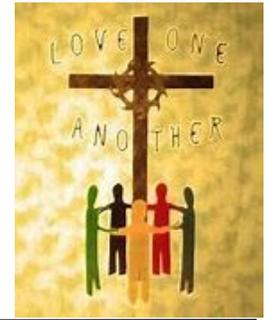


# Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 20, 2022

**"I give you a new commandment,  
says the Lord:  
love one another as I have loved you."**



## Mass Intentions

**Saturday, Feb 19** *Vigil: Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
5:00pm Jim Papacena

**Sunday, February 20** *Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
8:00am David Sanchez  
10:00am Lillian Rener and Lorraine Marchionni  
12:00noon Annamma Mathew

**Monday, February 21** *St. Peter Damian*  
9:00am Dina Epple

**Tuesday, February 22** *The Chair of St. Peter*  
9:00am Larry Ciufu

**Wednesday, February 23** *St. Polycarp*  
4:00pm The People of St. Anthony

**Thursday, February 24** *Weekday*  
9:00am Carmela Leonardis

**Friday, February 25** *Weekday*  
9:00am Brian Yozzo

**Saturday, February 26** *Saturday of Our Lady*  
9:00am Angela Vela

**Saturday, Feb 26** *Vigil: Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
5:00pm Salvatore Galasso

**Sunday, February 27** *Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
8:00am John Fialkovich  
10:00am Angie Esack  
12:00noon Jawhar Ray



**The Sanctuary Lamp  
In Memory of  
Aimie Platoni**

### \* STEWARDSHIP \*

February 13, 2022	\$ 6,127.00
Peter's Pence	\$ 1,674.00
Attendance	454

*Your continuous support and generosity to the Parish both financially and spiritually and all that it does for others is greatly appreciated.*

## ALTAR BREAD AND WINE

February 20-26



**In Memory of**

**James & Beatrice O'Rourke**

Call the rectory (965-2733) to reserve a specific week for a loved one or special occasion.

## FORMED

"**Pick of the Week**" that you and your family can use by accessing your FREE subscription to



As we celebrate the Feast of the Chair of St. Peter this week, join Dr. Tim Gray and George Weigel as they discuss the past, present, and future of the papacy!

**Now You Can Listen to FORMED Daily**  
Register at ----- [stanthony-yonkers.formed.org](http://stanthony-yonkers.formed.org)

## OFFERTORY GIVING

THANK YOU FOR TRYING YOUR BEST TO KEEP UP WITH YOUR WEEKLY OFFERTORY GIFTS. Of course, we continue to receive mail at: CHURCH OF ST. ANTHONY, 10 SQUIRE AVENUE, YONKERS, NY 10703. So feel free to mail your check. THANK YOU! In these days, we are even more grateful for electronic giving! To enroll with our electronic giving program, just visit:

<http://stanthony-yonkers.churchgiving.com/>

## Readings for the Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

### 1st Reading – 1 Samuel 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23

In those days, Saul went down to the desert of Ziph with three thousand picked men of Israel, to search for David in the desert of Ziph. So David and Abishai went among Saul's soldiers by night and found Saul lying asleep within the barricade, with his spear thrust into the ground at his head and Abner and his men sleeping around him. Abishai whispered to David: "God has delivered your enemy into your grasp this day. Let me nail him to the ground with one thrust of the spear; I will not need a second thrust!" But David said to Abishai, "Do not harm him, for who can lay hands on the LORD's anointed and remain unpunished?" So David took the spear and the water jug from their place at Saul's head, and they got away without anyone's seeing or knowing or awakening. All remained asleep, because the LORD had put them into a deep slumber. Going across to an opposite slope, David stood on a remote hilltop at a great distance from Abner, son of Ner, and the troops. He said: "Here is the king's spear. Let an attendant come over to get it. The LORD will reward each man for his justice and faithfulness. Today, though the LORD delivered you into my grasp, I would not harm the LORD's anointed."

### Responsorial Psalm –

**R. The Lord is kind and merciful.**

Bless the LORD, O my soul;  
and all my being, bless his holy name.  
Bless the LORD, O my soul,  
and forget not all his benefits.

**R. The Lord is kind and merciful.**

He pardons all your iniquities,  
heals all your ills.  
He redeems your life from destruction,  
crowns you with kindness and compassion.

**R. The Lord is kind and merciful.**

Merciful and gracious is the LORD,  
slow to anger and abounding in kindness.  
Not according to our sins does he deal with us,  
nor does he requite us according to our crimes.

**R. The Lord is kind and merciful.**

As far as the east is from the west,  
so far has he put our transgressions from us.  
As a father has compassion on his children,  
so the LORD has compassion on those who fear him.

**R. The Lord is kind and merciful.**

### 2nd Reading – 1 Corinthians 15:45-49

Brothers and sisters: It is written, The first man, Adam, became a living being, the last Adam a life-giving spirit. But the spiritual was not first; rather the natural and then the spiritual. The first man was from the earth, earthly; the second man, from heaven. As was the earthly one, so also are the earthly, and as is the heavenly one, so also are the heavenly. Just as we have borne the image of the earthly one, we shall also bear the image of the heavenly one.



