Then taking the five loaves and the two fish, and looking up to heaven, he said the blessing over them, broke them, and gave them to the disciples to set before the crowd. They all ate and were satisfied. And when the leftover fragments were picked up, they filled twelve wicker baskets. - Lk 9:16-17
ALL ARE WELCOME!

Whatever your present status in the Catholic Church,
whatever your current family or marital situation,
whatever your past or present religious affiliation,
whatever your personal history, age, background, race or color,
you are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved and respected at
the Parish Family of St. Anthony of Padua.

There are no Strangers at St. Anthony’s - Only Friends We Haven’t Met

FATHER WILLIAM J. SMITH, K.C.H.S. PASTOR
REV. MSGR. PAFNOUTI WASSEF, PAROCHIAL VICAR
MICHAEL BRUCATO, DEACON  JOEY PERLAS, DEACON  PETER BARCELLONA, DEACON

St. Anthony of Padua Worship Site
436 Port Reading Ave., Port Reading, NJ

The Holy Eucharist
Saturday, Evening: 4:00 PM
Sunday, 8:30 AM, & 11:15 AM
Daily: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday: 7:30 AM
Thursday: 7:00 PM
Tuesday— Novena to Our Lady of the
Miraculous Medal following
7:30 AM Mass
Thursday—Novena to St. Anthony
following the 7:00PM Mass
First Friday of the Month
Devotions to the Sacred Heart
Following the 7:30 AM Mass
Liturgy of the Hours - Prayed 20 minutes
before Daily Mass
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Thursday Evening: 6:30 PM
Saturday: 3:15 PM

ANIMA CHRISTI

Soul of Christ, sanctify me;
Body of Christ, save me;
Blood of Christ, inebriate me;
Water from the side of Christ, wash me;
Passion of Christ, strengthen me;
O good Jesus, hear me;
Within your wounds, hide me;
Separated from you, let me never be;
From the evil one, protect me;
at the hour of my death, call me;
And close to you, bid me;
That with your saints, I may be,
Praising you forever and ever.

Amen.

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Worship Site
280 Amboy Ave. (Rt.35), Woodbridge, NJ

The Holy Eucharist
Sunday, 9:45 AM Mass
Rosary prayed in Hungarian before Mass.
Divine Mercy Chaplet prayed after Mass.

Daily:  Saturday only: 8:30 AM
First Saturday of the Month
Devotions to Mary following Mass
Liturgy of the Hours - Prayed 20 minutes
before Daily Mass

Parish Office Hours
Monday 8:30AM—3:30PM
Tuesday 10:00AM—3:30PM
Wednesday 8:30AM—3:30PM
Thursday 8:30AM—5:30PM; 6:30PM—9:00PM
Office is CLOSED on Fridays
Closed for lunch each day at 12:45PM—1:30PM

www.saintedanthonypadua.org
We’re on FACEBOOK, come and check us out!

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Office: info.StAnthony1@gmail.com
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Mass Intentions

at St. Anthony of Padua Worship Site

Monday, June 24th  The Nativity of St. John the Baptist
7:30AM Surya Pratap Taneja
req. by The Associates of the Finance Dept. at Amerigroup

Tuesday, June 25th
7:30AM William “Herb” Sullivan
req. by Joan Ballance & family

Wednesday, June 26th
7:30AM Juliet Muscatello  [20th Anniversary in Heaven]
req. with love by her husband, Tom

Thursday, June 27th  St. Cyril of Alexandria
7:00PM Florence Scognamiglio
req. by Joan Ballance & family

Friday, June 28th  The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
7:30AM Regina Tietchen
req. by John & Holly Pagliuca

Saturday, June 29th  Sts. Peter and Paul
4:00PM John Trotto
req. by his sisters, Maryann & Nora & family

Sunday, June 30th  13th Sunday In Ordinary Time
8:30AM Barbara Ann Krissak
req. by her loving family
11:15AM Priscilla Ragucci-Kalay
req. by Deacon Joe & Rose Ragucci

at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Worship Site

Saturday, June 29th  Sts. Peter and Paul
8:30AM Joseph Mikos
req. by loving wife, Magda & family

Sunday, June 30th  13th Sunday In Ordinary Time
9:45AM Teofilo C. Dizon
req. by The Dizon Family

Responsorial Psalm in Hungarian for June 23, 2019
The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
Corpus Christi

Pap vagy te mindörökké,
Mélkizedek rendje szerint.

