



St. Andrew Church

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We welcome the opportunity to serve you.
Parish Office hours are: Monday - Friday, 9:30am to 2:30pm.
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First Sunday of Advent ~ November 30th, 2025

ST. ANDREW MASS SCHEDULE:

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

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

Classes: 1st-8th Grade at 9:30 am on scheduled Sunday mornings.

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

RECONCILIATION:

EVERY 1ST, 3RD AND 5TH
SATURDAY: 4:15-4:45pm or BY APPT

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:

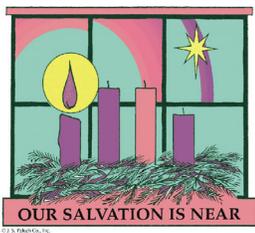
Parishioners arrangements must be made at least six months prior to the ceremony and before arranging the social plans.

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

As we begin this Advent season, we focus on the universal spiritual practice of being awake—deeply aware. It’s not that we’re sleeping, but that it’s so easy to become distracted

by the ordinary demands of life—especially in this holiday season. It is so easy to overlook what is truly most important, but staying alert is hard. God is always present to us; Jesus comes in many guises, many ways. If we’re not alert, we miss it all. What will it take to keep us

THE READINGS

ISAIAH 2:1-5: God’s word brings amazing transformation.

ROMANS 13:11-14: Stay awake for Christ’s coming.

MATTHEW 24:37-44: Be vigilant for the coming of the Lord.

-SCHEDULE OF EVENTS -

SATURDAY, December 6th, 2025

5:15PM Mass *Priest Fr. Peter*
Lector – C. Hyde
E.M.’s – J. Markowski

SUNDAY, December 7th, 2025

8:00AM Mass *Priest Fr. Peter*
Lector – S. Miller
E.M.’s – B. Ploeger

10:45AM Mass *Priest Fr. Peter*
Lector –R. Kiselyak
E.M.’s – A. Opel

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, DECEMBER 1, 2025

ISAIAH 4:2-6; MATTHEW 8:5-11

9:00 AM *Jane McAleavy* *McAleavy Family*

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2025

ISAIAH 11:1-10; LUKE 10:21-24

**9:00 AM *George H. Smith* *Robin, Liz, MJ & Rita Ann*
Alice Pritchard *Barbara & John Cronin***

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2025

ISAIAH 25:6-10a; MATTHEW 15:29-37

**9:00 AM *Special Intentions for Michael Myers*
*Margaret Turner***

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2025

ISAIAH 26:1-6; MATTHEW 7:21, 24-27

9:00 AM *Patricia McAleavy McAleavy & Durkin Family*

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2025

ISAIAH 29:17-24; MATTHEW 9:27-31

**9:00 AM *Mary Ward* *Brenda & Joe Ploeger*
*Intentions for the Carney Family***

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2025

ISAIAH 30:19-21, 23-26; MATTHEW 9:35-10:1, 5a, 6-8

**5:15 PM *Mary Labrozzi* *Jane Holden*
Bob & June Bubka *Nancy & Frank Josselyn*
Hugh J. Rodgers *Jeanne & Paul Zaykowski*
Helen Shaughness Thomas & Kathleen Groark
Carmine Nardi *St. Andrews*
*For All Souls in Purgatory***

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2025

ISAIAH 11:1-10; MATTHEW 3:1-12

8:00 AM *For the People of the Parish*

**10:45 AM *Henry Rybicki* *Richard Comer*
Edmund L. Downes *Marilyn Downes*
Intentions of Marjorie Armenio Family
St. Andrews
Eleanor Oldensmith *Margaret King***



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

***Most recently:* Nora Cosgrove, Barbara King, Gloria Bennedetto, Rachel Brown, Anita Brown, Joe Ploeger, Bob O’Neil, Jerry Grandenetti, Alexander Perricone, Erena Gay O’Brien, Cheryl McMahon, Lauren Haropolus, James Burke, Leo Green, Paul Fitzpatrick, Joseph Vernice, Melaine Buttonow, Tom Flanagan, Michael Myers, Grayson Danielski, Nicolas Feder, Amy Showers, Sam Gehrig**



From Fr. Peter's Desk First Sunday of Advent

Dear Parish Family:

On this, our First Sunday of Advent, we hear Isaiah's vision which expands community to include many nations. Jerusalem becomes a beacon of light and teaching, prompting people to leave behind the familiar and easy, make the arduous journey to God's house and there, learn to walk in God's ways.

St. Paul, in his letter to the Romans, asserts that the time to move is now. Yet, waking to our responsibilities is not a one-time action. It is a daily routine. To put on Christ is to remember daily our baptismal calling and imitate Christ in every aspect of our lives.

Our Gospel today summons us to readiness at every moment, in and out of season. Vigilance actively prepares us to receive Christ into our midst, both at the moment of His miraculous birth and on the certain but unpredictable day of His return. The flood story underscores the stakes.

My brothers and sisters in Christ, Advent is the time to prepare Christ's kingdom for His second coming. Our Advent wreath is a perfect symbol of prayer. The candles remind us to walk in the light of the Lord, to bring peace and justice to all. As Pope Francis said in his Angelus message of the Solemnity of all Saints, 2022, "In the places where we live, study and work do we open up the way to peace, forgiving those who have offended us? Do we care for those who are on the margins, do we redress some injustice by helping those who have less? This is called building peace."

Let us work together as a community to walk in light of Christ as we prepare for the celebration of the Nativity of the Lord.

