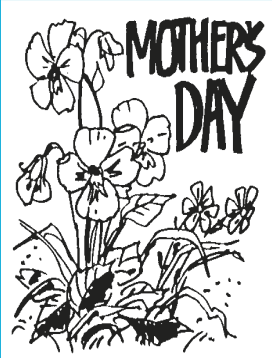




**TO ST. JOHN
THE EVANGELIST
CHURCH**

Parish Office hours are Monday through Thursday
10:00 am to 3:00 pm and Friday from 9:00 to 11:00 am.



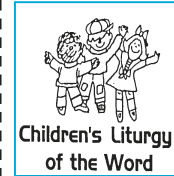
PRAYER

My heart is filled with thanks for you, my loving mother. On Mother's Day and every day I ask God to watch over you. Thank you God for choosing you to be my mother. Heartfelt joy is how I feel when I think of you. Everything I am is because of what you have taught me. Rejoice to the Lord, for He has given me you! Amen.

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

OFFICE HOURS FOR FR. CARLINO

St. John's Parish Office on Wednesdays from 12 Noon to 4:00 pm and St. Anthony's Parish Office on Thursdays from 12 Noon to 4:00 pm. He is available to schedule appointments at other times as well. You can call him personally 7 days a week from 6:00 am to 8:00 pm at 372-3381 ext. 7. You can call him for The Last Rites of the Church 24/7 also at 372-3381 but at ext. 9.



The Children's Liturgy of the Word is held on Sundays during the 9:30 am Mass, children in Grades Pre-K through 6 are invited by the priest to come forward to experience the Liturgy of the Word at their own level. They participate in songs, prayers and readings in the area of the church adjacent to the sacristy. The children will return to their seats after the Prayer of the Faithful.

BISHOP'S APPEAL CLEAN-UP

Today is called Bishop's Appeal Clean-Up day. Those who did not, as yet, make a pledge last weekend are asked to consider making one this weekend. You may do so by filling out the **St. John the Evangelist** Bishop's Appeal envelope in the pews and putting it in the collection basket. While we hope this does not happen, if you decide not to make a pledge, please state that by writing "0" (zero) on the line that says "Total Gift/Pledge" and your name. For those of you who still do not make a pledge today and /or do not write "0" on the envelope, Father Carlino will be writing to you to seek that pledge in the next few weeks. We thank you for your generosity.

**PLEASE OBSERVE THE ONE-WAY TRAFFIC SIGNS
IN AND OUT OF OUR CHURCH PARKING LOT.**



Just as we provide our children daily with food at the table, we cannot fail to provide them weekly with the Food that will sustain them for life - the Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist. On Saturday, **May 12** we celebrate our children who have received Jesus for the first time. Please keep them and their families in your prayers.

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| Markus Ahrens | Cipriana DeMania |
| Anthony Alotta | Samuel Fiori |
| Mikella Battaglino | Brennan Hammonds |
| Thomas Boler | William Lawton |
| Luciana Canelli | Nicholas Matthews |
| Adam Carangelo | Abigail Mullen |
| Lucas Caratini | Delaney O'Dea |
| Joseph Cassella | Brendan Pedone |
| Max Cherubin | Chase Reynolds |
| Griffin Clark | Julianne Robison |
| Benjamin Curbelo | Sabine Testa |
| Domenico DeCarlo | Emma Villaume |

Jack Youmans

Special thanks to the ladies of our Rosary Society; Kathy Carney, Toni DiCaprio, Maura Kastberg, Barbara McEvoy, Joanne McGrath, Barbara Nyland for their dedication and hard work with everything involved in planning our reception. And a special Thank You to Louise Monarch for her homemade candy for each First Communicant. For over twenty years, Louise has tirelessly given her gift to every child receiving the sacrament in our church.

