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Holy Cross



Saint Anthony



All Saints



North East Tompkins County (N.E.T.) Roman Catholic Parishes Dryden/Freeville — Groton — Lansing, New York

All are welcome!

Parish Office: (607) 241-0821 Pastoral Emergencies: (607) 288-2476

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Holy Cross

375 George Road, Freeville, NY

Office Hours: Monday 8:30 am-12 noon Wednesday 8:30 am-12 noon and 1:00-4:30 pm

Mass: Sunday 8:30 am Monday and Wednesday 9:00 am

Confessions: Tuesday 7:00-8:00 pm

Saint Anthony

312 Locke Road, Groton, NY

Office Hours: Tuesday and Friday 8:30 am-12 noon and

1:00-4:30 pm

Mass: Saturday 4:30 pm, Sunday 2:00 pm Tuesday 9:00 am and Friday 11:00 am Confessions: Saturday 2:45–3:45 pm

All Saints

347 Ridge Road, Lansing, NY

Office Hours: Monday 1:00-4:30 pm, Thursday 8:30 am-

12 noon, and 1:00-4:30 pm

Mass: Sunday 10:30 am, Monday 3:00 pm, and Thursday 9:30 am

Confessions: Thursday 3:00–4:00 pm

September 1, 2019

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Year C



Welcome!

We graciously welcome all new parishioners and visitors to our community. To register, please fill out a registration form available at church entrances. Please drop it in the collection basket or at the office. Or register online at:

netcatholic.org/join. A member of our ministry team will contact you to complete your registration.

Baptism

Baptismal preparation is offered and required for parents of children to be baptized in our churches. Please contact the parish office or fill in the online form at **netcatholic.org/baptism**, for an initial interview and baptismal preparation.

Holy Matrimony

Couples must contact the parish office at least six months prior to the celebration. Marriage preparation prerequisites must be fulfilled before the celebration of marriage.

RCIA/RCIC

Those interested in becoming Catholic or wishing to complete their Christian initiation through the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist are asked to call the parish office or fill in the form at **netcatholic.org/becomingcatholic**.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

This Sacrament is available for individuals upon request, and communal celebrations are scheduled each month at the Groton Nursing Home and on once a year on Holy Thursday morning.

Ministry to the Sick

Please call or email Fr. Daniel concerning the needs of the sick, hospitalized or shut-ins. Those unable to attend Mass may have Communion brought to them.

Building the Church with the Holy Spirit, Block by Block

Week of September 1

Knowledge

"Like living stones, let yourselves be built into a spiritual house to be a holy priesthood to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ."

- 1 Peter 2:5

This summer we are reflecting on the various gifts and fruits of the Spirit that build up the Church. Our G.I.F.T. families have received a package of 16 wrapped blocks. Each week, one block is unwrapped and the gift or the fruit revealed. When you unwrap his week's block, you will find the word KNOWLEDGE on it. Sometime this week, take 15 minutes and either on your own or with your family, and invite the Holy Spirit to come to your household: Come, Holy Spirit. Fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created. And You shall renew the face of the earth.

Then reflect on the following:

KNOW (Mind): What is Christian Knowledge?

When we think about knowledge, we usually think about our capacity to learn about the world that surrounds us, discovering the laws that regulate nature and the universe. The knowledge that comes from the Holy Spirit, however, is not limited to human knowledge; it is a special gift which leads us to grasp, through creation, the greatness and love of God and his profound relationship with every creature.

LOVE (Heart): Accepting the Fruit of Knowledge into our hearts

When our eyes are illuminated by the Spirit, they can contemplate God and lead us to discover how everything speaks to us about God and God's love. This brings about in us a great sense of wonder and profound gratitude, like when admire a work of art. The Spirit leads us to praise the Lord from the depths of our heart and to recognize, in all that we have and all that we are, an invaluable gift of God and a sign of his infinite love for us.

SERVE (Hands): Putting our Knowledge in service of the church, humanity, and the world.