### Gospel – Luke 6:27-38

Jesus said to his disciples: To you who hear I say, love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who mistreat you. To the person who strikes you on one cheek, offer the other one as well, and from the person who takes your cloak, do not withhold even your tunic. Give to everyone who asks of you, and from the one who takes what is yours do not demand it back. Do to others as you would have them do to you. For if you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? Even sinners love those who love them. And if you do good to those who do good to you, what credit is that to you? Even sinners do the same. If you lend money to those from whom you expect repayment, what credit is that to you? Even sinners lend to sinners, and get back the same amount. But rather, love your enemies and do good to them, and lend expecting nothing back; then your reward will be great and you will be children of the Most High, for he himself is kind to the ungrateful and the wicked. Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful. "Stop judging and you will not be judged. Stop condemning and you will not be condemned. Forgive and you will be forgiven. Give, and gifts will be given to you; a good measure, packed together, shaken down, and overflowing, will be poured into your lap. For the measure with which you measure will in return be measured out to you."

My Dear Parish Family,

Firstly, I want to share with you a letter of thanks we received from the Staff and Residents of Rosalie Hall. Your immense generosity during our Baby Shower a few months ago has had an incredible impact on the Rosalie Hall community, and they are very thankful for your support and your prayers.

*Dear St. Anthony's,*

*On behalf of Catholic Guardian Services, the residents and staff at Rosalie Hall would like to extend our gratitude and appreciation to you and the congregation for yearly being thoughtful and committed to the young expecting mothers at Rosalie Hall. Your compassion to contribute to the array of young ladies have impacted and prompted them to have a healthy attachment and childbearing experience.*

*Again, thanks to you and the church for all the devoted crochet blankets, clothes, pampers, lovely gifts and toys for they definitely have and will continue to brighten the expecting mommies' aura and experience as they embrace becoming mothers to their unborn child.*

*The baby shower is extremely nice and thoughtful as it means so much to the expecting Moms.*

***Sincerely,***

*Ms. T. Tolbert*

*Rosalie Hall/ Residential Supervisor*

Sometimes we never fully know the positive impact we have when we do something small for another person. So, thank you for all your support of our service programs.

The second thing I want to bring to your attention is the upcoming season of Lent. Believe it or not, Ash Wednesday is only two (2) weeks away. Give yourself the opportunity this year to join in some of our Lenten programs. Lent is a season of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. We want to offer you some opportunities here at St. Anthony's to join in the spirit of the season.

- \* Ash Wednesday—Mass at 9AM and 7PM; Service of the Word at 3PM
- \* Lenten Bible Study - the Wednesdays of Lent beginning March 9<sup>th</sup>
- \* Lenten Singalong Giving Program - begins on the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent
- \* Stations of the Cross - every Friday at 7PM
- \* Praise and Worship Holy Hour - Sunday March 27<sup>th</sup>, 6PM

*Pax,*

*Fr Dan*

## ST. ANTHONY SCHOOL

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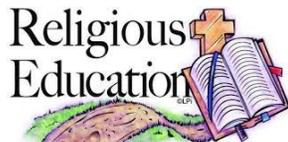
### WHAT MAKES ST. ANTHONY SCHOOL GREAT:

- \* Offers excellent well-rounded education - just compare our test scores
- \* Offers excellent CATHOLIC education
- \* There are Religion classes EVERY DAY
- \* There are regular school Masses and other special Liturgies throughout the school year
- \* Catholic values can be talked about every day
- \* Every day begins with prayer and a reflection
- \* Confessions are offered throughout the year
- \* St. Anthony School offers many opportunities to do good for people around the globe.
- \* Two classes come to Mass every day during Lent
- \* Our children celebrate Stations of the Cross during Lent

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

965 - 5535

sasreligioused@gmail.com



Weekly classes are held for grades 1 through 7 every Sunday. Be advised that in order to have your child make the Sacrament of Confirmation in 7th grade continuous instruction in grades 1 through 7 is mandatory.

Therefore, if your child is a 3rd, 4th, 5th, or 6th grade student and is not currently enrolled in our program please register them as soon as possible.

Our website contains information about our program, registration (including forms), Sacraments and a yearly calendar. <https://stanthony-yonkers.org/religious-education-1-7>

The Rectory Office will be closed on Monday, February 21st, in observance of Presidents' Day.



## CONCERT

Next Sunday, February 27th at 3:00pm



which features Lois Hicks-Wozniak and Andre Baruch two fine tenor saxophonists and Ken Corneille on piano and organ.

The concert is free and the program will last about 50 minutes.

## PRAYERS FOR OUR SICK

We pray for all the sick of our Parish, especially:

- Drew Aaron · Ron Cavallo · Gianna Colao · Maggie Coleman · James Collins · Kevin Corneille · Bessie Cortes · Laura DeSantis · Mark DeSantis · Ralph DiGiovanni, Sr. · Kathleen Doherty · Germa Fioriti · Mary Hasbrouck · Maria Iacontini · Brian Larkin · Daniel Lauricella · Michael Manuele · Bob McCormick · John Murray · Lauren Nicole · James O'Loughlin · Antoinette Palma · Deanie Pezzello · Barbara Popovic · Ulla Rattenni · Richard · Baby Aaron John Rivera · Arthur Rotunno · Carmelita Santos · Susan Schiavone · Robert Taylor · Michael Treacy ·

Please take good care of yourself and let's be sure to pray for one another

## UPCOMING OFFERTORY SCHEDULE

Feb 20	ONE COLLECTION
Feb 27	ONE COLLECTION
Mar 2	Ash Wednesday
Mar 6	ONE COLLECTION

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR FAITHFUL GENEROSITY!!!**

## Mark Your Calendar



**Wednesday, March 2nd**

*Ash Wednesday*

**Friday, March 4th**

*First Friday—Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament-12:30pm-1:30pm, closing with Benediction*

*Stations of the Cross, 7:00pm*