



Saint **AMBROSE**
CATHOLIC COMMUNITY
—ROOTED IN CHRIST—

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Blessing of Animals **Sunday, October 6 @ 1 PM**

In the St. Francis Circle
Bring ANY pet: large or small,
furry or non-furry
(even stuffed ones are welcome!)
As always, we encourage you to also invite
friends and neighbors
to bring their pets along.



BROKEN LEADERS OF THE BIBLE

A NEW BIBLE STUDY

THURSDAYS, SEPTEMBER 19—OCTOBER 10

ST. AMBROSE

347 OLD LOUDON RD, LATHAM, NY

7:00 PM

PARISH CENTER

THE GREATEST FIGURES OF THE BIBLE
IMPORTANT. POWERFUL. INFLUENTIAL.
THEY ALL HAD ONE THING IN COMMON...
...THEY WERE BROKEN.

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Saturday – September 28

4:30 PM Fr. Hayes

Timothy D. Butler by Family
Theresa Carey by Richard & Debbie DeVoe
Deceased Godfrey Family by Frank & Janet
Godfrey
Francesco A. Cichello by Carmeline Cacciotti
Intention of Christopher Goyette by Claire
Butler

Sunday – September 29

7:30 AM Fr. Cairns

People of St. Ambrose

9:00 AM Fr. Kelly

Michael J. O'Heaney by Dr. Kathleen Kelly
Sheldon Bell by Laureen Sharp
Donald Hotko by Susan Russo

11:30 AM Fr. Kelly

Bob Gullie by Family
Jerry Minihane by Simone
J. Gerald Allen by Margaret Dessinger

5:30 PM Fr. Kelly

People of St. Ambrose

Monday – September 30

6:30 AM Fr. Kelly

Peter Falasco by Tracey

Tuesday – October 1

9:00 AM Fr. Kelly

Barbara Drapeau by Monique & Dan Jacobs

Wednesday – October 2

6:30 AM Fr. Kelly

People of St. Ambrose

Thursday – October 3

9:00 AM Fr. Kelly

Intentions of Rich Curran by Tracey

Friday – October 4

6:30 AM Deacon Helmut

Communion Service

Saturday – October 5

4:30 PM Fr. Kelly

John Ouimet by Gail Ouimet
Jean Hillje by Family
George Robert Hillje, Jr. by Family
Anthony Crola by Wife Jeanette & Family
James Gerald Allen by Food Pantry

Sunday – October 6

7:30 AM Fr. Cairns

Teresa & Vincent Popolizio by Clara
James J. Pender by Son

9:00 AM Fr. Cairns

Nicholas Sabatino by Donna Sabatino

11:30 AM Fr. Cairns

Ellsworth & Stephen King by Wife & Mother
Kathleen Kane by Bill & Rita Mohr
Jean Moutray by Sandra Apkarian

5:30 PM Fr. Deimeke

Judy Wark by Megan Plekan



THE BISHOP'S APPEAL

ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF ALBANY, NY

Thank you for your generous response to the 2019 Bishop's Appeal.

295 Parish Families of our **2234** Parish Families have donated or pledged **\$107,404.50** toward our Assessment of **\$149,550**.

If you have not made your 2019 Bishop's Appeal gift or pledge, we ask that you do so within the next few weeks. The vital ministries supported by this annual appeal depend on you and your generosity.

Pledge envelopes are available in the Church, and donations can also be made online at: www.thebishopsappeal.org.



ALTAR ROSARY MASS & SOCIAL

On **October 8 at 6 pm in the Chapel**, we will celebrate Mass with Fr. Kelly. Immediately following, we will enjoy a social in the Parish Lounge. It's a great time to reconnect with old friends -and hopefully make some new ones- as we share ideas for the year ahead. Please come and bring a friend or two. All are welcome!



September 15, 2019	\$16,266.10
September 16, 2018	\$15,121.26

Deepest thanks for your continued and generous support for our parish. Your gifts enable so much to be done in so many ways.

