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

St. Anthony of Padua Worship Site
436 Port Reading Ave., Port Reading, NJ
732-634-1403 Fax: 732-602-0119

The Holy Eucharist
Saturday, Evening: 4:00 PM
Sunday, 8:00 AM, 9:30 AM & 11:30 AM
Daily: Tuesday & Wednesday: 7:30 AM
Thurday: 7:00 PM
Tuesday—Novena to Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal following 7:30 AM Mass
Thursday—Novena to St. Anthony following the 7:00 PM Mass

Liturgy of the Hours - Prayed 20 minutes before Daily Mass

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Thursday Evening: 6:30 PM
Saturday: 3:15 PM

A Catechist’s Prayer

Almighty God, give us Your blessing as we begin the new teaching year.

May we approach our teaching task with deep faith and compassion, and with the same generosity that You always show us.

In our teaching, may we seek only Jesus and His truth, may we boldly proclaim His teachings, may we praise His name with joy and may we call upon Him often in prayer.

Lord God, may the families we teach experience the richness and power of prayer. Let them use prayer daily in their lives as a source of finding peace, unity, blessings and faith.

We ask this through Jesus Christ, Your son.

Amen.

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

The Holy Eucharist
Saturday, Evening: 5:30 PM
Sunday, 9:30 AM Rosary prayed in Hungarian before Mass.
Divine Mercy Chaplet prayed after Mass.
Daily: Monday, Friday & Saturday: 8:00 AM
First Friday of the Month
Devotions to the Sacred Heart
Following the 8:00 AM Mass
First Saturday of the Month
Devotions to Mary following Mass
Liturgy of the Hours - Prayed 20 minutes before Daily Mass
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Saturday: 4:45 PM

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.saintanthonypadua.org
We’re now on FACEBOOK, come and check us out!

EMAIL:
Office: info_StAnthony@verizon.net
Religious Education: religious_StAnthony@verizon.net
Bulletin: bulletin_StAnthony@verizon.net
Study Hall: studyhall_StAnthony@verizon.net
Youth Ministry: jaamyouthministry4@gmail.com
This Week’s Scripture Readings

**Sunday:** Amos 8:4-7  
1 Timothy 2:1-8  
Luk 16:1-13

**Monday:** Proverbs 3:27-34  
Psalms 15:2-5  
Luk 8:16-18

**Tuesday:** Proverbs 21:1-6, 10-13  
Psalms 119:1, 27, 30, 34-35, 44  
Luk 8:19-21

**Wednesday:** Ephesians 4:1-7, 11-13  
Psalms 19:2-5  
Matthew 9:9-13

**Thursday:** Ecclesiastes 1:2-11  
Psalms 90:3-6, 12-14, 17  
Luk 9:7-9

**Friday:** Ecclesiastes 3:1-11  
Psalms 144:1-4  
Luk 9:18-22

**Saturday:** Ecclesiastes 11:9-12:8  
Psalms 90:3-6, 12-14, 17  
Luk 9:43b-45

**Next Sunday:** Amos 6:1a, 4-7  
Psalms 146:7-10  
1 Timothy 6:11-16  
Luk 16:19-31

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**FOOD DRIVE MINISTRY**

Our monthly food drive will be held October 1st & 2nd. Please be as generous as your means will allow. Your donation of food items is greatly appreciated and will enable us to provide for those in need. Just a reminder...Please do not send in any perishable items.

The ministry members working are asked to be in the Father Milos Hall at 10:00 am on Sunday morning. The members working this month are:

V. Lagamarsino  
Delivery: H. Sullivan (October 4th)

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**BLESSING OF ANIMALS**

Feast of St. Francis of Assisi—October 4th

St. Francis loved animals.  
We love our pets.

To celebrate the Feast of St. Francis and the love of our pets, there will be a Blessing of Animals on **Sunday, October 2nd** following the 9:30AM Masses at both worship sites, St. Anthony of Padua and Our Lady of Mt. Carmel.

All are welcome to bring their pets!

