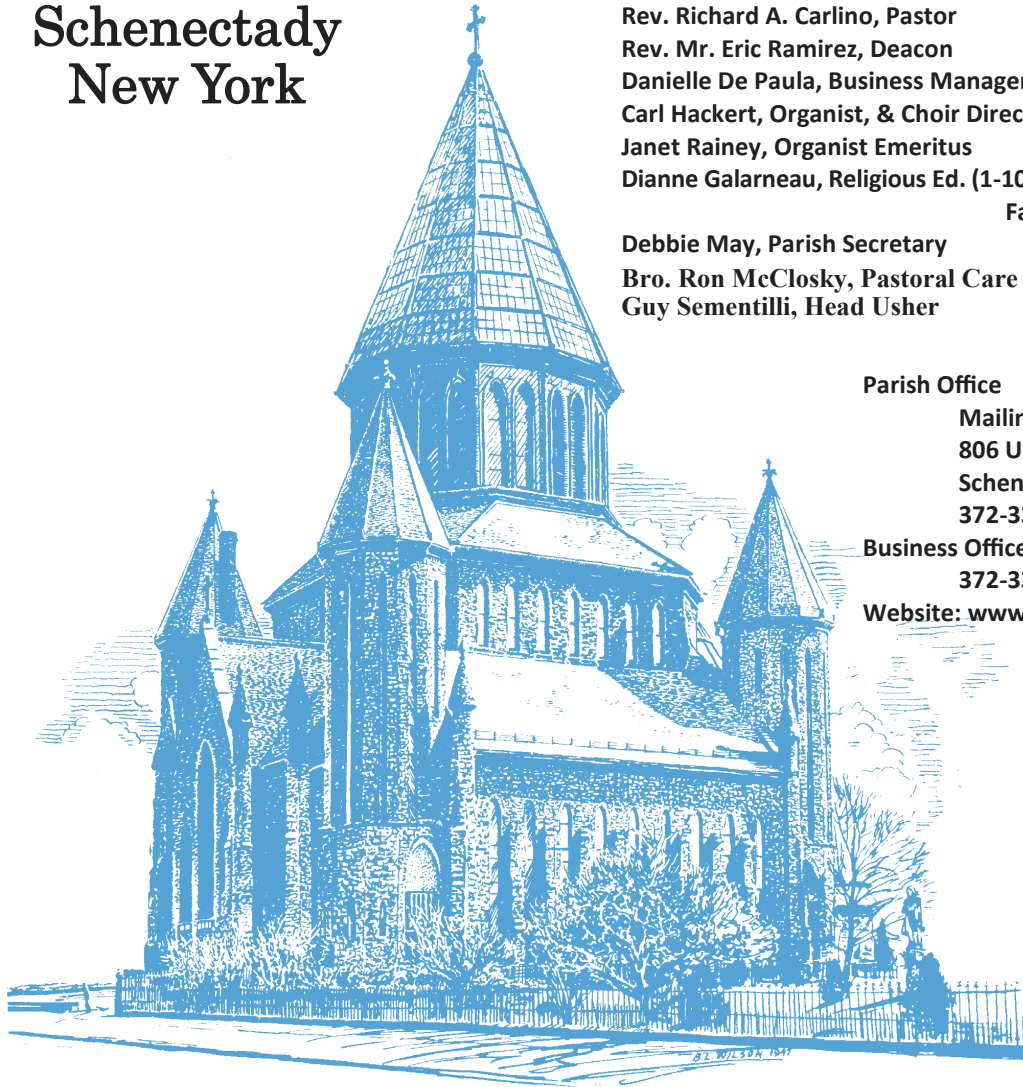


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Saturday Mass: 4:00 p.m. Vigil
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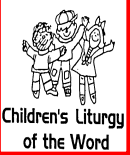


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CHURCH**

Please note that the Parish Office (806 Union St.) is only opened Monday thru Thursday 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM. The Parish Office is closed on Fridays.

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The Children's Liturgy of the Word takes place during the 10:30 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.

