

## COVER SHEET

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**PASTORAL CARE** Please don't forget to inform us if you are going to be hospitalized so one of our priests can visit. Provide us with your name, hospital, room number, phone number and, when possible, how long you will be hospitalized. If you are unable to attend Mass, due to poor health, illness or advanced age, please call so a Eucharistic Minister can bring Communion to you. Anointing of the Sick may be requested because of scheduled surgery or treatment for a life-threatening illness. Call us prior to your surgery or treatment. **Anointing of the Sick at Mass** may be celebrated before you go into the hospital. Directly inform one of our priests or leave this information on Ext.44

### MASSES FOR THE WEEK

#### SUNDAY NOVEMBER 7:

- 8:30 Madeline Greco, Anthony & Dave D'Amico  
 10:00 Deceased of the BYA Club  
 10:00 SPANISH MASS – Lower Church  
 11:30 PURGATORIAL SOCIETY  
 11:30 ITALIAN- Nicola, Caterina, Giuseppe Barbaro.  
 Petronilla e Felice Santoro.  
 1:30 WEDDING- Phil Salvato & Caterine Conella  
 6:00 Frank Chimento

#### MONDAY, NOVEMBER 8:

- 7:00 All Souls Day  
 9:00 Mary Pettigrosso  
 NOVENA AFTER MASS

#### TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 9:

- 7:00 All Souls Day Novena  
 9:00 Antonio Sigona

#### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 10:

- 7:00 All Souls Novena  
 9:00 Elena LoBiondo

#### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11:

- 7:00 Josephine & Paul Spedale  
 9:00 Charlotte Lynch

#### FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 12:

- 7:00 Josephine Covais & Carmine Covais (Anniversary)  
 9:00 Porzia, Nicola & Giovanni Furio]  
 6:00 Sweet Sixteen Mass: Stephanie Esmurdoc

#### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13:

- 9:00 Jennaro Sacchitelli  
 10:30 Memorial Mass- Arcangelo & Angela Baricella  
 11:30 Giancarlo Baptista  
 2:00 WEDDING- John Verna & Maria Viterbo  
 3:00 WEDDING – Lisa Aucello & Steven Salvaggio  
 5:30 Thoms & Jennie Tanzi, Giovanna & Francesco Gentile

#### SUNDAY NOVEMBER 14:

- 8:30 Holy Name  
 10:00 Paul DeMola & Rose DeMola  
 10:00 SPANISH MASS – Lower Church  
 11:30 PURGATORIAL SOCIETY  
 11:30 ITALIAN- Pietro, Guglielma, Corradina, Santo & Gisueppina DiGiacomo  
 3:00 WEDDING- Frank DeFronzo & Jenine Paladino  
 6:00 Frank Chimento

**SUNDAY COLLECTION ENVELOPES** Every parishioner is encouraged to use the Sunday collection envelopes. We invite you & your family to register at the rectory by stopping in, up until 8p.m., for a "Welcome Packet."

#### **WANT OUR WEEKLY BULLETIN EMAILED TO YOU?**

Send us an Email ([StAPastoralMin@aol.com](mailto:StAPastoralMin@aol.com))

**SANCTUARY LAMP FOR THE WEEK** – *donated as a special thank you to the members of Eleanor Damiano.*

**SANCTUARY LAMP FOR THE WEEK** – *donated in loving memory of Joseph Ferlazzo requested by Mr. & Mrs. Walter Taran.*

**HOSTS FOR THE WEEK-** *donated in loving memory of Deceased of the Damiano Family requested by Frank & Bobby Myszak.*

**WINE FOR THE WEEK** – *donated in loving wife Concetta & daughter Connie.*

**ALTAR CANDLES FOR THE WEEK-** *donated in loving memory of Tina Scarpati requested by The Scarpati Family.*

**PULPIT CANDLES FOR THE WEEK-** *donated in loving memory of Anthony Rushford requested by Gloria Rushford.*

**THIS WEEK'S SECOND COLLECTION** is for  
 The maintenance of all our parish buildings.

#### **OUR CALL TO CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP**

Loving God, we give in confidence, knowing the seeds we plant today will sprout and produce a harvest that will feed body, mind and soul and "as each has received a gift, we employ it for one another as good stewards of God's grace." (1 Peter 4:10)

COLLECTION – 10/17/2004: \$8,470.00

COLLECTION- Last Year: \$7,149.00

AVG. WEEKLY EXPENSES \$10,500.00

Our weekly expenses reflects what is needed for salaries, insurances, utilities, bills as well as the costs of the many programs, ministries & services we offer here at St. A's.

