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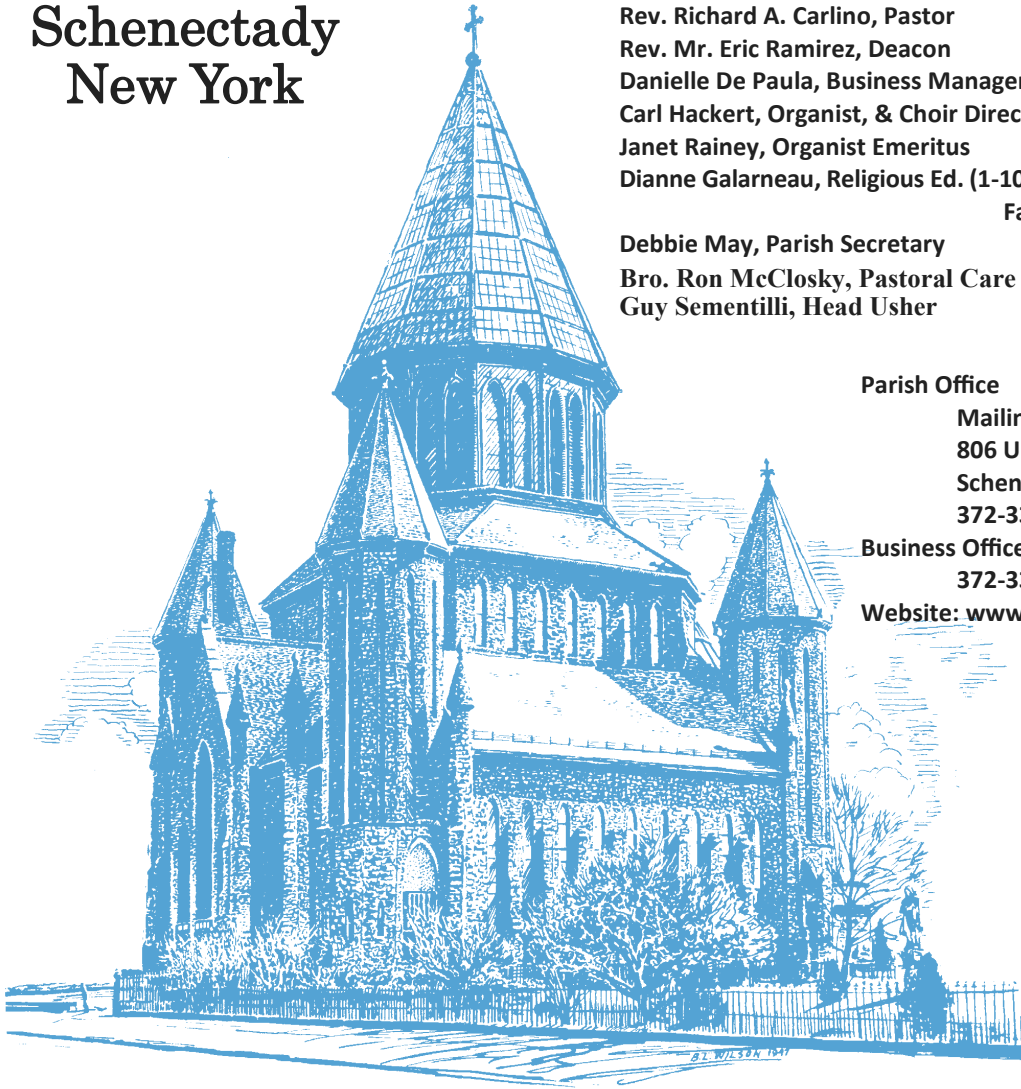
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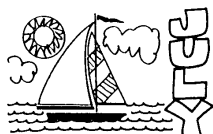
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Saturday Mass: 4:00 p.m. Vigil
Sunday Masses: 10:30 a.m.
Confessions: By appointment only.
Baptisms: To schedule a Baptism, please call 372-3381 Ext. 7
Marriages: Please consult our website www.SJEChurch.com
Pastoral Care: On admission to a nursing home or hospital, please be sure that the name of the church, as well as your religion, is specified at time of admission.



