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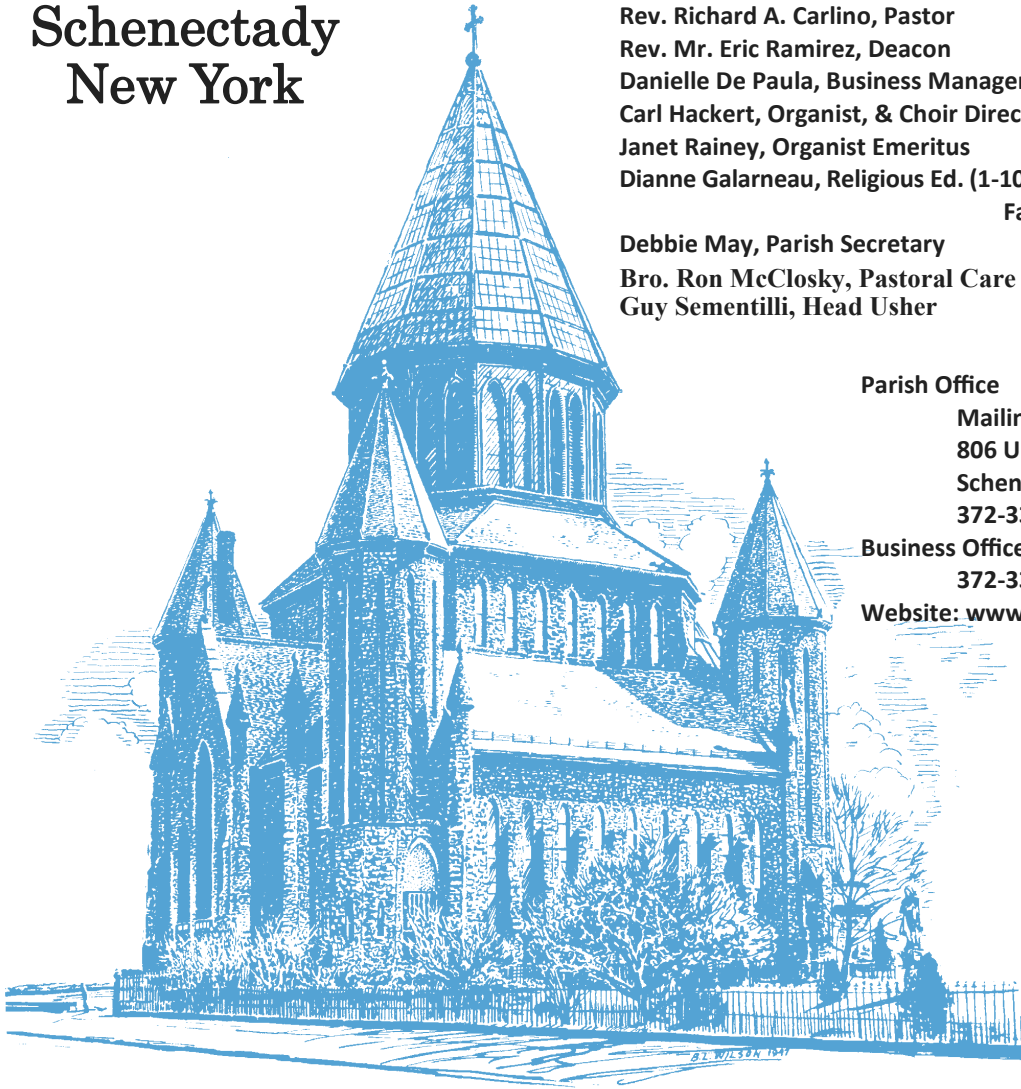
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Saturday Mass: 4:00 p.m. Vigil
Sunday Masses: 10:30 a.m.
Confessions: By appointment only.
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WELCOME TO ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH

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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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@sjechurch.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 .

You are invited to
**Children's
Mass**

Lets our children grow in faith,
love and participation in the Eucharist!

Every First Sunday
of the Month
10:30 a.m. Mass



St. John the Evangelist
Schenectady, New York

All are welcome!

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.



