

St. Anastasia Parish ~ Parroquia de Santa Anastasia

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We, the Roman Catholic Community of St. Anastasia Parish, profess our belief in the Gospel message and mission of Jesus Christ. As disciples of Jesus we recognize our call to evangelization, to proclaim and give witness to our faith. We are a life affirming community committed to the Eucharist, worship, faith formation and shared service in our community and beyond.

OBJECT:

Shrine Church

Mass Schedule – Horario de Misas

Monday ~ Saturday ~ 9:00 AM

Sunday ~ 8:00am

Sabado ~ 7:00pm Domingo ~ 10:30am (ESPAÑOL)

Parish Staff

Pastor:

Rev. Michael F. Keane 845-238-3747

Parochial Vicar:

Rev. Bladi Socualaya-Miranda 845-238-5032

Weekend Associate: Fr. Francis Amodio O. Carm.

Deacons:

Rev. Mr. Eugene Bormann 845-469-5903

Rev. Mr. Brian O'Neill 845-782-4978

Director Of Music:

Anthony Daino 845-351-4044

Parish Office ~ Oficina de Parroquia: 845-238-3844

Monday ~ Friday 9:00am to 4:00pm

Office Secretaries:

Mrs. Jennifer Fleming & Mrs. Norann Lynch

Office Manager: Jean Marie Weinberg

Faith Formation Office: 845-782-5099

Coordinator: Jean Marie Weinberg

Mrs. Mary Lapolla – Faith Formation

Please call for an appointment. All arrangements for religious instruction for grades 1-8 are made through this office.

Devotions

Benediction is on the First Friday of the month at 9AM

Devotion to the Lady of Fatima is the First Saturday of the month at 9AM

St. Anastasia Cemetery

Our St. Joseph's and St. Patrick's sections are open to all parishioners and Catholics in Orange County.

Please call the Cemetery Committee ~ Rita White, Marialana DiNapoli ~ 238-3844.

Alcoholics Anonymous ~ Meetings are held in the Cardinal O'Connor Room: Monday – Friday at 1:30 PM and 5:30 PM

Spanish – Thursday at 7:30 PM

Ministry to the Homebound ~ If a family member is sick or homebound, call the Parish Office to arrange a home visit by Fr. Keane

The Parish Counseling Network, provided by Catholic Charities offers short term counseling for parishioners in need. A copy of \$10 is required. Please contact the parish office for a referral.

Parish Church ~ Mass Schedule

Saturday ~ 5:00pm

Sunday ~ 9:30am Family Mass & 11:30

Sacraments – Sacramentos

Baptism – Bautismo

Parents wishing to baptize their child must first attend a baptismal class. Please call the parish office to sign up for the next available class.

Preparación de Bautismos cada primer y Segundo jueves de cada mes a las 6:45 pm en la Iglesia Pequeña. Llame Padre Bladi Socualaya-Miranda

Reconciliation – Reconciliación

Confessions will be heard: Saturday 4:00 – 4:30 PM

Other times by special appointment.

El Sacramento de Confesion lo tenemos todos los Sabados 4:00 – 4:30 PM. Otro tiempo seria con cita previa

Marriage – Matrimonio

For wedding arrangements, please call the office for an appointment with Father Keane.

Para el Sacramento del Matrimonio, por favor llame al Padre Bladi Socualaya Miranda y haga una cita.