**God Bless You Always,
Fr. Peter**



Stewardship Reflection

Advent starts today. The season of Advent is a beautiful liturgical season that invites us to grow in our Faith before Christmas. Let us wait in joyful anticipation for Our Lord!

Living Stewardship

Do some reading about Advent traditions and pick some traditions up for this year (especially if you are a family with small children).

Parish Sacrificial Giving Summary

<i>Weekly goal for 11/23/25:</i>	\$7,200.00
<i>Sunday Collection for 11/23/25:</i>	\$4,256.00
<i>Votive Candles for 11/23/25:</i>	\$ 79.00
<i>Parish Soft Weekly Donations:</i>	\$1,805.00
Total for 11/23/25:	\$6,140.00



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:

James Calfa, Michael Borgese, Clint Kelly, Rudy Lunk, Cheryl Scarlato, Darryl Treadwel, Peter Wojciechowski, Russell Little, Maddie Martin, Dylan Kaminski, Zachary North, Ryan S. Gioel, Victoria Selkirk, Connor Doughty Gallagher, Andrew W. Tilton, Cole Yardley, Matt Seel, Mitchell Mavellia, Barney Ales, Eric Prime, Jr., Ava Yardley, Sage Witty



The Bread and Wine offered at the Sacrifice of the Mass during the Month of November

was given in memory of Patricia O'Connell VanDusen From The Lyons Family



ParishSOFT Giving

We're excited to share that Faith Direct will soon be upgrading to ParishSOFT Giving Our new, secure giving platform. This upgrade will happen automatically and securely. No action is required from you-your gift schedules and payment details will carry over seamlessly. What is new about ParishSOFT Giving? Weekly giving: If you selected weekly giving, your gifts will now be deducted each week instead of in one monthly batch. More Flexibility: Adjust your giving schedule to any date that works for you not just the 4th or 15th. More ways to give: PayPal, Venmo, Apple Pay, or Google pay.

*God Bless You,
Fr. Peter*

Memorials



Parish Memorials

St. Andrew's offers different types of memorials which can be donated in memory of a deceased family member or friend, or for

the intentions of living individuals for special occasions.

The memorials are as follows:

Bread and Wine: The donation to sponsor the Bread and Wine is either \$25.00 for a week or \$100.00 for the month

Altar Flowers: The donation to sponsor the Altar Flowers is \$150.00 for the week.

Catholic Ministries Appeal

Thank you to the 39 donors who have contributed to this year's Catholic Ministries Appeal. We are, however, only 61% of the way to reaching our 2025 CMA goal of \$37,900.00. By contributing to the CMA, you not only help those needy in our diocese, but also our parish as St. Andrews will be reimbursed 20% of our annual goal amount, if we can reach it. If you have not yet contributed, please consider doing so. Checks can be made out to the Catholic Ministries Appeal and placed in the envelopes provided on the back table of the church or written directly to St. Andrews with the notation of CMA in the memo section and dropped in the collection basket. Thank you for helping the needy and our parish.



Second Collection

We will take up a second collection next weekend December 6th and 7th for the Christmas Flowers and decorations. Thank you for your generosity.

UPCOMING EVENTS

St. Andrews Church Mass Schedule:

Daily Mass: Monday-Friday at 9:00AM

Saturday Evening Vigil Mass: 5:15PM

Sunday: 8:00AM and 10:45AM

Saturday, Dec. 6th following the 5:15PM Mass

St. Andrew Feast Dinner \$20.00 per person

Parish phone #: 631-725-0123

Queen of the Most Holy Rosary

(Bridgehampton) Mass Schedule:

Saturday Evening Vigil Mass: 4:00PM

Sunday: 9:30AM (English)

And 11:00AM (Spanish)

Parish phone #: 631-537-0156



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. Also on Saturdays at 9:30AM we meet to pray the Rosary. All are welcome.

Advent Giving Tree

Our Advent Giving Tree is up and decorated with ornaments asking for gift cards or a special need for a child or person in India. You have always been so generous during this special season, we hope that you can help us this year as well. You can place the gift card(s) in the collection basket during mass or drop off at the parish office. Thank you.

St. Andrew Christmas Novena

Hail and blessed be the hour and moment in which the Son of God was born of the most pure Virgin Mary, at midnight, in Bethlehem, in the piercing cold. In that hour, vouch-safe, O my God! To hear my prayer and grant my desires, through the merits of Our Savior Jesus Christ, and His Blessed Mother. Amen



(It is piously believed that whoever recites the above prayer 15 times a day from the Feast of St. Andrew, November 30th until Christmas will obtain what is asked)

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Nightwatch

2025-2026 dates

FRIDAYS | DOORS 7PM | STARTS 7:30PM

- September 19
- October 17
- November 21
- January 16
- February 27
- March 20
- April 17
- May 15



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DIOCESE OF ROCKVILLE CENTRE

ADVENT REVIVAL NIGHT

with adoration, a talk, live music & candlelight procession

at

Saint Joseph Church

130 5th Street, Garden City, NY 11530

MONDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2025



7:30pm Holy Hour

with a reflection by

Bishop Andrzej Zglejszewski

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be available in the church until midnight.

**Upcoming
Revival
Nights**

Monday, December 8 (en español)

Saint John of God Church, Central Islip

Monday, December 15

Saint Thérèse of Lisieux Church, Montauk

Monday, December 22

Saint Ignatius Loyola Church, Hicksville