Jesus answered him, “Foxes have dens and birds of the sky have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to rest his head.” - Lk 9:58

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Mass Schedule
Saturday Vigil: 4:30pm
Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 11:30am & 5:30pm-Life Teen
Daily: Monday & Wednesday 6:30am
Tuesday & Thursday 9:00am
Communion Service: Friday 6:30am
Holydays and Holidays subject to change
(see bulletin)

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Office Hours
Monday–Thursday 9:00am–6:00pm
Friday 9:00am–4:00pm
Saturday & Sunday CLOSED

Next weekend, we celebrate the “Fourth of July” holiday weekend. It is, of course, a great time for family and friends to gather and it is also a special time when we remember the independence and freedoms that are so much part of the identity of the United States of America and the American way of life. Let us hope and pray that the weather cooperates with all those cookouts or firework displays this weekend and that everyone has a wonderful time together!

As has happened for a few years now, the Catholic Bishops of the United States of America (USCCB) have asked for a “Fortnight for Freedom”. This year, The Fortnight for Freedom began on June 21 and finishes over holiday weekend. It is a time when our liturgical calendar has celebrated a series of great martyrs who remained faithful in the face of persecution by political powers: St. Thomas More and St. John Fisher (whose relics are currently being taken around the USA), St. John the Baptist, SS. Peter and Paul (more about Saint Peter next weekend!), and the First Martyrs of the Church of Rome.

The theme of this year’s Fortnight focused on the "witness to freedom" with a focus on a number of saints (one for each day of the fortnight) who have witnessed to the truth of the Gospel in the face of persecution. The saints include Blessed Miguel Pro, St. Kateri Tekakwitha, the Coptic Christians executed by ISIS last year, Saint Maximillian Kolbe and Blessed Oscar Romero. Pope Francis, on his recent visit to the USA, encouraged us to do three things: to nurture, to promote and to defend the precious gift of religious freedom. The Fortnight for Freedom is a request for a special time of prayer and reflection, especially for the protection of our religious freedoms in the United States. This may seem a radical, or puzzling, or even disturbing request, given that we live in a free society: something that can be brought into sharp focus especially when we see the news from other parts of the world. Perhaps we may be unsure about the issues or concerns that are being raised or discussed by this special “fortnight”, or perhaps we may just wonder what all the fuss is about.

As the USCCB website tells us, the religious liberty that has been enjoyed in the United States is, to quote Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI, the “most cherished of American freedoms.” However, many people (including our US Bishops), strongly believe that this essential and fundamental freedom is now under serious threat in a number of complex and interrelated ways. Some examples are given on the USCCB website, or check out the resources guide that can be found on the Diocesan website www.rcda.org/fortnight.

We are asked to consider three things in particular. First, of course, is prayer (as well as penance and sacrifice): to renew our prayers for the rebuilding of a culture that is favourable to life and marriage and for increased protections for religious liberty (cf. the USCCB website: www.usccb.org/life-marriage-liberty). Secondly, we are asked to educate ourselves further about our Catholic beliefs. How can we do this? Well, we could look further into what we believe of course; but also why we believe it and then how these beliefs and values relate to our present-day culture, our choices and our way of life and also to the various items of legislation that may well come into law in the months ahead. Current examples of this include the Supreme Court decision regarding same sex unions, or certain provisions of the heath care laws. Thirdly, we are asked to be advocates and promoters of a “culture of life” and of a respect for the fundamental dignity of every person from the moment of their conception to the natural end of their life.

Once again, it must be said that the issues are complex because they involve so many fundamental things such as human rights, political philosophies, religious beliefs, values, attitudes, life-styles and the very nature and direction of our American culture and society as well as the very nature of essential matters such as “life”, “marriage” etc. However, because they are so fundamental they have, and they certainly will, affect all of us. It is not just something for a few politicians, lobby groups, bishops or “others” to argue about! Please do take some time to follow the three suggestions above given by the US Bishops.