**MOVIES AT ST. JOHN
FULL OF GRACE
May 11, 6:30 PM – 7:55 PM
THE STORY OF MARY THE MOTHER OF JESUS**

There is one person in the gospel that had the experience of living thirty years with Jesus – from birth through His Resurrection: Mary, His Mother. After a full life with the Son of God – fleeing into Egypt, losing Him in the temple and seeing Him placed upon the cross – Mary lives her final earthly days in reflection. Ten years after the Resurrection, Mary eagerly awaits the return of the apostle, Peter. When he arrives in Her home after years of traveling, ministering and narrowly escaping death, Peter expresses the overwhelming responsibility of preaching amidst heresies and conflict. He rediscovers the truth: he is not leading, he is following and walking in the light of God. Similarly – so are we.

Snacks and beverages are offered at no cost. For planning purposes, please email or call, Dianne Galarneau at dgalarneau@sjechurch.com or 518-372-3381 x226 if you are interested in attending any of the movies. A complete list of movies is available on our websites. Please visit www.sjechurch.com or www.stanthonychurch.net and click on Religious Ed where you will find the movie icon. Bring your friends, and plan to make new ones!



THE ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY

The Rosary Altar Society will be hosting the First Communion Reception on Saturday, **May 9th**. We are **in need** of your delicious baked goods (small items like cookies, brownies, pastries) for the reception. **Drop off your baked goods for the reception on Saturday, May 9th at 10:00 AM in the Parish Center Cafeteria.** We thank you so much for helping us celebrate this blessed event. If you have any questions, please contact either Kathy Carney at 518-377-7444 or Jeanne Servidone at 518-357-9053.

ASCENSION

Masses for the Feast of the Ascension

Thursday, May 14,

7:00 AM Mass at St. Anthony's Church

9:00 AM Mass at St. Kateri Tekakwitha Church,
Union St.

(Please note: **NO** 9:00 AM Mass at St. John)

12:15 PM, Mass at St. John the Evangelist Church

7:00 PM, Mass at St. Kateri Tekakwitha Church,
Rosa Road

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY

The Rosary Altar Society will be meeting on **Wednesday, May 13th, 7:00 PM in the Parish Center Cafeteria.** We welcome all parishioners to join us in praying the Rosary and to enjoy some fellowship and refreshments

PASTORAL CARE DEPARTMENT - Do you know someone who is homebound and would like to receive a visit/Communion? Please call our Pastoral Care Coordinator, Ron Mc Closky 518-374-4591 ext. 103.

**CARING TOGETHER:
SUPPORTING ONE ANOTHER IN THE
WORK OF VISITATION**

Active visitation ministry members are invited to join us to reflect on the heart of our ministry and the limits we lovingly carry. Visitation ministry is a beautiful calling, but it can also stretch our hearts. People we visit often face loneliness, limited resources, or challenges we cannot fix. Let's gather to rediscover the quiet strength of presence, compassion, and trust in God's work as we explore how the Spirit sustains us and leads us toward serenity when the needs feel larger than our capacity. Led by Angie Marczewski and Kristin Black, we invite you to join us on Tuesday, **May 19**, from 3:00-4:30pm at St. Luke's Pastoral Center. RSVP is appreciated so we can plan for space and materials. Please note this is not an information meeting about visitation ministry, it is a gathering for active visitation ministry members only. RSVP to Kristin Black at worksofmercyschdy@live.com or 518-347-0871 by **May 12**.

DEAR CHURCH FAMILY & FRIENDS St. John's Church is open from **7:00 AM to 11:00 AM** Monday through Friday, for individuals to pray. St. Anthony's is open on week days from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM.

**ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH
DONATION ENVELOPES**

Please know that if you plan to attend a mass at either St. Anthony's Church or St. Kateri Tekakwitha Church you may leave your donation envelope in their collection basket. Their church office will send all envelopes with our church name to our office for our weekly collection totals.

Last Week's Collection

Collection: 04/26/26 \$9,411.00
Candles: 04/26/26 \$ 224.53
Audit Team D, May 4; Audit Team A, May 11.

LIVE STREAMING

If you are unable to attend Mass, you can watch the Saturday, 4:00 PM Mass by going to our website at www.sjchurch.com and click on the YouTube Live Channel Icon and select the Saturday Mass.

