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Confession: Thursday 3:00-4:00pm

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Fri. 1:00-5:00pm

Mass: Sunday 8:30am
Monday and Wednesday 9:00am
Confession: Tuesday 7:00-8:00pm

Saint Anthony — 312 Locke Road, Groton, NY
Phone: 607-898-5135

Office Hours: Mon.-Thurs. 8:00am-2:00pm
Mass: Saturday 4:30pm, Sunday 2:00pm

Tuesday 9:00am and Friday 11:00am
Confession: Saturday 2:45-3:45pm

March 25, 2018

Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion
Year B



Welcome!

We graciously welcome all new parishioners and visitors to our community. To register please fill out a registration form available at church entrances. Please drop it in the collection basket or at the office. A member of our ministry team will contact you to complete your registration.

Baptism

Baptismal preparation is offered and required for parents of children to be baptized in our churches. Please contact the parish office for an initial interview and baptismal preparation.

Holy Matrimony

Couples must contact the parish office at least six months prior to the celebration. Marriage preparation prerequisites must be fulfilled before the celebration of marriage.

RCIA/RCIC

Those interested in becoming Catholic or wishing to complete their Christian initiation through the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist are asked to call the parish office.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

This Sacrament is available for individuals upon request, and communal celebrations are periodically scheduled.

Ministry to the Sick

Please call a parish office concerning the needs of the sick, hospitalized or shut-ins. Those unable to attend Mass may have Communion brought to them.

A NOTE FROM

FATHER DANIEL . . .

This week we celebrate the very mysteries of our salvation. Give yourself a break, a mini retreat, a chance to rediscover the riches of our faith and the depth of God's love for you by attending these beautiful liturgies. Please join us for our Holy Week celebrations.

A.M.D.G., Father Daniel



Year of the Eucharist

Praying for the living and the dead is one of the Spiritual Works of Mercy and the one that sums up all others. We pray for others not because we intend to change God's heart or to somehow convince God to share some of God's grace. We believe in a God who is mercy, unconditional love and complete self-gift. A God who holds nothing back from us, who cares about us and is always with us. So,

why do we pray for others? We pray for others for a number of reasons: 1) because it changes our hearts, it breaks our selfishness as we think of others, it makes us more like Jesus, it moves us to concrete acts of solidarity with others; 2) because we believe that we are all members of the Body of Christ and of the Communion of Saints, and as such live in profound solidarity with one another (living and dead), and our prayers and actions affect the other members of the Body, of the communion; 3) Because we know that God's *modus operandi*, the way God works is through incarnation, this is through human beings, through us, so when we pray for someone else, we are giving a body to God's profound desire to love and care for that person. When we pray for someone else, we mediate God's grace for them. God wants to give each one of us everything, all graces and all love, but we need to bridge those graces into this world through our prayer. If we do not pray, then God's desire to love us, bless us, is left without a channel, without mediation. We do not pray for others because God is stingy with God's grace; we pray for others because our mediation is necessary so that God can shower them with God's grace and love. **Among all the prayers we can offer for someone, the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass is the most sublime**, for we join our prayers and intentions to the very act of Christ's sacrifice of mediation before the Father. **We have three great ways in which we can join our prayers for us and for others, living and dead, to this supreme act of prayer, mediation and sacrifice that Jesus offers:** 1) We can have the Mass (Sundays and weekdays) celebrated for a particular intention, 2) We can have the candle that burns next to the Blessed Sacrament burn for a whole week for a prayer intention or a person, and 3) We can offer the bread and wine for an entire week for a particular intention.

Let us not be remiss in our duty to pray for the living and the dead—let us be generous in bridging the innumerable graces of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass for others and for ourselves by using these three ways that our parishes offer to join our intentions to the Eucharist. **To schedule your intentions, please contact your parish office.** There is a small suggested donation for each of these intentions.

Holy Week



N.E.T. Catholic Schedule

Palm Sunday: (Vigil) Saturday 4:30 pm at Saint Anthony. Sunday 8:30 am at Holy Cross, 10:30 am at All Saints and 2:00 pm at Saint Anthony.

Holy Thursday: 7:00 pm at All Saints




Good Friday: 7:00 pm at Saint Anthony

Easter Sunday: (Vigil) Saturday 7:30 pm at Holy Cross, Sunday 8:30 am at Holy Cross, 10:30 am at All Saints and 2:00 pm at Saint Anthony.