MOVIES AT ST. JOHN

Sunday, October 25 – NO MOVIE DUE
TO CONCERNED FOR THE HUNGRY
BEING AT ST. JOHN'S

Monday, October 26 - CANCELED
DUE TO CONFIRMATION REHEARSAL IN CHURCH BE-
GINNING AT 5:30PM

All Souls Day

An All Soul's Memorial Mass will be celebrated, on, Mon-
day, **November 2, 6:30 PM at St. John the Evangelist
Church only**. This Mass is to remember all who have
died this year and were buried from our Parishes. Fol-
lowing the Mass, please meet Eileen Clinton, MS. A
death educator, Hospice Bereavement Specialist & Au-
thor of What a Wonderful World: Reflections of Love.

ALL SOULS DAY ENVELOPES

All Souls envelopes are available near the church
exits and in your bi-monthly envelope packet. Please
complete the form on the envelope and return in the col-
lection basket before November 1. Intentions will be re-
membered throughout the Month of November.

MONTH OF THE ROSARY

October is traditionally known as the Rosary Month To
Honor Our Blessed Mother. The Rosary Altar Society
has placed baskets filled with packets of Blessed
Rosaries near the church doors. Please take a pack and
help us to continue the tradition by praying the Rosary.

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY ELECTION DAY BAKE SALE

Please join in with us at our Election Day Bake Sale
on Tuesday, **November 3**, from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM

We will be set up near the polling booths in the Parish
Center Cafeteria.

Bakers needed: baked goods can be dropped off
Monday, **November 2** from 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM or
Tuesday, **November 3** from 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM
Thank you so much for your assistance!! For more in-
formation, please contact Jeanne Servidone at 518-357-
9053 or Joanne McGrath at 518-356-2996

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 & 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.

Time Change



Fall Back!

**REMINDER
NEXT WEEKEND
OCTOBER 31-
NOVEMBER 1
IS DAYLIGHT
SAVINGS**

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: 10/18/26 \$11,008.59
Mission Sunday 10/18/26 \$ 670.00
Candles 10/18/26 \$ 204.91
Audit Team A, October 26; Audit Team C, November 2

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.

EVERY MAN MATTERS; THE KNIGHTS NEED YOU

Are you a man over the age of 18 and looking to get involved with St. John's, St. Anthony's, and the Schenectady community? We humbly invite you to join the Knights of Columbus council here at our parish! The Knights of Columbus offer great opportunities to help the people around you, and support parish and family life. Interested? Contact Mark Nicoella at marknicoella1998@gmail.com, or scan the QR code to get started. Monthly meetings are held first Sundays at 12:45 in the St. John's school cafeteria. We hope to see you soon!



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

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.

FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTION

First Friday Devotion at St. Anthony's Church on Friday, **November 6**, 4:00 PM to 7:30 PM. All are invited to attend. For more information call Ronald Mc Closky (518) 374-4591 Ext. #8

CANDIDATES FOR CONFIRMATION

During the 10:30am Sunday Mass on October 25 we will present to our congregation the candidates who will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on Saturday, October 31 at 11:00am. The candidates have already received the life of Christ in Baptism and have been called by God and welcomed into the Catholic community. They have prepared for this sacrament through prayer and study, sacrifice and service. We as a parish acknowledge their desire to be fully initiated into the life of the Church. We pray our Lord will strengthen them as they prepare for the coming of His Holy Spirit to grow in the fullness of Christ. With heartfelt gratitude we acknowledge their gifted catechists; Melanie Delf and Lisa Kuban. God bless you.

Markus Ahrens
Anthony Alotta
Antonio Alotta
Mikella Battaglino
Thomas Boler
Luciana Canelli
Max Cherubin

Noah Cherubin
Clark Griffen
Domenico DeCarlo
Samuel Fiori
Adrianna Iannacito
Chase Reynolds
Jack Youmans

GARAGE SALE - Sponsored by the St. Anthony's Hispanic Community on **November 7th**, 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM and **November 8th**, 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM in the Gym of St. John the Evangelist. Donations are accepted of new or cleaned gently used clothes (men, women, children), shoes, jewelry, and other articles in good condition. Donations will be accepted on **November 4th, 5th, and 6th** from 1:00 PM to 7:00 PM at the SJE Gym. For more information please contact Brayan (bgarcia2482@gmail.com) or Lourdes at (518) 393-5360.

SAVE THE DATE Combined St. John's Altar Rosary Society and St. Anthony's Sacred Heart League Christmas Party on Sunday, **December 6**, at The Turf Tavern, Scotia, from Noon to 3:00 PM. Details to follow at respective meetings."