HUMAN CONCERNS BABY SHOWER

Because of the great need in our area, the Human Concerns Committee is having its Annual Baby Items Collection again this year. This weekend, **May 12/13** will be our last collection weekend. Items donated will go to, Birthright of Schenectady and City Mission of Schenectady's Family Life Center. These organizations are in need of: baby wipes, baby thermometers, washcloths, towel wraps, blankets, receiving blankets, bibs, booties/socks, onesies/T-shirts, diapers-sizes 2,3,4,5,6, baby bottles with nipples, sleepers, new baby clothing 0 - 3 mos. and up to 2T, crib sheets, burp cloths, wash cloths, Sippy cups, baby lotion, A & D ointment, soft infant toys, etc. You may place your donations in the collection boxes provided. We cannot accept items such as high chairs, car seats, baby furniture, etc. but you could bring these items directly to the City Mission of Schenectady. Thank you as always for your support and generosity in this endeavor. If you have any questions, call Jeanne Servidone - 518-357-9053 or Kathy Carney - 518-377-7444.

ANNUAL INSURANCE COLLECTION

The second collection on the weekend of **May 19/20** will be for our Annual Insurance bill owed to the Diocese. The amount due this year is \$90,125.04 We thank you in advance for your generosity.

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



Collection 05/06/18 \$13,106.72

Candles: \$ 205.84

AUDIT TEAM: May 14, Team B
May 21, Team D

ARMED SERVICES PRAYER PLAQUE

If you would like to submit a picture of a St. John the Evangelist Parishioner serving active duty in any branch of the military for inclusion on the Armed Services Prayer Plaque, email it to mfallacaro@gmail.com or send a 5" X 7" or smaller photograph to the parish office at: St. John the Evangelist Church - Attn: Armed Services Prayer Plaque, 806 Union Street, Schenectady, NY 12308. Include a paper with their name, branch of service, and where they are stationed.

THE FLAME OF LOVE OF THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY CENACLE

- All parishioners are invited to join "The Flame of Love of the Immaculate Heart of Mary Cenacle, every Thursday, 7:00 pm in Room 5 of the Parish Center. Please come and receive this special grace. For more information contact Patti Schwartz 518-796-3111 or email at schwartz63@gmail.com.

THE KING'S MEN APOSTOLATE

All men, age 18 and over, are invited to join the Schenectady Chapter of the King's Men Apostolate. Join us each Thursday evening at 7:00 pm in the St. John's Parish Center Room 8 for an evening of praying the rosary, spiritual reading, discussion, and the Divine Mercy Chaplet. No dues or obligation to attend weekly. For more information contact Mark Roberts at 518-372-8322.

EYEGLASS & HEARING AID - RECYCLING PROGRAM:

Take time to help those in need by giving the gift of sight and sound. The Lions International Eyeglass/Hearing Aid Recycling Program provides glasses and hearing aids to people in need in our community, as well as in developing countries. If you have either of these items that you no longer use, please place them into any of the three collection boxes at the entrances of our Church. Thank you for your assistance in donating to this wonderful cause.

ST. ANTHONY'S BREAD APOSTOLATE

The St. Anthony's Bread Apostolate will receive your special request for prayer that will be "lifted-up" in silence at the St. Anthony's Novena on Wednesday evenings. Those requests will be received by email only and thereafter placed in our "Book of Remembrance" for one year. If you are inclined, submit your prayer request to saintanthony_bread@nycap.rr.com.

Rest in Peace Please pray for the repose of the souls of Alice Kelley and Margaret Mozgawa.

MIRACULOUS MEDAL NOVENA

Miraculous Medal Novena will be held on Monday evenings at 7:30 pm in the **Parish Center Room 8**. Please enter through the double doors at the Canopy Entrance closest to the church parking lot.