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**Mass Intentions**

**at St. Anthony of Padua Worship Site**

**Tuesday, September 20th**  
St. Andrew Kim Tae-gon,  
St. Paul Chong Ha-sang and Companions

7:30 AM Macario Pascua  
req. by Ray & Cherie Gumapac

**Wednesday, September 21st**  
St. Matthew

7:30 AM Carol Massa  
req. by Jay & Colleen Barcellona

**Thursday, September 22nd**

7:00 PM Deceased Members of the Pauswinski & Cuozzo Families  
req. by Beverly Cuozzo

**Saturday, September 24th**

4:00 PM People of the Parish Family

**Sunday, September 25th & 26th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

8:00 AM Anthony & Lillian Susko (Wedding Anniversary)  
req. by their children & grandchildren

9:30 AM John J. Kalina, Jr.  
req. by Tom & Mary Balint & family

11:30 AM Gertrude Naumyk  
req. by her loving husband, Paul & family

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**at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Worship Site**

**Monday, September 19th**  
St. Januarius

8:00 AM Imre “Jim” Herczeg Jr.  
req. by Ray & Cherie Gumapac

**Friday, September 23rd**  
St. Pius of Pietrelcina

8:00 AM Rose & Lester Sharrie  
req. by sister, Betty Silvaney & family

**Saturday, September 24th**

8:00 AM Araceli Bernabe (Birthday)  
req. by Rowena Bernabe

5:30 PM Ernest & Ester Vernachio  
req. by Janet Vargo

**Sunday, September 25th 26th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

9:30 AM Guadalupe Gagarin  
req. by Ann Donegan & Lourdes Sorroco

Respensorial Psalm in Hungarian for September 18, 2016  
25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Dicsérjéték az Urat,  
aki a szegényt fölemeli.

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If you have requested a Mass to be celebrated you have the right to present the bread and wine that will become the Body and Blood of Christ during that particular celebration of Mass. If you would like to fulfill this responsibility, please inform one of the Ministers of Hospitality (Ushers) before Mass. If you don’t inform the Ministers of Hospitality, they will ask another person to fulfill that responsibility. Thank you for helping the Ministers of Hospitality in this matter.
2,000 Hail Marys

During these times of turmoil and uncertainty, Pope Francis urges us to pray more fervently and consistently to bring about God’s peace and social justice throughout the world. Since we believe that our Blessed Virgin Mary is our greatest intercessor and our Perpetual Help, we invoke her unfailing and powerful intercession during these uncertain times.

Please join us in praying 2,000 Hail Marys at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church EVERY FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH. Our next prayer session will be on Saturday, October 1st. Prayers will begin at 9:00am after the 8:00am Mass. Come, stay for a half-hour, a hour or more and you will be blessed. You may also send us your personal intentions or petitions or drop them in a box at the front of the altar and we will pray for them.

Eucharistic Adoration

...an HOUR WITH JESUS

We are blessed to have Eucharistic Adoration at St. Anthony of Padua every Thursday at 2:00PM until 9:00PM. The Divine Mercy Chaplet and Rosary are prayed at 3:00PM. Please consider joining us for the hour or even a half-hour.

We need to have 3 people (2 minimum) to sit before the Blessed Sacrament (see schedule below.) To sign up please pick up a form from the desk at the entrance of either worship site or call Rose Leone at 732-634-0958.

Please feel free to join us whenever and as often as you wish. All are welcome!

MONDAYS WITH FR. BILL*

BIBLE Study Sessions with Fr. Bill Halbing

Sponsored by the Holy Family Prayer Community

Ignorance of Scripture is ignorance of Jesus

Where: Our Lady of Mt. Carmel School (next to the church) 280 Amboy Ave. (Rt.35N), Woodbridge. (Enter at the back on East Smith Street.)

When: Resuming Monday, September 19th and continuing each Monday evening 7:00—8:30pm

Enjoy and have fun while mining the depth and richness of the Bible!! ALL ARE WELCOME!

Visit to the National Center for Padre Pio

Barto, Pa.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2016

The cost is $45.00 per person. There will be 1 bus. Limited number of tickets available. We will meet at St. Anthony’s at 7:20am. Seating will be on a first come-first serve basis.

Please pick up a reservation form from the desk at the entrance of both worship sites and return it to the parish office with payment. Checks are to be made payable to St. Anthony of Padua Church.

For more information please call the parish office at 732-634-1403.
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 my beloved brother, John Meissner (5th Anniversary)
req. by Terry McCrickard
In Loving Memory of Judith “Judi” Drahos
req. by Robert & Diane Aversa
In Loving Memory of Joseph Cunningham
“Happy Birthday”
req. by The Casey Family

GOOD SHEPHERD
In Loving Memory of Gordon, Ann, John Patrick Ur & Owen
req. by their family
In Loving Memory of Joseph Cunningham
“Happy Birthday”
req. by The Kaelber Family

CROSS OF SAN DOMIANO
Happy 90th Birthday in Heaven, Frank Melillo
req. by his loving wife Mary & sons, Angelo & Gerard
In Loving Memory of Joseph Cunningham
“Happy Birthday”
req. by Lynn Torra