Fr. Anthony
Meet Seminarian Sam

Hi, St. Ambrose! Thank you so much for welcoming me to your wonderful parish. I just finished my first of four years at St. Joseph’s Seminary (Dunwoodie) in Yonkers. This summer I’m shadowing Fr. Anthony, learning the rhythm of parish life, helping with Vacation Bible School, and everything else that happens here!

I’m originally from Bethlehem and went to La Salle in Troy. While I wasn’t always so interested in my faith, God showed me His mercy especially through Eucharistic adoration during high school. After studying philosophy and vocal performance (nerd!) in college, I decided to enter seminary. In my free time I enjoy reading, bad puns and long runs.

If I can be of any help to you this summer or you just want to talk, you can e-mail me at sam@stambroselatham.com.

Attention ALL Altar Servers
We are looking for servers to help at the weekday morning Mass during the summer break. If you are interested, please contact the Parish Office or Deacon Frank at Frank.Garceau88@gmail.com

Beginning Friday, June 24th through September 2nd, the Church office will close at 12 noon on Fridays.

Independence Day Weekend Changes/Closings
Friday, July 1st
There will be NO Eucharistic Adoration

Monday, July 4th
Parish Office closed
There will be NO 6:30 am Mass
There will be a 9:00 am Mass

First Saturday Devotions
First Saturday Devotions will be at 10:00 am in the Chapel on Saturday, July 2nd. Please join us for this devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

Are you struggling with your emotions, a loss, an addiction, a relationship or family issues? Counseling is available in the evenings at St. Ambrose. A $25 donation is appreciated. Contact Dave Dobkowski, Ph.D. at 859-4015 to make an appointment.

Readings for the Week of June 26, 2016

Monday: Am 2:6-10, 13-16/Ps 50:16-23/Mt 8:18-22
Tuesday: Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12/Ps 5:4-8/Mt 8:23-27
Thursday: Am 7:10-17/Ps 19:8-11/Mt 9:1-8
Friday: Am 8:4-6, 9-12/Ps 119:2, 10, 20, 30, 40, 131/Mt 9:9-13
Saturday: Am 9:11-15/Ps 85:9-14/Mt 9:14-17

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Pope Francis on the Orlando Shooting

The terrible massacre that has taken place in Orlando, with its dreadfully high number of innocent victims, has caused in Pope Francis, and in all of us, the deepest feelings of horror and condemnation, of pain and turmoil before this new manifestation of homicidal folly and senseless hatred. Pope Francis joins the families of the victims and all of the injured in prayer and in compassion. Sharing in their indescribable suffering he entrusts them to the Lord so they may find comfort. We all hope that ways may be found, as soon as possible, to effectively identify and contrast the causes of such terrible and absurd violence which so deeply upsets the desire for peace of the American people and of the whole of humanity.

- Holy See Press Office Director, Father Federico Lombardi SJ (June 12, 2017)

Catechism of the Catholic Church

The number of men and women who have deep seated homosexual tendencies is not negligible. They do not choose their homosexual condition. . . They must be accepted with respect, compassion, and sensitivity. Every sign of unjust discrimination in their regard should be avoided. These persons are called to fulfill God's will in their lives. . .

-CCC, Par. 2358

From NBC News (June 17th 2016)

There has been a lot of support from people all over the country for the victims in Orlando, touched by the tragedy, visiting the area to pay their respects.

There are now 49 crosses that contain each of the victims' names killed in the nightclub shooting. "It's a monumental effort to do this," one visitor to the memorial said.

But 65-year-old Greg Zanis, who is about to retire, said it's worth it, "I'm here to hope to change the message and my new message is love your neighbor, love your brother."

Zanis came from the Midwest to central Florida, "This is a man coming from Chicago to show I love my brother. I love my neighbor."

49 crosses: One for each soul lost at Pulse nightclub when an enraged gunman opened fire. "I started Sunday right after church and I worked until midnight. So that was a short day. Just building," Zanis said.