Prayer Time with Father Smith
for the people of the parish and the needs of the parish.

All are Welcome.

This Week’s Scripture Readings

Sunday: Genesis 14:18-20
Psalms 110:1, 2, 3, 4
1 Corinthians 11:23-26
Luke 9:11b-17

Monday: Isaiah 49:1-6
Psalms 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14-15
Acts 13:22-26
Luke 1:57-66, 80

Tuesday: Genesis 13:2, 5-18
Psalms 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5
Matthew 7:6, 12-14

Wednesday: Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18
Psalms 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9
Matthew 7:15-20

Thursday: Genesis 16:1-12, 15-16 or 16:6b-12, 15-16
Psalms 106:1b-2, 3-4a, 4b-5
Matthew 7:21-29

Friday: Ezekiel 34:11-16
Psalms 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6
Romans 5:5b-11
Luke 15:3-7

Saturday: Acts 12:1-11
Psalms 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9
2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18
Matthew 16:13-19

Sunday: 1 Kings 19:16b, 19-21
Psalms 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11
Galatians 5:1, 13-18
G.I.F.T. 2019—2020 REGISTRATION HAS BEGUN!

As always class size is limited, and registration is on “First Submitted / First Honored basis so get them in early. Additional forms for new families are on the desk at the entrance of both worship sites and the parish office.

Parents of our First Communion Class of 2019: The children’s banners, as well as the group picture and DVD orders are here in the parish office ready for you to pick up.

FEAST OF ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA PILGRIM STATUE

In Honor of our Patron Saint’s Feast Day, June 13th why not consider hosting the pilgrim statue of St. Anthony of Padua in your home this summer?

The Pilgrim Statue can be honored to promote devotion to our Patron Saint. When hosting the Statue you may wish to invite relatives, neighbors or just have it for yourself for private devotion.

If you would like to honor this pilgrim statue in your home, please fill out the form available at the entrance of both worship sites and return to the parish office.

FLOWERS FOR ST. ANTHONY

In honor of Patron Saint Anthony of Padua flowers may be placed by the statue in the Church each weekend in memory of a loved one or for your special intention. The donation for the flowers is $40.00. If you would like to order flowers, please call the parish office.

ARE YOU BEING CALLED TO THE DIACONATE?

The Diocese of Metuchen is looking for men who are interested in becoming Permanent Deacons.

A new diaconate formation class will begin in spring 2020. If you are between the ages of 35 and 60, you are invited to attend a General Information Meeting on Tuesday, June 25, 2019 at 7:30 p.m., at the St. John Neumann Pastoral Center, 146 Metlars Lane, Piscataway.

Applications for the 2020 class will be accepted near the end of this summer. If you have any questions, or wish to advise that you will attend, please contact the Diocesan Diaconate Center, 146 Metlars Lane, Piscataway.

2019 Bishop’s Annual Appeal

Help Build a Civilization of LOVE

To date, the Developments Office has received pledges totaling $25,441.50 and payments totaling $20,874.75 from 212 parishioners. This represents 106.0% of our goal.

Thank you to all who have given so generously to the 2019 Bishop’s Annual Appeal. If you have not made a pledge, there is still time to participate. Mail your gift to:

Diocese of Metuchen, Bishop’s Annual Appeal PO Box 4000, Metuchen, NJ 08840-4000
VOTIVE CANDLES
Votive candles burn constantly as a form of prayer and adoration. The candles burning this weekend are dedicated at St. Anthony of Padua Worship Site

TABERNACLE
In Loving Memory of our Dear Parents, Maria & Carmen req. by Albina & Victor D’Alessio
In Loving Memory of Jennie DeNittis req. by her goddaughter, Angela
In Loving Memory of William H. Sullivan req. by Millie & Garry Sutphen

GOOD SHEPHERD
In Loving Memory of Gordon & Ann Ur, John Patrick & Owen req. by their family
In Loving Memory of Danielle (D’Orsi) & Brian Caynor req. by Richie & Adrienne

CROSS OF SAN DOMIANO
God’s Blessings for the Return of Good Health for James Bodak req. by his sister, Ethel Osag
In Loving Memory of William H. Sullivan req. by George & Maryann Marrone

Let us join with Pope Francis I’s prayer intention for June: The Mode of Life of Priests. That priests, through the modesty and humility of their lives, commit themselves actively to a solidarity with those who are most poor.