SEPTEMBER 29, 2019



Our 5th and 6th grades are back into the swing of things! They have been working on classroom routines and getting used to the academic demands that are asked of them. We have begun our first book, *Towers Falling*, based on the 9/11 attacks. The story is told

from a 5th graders perspective who was not even born at the time of the attacks. The story has led to great class discussion, and has given the students a real feel for a historical event they did not experience.

Students have also been exploring technology, our abilities to share documents through Google docs, and many of the technological capabilities of our Chrome Books.

Our Quote Board has given us a bit of inspiration each morning. Every morning students write the quote on a Post-It note and stick it in their locker for a friendly reminder to stay *positive*.

Even when it rains, we find a way to have some fun at recess. Using some simple addition, we created a Ski-Ball competition that turned out to be a blast!



DIOCESAN MARRIAGE JUBILEE



The 47th Annual Diocesan Marriage Jubilee Celebration will be held Sunday, October 20th, 2019 at 2:00 PM at The Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Albany. Couples celebrating their 25th, 40th, 50th or other special wedding anniversaries are invited to attend this celebration. Bishop Edward B. Scharfenberger will celebrate the Mass at 2:00 PM and greet couples and their guests at a reception in the gathering area at the Cathedral immediately following Mass.

Please register through your parish office or by email to Marriage.Jubilee@rcda.org.

Fall Craft Fair

Saturday, October 26th

9:00AM - 4:00PM

Free Admission - Proceeds benefit
St. Ambrose School

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT
CARY LOMBARDO
AT 518-785-1351 X 309 OR
LOMBARDC@RCDA.ORG

There will be unique handmade
items, baked goods, make & takes
and raffles



Ministry Spotlight



We strive to feed the hungry in our community. Our food pantry can serve an average of 100 households per month. The ongoing need is great, and a way to serve is by donating food and monetary contributions.



Is your Catholic teen entering 10th grade or at least 15 years old?

They are eligible to

prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Join us for this incredible journey! For more information, contact Adam Krywinski at 518-785-1351 x 319 or visit stambroselatham.org/confirmation.

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS

to honor & make reparation to the

IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

Please join us on **Saturday, October 5th, at 10:00 AM** in the Chapel.



WE WILL NO LONGER BE ACCEPTING USED PILL BOTTLES, but we are still collecting used eye glasses and cell phones/chargers. We partner with Calvary United Methodist

Church who also helps us out with our food pantry! Please give all items to the ushers. Thank you for helping those in need!

SPAGHETTI AND MEATBALL DINNER

Saturday, October 5th, 5 pm—7:30 pm



Latham-Colonie Knights of Columbus, 328 Troy Schenectady Rd, Latham. For info 518-783-0572, www.lathamcoloniekofc.com/events.



Do you shop, dine, or go to the movies at **COLONIE CENTER**? Did you know that anytime you make a purchase at any of their stores or restaurants, our school can earn points in their School Bucks program? Last year, we finished 11th and only the top 10 schools receive prize money. Prizes range from \$500 to \$8,000!!

Help us win money this year! Drop your receipts off to the **COLONIE CENTER MALL OFFICE** or here at our **SCHOOL OR PARISH OFFICE**. It's that easy!

BULLETIN ARTICLE DUE DATE REMINDER

If you have an article for the Bulletin, please email it to Joan.Welch@rcda.org by Wednesday of the week before.

The ST. AMBROSE CYO BASKETBALL PROGRAM

would like to add a **Girls' 5th and 6th grade team for 2019-2020 season**.

Anyone interested in being the Head Coach, please contact Athletic Director Bill Fahr at 518-937-5226 or email him at bfahr@nycap.rr.com

ST. AMBROSE CYO BASKETBALL SIGN UP'S

7th—8th Grade Boys

5th— 6th Grade Boys

3rd—4th Grade Boys & Girls



WHERE: St. Ambrose Gym Lobby

WHEN: Tuesday, 10/1, 6:30—8 PM

Saturday Morning, 10/5, 9—12 Noon

Sunday Morning, 10/6, 10—12 Noon