Ministries

Altar Servers (Training) ~ Tony Petraia 360-3001

Altar Servers (Schedule) ~ MaryKay Chanut 781-5856

Bereavement ~

Bible Study ~ Henry Adams ~ 783-0850

Children's Choir & Christmas Angel Giving Tree

Edie Famularo ~ 238-2348

Christmas Boutique ~ Jean Weinberg ~ 238-3844

Easter/Christmas Decorations ~ Sue Krummack 783-4583

Eucharistic Adoration ~ Frances Sheehan ~ 782-8926

Fundraising/Event Planning ~ Gail Tullo ~ 837-1834

Hospitality ~ Steve Forlini ~ 783-1952

Knights of Columbus ~ Jim Banville ~ 783-6458

Lectors/Eucharistic Ministers ~ E. O'Neill ~ 782-4978

M. Wilford 300Club ~ Caron Lenihan ~ 238-3003

New Parishioners ~ Denise Maglione (783-7142),

Margaret Longo (783-1777) & Cathy Sobel (783-6618)

Parish Council President ~ Peter Reilly (783-4222)

Parish Picnic ~ Denise Maglione (783-7142), Cathy Sobel

(783-6618) & Margaret Longo (783-1777)

Prayer Chain ~ Vivian Miller ~ 291-1183

RCIA ~ Tony & Terri Petraia ~ 360-3001

Respect Life ~ Rich Strobel ~ 783-2964

Spanish Ministry ~ Fr. Bladi ~ 238-5032

Senior Outreach ~ Vera DiMeglio 845-662-6426

January 28st, 2018
4th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SAVE the Date!!!

February 4, 2018 ~ Children's Choir 9:30
Mass

February 9th ~ Bunko 7pm Cardinal O'Connor
Room

March 4th ~ Children's Choir 9:30 Mass

March 20th ~ Sight & Sound bus trip to see
"Jesus"

April 1st ~ Easter

**FEARLESS! A Retreat for Teens in
Grades 8-12**

What is required of a disciple? *Courage*. As Bl. Titus Brandsma said, "Those who want to win the world for Christ must have the courage to come into conflict with it." Fearless Retreats are for teens in grades 8-12. Activities include basketball, laser tag, ultimate frisbee, soccer, Mass, praise and worship, Eucharistic Adoration, and talks and testimonies by guests including the Franciscan Friars and Sisters of the Renewal, Sisters of Life, and other clergy and religious! Our retreats bring teens to the foot of the Cross, invite to sainthood, and set them on fire for Christ in the Eucharist! 2018 Retreat dates and locations are as follows:

- February 9-11, at John S. Burke Catholic High School, 80 Fletcher Street, Goshen, NY
- March 16-18, at the Sacred Heart Center, 15 North East Avenue, Vineland, NJ
- June 1-3, 2018 at St. Catherine Laboure Parish, 110 Bray Avenue, Middletown, NJ
- September 28-30, John A. Coleman Catholic High School, 430 Hurley Avenue, Hurley, NY
- October 19-21, at St. Rose of Lima Parish, 46 Church Hill Road, Newtown, CT
- December 7-9, at Kennedy Catholic High School, 54 NY-138, Somers, NY

Pre-registration is required online at www.fearlessretreats.com. (We recommended that students attend Camp Veritas first, if possible; visit www.campveritas.com for information.) Parishes registering Confirmation Classes must reserve in advance by email or phone to secure placement, as limited space is available. For additional information, contact Jennifer Edwards at fearlessretreats@gmail.com or 845-866-1689.

**CEMETERY ANNOUNCEMENT
CEMETERY CLEAN UP**

We will be removing Christmas Wreaths from the cemetery on February 3rd.

If you have personal items at the grave, please remove before January 28th as we cannot be responsible for items left on the grave. If for health reasons you cannot get into the cemetery please call the office at 238-3844 and we will make every effort to help secure your items.

NAMI

(National Alliance of Mental Illness)

"At the root of this dilemma is the way we view mental health in this country. Whether an illness affects your heart, your leg or your brain it's still an illness and there should be no distinction."

Michelle Obama

Join me in an upcoming National Alliance of mental Illness presentation to fight the stigma of mental illness.

For now, contact your local NAMI chapter of Orange county at the toll-free number 1-866-906-6264 or find info on their website namiorangenj.org

**CONFIRMATION SERVICE HOURS
OPPORTUNITY**

We are looking for 10 confirmation candidates to earn approximately 2-3 hours of community service on Saturday, February 3rd at 10:00 am.

