



# *St. Andrew Church*

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We welcome the opportunity to serve you.  
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## *Seventh Sunday In Ordinary Time ~ February 23rd, 2020*

### **ST. ANDREW MASS SCHEDULE:**

**SATURDAY: 5:15pm**  
**SUNDAY: 8:15am, 10:45am (Family Mass)**  
**MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY: 9:00 am**

### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:**

Classes: 1st-5th Grade at 9:30 am on scheduled Sunday mornings. 6th, 7th and 8th Grades at 7:00 pm on scheduled Wednesday nights.

### **OUR VISION STATEMENT:**

We, the community of St. Andrew, are called and empowered through our Baptism to share in Jesus' mission of building the Kingdom of God.

Under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, we commit ourselves to worship as a community, develop lay leadership and serve the needs of others.

Our prayer is that our dedication to Jesus' mission will be manifested in harmony, growth and love.

### **OUR MISSION STATEMENT:**

By the grace of God, we bring Jesus' Good News to Life.

### **QUEEN OF THE MOST HOLY ROSARY**

#### **MASS SCHEDULE:**

**SATURDAY: 4:00pm**  
**SUNDAY: 9:30am**  
**MONDAY THROUGH THURSDAY: 7:30am**

### **RECONCILIATION:**

**EVERY 1<sup>ST</sup>, 3<sup>RD</sup> AND 5<sup>TH</sup>**  
**SATURDAY: 4:15-4:45pm or BY APPOINTMENT**

### **BAPTISMS:**

Baptisms are celebrated the 1st and 3rd Sundays of each month. Parents are required to attend two preparation meetings. Please call the Parish Office for an appointment.

### **MARRIAGES:**

Parishioners arrangements must be made at least six months prior to the ceremony and before arranging the social plans.

### **DEVOTION:**

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament takes place on First Friday, immediately following the 9:00 am Mass until 10:30am.

### **PARISH SOCIAL MINISTRY:**

Hours by appointment only.



**THE THEME**

My friends, when we hear Jesus preach in the Gospel, the message may be confusing, or comforting, or challenging. Today's message seems impossible. We are told to be perfect as God is perfect even if it means loving our enemies. Let us calm our minds and quiet our hearts to ready ourselves to hear this message deep within us.

**THE READINGS**

**LEVITICUS 19:1-2, 17-18:** Be holy.

**1CORINTHIANS 3:16-23:** Be wise-in the ways of God.

**MATTHEW 5:38-48:** Be perfect.

**-SCHEDULE OF EVENTS -**

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 2020**

5:15PM Mass *Priest Fr. Peter*  
*Lector – M. Meighan*  
*E.M.'s – J. Markowski*  
*St. Andrew 4:15-4:45*