PRAY FOR OUR PRIESTS
Sept. 19 Rev. Edward Flanagan
Mrgr. Pafnouti Wassef
Sept. 20 Rev. Krzysztof Kaczynski
Rev. John Primich
Sept. 21 Rev. George Targonski
Rev. Paul Stefanowich IMC
Sept. 22 Rev. Pawel Dziatkiewicz SDB
Rev. A. David Chalackal CMI
Sept. 23 Rev. Dawid Adamczak SDS
Rev. Alberto Ruiz CMF
Sept. 24 Rev. Jacek Stanislawski CSSR
Mrgr. John Fell
Sept. 25 Rev. Paolo Fedrigoni IMC
Rev. Joseph Kabali

Let us join with Pope Francis I in his prayers for September, 2016....

Universal Intention: That each may contribute to the common good and to the building of a society that places the human person at the center.

Intention for Evangelization: That by participating in the Sacraments and meditating on Scripture, Christians may become more aware of their mission to evangelize.

Pray for our brave soldiers & their families, our parishioners residing in nursing homes and care centers, the sick and homebound of our parish family, especially: an anonymous request; Genevieve Antonelli, Joseph Baumlin, Lydia Bellino, Marie Cacace, James Calimano, Anthony Carreira, Alexis Cavaciuti, Alice Cavaciuti, Elizabeth Clark, Gary Clark, Mario Coppola, Michael DeFilippo, Lorraine DeNoyelles, Timothy Devlin, Mark Eidson, Richard Emory, Donna Eng, Mikaela Febres, Donna Fugaro, Frank Grossman, Bernadette Grzesik, Kim Hickman, Brody Kasnowski, Chris Killmurray, Anna Kowalewski, Robert Kowalewski, Evelyn Lamberti, Rose Lagan, Josie LaSpina, Veronica Lisco, Beverly Mayte, Dorothy McDermott, Joseph Mikos, Evaristo Morales, Paul Naumyk, Taylor Pavely, Theresa Pawlikowski, Richard Petrowski, Laura Poland, Patsy Renaldi, Peter Reuben, Virginia Reuben, John Sabin, Michele Santamaria, George Seibert, Jackson Silva, Natalia Sosnin, Stanley Szymanik Sr., Francis Tierney, Stella Wincek.

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

In Loving Memory of
Zenon “Lefty” Szatkowsky
requested by
Don & Judy Schultz
at
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Worship Site
Are in Thanksgiving

“There’s a church that has a one-way driveway for entry and exit to its property. The posted signs read:

Enter to Worship
Exit to Serve

BINGO VOLUNTEERS DESPERATELY NEEDED
As you may be aware Bingo is one of the major fund-raisers for our parish. We are currently in desperate need of Volunteers for our Monday Bingo especially as Callers and Kitchen. If you can volunteer in any way please call Bette or Holly at the parish at the office 732-634-1403. As always all help is greatly appreciated.
Monday, September 19th
Study Hall 6:30AM Fr. Milos Hall
Bingo (Doors open 10:30 AM) 12:30PM Fr. Milos Hall
Confirmation Parent & Student Meeting 6:30PM Church
Holy Name Society Mtg. 7:30PM Fr. Milos Hall

Tuesday, September 20th
Study Hall 6:30AM Fr. Milos Hall
Children’s Choir Rehearsal 4:30PM Church
Adult Choir Rehearsal 6:30PM Church
Boy Scout Meeting 7:00PM Rec. Mtg. Rm.
AA 7:30PM Fr. Milos Hall

Wednesday, September 21st
Study Hall 6:30AM Fr. Milos Hall
Port Reading/Sewaren Srs. 11:00AM Sycamore Ctr.
State Columbiete Mass/Mtg 6:00PM Church

Thursday, September 22nd
Study Hall 6:30AM Fr. Milos Hall
Eucharistic Adoration 2:00PM Chapel
Divine Mercy Chaplet/Rosary 3:00PM Chapel
Confessions 6:30PM Church
G.I.F.T. Catechists’ Meeting 7:30PM Church
AA 8:00PM Fr. Milos Hall

Friday, September 23rd
Study Hall 6:30AM Fr. Milos Hall
Confirmation Rehearsal 6:00PM Church
Bingo (doors open 6:00 PM) 7:30PM Fr. Milos Hall

Saturday, September 24th
Pastoral Council 9:00AM ???
Confessions 3:15PM Church

Sunday, September 25th
God’s Little Helpers 9:30AM Fr. Milos Hall
BINGO (doors open 12:45 PM) 2:00PM Fr. Milos Hall

DEAR BROTHERS AND SISTERS!

Please join us for a free Pasta Dinner at The Deacons’ Table!

