

MASS TIMES:

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 pm

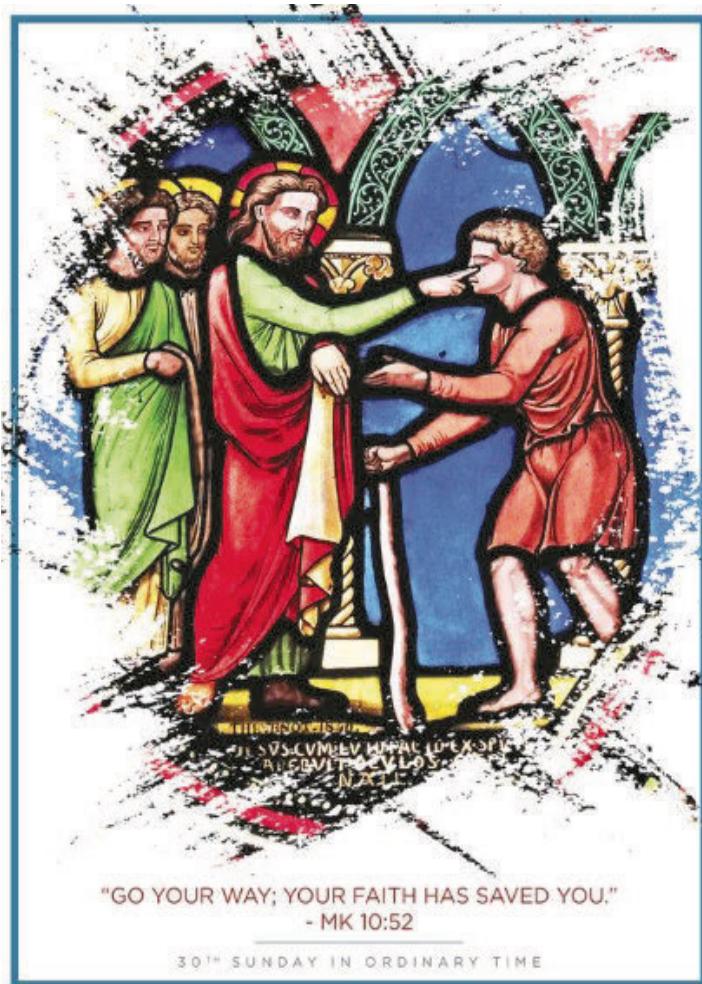
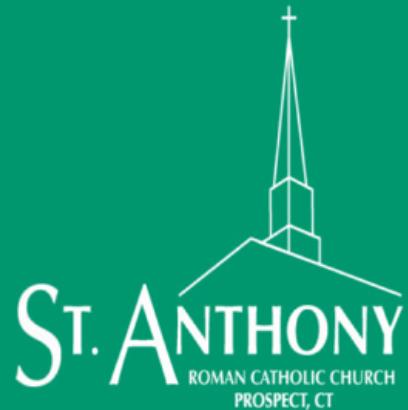
Sunday Mass - 7:30 am, 9:30 am, 11:15 am

Daily Masses: 8:00 am on Mon, Tue, Wed, & Fri

First Friday Mass at 12:15 pm

Confessions: Saturdays at 3:00 pm or by Appointment

October 27, 2024—The Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Bible Study Class

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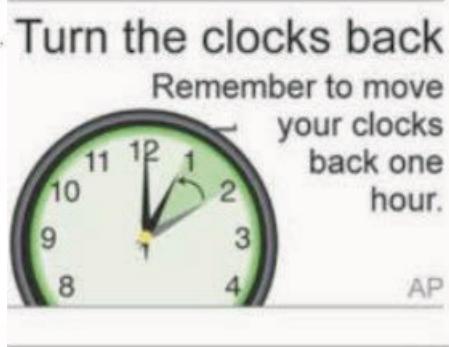
Monday Mornings, 10:00-11:30 ~with Jenn Hosier
10/28, 11/4, 11/18, 11/25, 12/2, 12/9, **Spring: 3/3 - 4/7**

Thursday Evenings, 7:00-8:30 ~with Janette Rodriguez
10/24, 11/7, 11/14, 11/21, 12/5, 12/12, **Spring: 2/27-4/3**

Saturday Mornings, 10:00-11:30 ~with our own George Hughes
10/26-12/7, **Spring: 3/1-4/5**

You Can Join Anytime! Some Content Is Available For Streaming, So You Can Catch Up Even After Class Has Started.