SAINT ANTHONY'S CHURCH FESTA

Friday, June 8th 5:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Band: Skeeter Creek 7:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Saturday, June 9th - 3:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Band: TS Ensemble 7:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Sunday, June 10th 1:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Mass at 1:00 pm celebrated by Fr. Carlino
followed by Procession

Band: The Refrigerators 7:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Back by Popular Demand Opening Acts

Gem Vullo - Friday & Sunday

Ed Clifford the Human Juke Box - Saturday

Enjoy Great Food, Baked Goods, Raffle & Entertainment

The Saint Joseph's Men's Group

El Grupo de Hombres de San José will receive confidential prayer request to be lifted-up on Wednesday evening during the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 6:30 pm until 9:00 pm. For prayer request envelopes please call St. Anthony's at 518-374-4591 Ext. 5.

THE JOURNEY BEREAVEMENT MINISTRIES

consists of a team of Bereavement Ministers available to those who are suffering the loss of a loved one. We invite those in need to call for an individual meeting with one of our ministers at 518-374-4591 Extension 103 to schedule an appointment. Please leave a message with your name and phone number so we may contact you and know that all communication is held in the strictest of confidentiality.

We're Collecting St. Anthony's Food Pantry is running low on food. As you may be aware Sr. Maria Rosa and the Venerini Order distribute food to the needy throughout the year. Sister is able to do this with your help and participation. Here is how to help: bring your food donation (non-perishable) to the Parish Office and we will get make sure Sr. Maria Rosa get all donations. Food donations are accepted all year and we are always in need of coffee, canned vegetables, soups, pasta, jarred sauce, peanut butter, jams/jellies, boxed cereals, rice, etc. Thank you for your generosity.



**Food for the Needy.
Can You Help?**



SATURDAY, 05 - 19 - 18

4:00 PM Marie D. Whipple by Estate
Stephanie & Edward Karwan by
Daughter, Stephanie
Mary & Chester Rogowicz by Stephanie
Karwan
Daniel O'Connor by Cathleen O'Connor
Jerome Ambrozak by Bernice Honicki
Marge Hawley by Dot Maher

SUNDAY, 05 - 20 - 18

7:30 AM Peter & Mary Paurowski by Estate of
Florence Paurowski
Moe & Betty Hoffman by Bob & Cathy
Hoffman
Norb & Mary Woods by Bob & Cathy
Hoffman
Edward Zampella by Dot Maher

9:30 AM Robert & Mary Emmet by Estate
23rd Anniversary Remembrance -
Paul C. Coppola by Parents, Peter &
Carmela Coppola
Rosemary Rispoli by Peter, Debbie &
Family
Peter & Millie White by Dot Maher
Mary Lally by Brian Fischer & Lisa Lally

5:00 PM Gail La Rose by Janet I. Rainey &
Family

JOB OPPORTUNITY - St. Mary's Parish, Crescent, is seeking a Pastoral Associate for Faith Formation beginning August 2018. The Pastoral Associate for Faith Formation is responsible for planning and directing a comprehensive program from Grades K through 10; works collaboratively with the youth minister, catechists, staff and pastor; and has the ability to work some evenings and weekends. Position is for a 10-12 months, 30-32 hours per week; salary and benefits in accord with diocesan guidelines. A bachelor's or Master's degree in religious education, theology or related field or comparable experience is desired. For a job description or more information, please call 518-371-9632 and speak with Stephanie, Rachel or the pastor. Please send letter of interest, resume and three references by June 4, 2018 to: smcsec@nycap.rr.com.

SAVE THE DATE! Annual Celebration of Ministry-Tuesday, **June 5**, 7:00 pm at the Church of St. Adalbert, Schenectady Please join us for an evening of prayer and reflection, celebrating all those who live the works of mercy. If you work in a food pantry, are a Eucharistic Minister, visit the sick and homebound, collect or donate clothing for the poor, visit the imprisoned, assist the homeless, participate in bereavement ministry, or perform corporal and spiritual works of mercy through ministry in your parish or in your community...you are encouraged to Celebrate Your Ministry! Please join your extended Catholic family to celebrate God's work through your hands! For more information contact: worksofmercyschdy@live.com or 347-0871.