He found a spot at Orlando Health, and in the blistering heat, grabbed each one off his small pickup and started setting them down, one by one. There is a red heart attached to each, with markers at the base for the community to share their sorrow and support.

"We're made in the image of God and when you see somebody dead like that it just changes. It's like how can somebody do this to these people? How much hate was in this guy's heart? I understand he went and shot them again," Zanis said.

This is personal for Zanis. He said his father was murdered and shot in the head.

There's a lot of controversy nationally about what's going on here. People are going to change the gun laws. You're not gonna change somebody's heart until you love your neighbors," he said. . .

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2016 Vacation Bible School

July 25th to July 29th

Visit www.stambroselatham.com/VBS to register and to sign up for updates!
EDGE Service Week
Nothing says love like service and nothing makes our hearts sing like sacrificing for our brothers and sisters in Christ.
Jesus came to us as a “servant King” saying as “I have given you a model to follow, so that as I have done for you so you should also do.” ... John 13:15
So off we go to different location in our Capitol District serving those who need our help. We will have those locations posted on the web site soon but for now please save the dates
August 1 thru 4
Be excited—it’s going to be awesome seeing the face of our Lord in the people we serve.
Come join the fun!

Beginning September 11th
Middle School Ministry will be on Sunday mornings starting this fall, September 11th from 10:15am to 11:15am.
It’s a whole new day and time with a whole new look at ministry and families and Jesus our Savior. We’ll have lots of information available soon so stay tuned. For now, have a great summer and we’ll see you in August for our service week.

St. Isaac Jogues Youth Conference
Pick up your registration forms today at the front of the church or at the front office.
Open to all high school age students from entering freshman to exiting seniors.
Come for the food, the fun, the awesome music, the national speakers, great friendships or any other reason. Just come!
July 15-17

Disturb us, Lord, when we are too pleased with ourselves; when our dreams have come true because we dreamed too little; when we arrived safely because we sailed too close to the shore. Disturb us, Lord, when with the abundance of the things we possess we have lost our thirst for the waters of life; having fallen in love with life, we have ceased to dream of eternity and in our efforts to build a new earth, we have allowed our vision of the new Heaven to dim. Disturb us, Lord, to dare more boldly, to venture on wilder seas where storms will show Your majesty; where loosing sight of land, we shall find the stars. We ask you to push back the horizons of our hopes; and to push back the future in strength, courage, hope and love. This we ask in the name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.
At St. Ambrose School, we are “Learning to be all God wants us to be.”

School’s out for summer

Still accepting registrations for Kindergarten through grade 7

The struggle is over guys! Have a great summer!

Church of Saint Ambrose
347 Old Loudon Road, Latham
in the Parish Center

Tuesday, July 5th
9:00 am—1:00 pm

To make an appointment please contact the American Red Cross at 1-800-RED CROSS or visit

www.redcrossblood.org

Walk-ins Welcome!!

All presenting donors at this drive will receive a limited edition Red Cross lunch cooler, while supplies last!
MISSION STATEMENT

We, the members of St. Ambrose Parish, Latham, New York believe that, through our faith and baptism, we have been called to give witness to the values of Jesus as expressed in the gospel and teachings of our Church. As individuals and as a Parish Family we strive to:

Develop our spiritual life, Spread the Gospel message,
Respect the human dignity and rights of all persons
Support family life: the role of married couples, singles,
youth and children
Share our time, energy, talent and resources

Strengthened by the Holy Spirit, we commit ourselves to make choices and decisions that will reflect and give evidence of what we say we believe and value as a Catholic Christian Faith Community.

Parishioner Registration/Update Request

Name: __________________________________________
Street: __________________________________________
City: __________________________________________
Zip: __________________________________________
Phone No: ______________________________________

Please Check
☐ New Registration
☐ Change of Address
☐ Moving out of Parish
☐ Want Envelopes
☐ Name Change (Please contact Parish Secretary)

Please cut out and drop it in the Collection Basket or mail to the Parish Office.