The service project will be to clean-up Christmas decorations from the St. Anastasia Cemetery.

Please contact Ken Kohrs at 914-450-8521 if interested. Dress warm, wear boots, gloves, hat, coat etc.. Meet at 10:00 am in front of the

Faith Formation Building

WOMEN'S RETREAT

Come join us for a Women's Retreat on February 3rd to 4th at the Vincent Pallotti Center, in Monroe, NY. The cost for the overnight retreat is \$75.99 which includes all meals. The Retreat Director is Sister Deanna Sabetta, a sister of the Community of Notre Dame and is currently with the Archdiocese of New York. We will travel a journey with two Gospel women from Encounter to Discipleship.

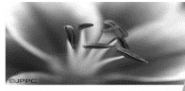
Please contact Tonie Kerins for any further information or to register at

845-774-9321 or 845-492-5066.

**ROSARY TO THE INTERIOR: FOR THE
PURIFICATION OF THE CHURCH**

On February 2, 2018 we will be participating in a national event, titled Rosary To The Interior: For the Purification of the Church. I would ask all the Catholics of this parish, if it is at all possible, to journey here to our Parish Church on this day at 6:00 pm, in order that, in union with the rest of the

Church, we might pray this Rosary for the Purification of the Church and the Triumph of Christ's Light over the darkness that now appears to be descending at an accelerating pace over our world, and especially over our nation. The Parish Church will be open all day, and into the evening, for those who cannot be present at the above time.



Mass Intentions for the Week

5:00 pm: Christopher Paisello requested by John Fitzsimmons & Family

John & Ann Breheny requested by The Mottola Family

8:00 am: Victoria Courtenay requested by Alice Serrano & Family

9:30 am: Andrew Marino requested by Mr. & Mrs. Frank Fogliano

11:30 am ~ Egidio Damiani requested by The Dickson Family

Catherine Mongelli requested by The Spalletta & Pirraglia Families

January 29th ~ February 3rd 9am Morning Mass

MONDAY

Barbara Cunningham requested by The Hatton, Croney & Fleming Families

Mary Aronica requested by Alberto & Magda Rodriguez

Vincent Horan, Vincent Dowd, Daniel O'Riordan requested by Lisa Paschenko

TUESDAY

Vincent Horan, Vincent Dowd, Daniel O'Riordan requested by Lisa Paschenko

WEDNESDAY:

Lusardi Antonio requested by The Franco Family

THURSDAY

Evelyn Lonergan requested by The Longo Family

Vincent Horan, Vincent Dowd, Daniel O'Riordan requested by Lisa Paschenko

FRIDAY:

Margie Monello requested by Rita & John White

Cornelio Tanega requested by The Thompson Family

SATURDAY:

Steven Anthony Viscardi requested by Elayne Wolfenhaut



Remember Our Sick



Deb Beams, Rich Croney, James Hatton, Jason Hinks, Jay, Catherine Mongelli, Jack Sharky

CATECHETICAL OFFICE

ARCHDIOCES OF NEW YORK

Calling all Catholic teachers in Public Schools to a Day of Prayer and Sharing "LIVING AS MISSIONARY DISCIPLES"

Speaker: Fr. Ugo Nacciarone, SJ

Saturday, February 3, 2018

9:00 am to 1:30 pm

Conference – Holy Hour – Liturgy

Refreshments and Lunch will be served

Christine Berretta & Anna Gergley & Rosemarie Vasti Committee

Maryknoll Fathers and Brothers

55 Ryder Road – Ossining, NY 10562

Any questions 914-965-0490

Zelide.ceccagno@archny.org

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SAINT ANASTASIA'S ANNUAL SOUP-ER BOWL



Today thru Sunday

February 4th,

Saint Anastasia will hold its annual Soup-er bowl.

Now through Superbowl weekend we ask that everyone please bring a can (or two) of soup (or any non-perishable items) with them to class or to Mass to donate to the local food pantries and

Our Fathers Kitchen.