"The gift of knowledge sets us in profound harmony with the Creator and allows us to participate in the clarity of his vision and his judgement. And it is in this perspective that we manage to accept man and woman as the summit of creation, as the fulfillment of a plan of love that is impressed in each one of us and that allows us to recognize one another as brothers and sisters... All this is a source of serenity and peace and makes the Christian a joyful witness of God, in the footsteps of St Francis of Assisi and so many saints who knew how to praise and laud his love through the contemplation of creation...We must protect creation for it is a gift which the Lord has given us; it is God's present to us; we are the guardians of creation...This should make us think and should make us ask the Holy Spirit for the gift of knowledge in order to understand better that creation is a most beautiful gift of God. He has done many good things for the thing that is most good: the human person." (Pope Francis, May 21, 2014)

Question of the Week: How has the Holy Spirit brought KNOWLEDGE into your life?

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Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Would you like to know more about Catholicism? Have you thought about becoming Catholic? Do you know someone that might be interested in Catholicism? Join us for our RCIA Information meeting Wednesday September 11 at 7:00 pm at Holy Cross 375 George Road, Freeville, NY. If this date does not work for you or you have any questions, please contact Dawn Burdick at (607) 288-2476 or at dawn.burdick@dor.org.

Here's what someone who recently went through RCIA has to say:

'I am forever thankful for the foundation that my parents instilled. However, the feeling of missing 'more' loomed. Searching 'more,' my life became enlightened with today's new age evangelism but 'more' was still missing. God has a special design for each of us. A trip to Rome and Mother Angelica, slowly opened a door bringing me to a new threshold of my spiritual quest and the doorstep of RCIA. The flickering candle became brighter with Catholic history and teachings to present day. Pope Francis enlightened the world with the insightful ability to move forward in 'present day;' yet keep God's traditional teachings intact. RCIA added a new wing to fly in my search of 'more.' RCIA teachings cleared away long misunderstood perceptions of Catholicism. [...] My inner candle shines brighter and a renewed wing allows my heart to sing; with the complete understanding of the Eucharist. To me: it is God's gift for my weakness. [...] 'God is First Today.' From the past to this very moment in time, I am personally charged as an individual to pass a flame to assist in the Hope and Love of this GIFT. Life is a renewal process and to move forward with openness. Mother Mary and the one Church was the missing 'more.'" – Diana Batzel Powers

This week in our Parishes

Tins week in our ransines					
Mon. Sept. 2	Labor Day - Offices closed, no Masses Word and Communion Service 9:00am @ St. A. St. Anthony Combo Sale Setup @ American Legion Word and Communion Service 9:00am @ H.C.				
Tues., Sept. 3					
Wed. Sept. 4					
Thurs., Sept. 5	Word and Communion Service 9:30am @ A.S.				
Fri., Sept. 6	No Masses St. Anthony Combo Sale 9:00am - 3:00pm @ American Legion All Saints Cupcake Booth @ Lansing Festival				
Sat., Sept. 7	St. Anthony Combo Sale 9:00am - 3:00pm @ American Legion All Saints Cupcake Booth @ Lansing Festival Rosary 10:00am @ H.C. Adoration and confessions 2:45pm @ St. A. Mass 4:30pm @ St. A. Sign Up Sunday 5:30pm @ St. A.				
Sun., Sept. 8	Sign Up Sunday @ All Parishes Mass 8:30am @ H.C. Mass 10:30am @ A.S. Mass 2:00pm @ St. A.				
	A LOOK AHEAD				
Sept. 11	RCIA Intro Meeting @ H.C.				
Sept. 13	Taking Root Youth Ministry Fun Night				
Sept. 14 & 15	Info meetings for First Eucharist, First Reconciliation, and Confirmation after every Mass. @ All Parishes				
Sept. 27-28	Days for Girls Sewing Event @ A.S.				