To Register: Call The Office at 203-758-4056 or email admin@stanthonyprospect.org



**On Sunday,
November 3rd at
2:00 AM**

Parish Mission Statement

St. Anthony Church is a parish where God's love nourishes the soul to actively minister to people and share the joy of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Gracious God, we pray for all persons suffering from war. May they be held in your loving care and protection and given the strength to endure great suffering and hardship. Transform the hearts and minds of all those who perpetuate violence and oppression. Grant wisdom to world leaders in advancing efforts toward world peace; may they not be compromised by self-interest and blind indifference. We ask all this through the intercession of Our Lady of Lourdes and in the name of your Son Jesus, and the Holy Spirit, now and forever. Amen.



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	<i>October 26—Weekday</i>
4:30 PM	Annie Carnemolla, req. by her Family
Sunday	<i>October 27—30th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>
7:30 AM	Harry Perock, req. by his Family
9:30 AM	Blake Colbert, req. by the Lozinak Family
11:15 AM	Francisco Macias, req. by his Family
Monday	<i>October 28—Saints Simon and Jude, Apostles</i>
8:00 AM	6th yr Anniv. Rem. of Christopher Brown, req. by his sister, Andrea
Tuesday	<i>October 29—Weekday</i>
8:00 AM	Barbara Mulhall and all deceased members of the Mullhall Family, req. by their Family
Wednesday	<i>October 30—Weekday</i>
8:00 AM	Michael DiPietro, req. by his Family
Thursday	<i>October 31—Weekday</i>
	NO MASS TODAY
First Friday	<i>November 1—All Saints</i>
8:00 AM	Joanne Dowling, req. by Michele Mikelskas
12:15 PM	Antonio & Maria Ruocco, req. by their Family
6:30 PM	Erin Nagel, req. by St. Anthony Parish Community
Saturday	<i>November 2—All Souls Day</i>
4:30 PM	All Souls
Sunday	<i>November 3—31st Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>
7:30 AM	Elaine Pizzuto, req. by John Schieffer
9:30 AM	Lucien Roy, req. by the Beutel Family
11:15 AM	Brian Sugrue, req. by St. Anthony Parish Family

Thank You for Supporting World Mission Sunday

On behalf of the missionary men and women serving in over 1,150 mission territories, we extend our heartfelt gratitude for your generous support on World Mission Sunday. Your contributions ensure that the Gospel continues to spread, bringing hope, love, and salvation to those in need.

This year's theme, "Go and invite everyone to the banquet," reminds us of our universal call to evangelize and support our brothers and sisters around the world. Your generosity helps build churches, train clergy, and provide essential services in mission territories. Thank you for being part of this vital mission and for making a lasting impact on the global Church.

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PARISH COLLECTIONS FOR 10/20/2024

Weekly:	\$	4,586.00
Weekly on-line:		1,340.50
Monthly on-line		2,107.00
Total:	\$	8,033.50
World Mission Sunday:	\$	1,527.00

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The 2nd collection next weekend is
for Ongoing Improvements and
Maintenance.



Our sympathy to the families of
**Pia Gargano and
Dorothy A. Romanuk**

Eternal rest grant unto them O
Lord; let your perpetual light shine upon
them forever.

Once again, a thank you to
everyone who worked or
participated in the pasta
dinner. The proceeds from
the evening were \$1,833.67.

We received many donations
to the dinner, decreasing our expenses. Another
\$109.00 was made, thanks to the kitchen workers
at bingo, for selling some of the leftover food. The
total profit was \$1,942.67 to the building
improvements and maintenance fund, which
includes saving for the planning of an elevator.