Non-perishable items can be dropped off at Mass, the Faith Formation building during classes or the parish office until February 4th.

All the food donated will stay in our community to assist local families.

Thank You for your Support.

RESPECT LIFE

The March for Life took place Friday the 19th and it was a fantastic day. 44 pilgrims from Sacred Heart, St.

Anastasia, Holy Rosary and St. John's made the journey to Washington DC on our bus and were joined by 5 other buses from Orange County. We joined with 200,000 other pilgrims to show their support for all the unborn children who are in grave danger of being aborted. It was a

beautiful day weather wise and spiritually. We were addressed by President Trump, Vice President Pence, and the Speaker of the House Ryan, as well as many other speakers. The thing we most took away was the young people who attended. Our bus was full of them as well as the huge number that were at the rally. They came from as far away as South Dakota, Michigan, Kansas, Missouri and Texas. If you have never been to the March for Life, it is something you have to experience at least once in your life. It is a most uplifting experience. Please pray about coming with us next year, you will not be disappointed.

Thank you for all your prayers and support that make this possible.

Please join us as we pray the Rosary for Life every second Saturday in front of Sacred Heart after the 9am Mass and after the 9am Mass in front of St. Anastasia on the fourth Saturday of every month.

God Bless you all. Rich Strobel

TMIY, The Choice Wine

7 Steps to a Superabundant Marriage

Brought to us by Paradisus Dei, the creators of "That Man is You", "The Choice Wine" is a 9-week program to SUPERCHARGE our marriages with the JOY the Lord intends. Starting on February 11th at 6pm just up the road in St. Patrick's in Highland Mills, the timing could not be more perfect: St. Valentine's Day and Ash Wednesday fall on the same day! This Lent, let's get our marriages to shine like beacons, calling our community to closeness and passion, with our Lord, and each other. For more information call or e-mail Mo and Mike McDonnell at 845-926-6892 or mo.mike.mcdonnell@gmail.com

SACRED HEART PARISH OUTREACH

Happy New Year....it's well underway...As I get ready to put the next schedule for Our Father's Kitchen together I realize that we are truly in need of cooks, sous chefs, and other volunteers for the program to be effective. Our

Father's Kitchen is a ministry of Sacred Heart Parish Outreach, offering a hot nutritious meal every Wednesday night, and is located at the Chapel of the Sacred Heart, 151 Stage Rd, Monroe, NY, (Millpond Pkwy entrance)

If you have never volunteered or would like to return, please email me asap so I can accommodate you. We could really use your help. We can use the following:

Head cook: Wednesday once a month from 1:00pm-6:30pm prepares a fresh nutritious meals utilizing meat, chicken, fish or pasta for 100 people. Should be creative and be able to adapt recipes to what is available.

Sous Chef- assists Head cook

Servers- Wednesday night from 4:45-7:00
Serves hot meal, coffee, dessert to those who come to chapel for dinner.

Clean Up- men to sweep, mop and take out trash 6:00-7:15pm

Drivers- Deliver dinner to homebound 5-6pm

Take Out person- packages meals for the homebound 4:15-5:15

Dishwashers- clean kitchen 4pm-7pm

Generally, most people are scheduled once a month.

Please let me know if you would like to assist and I will send the background check and safer spaces information. A caring, willing heart and cooperative spirit are all that's needed!! Thank you Betsy Johnston

parishoutreach@gmail.com

OFFICE OF LITURGY ARCHDIOCESE OF NEW YORK

Eucharistic Adoration Seminar
St. Joseph's Seminary (Yonkers)
Friday, February 16th @
7:00pm

Presentation by: James Monti, Author of
"Praying in the presence of Our Lord"

More information and registration:
nyliturgy.org/workshops

Contact: liturgy@archny.org or 914-968-6200 x 8177

COMUNIDAD HISPANA

SERVICIOS:

Sacramento Adultos: George Vazquez (781 8788)