Our Sacrificial Offering for the fulfillment of the Mission of Jesus Christ



All Saints

08/25/2019

\$1,036.00



Holy Cross

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St. Anthony

08/25/2019

\$923.00

Attendance August 24-25, 2019		
All Saints	130	
Holy Cross	106	
St. Anthony	95	

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a voice mail at:
607-288-2476

For Pastoral Care and Pastoral Emergencies,

LITURGICAL I	LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR: SEPTEMBER 7 TH & 8 TH , 2019 – 23 RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME						
Mass Time	Proclaimers of the Word	E.M.H.C.	Altar Servers	Greeters/Ushers	Gift Bearers		
4:30pm – Saturday Saint Anthony Homilist: Father Daniel	Jerry Lutkenhouse (A) Rich Morse (B)	Jerry Lutkenhouse Rich Morse Chuck Rankin	Maddie Bishop Max Bishop	Patrick Vrooman Phylis Vrooman	Nancy Brown Marie Pollack Nursing Home Irene Gutchess		
8:30am – Sunday Holy Cross Homilist: Deacon George	Erin Harkenrider (A) Lisa Schug (B)	(C) Deacon George (C) MaryAnn Kozak (H) Nan Lisk	Logan Bobnick Caleb Williams	Barney Schug George Muller	<u>Oak Hill</u> Doreen Dineen		
10:30am – Sunday All Saints Homilist: Father Daniel	Gerry McDonough (A) Susan Brock (B)	Andra Benson (Ch) Christine Hass (Ch) Joan Hass Monica Ravas	Giovanna Clark Lucia Clark Dominick Ronsvalle	Julie Berens Cheryl Casey Matt Montague Maureen Ronsvalle	Sacristan Anne Drake		
2:00pm – Sunday Saint Anthony Homilist: Father Daniel	Janna Lamey (A) Nancy McGowan (B)	Maryalice Scharoun	Alex Lamey	Maryalice Scharoun	Volunteers		





Mass Intentions

Saturday (August 31), 4:30 pm @ Saint Anthony

For Margaret Carey Murphy, by the Carey and McKay Families of Little Rock

Sunday (September 1), 8:30 am @ Holy Cross

For the intentions of Lucia Sacco, by Doris and Wally Kusznir

Sunday (September 1), 10:30 am @ All Saints

For Dan Ravas, by the Barrett Family

Sunday (September 1), 2:00 pm @ Saint Anthony

For Lewis and Teresa Robinson, by Mark Robinson

Saturday (September 7), 4:30 pm @ Saint Anthony

For David Blozick

Sunday (September 8), 8:30 am @ Holy Cross

For Don Lisk, by Roger and Jeanne Pellerin

Sunday (September 8), 10:30 am @ All Saints

For the People of Our Parishes

Sunday (September 8), 2:00 pm @ Saint Anthony

For Elizabeth Ganjemi, by Nancy Brown and Family

Liturgical Calendar for this week

This Sunday:

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – Green Sirach 3:17-18, 20, 28-29 / Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24a / Luke 14:1, 7-14

Monday: of the 22nd Week in Ordinary Time – Green 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 / Luke 4:16-30

Tuesday: St. Gregory the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church – White

1 Thessalonians 5:1-6, 9-11 / Luke 4:31-37

Wednesday: of the 22nd Week in Ordinary Time – Green Colossians 1:1-8 / Luke 4:38-44

Thursday: of the 22nd Week in Ordinary Time – Green Colossians 1:9-14 / Luke 5:1-11

Friday: of the 22nd Week in Ordinary Time – Green Colossians 1:15-20 / Luke 5:33-39

Saturday: of the 22nd Week in Ordinary Time – Green Colossians 1:21-23 / Luke 6:1-5

Next Sunday:

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – Green Wisdom 9:13-18b / Philemon 9-10, 12-17 / Luke 14:25-33



Please join the Pope in praying for the following intention during the month of September 2019:

The Protection of the Oceans – That politicians, scientists and economists work together to protect the world's seas and oceans.

Prayer Requests For Our Sick & Shut-Ins

Angelo Alaimo, Jane Baldwin, Ginny Bradshaw, Chrissy Bravo-Cullen, Karen Brown, Phyllis Campbell, Ian Charles, Donna Cocca, Paul Conklin, Robert Deely, Jerica Duso, Richard "Dick" Fagan, Lois Fahey, Pat Fairbank, Mary Falise, Gordon Gladden, Amy Grosser, Francis Hertel, Kirsten Hess, Nimr Ibrahim, Jeremiah, Autum Kenyon, Tim Keegan, Steve Kletjian,