Works of Mercy - Good Neighbor Program

WE NEED YOUR HELP! We have urgent needs for the following sizes: Boys size 7-14 jeans/pants, long and short sleeve shirts, and hooded sweatshirts. Spring is around the corner so please remember us when you are transitioning closets or if you see great clearance sales. We always happily accept clean, gently-used and new clothing in all children, teen, and adult sizes. Please contact us to drop off donations: 518-347-0871 or worksofmercyschdy@live.com.

DO YOU HAVE 2-3 HOURS PER MONTH TO HELP SOMEONE IN YOUR COMMUNITY?

- 1 in 8 persons over 65 and nearly half of those over 85 will be diagnosed with Alzheimer's Disease.
- 80% of Alzheimer's patients are cared for at home by family.

Caring for someone with memory loss can be both isolating and exhausting for family members. THESE FAMILIES NEED YOUR HELP! Belonging to a Care Team, *you only give the time you can when you can* because there are several of you to share the role of helping the family. The average volunteer offers just 2-3 hours per month. The team provides non-medical support and friendship. All volunteers are offered training and continued support from the staff at Eddy Alzheimer's Services. If you would like to receive more information about our Faith In Action Care Team Program, please contact Sandy Monahan at Eddy Alzheimer's Service 518-238-4167 or email Sandra.monahan@sphp.com.

St. John the Evangelist Parish Membership

Parishioners are individuals who are formally registered and active in our Parish. Please complete this form if you wish to join our Parish family. You may return this form to the Parish Office by dropping it in the collection basket or mailing it to the Parish Office.

Check One:

_____ New Registration (Please send Parish
Registration Forms)
_____ Change of Address (New address is listed).

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____

GO TO OUR WEBSITE TO SIGN UP FOR EGIVING

THE HOME FURNISHINGS PROGRAM

NEEDS OF THE MONTH - Furniture: *small* dressers and kitchen table sets, *small* sofas/love-seats. **Furnishings: we are desperate for flatware, especially dinner forks, teaspoons, soup spoons** (and as always) need spatulas, can openers, large pots & pans, cereal & desert bowls small appliances: toasters/ovens, coffee-makers, blenders, crock pots. **To donate, call Jamie Doriguzzi, Program Director, at 518-346-2444** or email us at homefurninc@aol.com to arrange for pick-up or warehouse drop-off of useful items. *Please, focus on basic housekeeping items in immediately useful condition.* **THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**
www.schenectadyhomefurnishings.org .

CATHOLIC CHARITIES MATERNITY & CHILDREN'S SERVICES

On Monday, **June 4** a fashion show luncheon will be held at Glen Sanders Mansion to benefit Catholic Charities Maternity and Children's Services. Social hour begins at 10:30 am. Donation of \$35 should be sent to Janet Carmichael, 61 Oakmont St., Niskayuna 12309. Make checks payable to Catholic Charities Guild.

Albany NY Chapter of Magnificat

(a Ministry to Catholic Women) is hosting a Women's Breakfast on Saturday, **June 2** from 9:00 am – 12:00 pm at the **Holiday Inn Express Latham**, 400 Old Loudon Rd., Latham, NY. Tickets: \$25.00; Clergy & Religious – Free (RSVP required). Our Guest Speaker is Susan Conroy. Susan is an author, speaker and TV host on EWTN. She journeyed alone to Calcutta after completing her junior year at Dartmouth College with the dream of helping Mother Teresa to care for the destitute in children's orphanages and in the Home for the Dying. Susan will speak about her 11-year friendship with Mother Teresa. **All must register by May 21** - send your \$25.00 check payable to *Albany NY Chapter of Magnificat*, PO Box 340, Clifton Park, NY, 12065. Include your name, address and phone # and email address. Register online at magnificat-ministry.net/chapters-websites/albany-ny/ *PLEASE NOTE: *This breakfast has limited seating available and tickets will sell fast! Register Today! No walk-ins at the door.* Questions, call Kathleen 518-930-8380. ALL WOMEN ARE INVITED! You do not need to be a mem-

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