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY

The Rosary Altar Society will be hosting the Confirmation Reception on Saturday, **October 31**. There are a total of 60 candidates from St. John the Evangelist, St. Anthony's, St. Kateri, St. Adalbert, Mount Carmel, St. Paul's, St. Luke's and St. Joseph's churches. It is anticipated that 500 people will be attending this Confirmation. **We are in need of your delicious baked goods (small items like cookies, brownies, pastries, no cupcakes) for the reception. Drop off your baked goods for the reception on Saturday, October 31 at 10 AM in the Parish Center Gymnasium.** The other parishes will also be asked to provide baked goods. 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.

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

TOGETHER -  LET US PRAY ...



Masses For The Week

MONDAY, 10 - 26 - 26

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

TUESDAY 10 - 27 - 26

9:00 AM Mass at St. Kateri Union Street

WEDNESDAY 10 - 28 - 26

9:00 AM Mass at St. John
John & Helen Stone by Estate

THURSDAY, 10 - 29 - 26

9:00 AM Mass at St. John
Robert & Mary C. Emmet by Estate
Antoinette Durante by Daughters

6:00 PM St. Kateri, Rosa Road

FRIDAY, 10 - 30 - 26

9:00 AM St. Kateri, Rosa Road

SATURDAY 10 - 31 - 26

4:00 PM Mass at St. John
Alan Schick by Family
Helen E. Woods by Family
Birthday Remembrance - Ersilia
Di Cocco by Grandchildren

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

SUNDAY 11 - 01 - 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
Birthday Remembrance - Stephanie
Karwan by Daughter, Stephanie
Andrew Furchak & Dolores Furchak
Smith by Family
Eric W. Fluty by Fluty 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 October 25, 2026- Year A
Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading Exodus 22: 20-26

Responsorial Psalm Psalm 18: 2-3, 3-4, 47,51

2nd Reading 1 Thessalonians 1: 5c - 10

Gospel Acclamation John 14:23

Gospel Matthew 22: 34-40

**WE NEED
YOUR HELP**

**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

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.

DATES

HOLIDAY CRAFT SHOW & BAKE SALE

TO REMEMBER. . . on Saturday, **December 12**, sponsored by the Rosary Altar Society to be held in the Parish Center Gym and Cafeteria. **We are in need of some crafters/vendors. Please contact Joanne McGrath at 518-356-2996 for more information.** Additional details about the Craft Show will be provided as we get closer to the event. **Thank You!**

ARMED SERVICES PRAYER PLAQUE

If you would like to submit a picture of a St. John the Evangelist parishioner presently serving active duty in any of the branches of the military, please email it to ddepaula@sjchurch.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. Be sure to include a paper including their name, branch of service and where they are stationed. Please include a local contact name, address and or email address.

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.



Diocesan
Appeal

PLEDGE NOW PAY BY JUNE 2027 - The new year of the Diocesan Appeal began on July 1st! As you plan your budget, please consider a pledge to the Appeal.



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 E-GIVING

**6d See You
Next Sunday!**

JUST TO LET YOU KNOW

STOCKADE-ATHON

November 8, 2026

No other information available



St. Anthony's Church

Bethel Northside located in the old St. Anthony's School, 1840 Van Vranken Ave., has taken over to help distribute food to needy families during the year. But we need your help to 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 (make check payable to St. Anthony's Church or Bethel Northside). 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 the work Sr. Maria Rosa and the Venerini Nuns have been working so hard to feed others both spiritually and physically. Thank you.

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

RESOURCE IN YOUR COMMUNITY

211 is a Resource in your Community – Burning question? Dial 211. Funded by the United Way, local and state government and private nonprofit organizations, 211 is a one stop resource for food, housing, child care, health care, substance abuse, financial problems and more available 7 days a week from 9:00 AM to 7:00 PM in Albany, Columbia, Fulton, Greene, Montgomery, Rensselaer, Saratoga, Schenectady, Schoharie, Warren and Washington counties. 211 offers fast, accurate information on safety, relief and recovery services during natural disaster or regional emergencies.

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.

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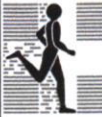
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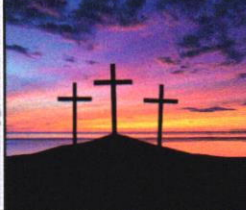


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