This week in our Faith Communities

Sun., Mar. 25	Palm Sunday Religious Ed. St.A./H.C. 9:45 @ H.C. A.S. 11:30am Tenebrae Service 7:30pm @ H.C.
Mon., Mar. 26	Mass 9:00am @ H.C. and 3:00pm @ A.S. Confessions: 5-6:30pm @ A.S. 7-8:30pm @ St.A.
Tues., Mar. 27	Mass 9:00am @ St. A. Nursing Home Mass 1:30pm @ Groton Chrism Mass 7:00pm @ Rochester
Wed., Mar. 28	NO Mass 9:00am @ H.C. Book Discussion 10am @ H.C. and 6:30pm @ A.S. Confessions: 5-8:00pm @ H.C. Stations of the Cross 6:00pm @ A.S.
Thurs., Mar. 29	Liturgy of Hours: 9am @ St.A. & H.C. 9:30am @ A.S. <u>Holy Thursday Celebration of the Lord's Supper</u> 7:00pm @ A.S. Adoration of the Most Holy Eucharist 8:30pm-12am @ A.S., H.C. & St.A. (Chapels)
Fri., Mar. 30	Liturgy of Hours: 9am @ St.A. & H.C. 9:30am @ A.S. <u>Good Friday Celebration of the Lord's Passion</u> 7:00pm @ St.A.
Sat., Mar. 31	Liturgy of Hours: 9am @ St.A. & H.C. 9:30am @ A.S. St.A. Bake Sale 9:00am-noon @ Groton Bank <u>Holy Saturday Great Easter Vigil</u> 7:30pm @ H.C.
Sun., Apr. 1	Easter Sunday — Masses: 8:30am @ H.C. 10:30am @ A.S. 2:00pm @ St.A.
A LOOK AHEAD:	
April 2	BINGO Begins @ A.S.
April 8	Divine Mercy Service 3:00pm @ A.S.
May 6	Celebration of First Holy Communion @ A.S.
May 13	Mother's Day Celebration of First Holy Communion @ H.C.

Our Sacrificial Offering for the fulfillment of the Mission of Jesus Christ March 17-18, 2018 (Week 38)

All Saints	Actual	\$ 4,276.85
	Needed to get by Needed to survive Needed to thrive	\$3000 \$3400 \$3900
Holy Cross	Actual	\$ 2,470.00
	Needed to get by Needed to survive Needed to thrive	\$2500 \$2900 \$3300
St. Anthony	Actual	\$ 1,364.25
	Needed to get by Needed to survive Needed to thrive	\$2000 \$2400 \$2800

Attendance

March 17-18, 2018 (Week 38)

All Saints	182
Holy Cross	132
St. Anthony	Sat. 79/Sun. 35 = 114

Remember the Church in
your Will

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR: March 31 & April 1, 2018 Easter Sunday

Mass Time	Readers	E.M.H.C.	Altar Servers	Greeters/Ushers	Gift Bearers	Sacristans
7:30 pm Saturday Holy Cross Preacher: Dcn. George	Janna Lamey Ann Mares May Olson Chris Loviglio	Dcn. George Kathy Muller Roger Pellerin	Caleb Williams Maddie Perkins	Phylis Vrooman Pat Vrooman Dave Minarski	RCIA Candidates	
8:30 am Sunday Holy Cross Preacher: Father Daniel	Lisa Schug Mike Iannello	Carroll MacDowell Dcn. George Doug Collins	Adrian Finney Carlea Davis	George Muller Tom Harkenrider		Oak Hill Cavataio
10:30 am Sunday All Saints Preacher: Father Daniel	Ann Mares John Callister	(C) Julie Berens (C) Leigh Miller (C) Ed Pasto (C) <i>Choir</i> : Dcn. George	(Cross) A Benson (Altar) Z. Benson	Cheryl Casey Miya Kuramoto Jacob Ouellette Parker Ouellette	Nursery None – please join the nursery team	Anne Drake
2:00 pm Sunday Saint Anthony Preacher: Father Daniel	Mary Ann Kozak Keith Randolph	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Mary Ann Kozak

Mass Intentions

Saturday (Mar. 24), 4:30 pm @ Saint Anthony
For Gerald Carey (1st Anniv). by the Carey Family

Sunday (Mar. 25), 8:30 am @ Holy Cross
For Eileen & Dave Restivo by Kathy & George Muller

Sunday (Mar. 25), 10:30 am @ All Saints
For Carl Nedrow by Anna Beckwith and Beth Daly

Sunday (Mar. 25), 2:00 pm @ Saint Anthony
For the People of our Parishes

Monday (Mar. 26), 9:00 am @ Holy Cross
For the People of our Parishes

Monday (Mar. 26), 3:00 pm @ All Saints
For Sy Schmitt by Michelle Simone

Tuesday (Mar. 27), 9:00 am @ Saint Anthony
For Carl Nedrow by Ruth Adams

Tuesday (Mar. 27), 1:30 pm @ Groton Nursing Home
For Mr. & Mrs. Nicholas Pollack

Thursday (Mar. 29), 7:00 pm @ All Saints
For the People of our Parishes

Saturday (Mar. 31), 7:30 pm @ Holy Cross
For Stephanie Sarwal by Nan & Don Lisk

Sunday (Apr. 1), 8:30 am @ Holy Cross
For Those Being Remembered in Flower Memorials

