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of
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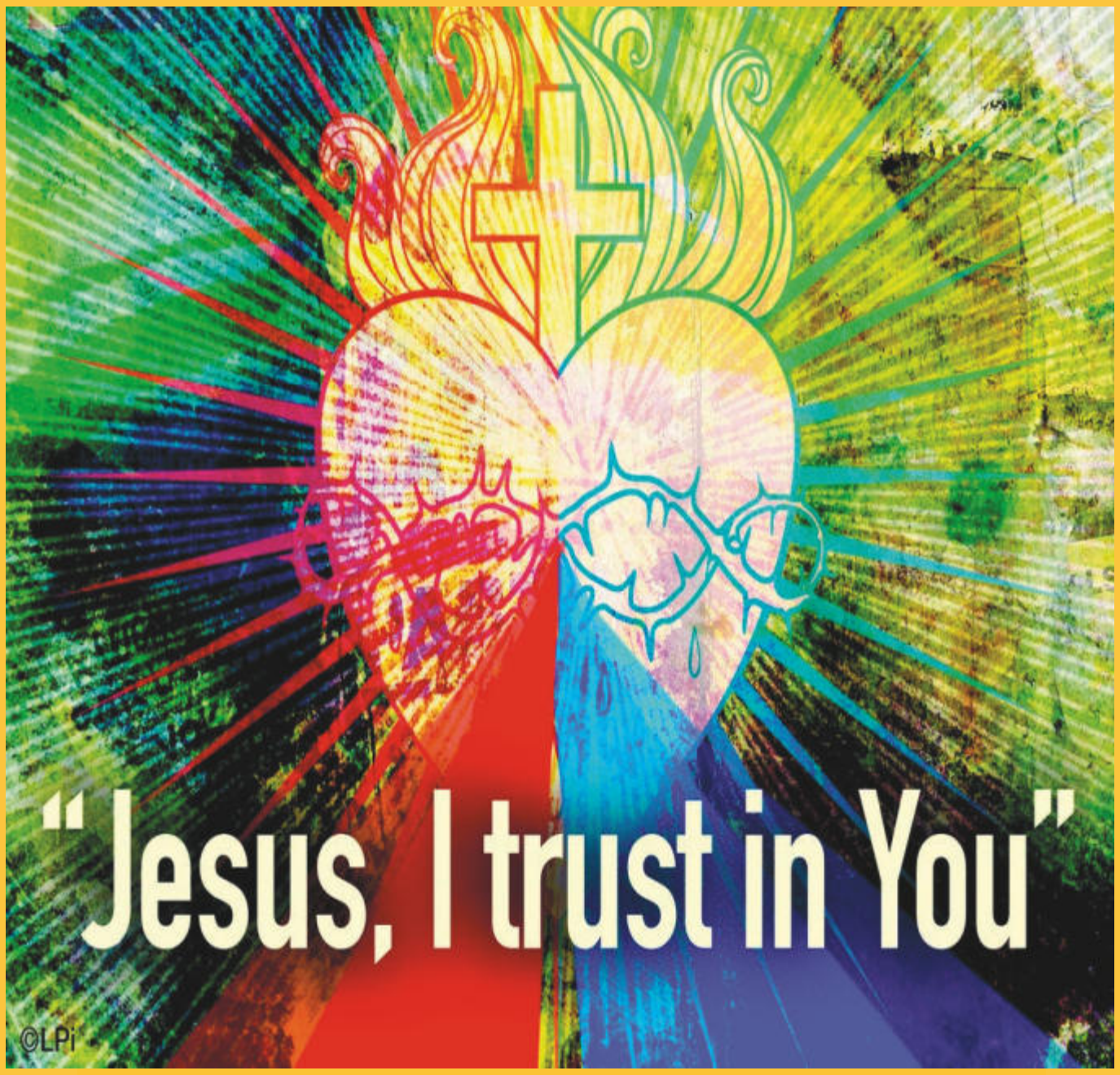

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY **April 11, 2021**

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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

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: 6:00 PM
Saturday: 3:00 PM

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

The Holy Eucharist

Sunday, 9:45 AM Mass

Daily: Saturday *only*: 8:30 AM

Liturgy of the Hours - Prayed 20 minutes before Saturday Morning Mass

Divine Mercy Sunday
April 11, 2021

Eternal God,
In whom mercy is endless
And the treasury of compassion –
inexhaustible,
look kindly upon us
and increase Your mercy in us,
that in difficult moments
we might not despair
nor become despondent,
but with great confidence
submit ourselves to Your holy will,
which is Love and Mercy itself.

Amen.

