunday** at 5:30PM Filipino Mass

SACRAMENTS

Confession

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

Baptism

3rd Sunday of the month at 1:30pm, except Eastertime

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:

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





<u>SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 13</u>

8:00a Judy Porcelli by Bob & Patti Lawless 5:30p Genevieve "Jean" Giordano by Family

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

8:00a Emilia, Nicola & Concetta Stoppiello by Emilia Percio

10:30a Living & Deceased Members of RAS

12:15p People of the Parish

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

7:00a Annamaria Alongi (Healing) by Dad 8:00a Santino Alongi (Healing) by Dad

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

7:00a Gilda Raimondi (Benefactor)

8:00a Souls in Purgatory by Leonora

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

7:00a Remy Frisina (Benefactor)

8:00a Deceased Parishioners of St. Anthony's

<u>THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 18</u>

7:00a Souls in Purgatory by Leonora

8:00a People of the Parish

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

8:00a Helen Sibilia (101 Birthday Blessings) by Leonora

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

8:00a Adelsa Escudero by Phyllis Stoia

5:30p James Serritella by Anita & Angela

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

8:00a Phyllis & Leonard lannia by Beloved Children

10:30a People of the Parish

12:15p Frank Barbone & Family by Marie

MEMORIALS FOR THE WEEK

September 14 - September 20 2025

The Altar Bread & Wine will be offered in memory 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, Feliciano Lima, Zenaida Baltazar, Alfreda Surigao, Rita Charles, John Buglione, Amelia Collina, Bobby Collina, Nick Perna, Phil Bruno, Michael Profenno, Tom Klapatch, Anna Granja, Samantha Kinsley, Tommy Farese, Marie Jean-Pierre, Jeanne Grieg, Tami Novak, Valentin Colon, Billy Juliano, Nicholas Castellano, Irma Wilson, Diana Friedman

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

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Regular Sunday Collections

-\$ 2,649.00

(September 6 & 7, 2025 excluding online)

Monthly Assessment

- \$ 1,209.00

THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT AND GENEROSITY!

"Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap; for the measure you give will be the measure you get back."

Luke 6:38

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Ranulfo D. Docabo, SSL

Pastor

Ann Marie Kastner

Co-Director of Religious Education

Mari Ippolito, B.A.

Co-Director of Religious Education &

Youth Director

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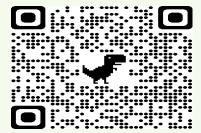
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Angela Cuozzo-Zarro

Pastoral Council Chair

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Exaltation of the Holy Cross September 14, 2025

The one symbol most often identified with Jesus and his Church is the cross.

Today we celebrate The Exaltation of the Holy Cross. This feast traces its beginning to Jerusalem and the dedication of the church built on the site of Mount Calvary in 335. But the meaning of the cross is deeper than any city, any celebration, any building. The cross is a sign of suffering, a sign of human cruelty at its worst. But by Christ's love shown in the Paschal Mystery, it has become the sign of triumph and victory, the sign of God, who is love itself.

Believers have always looked to the cross in times of suffering. People in concentration camps, in prisons, in hospitals, in any place of suffering and loneliness, have been known to draw, trace, or form crosses and focus their eyes and hearts on them. The cross does not explain pain and misery. It does not give us any easy answers. But it does help us to see our lives united with Christ's.

We often make the Sign of the Cross over ourselves. We make it before prayer to help fix our minds and hearts on God. We make it after prayer, hoping to stay close to God. In trials and temptations, the cross is a sign of strength and protection. The cross is the sign of the fullness of life that is ours. At Baptism, too, the Sign of the Cross is used; the priest, parents, and godparents make the sign on the forehead of the child. A sign made on the forehead is a sign of belonging. By the Sign of the Cross in Baptism, Jesus takes us as his own in a unique way. Today, let us look to the cross often. Let us make the Sign of the Cross and realize we bring our whole selves to God—our minds, souls, bodies, wills, thoughts, heartseverything we are and will become.