**SUNDAY, MARCH 1, 2020**

8:15AM Mass *Priest Fr. Peter*  
*Lector –S. Miller*  
*E.M.'s – E. Stone*

10:45AM Mass *Priest Fr. Peter*  
*Lector – V. Schiavoni*  
*E.M.'s – M. Smyth*

**HAMPTON CARE CENTER SCHEDULE FOR EM'S**  
***FEBRUARY 23rd– M. Schildknecht***  
***MARCH 1st–M. Johnsen***

**Moving? Remember to notify us of address or telephone number changes so that our records are always up to date.**

***MASSES AND SCRIPTURE READINGS OF THE WEEK***  
**MASS INTENTIONS REQUESTED BY**

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2020**

**JAMES 3:13-18; MARK 9:14-29**

**9:00 AM *Victor Vozzo* St. Andrew**

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2020**

**JAMES 4:1-10; MARK 9:30-37**

**9:00 AM *For All Souls in Purgatory*  
*Vittorio Vozzo* Liz Moloney**

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2020**

**JOEL 2:12-18; MATTHEW 6:1-6, 16-18**

**9:00 AM *For the People of the Parish***  
**7:00 PM *For the People of the Parish***

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2020**

**DEUTERONOMY 30:15-20; LUKE 9:22-25**

**9:00 AM *Victor Vozzo* Barbara Luckey**

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2020**

**ISAIAH 58:1-9a; MATTHEW 9:14-15**

**9:00 AM *Patrick & Margaret Moloney* Liz Moloney**

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 2020**

**ISAIAH 58:9b-14; LUKE 5:27-32**

**5:15 PM *For the People of the Parish***

**SUNDAY, MARCH 1, 2020**

**GENESIS 2:7-9; 3:1-7; MATTHEW 4:1-11**

**8:15 AM *Margaret Ferguson* Mary & Joe Lane**  
**10:45AM *Michael Gianchetta* Family**  
***Marge Ferguson* Fr. Peter**  
***Jean Harum* Ann & Fran Schiavoni**



***PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK***

***Most recently: Andrea Guidici, Nora Cosgrove, Joseph Carbone, Barbara King, Gloria Benedetto, Tom Buttonow, Rachel Brown, Larry Darcey, Donald Kelly, Rita A. Smith, Charlie & Kathy Greene, Anita Brown, Kathy Delaney, Mary Pandone, Joe Ploeger, Joann Selkirk, Bob O'Neil, Jerry Grandenetti, Diane Gentile, Denise Gentile, Phylis Kleinsmith, Alexander Perricone, Erena Gay O'Brien, Jo Ann Sullivan, Cheryl McMahan, Ann Schiavoni, James Arancio, Joseph Santacroce, Mary (Betty) Falborn, Vincent Starace***

**From Fr. Peter's Desk  
Seventh Sunday In Ordinary Time**

Dear Parish Family:



In our First Reading from the Book of Leviticus, we are reminded to imitate God in our actions, "Be holy, for I, the Lord, your God, am holy."

The word "holy" embraces the concept of wholeness, as opposed to being divided. The reading illustrates this point when we read "You shall not bear hatred for your brother in your heart." Leviticus offers us the better way of living: "Love your neighbor as yourself."

In our Gospel reading, Jesus builds on the passage in Leviticus of loving one's neighbor. Jesus offers three cultural situations that would require action to defend one's honor. Instead, Jesus advises a different approach: Find another way to respond that avoids violence. Rise above insults. Jesus is challenging us to use our imaginations to discover how best to overcome being insulted in ways that rise above it and beyond violence.

My dear brothers and sisters in Christ, dealing with difficult people at home or work is one of life's biggest challenges. Scores of books and websites are devoted to this issue. The author of Leviticus, as well as Jesus, offers us simple commandments that give us a guide for healthy living; we are asked to love and pray for our enemies and those who bother us. Let us ask God for the strength and courage to pray for those who are not on the top of our prayer lists and show our love and respect to all. St. Francis put it so beautifully, "Lord, make me an instrument of your peace, where there is hatred, let me bring you love". Amen.

*May God Bless You All,  
Fr. Peter*



**STEWARDSHIP**

**Stewardship Reflection**

The readings for this week are about loving others, no matter who they are. However, it is important to note that loving someone does not require that you love their sin. Also, the first reading stresses the difference between reproving someone for their sin, and falling into sin yourself "because of him." There is a middle ground between hatred and celebrating someone's sinfulness.

**Living Stewardship**

In today's Gospel, Jesus tells us to love those who hate us. The reward for doing so, according to Our Lord, is great! This week refrain from speaking ill of anyone, no matter what they have done to you. Be hospitable to people that make it very difficult to be hospitable!