We’ll be serving between the hours of 5:00 & 7:00PM. Located at the Holy Spirit Worship Site of the Good Shepherd Parish (corner of Hazel & Brace Ave. in Perth Amboy.) Please use the Brace Ave. entrance to the church hall.

Meals are offered every Wednesday 5:00-7:00PM!!! Please join us and bring your family and friends!

Donations will be graciously accepted and can be made payable to: Deacons’ Table—DOM
Diocese of Metuchen, PO Box 191, Metuchen, NJ 08840

Stewardship: God’s Plan for Giving

Offertory of September 4, 2016 $6,107.00
Peter’s Pence $1,707.00
Offertory of September 11, 2016 $5,870.00

Next weekend’s second collection will be for our Utility Fund. Please be as generous as your means allow.

COUNTING TEAMS

SUNDAY, September 19th
Team #6 A. & J. Pannullo

SUNDAY, September 25th
Team #5 L. Palasitis, R. Sorbanelli

MONDAY, September 19th
Bingo Team #3 Captain: R. Simeone
Caller – M. Oddo
Kitchen - J. Ballance, B. Walliser

FRIDAY, September 23rd
Bingo Team Captain: C. Volk
Caller – M. Moricz
Kitchen Team B. Silvaney, A. Rabago

SUNDAY, September 25th
Bingo Team Captain: R. Sorbanelli
Caller – S. Pribila
Kitchen - R. Arway

MONDAY, September 26th
Bingo Team #4 Captain: R. Sorbanelli
Caller – M. Oddo
Kitchen - J. Ballance, B. Walliser

FRIDAY, September 30th
Bingo Team Captain: C. Volk
Caller – M. Moricz
Kitchen Team B. Silvaney, M. Gesso

CELEBRATE FALL at ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2016
2:00PM
(DOORS OPEN AT 12:45PM)

$500.00 JACKPOT
Door-prizes & more!!!
Free coffee & tea

Don’t forget to bring a friend!!!!!

St. Anthony of Padua Church
436 Port Reading Ave., Port Reading, NJ 07064
732-634-1403 www.saintanthonypadua.org
The St. Anthony Study Hall Childcare Services

It’s Not Too Late to Register!

The mission of this program is to provide all children from 5 years to 13 years old with a place to do their homework with the help of certified teachers, College and High School students. Open for before care from 6:30 AM to 9:00 AM and aftercare from 2:00 PM to 6:30 PM. Breakfast is served and snack in the afternoon. We will transport your child to and from school. Rates and more information are available on parish website or in Father Milos Hall by the study hall entrance or call 732-634-6800.

Liturgical Minister Schedule

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA WORSHIP SITE

ALTAR SERVERS
Saturday 09/24/16
4:00PM T.B.A.

Sunday 09/25/16
8:00AM S. Skros
9:30AM S. LaMorte, V. LaMorte
11:30AM V. Bernatowicz, A. Montanti

EUSCHRISTIC MINISTERS
Homebound Ministers 09/24/16—09/25/16
J. Bamber, M. Russo

Saturday 09/24/16
4:00PM C. Adams, B. Barsi, L. Emory, R. McNamara

Sunday 09/25/16
8:00AM C. Coppola, S. Gadomski, K. Masarik, J. Pannullo
9:30AM B. Cuozzo, V. Mudrak, L. Palasits, R. Sorbanelli
11:30AM E. Bishop, A. Cavaciuti, M. Rucando

READERS
Saturday 09/24/16
4:00PM R. Simeone

Sunday 09/25/16
8:00AM M. Russo
9:30AM P. Emory
11:30AM M. Oddo

OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL WORSHIP SITE

ALTAR SERVERS
Saturday 09/24/16
5:30PM T.B.A.

Sunday 09/25/16
9:30AM T.B.A.

EUCCHRISTIC MINISTERS
Saturday 09/24/16
5:30PM L. Kodash, L. Quiray

Sunday 09/25/16
9:30AM B. Perlas, V. Rabago

READERS
Saturday 09/24/16
5:30PM G. Miller

Sunday 09/25/16
9:30AM E. Bonus

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA
QUEEN FOR A DAY AUCTION!!!
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2016

DONATIONS...
If you have any new items that you would like to donate, or do you sew, crochet, craft, woodwork??? If you would like to donate a Gift Card for a store, restaurant, etc. for our raffle table that would be most welcome. All donations are greatly appreciated and may be dropped off at the parish office.

BASKETS....
Do you have any baskets just sitting around your house taking up much need space? Baskets of various sizes, esp. medium and large, are needed for our auction. Please consider donating them.