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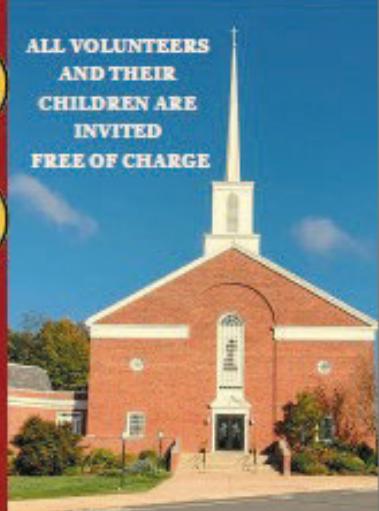
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Mass at 11:15 AM
Lunch Following
In Church Hall

RSVP by Nov. 6
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one month.

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We welcome into our parish family
Daniel Joseph Moore. May God
continue to bless this child and his
family as he continues to grow in faith
received in the Sacrament of
Baptism.

October 1st -October 31st

St. Anthony Church, Prospect

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Catholic Question Corner**All Souls**

Question: November is called the month of All Souls. More recently, it has been called the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed. Can you tell us more about this feast and the remembrances of this month?

Answer: November 2, the

Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed, dovetails with November 1st, the feast of All Saints. The saints, our models of Christian living, are one with God in heaven. All the faithful departed are those who have died with hope and trust in a loving God who calls us to greater growth and development, even beyond death. This growth and development occurs in a state of being that we have traditionally called purgatory.

While the Western Church has emphasized the cleansing and purifying nature of purgatory, the Eastern Orthodox Church has emphasized the growth and development aspect of it. Today, belief in purgatory allows one who has died in Christ to continue growing and developing before meeting God face to face. God continually invites communion with these loved ones, but some feel the need to continue growing and developing before entering into full communion with God.

These November feasts vividly remind us of the rich reality known as the communion of saints. This belief stresses the strong affirmation that the church is always one in Christ. Death does not sever any of the bonds that unite us in Christ. That is why it is a fitting practice to pray for the dead and to ask them to pray for us. Just as we do that for each other when we are alive, so, too, do we continue that bond and concern for each other even beyond death.



Mike LoGiudice, a “Good Steward in Action,” is captured refinishing tables that are used in the vestibule of the church. Thanks for taking the time to make them look new again!

We are blessed by the good work of our volunteers. We hope

all of you sign up for the volunteer appreciation lunch on November 10th!

**REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS
THOSE WHO ARE ILL:**

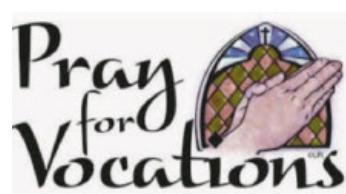
We welcome the opportunity to be informed of any of our parishioners who are ill or hospitalized. Contact the Parish Center at 203-758-4056, or email at office@stanthonyprospect.org:

Robert Allegrini, Marshall Anderson, Mary Becker, Tigerlily Bentley, Jessica Biolo, Marilyn Bonyai, Gayle Boudreau, Greg Brennan, Melissa Burgett, Giovanna Calabrese, Richard Calabro, Sr., Theresa Ciuccoli Carley, Patricia Corbin, Robert Cormier, Jimmy Courtney, Eleanor Dana, Dawn Flohr, Donald Guerrera, Betty Guevin, Kristien Hertel, “Jim,” “Karen”, Tracy Kearcher, Dalton Kelly, Eva Grace Kelly, Olivia, Shirley Krawczyk, Zachery LaChance, Louise Lestage, John Malinak, Madeline Mancini, Sophia Marton, Michael Mastrianna, Katrina Miller, Barbara Moorcraft, Roseanne Nobitz, Emily Pastore, Brianna Pereira, Ann Rasch, Charles Rowland, Meghan Shields, Mary Tangay, Paul Violette, and Brian Weisner. **IF SOMEONE YOU PLACED ON THE PRAYER LIST CAN BE TAKEN OFF PLEASE CALL THE PARISH OFFICE.**

 Please remember in your prayers, all active military members who are away from their families while serving around the world. **“God please keep watch over all those who are serving in the U.S. Air Force, Army, Coast Guard, Marine Corps, National Guard, and Navy.**

**Memorial Bricks For Our St. Anthony
Meditation Garden Are For Sale**

We are continually adding new pavers to the meditation garden. Please place your order before November 1st as the company discontinues making pavers in the winter months. The order forms can be found in the church and on our website.