Clases de bautismo: Tomás Pareja (775 6299),

Grupo de oración: Lucas García (347 297 7512)

Lectores, Ministros y Pre-Cana: Rosa Vazquez (781 3247)

Coro: Enedina Varela (806 6806), Eduardo Jaramillo (347 424 0569)

Coro de niño: Mario Vivar (646-897-1645), Teresa Flores (212-528-3218)

Representante de los países: Noemí Jaramillo (866 3237), Norma Zamudio (662-9480)

Encargado Divino Niño: Angela García (929 239 1183)

Monaguillos: Jenniffer Eralte (917-414-3907), Valeria Blazquez (837 0420)

Ujieres: Dionicio Rivas (662 5416)

Quinceañera: Micaela Gallardo (837 0761)

AVISOS:

- Preparación de bautismos: 1 de febrero a las 6:45pm en la Capilla.

- Misa de la Presentación del Niño en el Templo a las 7pm en la Capilla.

- La misa del Sábado 3 será a las 6:30pm en la Iglesia grande. Celebraremos la fiesta en honor a nuestra Señora de Suyapa (Honduras).

REFLEXIÓN DOMINICAL

El evangelio de hoy nos presenta a Jesús en Cafarnaún. Esta ciudad fue el centro de la actividad de Jesús en Galilea, allí acompañado de sus discípulos proclamó la venida del Reino. Jesús escoge desafiante el tiempo y el lugar de su predicación en sábado y en la sinagoga, es algo frecuente en este evangelio. El Señor no teme enfrentar a quienes se niegan a aceptar su mensaje. El pueblo distingue entre su anuncio y la enseñanza de los escribas, entre el llamado al amor y el formalismo religioso. La práctica de Jesús muestra el carácter liberador de su palabra, ella desata los lazos de servidumbre, de falsas concepciones, de falsos dioses, de engañosas prácticas. El Señor nos quiere libres para poder consagrarnos a lo que se nos pide como colaboración a la llegada del Reino. Libres para amar, diría San Pablo.

Quienes escuchan a Jesús se asombran. Lo que oyen les parece doctrina nueva, expuesta con autoridad. Para una mentalidad cerrada al cambio, nuevo es sinónimo de falso. Pero nuevo es siempre el mensaje del amor porque nos llama a abandonar el camino del egoísmo y del formalismo y a tomar la senda de la generosidad y de la coherencia.

Jesús está al comienzo de su misión, tal como la presenta Marcos, y la lleva a cabo en sus términos. Jesús, conocido como "de Nazaret", es contrario a las fuerzas del mal. Su vida hará retroceder la presencia de la muerte. Su testimonio se hizo conocer y "su fama se extendió por toda Galilea". Nos toca llevar el anuncio del Reino de paz y justicia más allá de Galilea, hasta los confines de la tierra y hasta lo más profundo de nosotros mismos.

El profeta es uno de nosotros, un miembro del pueblo, un hermano, elegido por el Señor para que sea su portavoz. Así el pueblo no se apartará de la fidelidad al Señor. Dios nos habla a través de sus enviados, en sus bocas Él pone sus palabras, ellos dirán al pueblo cuál es la voluntad del Señor. El Señor pedirá cuentas a quienes no escuchen a los profetas, pero lo hará también con los profetas que no comuniquen lo que Él les mandó decir. También en esta tierra que nos acoge, Dios suscita profetas para hablarnos en su nombre. Gracias a ellos muchos en este país hemos sabido lo que Dios quiere de nosotros hoy. Pero el profeta por excelencia es Jesús, su profecía es la norma de nuestras vidas. Su doctrina siempre es nueva para nosotros. Para que sepamos escuchar lo que confía a sus profetas, el Señor nos quiere libres. Eso es lo que pide Pablo, las otras responsabilidades y tareas —por nobles e importantes que sean— deben estar supeditadas a la primera de ellas: el anuncio del Reino por medio de gestos concretos de amor al prójimo. Amén.