O cross, you are the glorious sign of our victory. Through your power may we share in the triumph of Christ Jesus.

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TODAY, SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY MASS & MEETING AFTER

10:30am

Church & Ferraro Hall

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

(FOR THIS WEEK ONLY)

ZUMBA

6:30—9:00pm

Ferraro Hall

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

MOVIE NIGHT

THE CHOSEN 7:00pm

Ferraro Hall

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

START OF NOVENA TO STS. LORENZO RUIZ & PEDRO CALUNGSOD

after 8:00am Mass

Church

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

 9^{TH} DRAW CALENDAR RAFFLE 2025

1:30pm

Ferraro Hall

NEXT WEEK'S 2nd COLLECTION

There will be no second collection next week, September 20 & 21. If you have missed any collection, use this week to catch up. Your generous support for our parish is most appreciated and needed. Thank you and God bless!

UPCOMING 2nd COLLECTIONS SCHEDULE

September 13 & 14—Catholic University of America

September 20 & 21 – none (catch-up)

September 27 & 28 – H.E.L.P

October 4 & 5 – Monthly Assessment

October 11 & 12 – All Souls Day

October 18 & 19 -World Mission Sunday

November 1 – All Saints

November 1 & 2—Monthly Assessment

November 8 & 9 – Archdiocese for Military

November 15 & 16 – Christmas Flowers

November 22 & 23 – none (catch-up)

November 27 – Thanksgiving Day

ALTAR SERVERS' SCHEDULE (1030am Mass)

September 14, 2025

September 21, 2025

Ethan Venturi

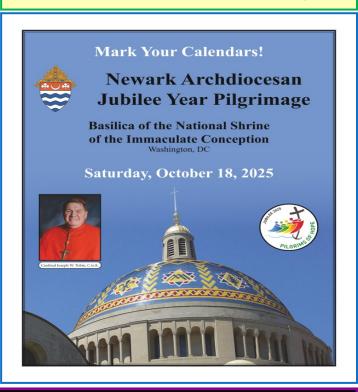
Taina Venturi

Lucas Tiankee Clarie Anya Ethan Venturi Taina Venturi Joseph Bunk-Grant Clarie Anya

CCD TRICKY TRAY COMING SOON

This year the CCD will hold it's major fundraising event, Tricky Tray, on October 19

If you have any donations for this Epic Event — please contact Ann Marie Kastner by calling the Parish Office. And a Million Thanks for your help.





MONTH OF SEPTEMBER IS DEDICATED TO

OUR LADY OF SORROWS

Queen of Martyrs, your heart suffered so much.

I beg you, by the merits of the tears you shed
in these terrible and sorrowful times,
to obtain for me and all the sinners of the world
the grace of complete sincerity and repentance.

Amen.

Mary, who was conceived without sin and who suffered for us, pray for us.
(Pray 3x)
In the name of The Father, and The Son, and The Holy Spirit.
Amen.

A body in motion — stays in motion!!! So get your body moving every Friday night!! Zumba classes have started — be sure to join us at Ferraro Hall on Friday nights while we keep our bodies moving!!

BE THERE!! 6:30—9:00pm Fridays at Ferraro Hall

SCHEDULE CHANGE—This week ONLY! Come to Zumba on Wednesday night instead of Friday)



It's Time To Roll Out The Barrel!!!

OKTOBERFEST

Join in the Fun on

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 5 @ 3:00pm

It all happens at Ferraro Hall! So put your dancing shoes on and learn the Beer Barrel Polka!!

There'll be music and dancing and lots of Food!

Bratwurst, Sauerkraut, Potato Salad, Pretzels, Beer and More!!!!

Join the Celebration As We Roll Out the Barrel!!

Please make your reservation early...don't miss out!

ONLY \$30 per person (adults only)

COMPLETE THIS FORM & SUBMIT IT TO THE PARISH OFFICE WITH YOUR PAYMENT

NAME	
PHONE NUMBER	
NUMBER OF ATTENDEES	AMOUNT ENCLOSED