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Parish Office Hours

Monday, 8:30AM—3:30PM
Tuesday 10:00AM—3:30PM
Wednesday 8:30AM—3:30PM
Thursday8:30AM—5:30PM
Office is CLOSED on Fridays
Closed for lunch each day at 12:45PM—1:30PM

Mass Intentions

at St. Anthony of Padua Worship Site

Monday, April 12th
7:30AM Attilio & Maria Rotili
req. by Charlie & Jean Cheddar

.Tuesday, April 13th *St. Martin I*
7:30AM Albert Van Havere
req. by Jay & Colleen Barcellona & family

Wednesday, April 14th
7:30AM John Osag *[18th Anniversary]*
req. by his loving family

Thursday, April 15th
7:00PM Michael & Muriel Makely
req. by daughter, Adrienne & Richie Simeone

Friday, April 16th
7:30AM James Yanowiak
req. by The Muscatello Family

Saturday, April 17th
4:00PM People of the Parish Family

Sunday, April 18th
8:30AM Mary & Joseph Bodnar
req. by their loving children

11:15AM Robert "Bob" Fischer
req. by Mary & Tom Balint

at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Worship Site

Saturday, April 17th
8:30AM Tibar Kuntar
req. by The Herczeg Family

Sunday, April 18th ***3rd Sunday of Easter***
9:45AM Salvacion Caylao-Arabit
req. by Ray & Cherie Gumapac

April 11, 2021 DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Adjatok hálát az Úrnak,
mert jó, mivel irgalma örökké megmarad

\Weekly Holy Hour with Father Smith
for the people of the parish and needs of the parish.

All are Welcome.

Thursday, April 15th	5:00PM	St. Anthony of Padua
Tuesday, April 20th	6:30PM	St. Anthony of Padua
Wednesday, April 28th	7:00PM	St. Anthony of Padua

LIVESTREAM EVENTS at
ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA PARISH
Visit www.saintanthonypadua.org

Click *Celebrate Mass on Line* link

Weekend Mass
Saturday, Vigil – 4:00pm
Sunday - 8:30am

Daily Mass
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday - 7:30am

Weekly Holy Hour w/Fr. Smith *(See schedule in bulletin)*

Monthly Rosary *(See schedule in bulletin)*

DRIVE UP RECEPTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION ON SATURDAY EVENINGS IS CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

This *Week's Scripture Readings*

Sunday: Acts 4:32-35
Psalms 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24
1 Jn 5:1-6
John 20:19-3

Monday: Acts 4:23-31
Psalms 2:1-3, 4-7a, 7b-9
John 3:1-8

Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37
Psalms 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5
John 3:7b-15

Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26
Psalms 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9
John 3:16-21

Thursday: Acts 5:27-33
Psalms 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20
John 3:31-36

Friday: Acts 5:34-42
Psalms 27:1, 4, 13-14
John 6:1-15

Saturday: Acts 6:1-7
Psalms 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19
John 6:16-21

Next Sunday: Acts 3:13-15, 17-19
Psalms 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9
1 John 2:1-5a/Lk 24:35-48

The Parish Family of St. Anthony of Padua
Mission Statement

The Parish Family of St. Anthony of Padua
is a diverse Community of Faith
formed in July 2012 by the merging of
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel , Woodbridge (est. 1920) with St. **Anthony** of Padua Church, Port Reading (est. 1904).
We proclaim the "Good News" of Jesus Christ
and the beliefs of the Roman Catholic Church.

We are committed to maintaining worship as a
powerful experience of the presence of God through
Word, Sacrament, Music and Community.
We have a passion for Social Justice
and our duties toward all people.

We enrich the Faith of those in need through a
variety of ministries.
All are Welcome.

We strive to be a beacon of Faith, Hope and Love
while honoring God's Presence in every person.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
St. Anthony of Padua Church

We are blessed to have Eucharistic Adoration at St. Anthony of Padua every **Thursday, 2:30pm—6:00pm**. **The Divine Mercy Chaplet and Rosary are prayed at 3:00pm.** Please consider joining us for an hour or half-hour. Feel free to join us when ever and as often as you wish. All are welcome!

In the Garden of Gethsemane, Jesus
asked His disciples that question ...

"Can you not stay awake with me for even one hour?"

The Rosary will be recited on
Friday, April 16th at 9:30AM
at St. Anthony of Padua Worship Site
All are welcome!

FAITH FORMATION

G.I.F.T. 2020—2021
The Apostles' Creed

March's Family Assignment was due Wednesday, March 17th. If you have yet to submit your family's, please do so as soon as possible.