WELCOME TO ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH

Please note that the Parish Office
(806 Union St.) is only opened Mon-
day thru Thursday 9:00 AM to 4:00

PM. The Parish Office is closed on Fridays.

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FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN FOR 2026-2027

We are happy to invite parents to register your children for faith formation sessions beginning in the fall. Students in grades 1 - 10 will meet on Sundays in the parish center from 11:30am - 12:30pm. Please visit our websites to learn more about our program and to download a registration form. For St. John's www.sjchurch.com and for St. Anthony's www.stanthonychurch.net For more information please contact Dianne Galarneau at dgalarneau@sjchurch.com or 518-372-3381 ext. 226. We have exciting plans for this new term and a wonderful team of catechists to serve your families.



We are never finished learning, if you feel the desire to grow in your faith, we are here to help you do just that. Our faith life is grounded in helping to develop a personal relationship with Jesus Christ. If you wish to receive the sacraments or simply have questions about the process, please call Dianne Galarneau at 518-372-3381 ext 226 or email dgalarneau@sjchurch.com. We have a remarkable team to accompany you; for initial insight, a Q & A is available on our websites. Click on Religious Ed, then ADULT FAITH FORMATION - Information with Q & A. We are here for you .

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.

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MOVIES AT ST. JOHN SOUND OF FREEDOM

July 27, 6:30PM – 8:40PM

Based on the true story of a man's mission to rescue children from the darkest parts of the world. This action-packed drama shines a light on the painful reality of child trafficking and the valiant efforts of those who work tirelessly to combat it. Jim Caveziel stars in the leading role.

Snacks and beverages are offered at no cost. For planning purposes, please email or call, Dianne Galarneau at dgalarneau@sjchurch.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.sjchurch.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 HUMAN CONCERNS COMMITTEE

The Human Concerns Committee would like to help the City Mission of Schenectady collect school supplies to give children whose families cannot afford to purchase them. School supplies needed are: **Backpacks**, dry erase markers, pocket folders, **pencil pouches/boxes (big need)**, single-subject spiral notebooks (**wide rule**), marble composition notebooks (**wide-rule**), washable markers, colored pencils, **pens, rulers**, index cards, pencil top erasers, large erasers, and pencil sharpeners. **This collection will start the weekend of July 11/12 and end August 1/2.** You may place your donations in the boxes marked 'School Supplies' located at each entrance of the church. Thank you in advance for your support and generosity in this project. If you have any questions, call Jeanne Servidone – 357-9053 or Kathy Caney - 377-7444.

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.

SATURDAY DEVOTION AT ST. ANTHONY'S

Saturday devotion at St. Anthony's will resume on **August 1st** 10:00 AM. For more information contact Ronald Mc Closky, Pastoral Care Coordinator (518) 374-4591 Ext #8.

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.

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

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: 07/19/26 \$7,832.46
Candles 07/19/26 \$ 153.40
Audit Team D, July 27; Audit Team A, August 3.

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.

JULY OFFERTORY ENVELOPES email From the Envelope Company

Over the past several weeks, we have heard from many of our church customers regarding mailing delays and the challenges they create for both parish staff and parishioners. We appreciate your feedback and have carefully considered the best path forward. Based on what we have heard from you, we would like to offer the following solution.

As we continue working to improve our production and mailing schedules, the mailing of your July offertory envelopes will be delayed. Rather than receiving July envelopes late, we believe this is an opportunity to **re-set our schedule by skipping July envelopes** and resume regular mailings with your August envelope packets.

Most parishioners should still have a supply of unused envelopes available from previous mailings. We would ask that parishioners use these envelopes during the month of July and write the appropriate July date on the envelope when making their offertory gift.

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.

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION

This Weekend, **July 25-26**, we will have a collection for Peter's Pence which unites us and Catholics around the world more closely with the Holy Father in two ways: it supports the structures of the Holy See through which the Pope governs the Church as well as his charitable efforts to assist victims of war, oppression, natural disasters, and others most in need. Please be generous in next week's collection by placing your Peter's Pence envelope with your regular Offertory envelope in the collection basket.

EYEGLOSS & 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.