PRAY FOR OUR PRIESTS
June 24 Rev. Robert Lyman
Rev. Edward Czarcinski
June 25 Rev. Thomas Odorizzi CO
Rev. Jacek Stanislawski, CSsR
June 26 Rev. Michael Fragoso
Rev. Timothy Christy
June 27 Rev. Edward Keams
Rev. Michael Gromadzki
June 28 Very Rev. Patrick Kuffner
Rev. Andrzej Wieliczko
June 29 Our Holy Father, Pope Francis I

Altar Flowers
this weekend at
St. Anthony of Padua Worship Site ...

In Loving Memory of
Juliet Muscatello
as she celebrates her 20th Anniversary in Heaven
requested by her loving husband
Tom

If you would like flowers for the altar for your special intention at St. Anthony of Padua Worship Site or Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Worship Site please call the Parish office.

Year of Spiritual Renewal and Awakening of Faith

If you would like to host the icon in your home for private prayer and devotion, please pick up a flyer from the desk at the entrances of both worship sites and return the form to the parish office or email: info.stanthony1@gmail.com.

The icon can be picked up on Thursday and returned the following Tuesday during office hours.

Flowers for Our Lady of Guadalupe

In honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe flowers may be placed by the icon in the Church narthex each weekend in memory of a loved one or for your special intention. If interested please contact the parish office at 732-634-1403 or via email at: info.stanthony1@gmail.com.


FLOWERS FOR ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA
this weekend
In Loving Memory of
Antonio & Margherita Rescinito requested by their granddaughter,
Margaret Rescinito
ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH FEAST DAY RAFFLE WINNERS

DRAWING...JUNE 13, 2019      662 TICKETS SOLD      7 WINNERS

GRAND PRIZE (40%)……..$3,310.00   #0297  Patricia Naumyk
2ND PRIZE (20%)…$1,655.00   #0098  Christine Ziober
3RD PRIZE (8%)… $662.00   #1063  Dylan Ciszewski
4TH PRIZE (8%)…..$662.00   #1447  Ann Marie Regan
5TH PRIZE (8%)…..$662.00   #0820  Maria Sztancsik
6TH PRIZE (8%)…..$662.00   #1310  Victor & Adelaida Rabago
7TH PRIZE (8%)…..$662.00   #0387  Karen DeAngelo

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL Our Lucky Winners!
To all that purchased Raffle Tickets, Thank you and God Bless You for your continued support of St. Anthony of Padua Parish.
Liturgical Minister Schedule

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA WORSHIP SITE

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday 06/29/19
4:00PM Volunteer Welcome

Sunday 06/30/19
8:30AM C. Greener, E. Roche
11:15AM Volunteer Welcome

STEP UP....When you come for Mass, if you notice that there is no altar server, please volunteer to substitute. Just speak to Fr. Smith. Extra Albs are available.

EUCARISTIC MINISTERS

Homebound Ministers 06/29/19—06/30/19
O. & R. Sandoval

Saturday 06/29/19
4:00PM L. Casey, C. Marney, V. Mudrak, J. Mulvaney

Sunday 06/30/19
8:30AM A. & D. Anderson, J. Bamber, V. Reuben
11:15AM P. Emory, M. Rucando, J. Sciandra, R. Sorbanelli

READERS

Saturday 06/29/19
4:00PM R. McNamara

Sunday 06/30/19
8:30AM M. Russo
11:15AM L. Emory

OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL WORSHIP SITE

ALTAR SERVERS

Sunday 06/30/19
9:45AM Volunteer Welcome

EUCARISTIC MINISTERS

Sunday 06/30/19
9:45AM C. Alcobendas, L. Quiray

READERS

Sunday 06/30/19
9:45AM B. Perlas

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Father Greg’s Summer School July – August, 2019
St. John Neumann Pastoral Center
146 Metlars Lane, Piscataway, NJ

Each week Father Greg Uhrig will present classes on various topics of interest to Catholics today. You may attend any or all of the classes that are of interest to you. There is no fee.