**DO YOU WANT TO DONATE ONE OF OUR ADVENT WREATH CANDLES?** Each candle is \$80 & your intention will be printed in the bulletin for 4 weeks. Interested? Call the Pastoral Ministry Office to reserve the candle & provide us with your intention. Candles for the Lower Church Advent Wreath are available for \$20 each.

Loving God, at this time in the life of our parish, we turn to You with grateful hearts for what we have and with great anticipation for what is yet to be. Bless us with a sense of unity, a spirit of cooperation, and a generous heart as we face the responsibilities and challenges of this Parish Restoration Campaign. We know there is much to do. We believe our goals are rooted in Your Word and in Your Work. Please guide us, strengthen us, and bless us with your presence, now and through the years to come. Amen

**THE ANNUAL HALLOWEEN PARTY SPONSORED BY THE HOLY NAME SOCIETY WAS BIG SUCCESS!** Many thanks to all who participated, especially Anna & Sal Cali, Ginga Bivona & members of the Holy Name Society. It was BOO-tiful!

**Did you loose a loved one and need to talk to others who have walked that road? THE LAZARUS STRUCTURED BEREAVEMENT GROUP** provides education & sharing to facilitate the healing of grief in a more structured group format. **The group continues to meet Mondays 7:30-9:30p.m. in the Nazareth Institute. Next meeting, Nov. 8.**

**CHRISTMAS FAIR** The Rosary Society will hold their Annual Christmas Fair on Sunday Dec. 5. Anyone interested in reserving a table please call Eleanor Damiano at 718.331.0450 or Eleanor Mattia at 718.256.4321.

**FALL BLOOD DRIVE, Sunday November 7<sup>th</sup>, 9a.m. till 2:30p.m.** We ask all adults from age 17-75 to consider donating a pint of blood for the good of humanity. The world is always in desperate need of blood. Bring I.D.

**G.I.S.A. Annual Dinner Dance - Saturday, November 13, 2004 at 7:30PM** G.I.S.A. (Gruppo Italiano Sant'Atanasio) will hold it annual dinner dance in the Parish Hall. Hot food and beverages will be served. Tickets are \$45 per person and can be purchased before and after the 11:30am Mass on Sunday. The musical group Armonia will entertain the evening. For more information please call **Maria Porcu, 718-627-0387, Maria Perniciaro, 718-256-8122, or Freddy Felletti at 718-236-9855.**

**MASS, BREAD, WINE & CANDLE INTENTIONS MAY BE RESERVED FOR 2005. ITALIAN MASS INTENTIONS MAY ALSO BE RESERVED FOR 2005 AS WELL.** Reservations will take place Sat. Nov. 6 from 9a.m. to 3p.m. in the Parish Auditorium.

**ADVENT IS QUICKLY APPROACHING! [Advent begins Sunday Nov. 28] FRIDAY DEC. 3 at 7:30p.m. Xavier Company presents "An Advent Carol" here at St. A's in our Upper Church.** This depicts THE MYSTERY OF CHRIST'S BIRTH in drama, song & dance.

**ADVENT BOOK FAIR** with ALBA HOUSE BOOKS, takes place on Sat. & Sun. Dec. 4 & 5<sup>th</sup> in the Upper & Lower Church Narthex. **Just in time to buy great Catholic books for Christmas presents.**

**ADVENT VIDEOS WITH FR. RON: The Gospel of John, A Preparation for the Christmas Season** will be presented on **Wednesdays December 1st, 8th & 15th** from 9:30a.m. to 11:30a.m. & from 7:30p.m. to 9:30p.m. Morning Sessions begin with Morning Prayer at 8:45a.m., followed by Mass at 9a.m. **Where?** The Nazareth Institute. Each session ends with a group sharing about the video.