Sunday (Apr. 1), 10:30 am @ All Saints
For Those Being Remembered in Flower Memorials

Sunday (Apr. 1), 2:00 pm @ Saint Anthony
For Those Being Remembered in Flower Memorials

Liturgical Calendar for this week

Sunday (March 25): Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion (Red)
 John 12:12-16/Isaiah 50:4-7/Psalm 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24/
 Philippians 2:6-11/Mark 14:1-15:47

Monday: Monday of Holy Week (Violet)
 Isaiah 42:1-7/Psalm 27:1, 2, 3, 13-14/John 12:1-11

Tuesday: Tuesday of Holy Week (Violet)
 Isaiah 49:1-6/Psalm 71:1-2, 3-4A, 5AB-6AB, 15, 17/John 13:21-33, 36-38

Wednesday: Wednesday of Holy Week (Violet)
 Isaiah 50:4-9a/Psalm 69:8-10, 21-22, 31, 33-34/Matthew 26:14-25

Thursday: Holy Thursday of the Lord's Supper (White)
 Exodus 12:1-8, 11-14/Psalm 116:12-13, 15-16BC, 17-18/1 Corinthians 11:23-26/John 13:1-15

Friday: Good Friday of the Passion of the Lord (Red)
 Isaiah 52:13-53:12/Psalm 31:2, 6, 12-13, 15-16, 17, 25/Hebrews 4:14-16; 5:7-9/John 18:1-19:42

Saturday: Holy Saturday—Easter Vigil (White)
 Genesis 1:1-2:2/ Exodus 14:15-15:1/Isaiah 55:1-11/Romans 6:3-11/Mark 16:1-7

Next Sunday (April 1): EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD (White)
 Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Psalm 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23/Colossians 3:1-4/John 20:1-9

The Sanctuary Candle burns this week for the following Intention:



In **St. Anthony Church** in memory of **Linda Triplett**
 (requested by Gerry & Keith Randolph)

The Altar Bread and Wine are offered this week for the following Intentions

Saint Anthony Church

For Intentions of Kathleen Martin



Prayer Requests For Our Sick & Shut-Ins

Francis Hertel (StA), Angelo Alaimo, Elaine Apgar, Jane Baldwin, Pamela Barnes, Ginny Bradshaw, Chrissy Bravo-Cullen, Karen Brown, Phyllis Campbell, Ian Charles, Donna Cocca, Richard Compton, Paul Conklin, Robert Deely, Jerica Duso, Lois Fahey, Pat Fairbank, Mary Falise, Gordon Gladden, Amy Grosser, Charlene Haskell, Kirsten Hess, Nimr Ibrahim, John Jackson, Autum Kenyon, T.J. Keegan, Diane Kimmich, Steve Kletjian, Tate MacDowell, Marcus Martinez, Leah Mayor, Emma Mazingo, Joe McCarey, Betty McCarey, Sara Morse, Kelie Oliver, Barb O'Sullivan, Jim Oswald, Don Palmer, Kathy Pumphrey, Karen Randolph, Geraldine Rankin, Beth Schwab, Emilie Searle, Eleanor Sorbello, Lucy Steger, Robert Stewart, Ethel Thomas, Melanie Toolan, Vicky Toro, Maria Unterreiner, Ellen VanSlyke Batzer, Sharon Vincent, Gary Vrabel, Richard Weiss, Jocelyn Woods, & several Special Intentions.
Please keep our area servicemen & women in your prayers.

Our Ministry Team

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Walk-Ins Office Hours: Tuesday 10-12 @ Saint Anthony, Wednesday 10-12 @ Holy Cross, Thursday 11-1 @ All Saints
 Available by appointment 8:00 am-8:00 pm, all week, all locations.

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Holy Cross: Jeanne Pellerin and Barb Ivers

Parish News and Events

“Portraits of Faith”

Carol Hockett, Johnson Museum of Art, Cornell Univ.

Rembrandt van Rijn's work illustrates a lifetime fascination with both Old and New Testament subjects. His sensitivity to individual psychology provides the viewer with new insights into familiar passages from the supper at Emmaus to the parable of the prodigal son.

Please come join us on Sunday, April 15 @ 11:30am at All Saints for a 45 minute presentation. Carol will offer this presentation a second time on Sunday, April 22 @ 9:30am at Holy Cross.