Classes will be held on Tuesday nights from 7:00PM to 8:30PM and on Wednesday mornings 10:00AM to 11:30AM. (The Tuesday night class is repeated on Wednesday morning.)

The topics will include: The priesthood of the laity and modern day clericalism (Tuesday July 9, and Wednesday, July 10); “Laudato Si’” Pope Francis’ encyclical on Care for Our Common Home [The Environment] (Tuesday, July 16 and Wednesday, July 17); “Christus Vivit” Pope Francis writing on youth in the church. (Tuesday, July 23 and Wednesday, July 24); Our Lady of Guadalupe (Tuesday, July 30 and Wednesday, July 31) and The Afterlife: Heaven and Hell in the Bible (Tuesday, August 6 and Wednesday August 7)

CAMPFIRE & S’MORES

St. Anthony Study Hall
436 Port Reading Avenue
Port Reading, NJ 07064
Phone: 732-634-6800
Email: studyhalldirector@gmail.com

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY: BUS DRIVER

Hours are approximately an hour in the morning and 2 hours in the afternoon. We will train and pay for license. We need someone as a substitute or “as needed” basis.

* If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Frank Cacace at 732-754-8401.

Coffee & Conversation

It’s Summer Time and the “heat” is on. Time to relax and enjoy some fun in the sun. As in the past, we’re giving our hard working volunteers some time off too. We look forward spending time with you at our next Coffee & Conversation on

Sunday, October 6th in Father Milos Hall after the 8:30AM Mass
MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER—
A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend gives you the time and tools to revitalize romance, deepen communication, and nourish the spirituality in your marriage.

The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend will be held July 26th—28th. Early registration is advisable as space is limited. Phone 1-732-904-9636 for registration and information. For further information please visit: www.a-weekendforyourmarriage.org.

INTERCESSORS FOR THE SHEPHERDS
Holy Hour for Priests will be held at 3:00PM on Sunday, July 14th, 2019 in the chapel at St. John Neumann Pastoral Center, 146 Metlars Lane, Piscataway. All are welcome.

For information, visit—www.diometuchen.org/evangelization and click on "Intercessors for the Shepherds."

ARE YOU, OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW, A SURVIVOR OF CHILD SEXUAL ABUSE BY A PRIEST OR DEACON IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY?

If so, please contact the Independent Victim Compensation Program, Created to offer financial settlements to abuse survivors.

The IVCP will remain open from June 15th through December 31, 2019
Apply directly online at: www.njdiocesesivcp.com

Stress in Your Marriage!
Do you feel lost, alone or bored in your marriage? Are you frustrated, hurt or angry with your spouse? Are you constantly fighting? Or, do you simply shut down? Have you thought about separation or divorce? Does talking about it only make it worse? Retrouvaille is a Lifeline to Help Couples Heal and Renew their Marriages. The program consists of a weekend experience for married couples (no group discussions) with six follow-up sessions.

UPCOMING WEEKEND: August 23rd-25th, 2019
For more information call the Family Life Office at 732-562-1990 ext. 1543
TO REGISTER: Call Rich & Annette Colasuonno 732-236-0671 or email 3024@retrouvaille.org

Prayer and Support for Families Affected by Mental Health Issues
A Catholic Prayer & Support Group for Families Affected by Mental Health Issues will take place at …

St. Patrick’s Church in Belvidere, NJ - Wednesdays, July 3, Aug.7, Sept.4, Oct.2, Nov.6 & Dec.4

Elaine Eckard, President of the Warren County chapter of NAMI (National Alliance on Mental Illness), the nation’s largest grassroots organization on mental illness, will serve as the facilitator. It is our hope that our newly formed support group will offer spiritual support and many beneficial tips on how to cope with this health issue that continues to be misunderstood in our culture.

For more information please call our Diocesan Office for Persons with Disabilities 732-765-6432 or email: catholicswithdisabilities@gmail.com
In Our Neighborhood & Diocese

Laudato Si’: the first papal encyclical devoted to the environment has now been released. Start reading Pope Francis’ document at www.vatican.va and take up the pope’s urgent call for dialogue on the future of our common home. For related information visit the diocesan website at http://diometuchen.org/pope-francis-encyclical-laudato-si/

THE COMMUNITY HOUSE AT ST. THOMAS
“Community House” at St. Thomas, in Old Bridge, is a program managed by Catholic Charities and provides affordable, accessible housing for adults of very low income who have physical disabilities. Up to 8 physically challenged adults live together as a group, functioning to their individual level of independence, and with professional case management services provided. If you or someone you know is in need of this type of housing, please call Susan at 732-251-0022 or www.communityhouse-saintthomas.org for information.