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FOR MASS GO TO OUR WEBSITE:
https//saintanthonypadua.org
To view our Bulletin: "Parish Life" tab at the top of the page

FOR ZOOM: SCROLL DOWN TO THE ICON
If prompted for :
Meeting ID : 853 392 8006
Password: 567757

Next G.I.F.T. Sessions:
Monday, April 12th & Wednesday, April 14th
Theme: 7: God, the Holy Spirit
Pentecost, The Holy Trinity

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION CLASSES

Communion: **Wednesday, April 21st & 28th**

Level 1	**6:00PM**	Mrs. Caffarelli
Level 2	**6:45PM**	Christina & Mrs. Tortoriello

Confirmation **Monday, April 19th & 26nd**

Level 1	**7:15PM**	Mrs. Carolyn Fischer Mr. Gennaro Tortoriello [sub]
Level 2	**6:00PM**	Mrs. Mary Balint

Stewardship: God's Plan for Giving

Due to the early submission of our bulletin,
our weekly comparison of our donations will be published in an upcoming bulletin.
Thank you for understanding.

PARISH OFFICE INFORMATION

MASS REGISTRATION

Registration is still required for weekend Masses. If you have access to the internet please visit the parish website **www.saintanthonypadua.org** for instructions. If you do not have internet access, please call **732-634-1419** and leave a message. In order to plan accordingly registration for weekend Mass should be submitted by **Thursday 12noon**. Thank you for your cooperation.

CANDLES IN CHURCH

Because of COVID-19 it is the best practice not to use the electric votive candles in church. In the rectory chapel I have set up a place to light candles for your intention.

The office is now equipped so you can safely come to arrange for a votive candle to be lit for your special intention. If for personal reasons you prefer not to do so you may write your intention and the person or persons requesting the intention on a piece of paper. Place your intention in a sealed envelope **and** drop in the Collection Basket, Poor Box donation slot located in the narthex or the Parish Office mail slot, on the outside of the envelope mark : **Candle Intentions.**

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 dear parents, Maria & Carmen and my loving brother, Victor
req. by Albina D'Alessio

In Loving Memory of my son, Stanley Szymanik, Jr.
As he celebrates his 3rd Anniversary with our Lord
req. by Dad, Diane & family

In Loving Memory of Maggie Perry
req. by Claudia Trotto

GOOD SHEPHERD

In Loving Memory of Gordon & Ann Ur, John Patrick & Owen
req. by their family

CROSS OF SAN DOMIANO

In Loving Memory of William & Gertrude Leahy
req. by Karen & Kevin Barnes & family

In Loving Memory of Alda Lauricella
req. by her best friend, MaryAnn Marrone

CRS RICE BOWL 2021

THANK YOU!

Our community changed lives this Lent, and CRS Rice Bowl wants to say THANK YOU! Don't forget to turn in your CRS Rice Bowl at St. Anthony or Our Lady of Mount Carmel Worship Sites on or before April 17th / 18th or donate online at:
crsricebowl.org/give.

Pope Francis' Intention for April:

Fundamental rights. We pray for those who risk their lives while fighting for fundamental rights under dictatorships, authoritarian regimes and even in democracies to crisis.

PRAY FOR *OUR PRIESTS*

April 12	Rev. Lauro Sedlmayer Rev. Matthew Paratore
April 13	Rev. John Grimes Rev. Chester Carina
April 14	Rev. Jose Lorente Very Rev. Jonathan Toborowsky
April 15	Rev. Sean Winters Rev. Robert Gorman
April 16	Rev. Msgr. Joseph Kerrigan Rev. Msgr. John Gordon
April 17	Rev. John Primich Rev. Timothy Gatitu IMC
April 18	Rev. John Gloss Rev. Dawid Wejnerowski

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, Pvt. Michael John Barbato III, Colleen Barcellona, Desmond Benimoff, Anne Bowley, Jessica Bunavage, Mary Cataldo, Dorothy Douglas, Linda Drakoulis, Steven Drakoulis, Don Foley, Fred Geardino, Kim Hickman, Veronica Kocsi, Josie LaSpina, Paul Marini, John Mazzarella, Jordyn & Taylor Pavey, Peter Reuben, Al Russo, Ina Sessa, Ryan Terebetsky.

HOUSE FIRE

On Saturday, February 27th, 2021 our fellow parishioner Dawn Bortner, a volunteer here at St. Anthony's and her sister, Darlene, lost their home to a devastating fire. The home was completely destroyed. Both, Dawn and Darlene were injured and are currently hospitalized.

Let us show the love that Christ asks of all Christians, that we care and are reaching out to help them.

Father Smith is setting up a fund to assist them in their hour of need. Please consider donating to this fund. Checks are to be made out to:
St. Anthony of Padua Church, in the Memo (Subject) line: Bortner Fund.

Donations should be placed in a plain envelope marked "Bortner Fund" and dropped in the Collection basket at Mass; dropped off at the Parish Office or after hours, slipped through mail slot in the Parish Office door.