The Evangelist Subscription

Name: __________________________________________
Address: ________________________________________
City: __________________________ State: ______
Zip: __________________________
Phone No: ________________________

Please check:
☐ Continue my subscription to the Evangelist, here is my $18.00/yr.
☐ Add my name to the subscription list, here is my $18.00/yr.

Please cut out, make check payable to St. Ambrose Church, drop it in the Collection Box or mail to the Parish Office.

Parishes of Our Local Catholic Communities

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| LOUDONVILLE  |       |                                                |
| Christ Our Light | 459-6635 | Sat: 4:00pm/Sun: 9:00 / 11:15am               |
| St. Pius X   | 462-1336 | Sat: 5pm/Sun: 8, 10 & 12 noon                 |

Sacraments

RECONCILIATION
Saturday, 3:00 PM or any time by appointment.

MARRIAGE
Congratulations! So that proper preparation may be made, please make an appointment with Fr. Anthony at least six months before the desired date. Either the bride or groom should be a registered parishioner of St. Ambrose parish.

BAPTISM
Congratulations! If you wish to arrange preparation for baptism, please call the Parish Office. Parents should be registered members of St. Ambrose parish.

RCIA
(Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)
For those inquiring about the Catholic Faith. Welcome! Please contact the Parish Office for program details.

VOCATION
If you are considering a vocation to the priesthood, diaconate or religious life, please contact Fr. Anthony.

More info to come!

September 25th
"We Are A Tithing Parish
Following "God's Plan for Giving"

June 19, 2016 $19,260.11
June 21, 2015 $14,608.36

Deepest thanks for your continued and generous support for our parish. Your gifts enable so much to be done in so many ways.

Thank you for your generous response to the 2016 Bishop’s Appeal.
The amount raised thus far is $122,865 with a total of 344 pledges and gifts. The vital ministries supported by this annual appeal depend on you and your generosity. Your gift helps St. Ambrose Parish pay its diocesan assessment of $172,616.
Pledge envelopes are available in the church and donations can also be made online at: www.thebishopsappeal.org

Many thanks for your support!
Fr. Anthony

URGENT:
MEDIA MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
The Media Ministry is in desperate need of volunteers at the 4:30pm, 9am and 11:30am Masses. If you have a love for the Mass and a heart for worship and can click a mouse - please consider giving your time to this ministry. Help us keep this ministry available at these Masses by calling Mary Alice Hunt at 518-859-6743 or stopping by the choir loft to check us out at any Mass.

Sacristan Ministry
Like altar serving, being a Sacristan is a very beneficial way to help out your church community, and an active way to participate in Mass. Sacristans perform the following duties:

- Setting up the church before Mass. Typically, sacristans arrive at church half hour before anyone else. They light the candles, arrange the books, ready the linens and basically perform a little simple organizing before Mass begins.
- Prepare the Holy Eucharist for the celebration of the Mass. This includes readying the wine, water and bread and putting them in place for the start of Mass.
- Coordinate all Mass participants, make sure Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers and Altar Servers are ready.
- Cleaning the holy materials after Mass in the sacristy.
- Before the sacristan leaves the church everything is set back in its place and secured.

Decide if this is something you think you can do. Setting the table of the Lord is a ministry that is essential for the Mass. We are in need of sacristans for all Masses. Our schedules are flexible so after training you can let us know what Mass works for you. Our schedule is posted ahead several months at a time for your convenience. Please contact the Sacristan Coordinator Pat Rayball 708-9615 for more information.
### Liturgical Roles for Week Ending July 3, 2016

**Money Counters, Sunday, July 3rd**

**Team #6—Steve Green, Richard Ostiguy, Tom Dame**

**Money Counters, Tuesday, July 5th**

**Team #3—Joe Hogan, Richard Ostiguy, Rene Comtoits**

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You are just one person but you are important to God and His work. Be faithful as you give of your time, talent and treasure.

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**A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar**

Today’s gospel reminds us once we set our “hand to the plow” of parenting and marriage, “we cannot look back.” This is what commitment means: we have said YES to what was, what is and to what can be.

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