24 HOUR HOT LINE
Our Diocesan Office for Persons with Disabilities has a 24 hour prayer line for those who desire prayers for special needs. If you, a family member or friend would like to be remembered in prayer for a temporary or permanent illness, please call us and leave a detailed message at 732-765-6431 or email our office: catholicswithdisabilities@gmail.com

Our Diocesan Office for Persons with Disabilities has a Facebook page that provides daily updates with short inspirational reflections for people with disabilities, family members and care givers. The site also provides endless resources for those with physical, emotional, cognitive, visual, auditory and other special challenges. To access our Facebook page (even if you are not a member of Facebook), type the following into your search engine: Diocese of Metuchen Office for Persons with Disabilities.

EnCOURAGE….Courage is a spiritual support group helping Catholic men and women live in accordance with the Catholic Church’s teaching about same-sex-attraction and discipleship. Courage members strive to develop lives of interior chastity in union with Christ, through participation in the Sacraments, prayer, fellowship and moral support. Courage meets within the Diocese with a priest chaplain. EnCourage is a separate spiritual support group for family members and friends of loved ones with same-sex-attraction. For information about locations and meeting times for each of these groups call: 732-562-2476 for Courage (email: couragecnj@gmail.com) and 732-248-9460 for EnCourage. Also visit the national website at Couragerc.org. All contacts are confidential.

Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Metuchen
CONNECTIONS PROGRAM
Is looking for volunteers, both men and women to participate in one-to-one activities and become mentors to the youth of Middlesex County and Franklin Township.

Do you:
♦ Have a minimum of three hours a week to offer to a child?
♦ Like having fun?
♦ Want to make a difference in a child’s life?
♦ Enjoy being a positive role model?

Then call Jeanette Cullen at 732-738-1323 or email her at jcullen@ccdom.org, for more information.

POVERTY RELIEF SERVICE
Please consider supporting our local poverty relief services by donating gently used clothing, shoes, household items and small appliances to Catholic Charities-Dioeces of Metuchen. Clearly marked donation boxes are available in more than 30 locations throughout our four-county diocese. For a complete list of drop-off locations visit: http://www.ccdom.org/how-you-can-help/clothing-donation-drop-boxes If you have an item that is too big to fit in a donation box, call 877-343-3651 to arrange for a free pick up at your home.

COUNSELING AND WELLNESS SERVICES
Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Metuchen is offering Counseling and Wellness Services. If you or someone you know needs counseling or is impacted by addiction, we can help. Individual and family therapy for children and adults are available. For an appointment, call (800) 655-9491.

DIOCESAN EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
Eucharistic Adoration is being held in the chapel at the St. John Neumann Pastoral Center, Piscataway. Volunteer adorers and intercessors are needed Monday through Friday during business hours to pray for the intentions of the diocese. For information or to volunteer, call Laura at 732-529-7932 or email her at evangelization@diometuchen.org.

ST. PETER’S GIANNA CENTER
The Center is dedicated to offering truly prolife women’s health care, including infertility services, general gynecologic care, and more. All services are provided in accordance with the US Catholic Bishops Ethical and Religious Directives for Catholic Health Care Services. For more information visit: http://www.saintpetershcs.com/GiannaCenter/ or contact us at 732-565-5490.

HISTORY OF OUR DIOCESE’S BEGINNINGS —On November 19th, 2016, the Diocese of Metuchen celebrated the 35th Anniversary of its founding by Pope St. John Paul II. Msgr. John Szymanski, who served then-Bishop McCarrick as chancellor and, later, as vicar general in the early years of the Diocese, has written a history of how the Diocese came to be established and a chronicle of its first five years. Entitled, The Lighting of the Watch Fires, it is available for purchase for $25. Send your check to: Rev. Msgr. John B. Szymanski, The Maria Regina Residence, 5 Dellwood Lane, Somerset, NJ 08873.