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE
EUCHARIST & USHERS NEEDED**

We are in need of Extra Ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist at the 4:00 PM Mass and Ushers at the 4:00 PM and the 10:30 AM Mass. If you wish to help please contact the Parish office 518-372-3381 ext. 6.
For Ushers, please call our Head Usher, Guy Sementilli 518- 878-2513

Please pray for Your prayer are requested for the repose of the souls of Francis J. Hickey, Marlene Pierre-Antoine.

OFFERING CONFESSION BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

Fr. Carlino will be hearing Confessions by Appointment only. For those wishing to participate will need to call Fr. Carlino at (St. John's) 518-372-3381 ext. 9 or (St. Anthony's) 518-374-4591 ext. 9 no later than 3:00 PM the Wednesday before.

ALL PARISH MINISTRIES & ORGANIZATIONS

All Ministries and Organizations using the Parish Center and Church facilities must submit their schedule of events for the year by either mail (806 Union St.) or email (ddepaula@sjchurch.com) no later than **August 14, 2026**. This will allow us to update our calendar of events and prevent duplication of dates and times.

**OPERATION
RICE BOWL**



If you have not yet turned in your Rice Bowl, please do so no later than **May 3rd**. We thank you for your generosity.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES COLLECTION

The Catholic Charities Collection will take place on the Weekend of **May 16-17** to benefit the work & Mission of Catholic Charities in supporting families in need. Many of our neighbors are struggling to put food on the table, or are having to decide between medication, food or utilities. For more info. go to <https://ccrcda.short.gy/CCCollection2026>

SCHENECTADY SOCIAL CLUBS

Catholic Charities offers opportunities for seniors 55+ to gather to socialize, share a meal and participate in activities to improve emotional and physical health. **Current social clubs meet on Mondays at St. John the Evangelist Parish Center, May 4 and May 18, 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM, and Fridays at Bellevue Café May 1, May 15 and May 29 for Breakfast Buffet 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM.**



St. Anthony's Church

The Venerini Associates helps distribute food to needy families during the year. Help us restock the supply so that the good work may continue. Please join us by dropping off either at St. John or St. Anthony the following nonperishable food items, or a monetary donation of any amount. No gift is too small. This is what we are in need of: Canned Fruit, Canned Applesauce, Canned Cranberry Sauce, Canned Vegetables, Canned Green & Yellow Waxed Beans, Soups, Boxed Stuffing, Canned Sweet Potatoes, Canned Yams, Boxed Scalloped Potatoes, Canned Beans, Canned Peas, Canned Corn, Canned Stews, Pudding, Cereal, Pasta, Pasta Sauce, Jelly/Jam, Peanut Butter, Cooking Oil, Tuna Fish, Mayonnaise, Canned Meats. We couldn't do it with out you. Let's continue to feed others both spiritually and physically. Thank you for your help!

PLEASE DO NOT BRING ITEMS WITH EXPIRED DATES AS WE CANNOT GIVE THOSE OUT

**SAINT ANTHONY'S CHURCH
SACRED HEART LEAGUE
COMMUNION BREAKFAST**

Melanie Delf, Chairperson, Cathy Williams, Co- Chair,
Place: Turf Tavern, 40 Mohawk Ave., Scotia,
When: Sunday, **May 17, 2026** at 9:30 AM
Cost: Members - \$25.00; Non-Members \$30.00 (Checks only, no cash) .
Menu: Breakfast Buffet
Special Guest Speaker: Fr. Tom Fallati
Make checks payable to: Sacred Heart League
Mail to: Melanie Delf, 1134 Eastern Ave, Schenectady, NY 12308.
Any Questions: Call Melanie Delf 518-641-9440 or Cathy Williams 518-339-1716

Please fill out, detach and mail no later than *May 4, 2026* (Seats are limited)