Valerie Kuramoto, Mr. Liggett, Tate MacDowell, Marcus Martinez, Leah Mayor, Emma Mazingo, Joe McCarey, Betty McCarey, Lee McGill, Fred Mellberg, Sara Morse, Dennis Osika, Jim Oswald, Kathy Pumphrey, Karen Randolph, Geraldine Rankin, Emilie Searle, Eleanor Sorbello, Lucy Steger, Phyllis Stewart, Robert Stewart, Ethel Thomas, Melanie Toolan, Vicky Toro, Maria Unterreiner, Ellen VanSlyke Batzer, Sharon Vincent, Tom Walpole, Richard Weiss, Ryan White, Jocelyn Woods, and several Special Intentions.

Please keep our area servicemen & women in your prayers.

Parish News and Events

(WEB) Weekend Backpack Program

Holy Cross Church is collecting **Condensed Soups (Chicken noodle/Tomato/Veggie Beef)** for the month of September. Look for a collection basket in the back of the church.

School Supplies Donations

Saint Anthony is collecting school supplies until Sept. 16th. Please place your donations in the basket in the hallway outside of McNamara Hall.

Do you have a project at home that you just cannot get to?

Worry not! The Big Red is coming to your rescue! On Sunday, September 22 between Noon and 2pm, Mike Schafer, Men's Ice Hockey Coach at Cornell University and 100 athletes from Cornell will descend upon our parishes accompanied by some adults and trade professionals to help you with any pending projects such as gardening, minor repairs, cleaning, painting, etc. If you have a project but you need materials and you cannot afford them, do not worry, we can provide them. If you are able to pay for this help, we invite you to make a donation so that we can use the funds you donate to help others that might not be able to get the materials necessary for their project. Any donations that we do not use for other projects will go to the Portal de Belen Foundation Projects in the Dominican Republic. To schedule your project or for any questions please contact **Diane Schafer** at **diane3@twcny.rr.com** or **Julie Eisenhut** at **607-351-0557**.

Cupcake Bakers & Festival Volunteers Needed

All Saints will host a cupcake game booth at the Lansing Festival on Fri. & Sat., Sept. 6th and 7th. If you can bake cupcakes later this week and/or help staff our 2-person booth for an hour between 5-9 pm Friday or 1-5 pm Saturday, please email Erin Socha at erinraig@gmail.com or sign up online here: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0b4aa5ae2faafe3-lansing. Please help us support our community with this extra fun fundraiser!

Saint Anthony 14th Annual Combo Sale

Our Combo Sale is coming up on THIS WEEK, and this is our biggest fundraiser! Here are ways to support your parish: •

Rummage Sale: Please get your donations of good, clean, usable clothing and household items and furniture ready - drop off at the American Legion starting on Sept. 3 • Donate some baked goodies to the Bake Sale Friday & Saturday • Plan to buy Chicken BBQ for Saturday's lunch • Help out! Add your name to the Sign-Up sheet in the hallway! • For our Bottle Drive, redeemable bottles and cans may be brought to the Redemption Center on Spring Street from September 3-10 during business hours—please indicate that funds should be directed to St. Anthony! Please remember we do not accept donations of exercise equipment, electronics (such as TVs), bowling balls, tires, or anything that is damaged. If you donate items that are not usable, we have to pay to dispose of them.

Community News and Events

Love Will End Abortion: Practical Steps to Make a Real Impact in Your Community – September 19th Save The Date! Ithaca-40 Days For Life and Ithaca Council Knights of Columbus have invited Jim Havens, VP of Mission and Communication for The Station of the Cross Catholic Radio Network, host of "Love Will End Abortion" radio show & author to Ithaca to share his experiences in pro-life ministry. Join us for an evening of meaningful discussion at Immaculate Conception Church. 6-730 PM.

2019 Ithaca Peace Festival on Sept. 6-8

The Ithaca Peace Festival is a family-friendly celebration of Music, Food, and Peace. Live performances by The Blind Spots, Sim Redmond Band, The Burns Sisters, Papa Muse, Alexander Bradshaw, and the Dorothy Cotton Jubilee Singers. Address: 309 Siena Drive, Ithaca, NY. More information at **ithacapeacefest.org.**

Our Ministry Team

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