GOOD NEIGHBOR PROGRAM

Kids summer clothes needed—New and gently used, boys and girls, sizes 4-18. Greatest need: shorts & t-shirts. Also accepting pants, long sleeve shirts, new underwear, new socks and new sneakers.

DROP OFF ON TUESDAYS 10:00 AM TO 1:00 PM AT OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL, 1255 PLEASANT ST., SCHENECTADY.

For more information : worksofmercyschdy@live.com or Call 518-347-0871.

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, July 27, August 10, & August 24 from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM, and Fridays at Bellevue Café for Breakfast Buffet August 7 & August 21, 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 without 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**

MASS STIPEND

Just a reminder that the stipend for all weekend or daily Masses is \$15.00.

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Masses For The Week

MONDAY, 07- 27- 26

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

TUESDAY 07 - 28 - 26

9:00 AM Mass at St. Kateri Union Street

WEDNESDAY 07 - 29 - 26

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

THURSDAY, 07 - 30 - 26

9:00 AM Mass at St. John
Ferol Mc Closky by Family
6:00 PM Mass at St. Kateri, Rosa Rd.

FRIDAY, 07 - 31 - 26

9:00 AM St. Kateri, Rosa Road

SATURDAY 08 - 01 - 26

4:00 PM Mass at St. John
Alan Schick by Family
Rose Pileggi by Family
Louise Monarch by Family
Robert Huot by Huot Family

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

SUNDAY 08 - 02 - 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
Louise Monarch by Kim & Linda
Lefebvre
Gina Palleschi by Anthony & Rosanna
Ferrari
Andrew Furchak & Dolores Furchak
Smith by Family
Birthday Remembrance - Jim Burch
Wife, Peg
Mama Sienkiewicz by Family
Krzysztof Matwiejczuk by Family
Kuzimierz Sienkiewicz by Family
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 July 26, 2026 - Year A SEVENTEENTH Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading 1 Kings 3: 5, 7-12
Responsorial Psalm Psalm 119: 57, 72, 76-77, 127-
128, 129-130
2nd Reading Romans 8: 28-30
Gospel Acclamation Matthew 11:25
Gospel Matthew 13:44-52 or 13: 44-46

SCHENECTADY COUNTY SENIOR & LONG TERM CARE SERVICES/NY CONNECTS

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.

God Bless

You
on
Your



Graduation Day

PRAYER FOR GRADUATES

Heavenly Father, we praise you for your glory and thank you for your goodness to us.

Look on these graduates with love and bless them

as they leave school to move forward in life.

May your Spirit give them many talents and skills to help them to use these for your glory and for the good of all people.

ATTENTION PARENTS OF SCHOOL/ COLLEGE/BOCES GRADUATES CLASS OF 2026

Please submit name(s) of your graduate(s) so that we may acknowledge their achievements in the summer bulletin. Only those names submitted will be included. Please return this form by mail to the parish office (806 Union St. or in the collection basket as soon as possible.

Name: _____

School/College: _____

Degree _____ Date _____

Please pray for

Your prayer are requested for the repose of the soul of Robert Simoni.

Annual

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**Friday, August 14, 5:00 PM to
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**Sunday, August 16, 3:00 PM to
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**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

DIOCESAN MARRIAGE JUBILEE:

The Annual Diocesan Marriage Jubilee Celebration will be held on Sunday, September 27, 2026, 3:00 PM, at Christ Our Light Catholic Church, 1 Maria Drive, in Loudonville. Couples marking any special wedding anniversary are invited to attend this celebration, which honors the enduring bond of love and strengthens the sense of community among couples within the Albany Diocese! Bishop Mark will celebrate the Liturgy at 3:00 PM and greet couples and their guests at a reception in the Parish Hall at Christ Our Light immediately following Mass, with an opportunity for photos with each couple. Please register through your parish office or you may email Marriage.Jubilee@rcda.org. Deadline is September 20.

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).

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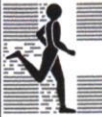
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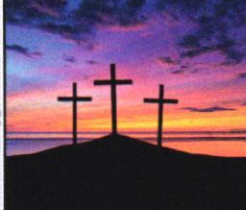


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