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Faith & Friendship Gathering

The Faith and Friendship gathering for November has been moved from the 2nd weekend to the 1st weekend. All Souls is on Saturday, November 2nd and Faith and Friendship will be the reception for those families who are attending the Mass for their loved ones.

The names of anyone who had a funeral here in the last year will be read at the 4:30 Mass.

Holy Rosary

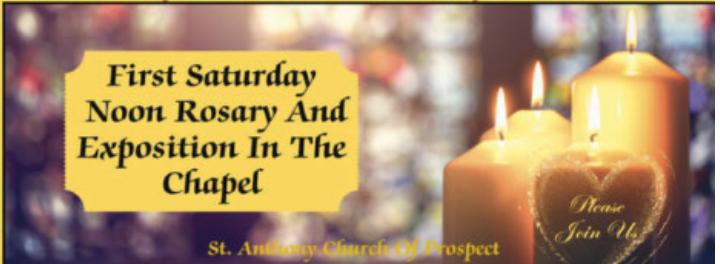
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday
at 7:30AM Before the 8:00AM Mass

Devine Mercy Chaplet

After The 8:00AM Mass

There is no 8:00AM Mass on First Friday's so Rosary is recited at 11:45AM before the 12:15 Mass. Adoration after Mass.

**First Saturday
Noon Rosary And
Exposition In The
Chapel**



Come & See



Gather, pray and discern with us!

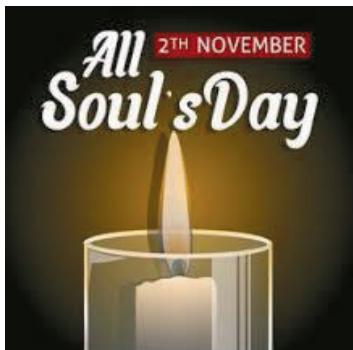
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Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for October

For a shared mission: We pray that all Christians work together in unity, sharing the mission of spreading the Gospel and promoting justice, peace, and love.

All Souls Mass

Each year on November 2nd, All Souls Day, we are given the opportunity to remember, and if need be, to say goodbye to all our deceased loved ones, whether they died many years ago or during the past year. During the month of November, we get the chance to remember and to be thankful for all the important people in our lives who have passed from this life to eternal life. As the writer of the Book of Wisdom puts it, "The souls of the just are in the hand of God, and no torment shall touch them. They seemed, in the view of the foolish, to be dead; and their passing away was thought an affliction and their going forth from us, utter destruction. But they are at peace." (Wisdom 3:1-3). Join us at the 4:30 Mass on November 2nd as we remember all souls and especially for those named below who had a funeral Mass here at St. Anthony Church:

Frederick Bonyai	Anne Gugliotti	Camille Perugini
Angela Brunetti	Richard Irwin	Grace Perugini
Julia Burrows	Anne Lavorgna	Elaine Pizzuto
Americo Costa, Jr.	Christina Luddy	Francis Prenez, Jr.
Rolando D'Almeida	Richard Ludecke, Sr.	Beatriz Rodrigues
Lucia Daloia	Elizabeth Lukeski	Dorothy Romanuk
Vittoria Dana	Ceil Lynch	Mary Jane Roosa
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Francis Filippone	Christopher Owens	James Tessier
Fiorino Fusco	Cheryl Palmer	Frank Tropasso, Jr.
Pia Gargano	Judith Perillo	

Caregiver Retreat Day

The Franciscan Life Center is offering a caregivers retreat on Saturday, 11/9. The presentation will be **A Caregiver's Well-being**, a day of Learning, Prayer and Reflection for those caring for a loved one with dementia. The topics include: Understanding types and symptoms of dementia; Managing caregiving stress; Discovering deeper meaning in caregiving relationships; Deepening our relationship to God in the midst of suffering; Identifying resources for caregiver support and growth. The cost of the retreat is \$90.00 and includes refreshments & lunch. Visit flcenter.org or call Sr. Mary Christa at 203-237-8084 for more information.

Amazing Baby Bottle Boomerang Results...Thank You

Thanks to each and every one of you who prayed or contributed to the recent Baby Bottle Boomerang event here at St. Anthony Church to benefit Carolyn's Place, the pregnancy care center in Waterbury. Once the coins have been counted, we will share the total with everyone.

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