St. Anthony's Annual Easter Bake Sale

Attention St.A. Heavenly Bakers:

Please take some baked goodies down to the First National Bank of Groton by 9:00am next Saturday, March 31, for our Easter bake sale.



Tenebrae by the Holy Cross Youth Group

You are invited to a creative interpretation of the Lord's Passion with candlelight and music by the Holy Cross Youth Group this evening (Palm Sunday, March 25) at 7:30pm at Holy Cross.

All Saints Nursery Volunteers Needed

Our parish at All Saints is in IMMEDIATE need of volunteers to help out with our nursery Sunday mornings. If you are a parent of a young child who would benefit from this service or would just enjoy interacting with the children, please consider donating a small amount of your time so others with young children may also enjoy our Sunday Mass with Father Daniel.

New Collection Counters Needed at All Saints!!

- Our All Saints Church has been very fortunate that parishioners have always stepped up in times of need. This May we will be losing one of our senior Collection Counting teams: Barb Bills, Sophie Stark and Ruth Adams. They've donated their time for over 10 years!!! Their leaving creates an opening for a new team that we must fill. Please pray about the possibility of joining our team of counters. You would be committed to just two hours a day, just once per month. Please see Annette White in the Parish Office for details.

BINGO Begins April 2 !

Do you want to have some fun with other All Saints parishioners AND reduce All Saints' budget needs by \$14,000? Join a Bingo team! It's a group of 28 people on four teams who have a lot of fun. You say you don't have time . . . it is just seven evenings during the whole year, an average of only 3.5 minutes per day. Other important items:

- ◆ NO experience is required
- ◆ All the leftover pizza you can eat
- ◆ Fun with friends
- ◆ Opportunity to exercise your generosity muscle, resulting in an attitude of gratitude



Our salvation comes through God's freely given gift of grace. Our gift to God in return for His grace is a life of good works. So, get on a Bingo team and give God a gift by contacting Dan Dwyer, Dan Brown or Annette White.

(WEB) Weekend Backpack Program

Holy Cross Church is collecting **Graham Crackers** for the month of March; **Applesauce** (4oz. - 6 packs) for April. A collection basket is at the back of church.

Community News and Events

Notre Dame H.S. Enrolling for 2018-19

Notre Dame High School, Grades 7-12, is now accepting registrations for the 2018-2019 academic year. Tours and shadowing experiences are highly encouraged. Prospective students can choose to spend a half or full day at Notre Dame attending classes, making new friends, touring the school and enjoying lunch. Tours and shadowing experiences may be scheduled by contacting Michelle Barkley at 734-2267 ext. 321. An application for admission can be obtained by visiting www.notredamehigh-school.com. A busing option is available for students residing in Ithaca and the surrounding communities; the bus ride is approximately 40 minutes. Currently Notre Dame has students from Trumansburg, Lansing, and Ithaca. Notre Dame High School Gr. 7-12 is located at 1400 Maple Ave., Elmira, NY.

Respect Life: URGENT ACTION !!!

In his recent Executive Budget proposal, Governor Andrew Cuomo included a radical bill that would expand late-term abortions in New York State. The language of this proposal is similar to past attempts, **but** goes even further by: **legalizing infanticide when a baby is born alive during an attempted abortion**. The bill also would: 1) eliminate NY's ban on late-term abortions; 2) empower **non-doctors** to perform abortions; 3) remove protections against unwanted or coerced abortions. The enacted state budget requires three-way negotiation and must be finalized by April 1. The State Senate is our only hope to **stop this horrific abortion scheme**. **Please let your State Senator know (before April 1) you strongly urge them to oppose S.7511 unless Part B, the abortion expansion language, which legalizes infanticide, is removed from the bill.** Visit [NYS Catholic Conference website: www.nyscatholic.org](http://www.nyscatholic.org) "**Action Center**" for a complete list of co-sponsoring Senators.



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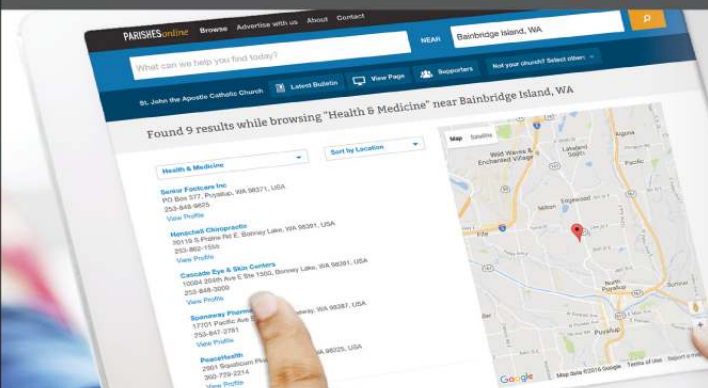
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