COMING
SATURDAY,
OCTOBER 8, 2016

St. Anthony of Padua Holy Name Society’s

Annual Flea Market
Contracts available at the entrance of both worship sites and at the parish office. For more information 732-634-1403.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY
with
ST. ANTHONY’S STUDY HALL PROGRAM

Before Care Help—2 adults are needed for this position. Hours are approximately 7:00AM to 9:00AM helping the children with breakfast, games and getting them off to school and on the appropriate buses.

All inquiries contact Frank Cacace at 732-754-8401

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Do you enjoy singing?
Do you enjoy praising God?
Do you like to laugh and have fun?
Please consider joining
St. Anthony of Padua Adult Choir!

NEW MEMBERS ARE WELCOME and NEEDED!!!
Our rehearsals are Tuesday evenings at 6:30PM.
If you'd like more information, please contact Kathie Rusyn at 732-819-8334.

REMEMBER: "When you sing, you praise God twice!"

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA
SINGERS WANTED!!!
SINGERS NEEDED!!!
OLD FACES!!!
NEW FACES!!!!
Be an important part of the Eucharist Celebration!

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

ALTAR SERVERS
C Regardless of what we call them, these special young people are very important to our parish. They assist a member of the clergy (bishop, priest, deacon) during Mass.
L We are in need of additional members.
S Any boy or girl in 3rd grade or higher, who wishes to join this wonderful and rewarding ministry please have your parents contact the parish office at 732-634-1403 with any questions. Forms are available at the information desk at both worship sites. Ask them to fill out form and drop it in the collection basket at Mass or drop it off at the parish office. You will be notified when the training sessions will begin.

Leaving St. Anthony’s Parking Lot at 8:30AM

Name ________________________________
Address ________________________________
Phone # ________________________________
Cell # ________________________________
E-Mail ________________________________
Contact: Rose Leone 732-634-0958
Rose Walter 732-636-3805
Hispanic Heritage Mass —ALL INVITED!
Sponsored by the Office of Hispanic Ministry

The Diocese of Metuchen invites all to the 2016 HISPANIC HERITAGE MASS

Friday, October 28, 2016    7:30 p.m.
Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi
32 Elm Avenue, Metuchen, NJ

We celebrate our Faith! Sisters and Brothers Together!
Sent forth to Evangelize!

For information call:
Office of Hispanic Ministry 732-243-4573.

PILGRIMAGE TO PORTUGAL & SPAIN
May 10th—20th, 2017

Join Fr. David Kosmoski and members of St. Andrew Church on their pilgrimage for the Jubilee Year in Fatima with highlights in Spain. Be in Fatima, with 2 night lodging in a hotel located near the plaza and basilica on the 100th Anniversary of the Apparitions on May 13, 2017!

Highlights include: Lisbon, Santarem, Batalha, Nazare, Seville, Granada, Toledo, Madrid Avila and more!

Only 35 spaces available. $3,695 from Newark ($2,695 land only)

For brochure and/or reservations call Fr. David Kosmoski at St. Andrews Church, Avenel 732-634-4355.
Arrangements by Select International: 800-842-4842.
SILVER & GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

You are cordially invited to celebrate your 25th or 50th Wedding Anniversary with the Church of Metuchen. Renew your marriage vows with Bishop James F. Checchio at a special Evening Prayer Service in the Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi, Metuchen.

Sunday, October 30th, 2016 at 4:00 PM

Forms must be signed by your priest, pastoral minister or deacon and returned to the Family Life Office by the parish office. The deadline for registration is Monday, October 17th.

For further information, please call the Family Life Office at 732-562-1990 x 4573 or email the Family Life Office at: amatos@diometuchen.org.

Application forms may be secured by contacting the parish office or by logging on to the diocesan website: www.diometuchen.org and click on EVENTS tab.

Bible Classes for Maturing Adults 55+

Bring Your Bible

Please join us as we study the Book of Isaiah whose prophetic message is very relevant to our times!

• 8 sessions • Fee: $5.00 per session

Beginning Wednesday, September 21, 2016

10:30 AM-12:30 PM

St. John Neumann Pastoral Center
146 Metlars Lane, Piscataway, NJ


Hot or cold lunch available for purchase.

ATTENTION RELIGIOUS EDUCATION STAFF

CATECHETICAL CONFERENCE

Diocese of Metuchen
146 Metlars Lane, Piscataway

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2016

The Call to Discipleship: Nurturing God’s Children

DEADLINE TO REGISTER: SEPTEMBER 23rd

Flyers and registration forms available on the desk in the entrance of both worship sites and the parish office.