Name: _____
Amount \$ _____
Guest: _____
Amount \$ _____
Total \$ _____

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



Masses For The Week

MONDAY, 05- 04- 26

9:00 AM Mass at St. Kateri, Union Street

TUESDAY 05 - 05 - 26

9:00 AM Mass at St. Kateri Union Street

WEDNESDAY 05 - 06 - 26

9:00 AM Mass at St. John
For the People

THURSDAY, 05 - 07 - 26

9:00 AM Mass at St. John
Alan Schick by Family

6:00 PM St. Kateri, Rosa Road

FRIDAY, 05 - 08 - 26

9:00 AM St. Kateri, Rosa Road

SATURDAY 05 - 09 - 26

4:00 PM Mass at St. John
Andrew Furchak & Dolores Furchak
Smith by Family
Eleanor Rinella by Family
Birthday Remembrance - Lewis
De Salvatore by Wife Cindy and Son,
Paul
Joan M. Warnken by Tara & Matt Hepp
& Family
Lori Mc Cambley by Family

John & Arlene Parisi by Family
All Mothers living and Deceased

5:00 PM Mass at St. Kateri, Union St.

SUNDAY 05 - 10 - 26

8:30 AM Mass at St. Anthony's

9:30 AM Mass at St. Kateri Union Street

10:30 AM Mass at St. John

Alan Schick by Family
Gloria Cuomo by Children
Dolores Malandro, Annunziata
DiMatteo, Jean Malandro & Mary
Malek by Joseph & Lisa Di Matteo &
Family

Rosa Ferrari, & Maria Palleschi by
Anthony & Rossana Ferrari
All Mothers Living & Deceased

11:30 AM Mass at St. Kateri, Rosa Road

11:45 AM Spanish Mass at St. Anthony's

4:00 PM Mass at St. Anthony's

**Sunday Readings for May 3, 2026 - Year A
Fifth Sunday of Easter**

1st Reading Acts of the Apostles 6: 1-7

Responsorial Psalm Psalm 33: 1-2, 4-5, 18-19

2nd Reading 1 Peter 2: 4-9

Gospel Acclamation John 14: 6

Gospel John 14: 1-12

SATURDAY DEVOTION AT ST. ANTHONY'S

Saturday, 10:00 AM. For more information contact
Ronald Mc Closky, Pastoral Care Coordinator (518) 374-
4591 Ext #8.

MASS INTENTIONS

Honor your loved ones through the tradition of Mass Intentions. Whether remembering those who have passed on or supporting those facing health challenges, your Intention will be specially recognized during a Mass of your choice. The names will also be featured in the weekly bulletin. To schedule a Mass Intention either stop by the Parish Office or call 518-372-3381 ext. 6

THE KING'S MEN APOSTOLATE

All men ages 18 and above are invited to join the Schenectady Chapter of the King's Men Apostolate. We meet each **Tuesday** evening at 7:00 PM in the St. John's Parish Center, room 8 to pray the Rosary, Divine Mercy Chaplet, spiritual reading & discussion. There are no dues or obligation to attend every meeting. For more information, contact Michael Zaccaria 518-779-2317.

ROSARY MAKING MINISTRY

Come join us! We meet the First Tuesdays of September to June-10:00 AM to 11:00 AM in St. Anthony's Church Hall. All are welcome. Learn to make rosaries with cord and beads. Take kits home and make rosaries at your leisure. Return made rosaries for distribution. For inquiries call Linda 518-399-6965 and leave a message. The desire to help fulfill the endless request for rosaries is all that is required.

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Your trusted source for reliable information and assistance for older adults and people of all ages with disabilities, their caregivers, and families, located at 107 Nott Terrace Suite 305, call 518-382-8481 ext. 1302. Your link to Long Term Services and Supports. www.SchenectadyCounty.com.

EYEGGLASS & 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 & 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.

**SEVEN SISTERS APOSTOLATE looking for
new members-**

"Strengthen the priest and you strengthen the whole foundation; you strengthen everything in the Church." -Fr. Gerald Fitzgerald. A branch of the Seven Sisters Apostolate is in need of a few good women at SJE/SA. All you need is a generous heart and one Holy Hour a week. For more information, go to sevensisterapostolate.org or please contact Yvonne Lawton at yawton35@gmail.com.

ST. ANTHONY'S FESTA

Friday, **June 5**, 5:00 pm to 10:00 PM; Saturday, **June 6**, 3:00 pm to 10:00 PM; Sunday, **June 7**, 12:00 noon to 8:00 PM. Shuttle from Golub Headquarters Parking Lot every 20 minutes. See future bulletin for more info.

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