Liturgical Minister Schedule

ST. ANTHONY OF PADU WORSHIP SITE

MINISTERS

Saturday, 04/17/2021

4:00pm	Reader	M. Oddo

Sunday, 04/18/2021

8:30am	Reader	R. Simeone
11:15am	Euch. Min.	P. Emory
	Reader	l. Emory

This week at St. Anthony of Padua Worship Site

Monday, April 12th

Study Hall	6:30AM	Fr. Milos Hall
Mass	**7:30AM**	**Church**
G.I.F.T.	**6:45PM**	**via Zoom**

Tuesday, April 13th

Study Hall	6:30AM	Fr. Milos Hall
Mass / Novena	**7:30AM**	**Church**
AA	7:30PM	Fr. Milos Hall

Wednesday, April 14th

Study Hall	6:30AM	Fr. Milos Hall
Mass	**7:30AM**	**Church**
G.I.F.T.	**6:45PM**	**via Zoom**

Thursday, April 15th

Study Hall	6:30AM	Fr. Milos Hall
Eucharistic Adoration	**2:30PM**	**Church**
Chaplet / Rosary	**3:00PM**	**Church**
Holy Hour / Fr. Smith	**5:00PM**	**Church**
Confessions	**6:00PM**	**Church**
Mass / Novena	**7:00PM**	**Church**
AA	8:00PM	Fr. Milos Hall

Friday, April 16th

Study Hall	6:30AM	Fr. Milos Hall
Mass	**7:30AM**	**Church**
Rosary Prayed	**9:00AM**	**Church**

Saturday, April 17th

First Penance	**9:00AM**	**Church**
Confessions	**3:00PM**	**Church**
Mass	**4:00PM**	**Church**

Sunday, April 18th

Mass	**8:30AM**	**Church**
Mass	**11:15AM**	**Church**
Baptism	**1:30PM**	**Church**
AA	7:00PM	Fr. Milos Hall

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

Saturday, April 17th

Mass	**8:30AM**	**Church**

Sunday, April 18th

Mass	**9:45AM**	**Church**

OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL WORSHIP SITE

MINISTERS

Sunday, 04/18/2021

` 9:45am	M. Dizon	

COUNTING TEAMS

SUNDAY, April 11th

Team Palasits, R. Sorbanelli

SUNDAY, APRIL 18th

Team J. Cinelli, C. Huber, R. McNamara

FOOD PANTRY MINISTRY

The Food Pantry is open for the distribution of food on the third Wednesday of each month. The next scheduled day for distribution of food is **Wednesday, April 21st from 10am—12noon.** If you know of someone who needs assistance, please contact Fr. Smith at the parish office or mail:

foodpantrystanthony@gmail.com.

Information on the food pantry can be found on our website: **www.saintanthonypadua.org**

Our next Food Drive will be the weekend of May 1st & 2nd. Items most needed are: Instant Mashed Potatoes, Peanut Butter, Jelly, Pancake mix and Syrup, **Canned Vegetables**, Canned Fruit, Canned Meat, Canned Tuna, Mac & Cheese, Toilet Paper, Paper Towels, Tissues, Detergent, Toiletries, Toothpaste, Soap and Body Wash.

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Do you need a place for your child to do their remote learning this coming school year? St. Anthony Study Hall is offering "Onsite Assisted Remote Learning" services to help families meet their needs.

Please visit our website for more information at https://saintanthonypadua.org/66. It doesn't matter what school district your child is in we will help them with their school work and give them plenty of time to have fun and socialize, socially distant of course.

STEWARDSHIP DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

"The community of believers was of one heart and mind, and no one claimed that any of his possessions was his own..."

ACTS 4:32

All that we are and all that we have is a gift from God! Think of your family, your friends, your life, your talents and your money – these are all gifts from God! We aren't really owners of anything, we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God has blessed us with. We are called to be grateful and generous with all of our gifts for the benefit of others.

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.

SHOPRITE GIFT CARDS …
our ongoing fund raiser.

Please consider helping St. Anthony's the next time you shop. For each gift card purchased, our Parish receives 5% of the proceeds. Gift Cards are available in a variety of denominations and can be purchased in the Parish Office.

ST. JAMES SCHOOL

We cannot have visitors in school right now to show all the great things we do, but you can learn all about us at the Virtual Open House Tours on our website! Click on any class to learn what makes St. James School the very best place for your child, whether a three year old or an eighth grader. We are proud to show off what makes our school such a special place. Visit our website at www.sj-school.org for a tour. Please contact Mrs. Brenda Stone at 732-634-0500 ext. 301 for enrollment questions for the 2021-2022 school year.

ARE YOU PLANNING TO MOVE?

DID YOU CHANGE YOUR:
PHONE NUMBER OR CARRIER?
EMAIL OR INTERNET PROVIDER?

It's important we keep in touch. If you're planning to move or have changed your home / cell phone numbers or email address PLEASE notify the parish office so we can update your records.

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Every tomorrow is a vision of hope.

Spring is on my mind

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