**Parish Sacrificial Giving Summary**

*Weekly goal for 2/16/20- \$6,400.00*  
*Sunday Collection for 2/16/20-\$3,500.00*  
*Votive Candles for 2/16/20-\$70.00*  
*Faith Direct Weekly Donations -\$1,380.00*  
**Total for 2/16/20-\$4,950.00**



*Lord, Hold these men and women in your loving hands and protect them as they protect us and bless them for their selfless acts. We pray for peace in our world and an end to war. Amen. Serving in the armed forces:*  
**David McMahan, Ben McMahan, James Calfa, Michael Borgese, Nick Allen, Darren Babula, Clint Kelly, Rudy Lunk, Cherl Scarlato, Daniel Brook Harnett, Darryl Treadwel, Peter Wojciechowski, Radrefa Patterson, Johathan Severance, Griffin Utz, Russell Little, Maddie Martin, Dylan Kaminski, Zachary North, Ryan S.Gioel, Victoria Selkirk, Connor Doughty Gallagher, Andrew W. Tilton, Cole Yardley**



**ST. ANDREW'S**  
**is proud to offer for**  
**Public Sale Color Prints**  
**(22" x 28") of "Sag Harbor Main**  
**Street" by local artist**  
**Nidia D'Alessandro**

**Prints are available to view**  
**and for purchase at the Parish**  
**Center ground floor level Offices**  
**Monday-Friday 10:00AM- 4:00PM**  
**UNSIGNED - \$30.00**  
**SIGNED w/o number - \$40.00**

### **Faith Direct**

Our parish relies on the support of everyone in our parish family to help us further our mission this year. As a member of this parish, I am thankful that there is an easy way for all of us to recommit ourselves to supporting St. Andrew Catholic Church this year through eGiving.

Enrolling in online giving will simplify your monthly budgeting while also providing St. Andrew Catholic Church with consistent, reliable support for our parish family. If you haven't signed up yet, don't worry, it's easy to get started! Visit [faith.direct/NY296](http://faith.direct/NY296), or text the word ENROLL to (Text-to-Give Phone Number).

Thank you for your continued support of our parish family.

*God Bless You,  
Fr. Peter*

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### **Second Collection**

We will take up a second collection next weekend for the Church in Need. Monies collected from this collection will go to aid our Church in Central and Eastern Europe, Latin America and Africa. Thank You for helping to spread the love of God in distant lands.

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### **Long Island/Metro Retrouvaille**

Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue or have you just stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make it worse? Retrouvaille helps couples through difficult times in their marriages. This program has helped thousands of couples worldwide experiencing All Types of marital difficulties. For confidential information about the Retrouvaille program, or to register for the upcoming weekend that begins on Friday, April 17th-19th, 2020 at the Immaculate Conception, 440 West Neck Road, Huntington, NY, please call 1-800-470-2230 and you will be connected directly and confidentially to a couple from Long Island/Metro Retrouvaille who can help.

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

### **Ash Wednesday Feb. 26th:**

We begin our Lenten Journey this Wednesday, February 26th with the imposition of Ashes at our 9:00am Mass, then again at 7:00pm Mass. On Ash Wednesday and the Fridays of Lent we are called to consume only one full meal with two smaller meals that combined, are not to equal the one full meal. Adults 59 and over, children under the age of 14, and those whose health would be adversely affected, are exempt from this rule. Abstinence- On Ash Wednesday and the Fridays of Lent are called to abstain from meat and poultry.

### **Stations of the Cross:**

We will pray the Stations of the Cross on Fridays of Lent at 9:30am.

### **New Winter Mass Schedule**

**AS OF SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26TH, WE WILL RESUME OUR WINTER SCHEDULE:**

**The 12Noon Mass on Sundays and the 9AM Mass on Saturdays will be eliminated until the Summer Schedule resumes. Weekday Masses will be 9:00AM Monday through Friday.**

**Weekend Masses will be: Saturday at 5:15PM and Sunday at 8:15AM and 10:45AM.**

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*Please see the future bulletins for more information on upcoming events.*

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### **The Rosary Group**

*Daily, after the 9AM Mass, in the church we pray the Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy.*

*Every Tuesday, after the 9AM Mass, in the church we meet to pray the Miraculous Medal Novena followed by the Rosary and Chaplet.*

*All are welcome.*

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