**AN INTRODUCTION TO MATTHEW'S GOSPEL: A NEW LITURGICAL YEAR BEGINS AS WE READ MATTHEW'S GOSPEL** Three sessions will examine the structure & purpose of Matthew's Gospel, the relationship of the writer & his community to Judaism, & the gospel's portrayals of Jesus, discipleship, & Christian community. Sessions meet on **Sundays, November 28th, December 5th & 12th** from **12:30-2p.m.** in the Nazareth Institute. Attend the 11:30a.m. Mass, come over for some coffee & doughnuts while learning about Matthew's Gospel. **Please call the Pastoral Ministry Office (Ext. 44) or email [StAPastoralMin@aol.com](mailto:StAPastoralMin@aol.com) to register for this class. [Class is FREE!]**

**ADULT CONFIRMATION CLASSES TO BEGIN IN JANUARY WITH FR. RON.** Any adult (18+) who wishes to receive Confirmation here on Pentecost Sunday is invited to call Fr. Ron (ext. 13) at the rectory.

**In your kindness please pray for those who are sick**

Louise Antrinoro, Grace Albano  
Carmela Attanasio, Karen Bilu,,  
John Brown, Cameron Calderon,  
Judith Camminite, Carmine Cava,  
Peter Cianciotta, Alexandra Cortes,  
Mildred Cortese, Carolyn D'Antonio,  
Avonna Marie Darcy, Laura D'Antonio,  
John D' Auria, Marie D'Atre, Todd DeMao,  
Rachel DePinto, Philomena DiCurcio,  
Susan DiFabio, Angelina DeFilippis,  
Frank Elias, Roger Esposito,  
Debbie Ferrara, Calogero Gambino,  
Filippo Gambino, Mallaby Hayes,  
Diana Ingravallo, Lawrence Klein,  
Matthew Liberti, Camille Liberti,  
John Henry Loria, Gabriela Luciano,  
Adrienne Marciano, Maria Manino,  
Catherine Marra, Grace Martino,  
Antoinette Martino, Trudy McGranaghan,  
Beatrice McKenna, Jacob Merkouris,  
Joseph Midolo, Lucia Montella,  
Josephine Morrone, Joan Motta,  
Carol Muffoletto, Mario Regina O' Hannon,  
Edgard & Diana Matos, Robin Price,  
Silvana Pintielli, Alberta Piscioti, Connie  
Puzzo, Perry Roszczy, Mary Rollo,  
Caterina Ruggeri, Frances Ryan,  
Elisa Sciascia, Armando Sariano,  
Lucille Satriano, Rita Schettini,  
Charles Seidenberg, Gerry Sullivan,  
Maria Tardio, Ethel Thomas,  
Rosemarie Valerio.

**In your kindness please pray for those who have died...**

Vincent Grippo Sr.  
Sr. Bernadette Lee, C.S.J.  
Edith Sheehan, Josephine Trigale, William  
Marseglia, Bernadetta Angelone,  
Catherine Distini

**We send our prayers & condolences to the deceased's family.**

**TO ADD A NAME,** please call ext. 44 on Monday, spelling the name. (When you call & hear "Thank you for calling St. Athanasius Church," hit 44 during that greeting.) **In order for us to keep our list up to date, we ask you to call each week with the name of the sick person.**

**PASTORAL COUNCIL** Tues. Nov. 9<sup>th</sup> at 7:30p.m in the rectory meeting room.

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS** are asked to pick up their new schedules in the Sacristy after Mass. **LECTORS** are asked to pick up their LECTOR workbooks in the Sacristy after mass.

**PLEASE TURN OFF ALL BEEPERS, PAGERS & CELL PHONES IN ORDER TO BE IN PREPARATION FOR PRAYER & WORSHIP.**

**SUNDAY BULLETIN DEADLINE** The Sunday Bulletin is e-mailed to our printer at 5p.m. Monday. All announcements must be submitted in WRITTEN form (handwritten, typed, computer, fax, etc) by 12 noon Monday. Announcements received after the deadline will be published the following week.

**THE ELIJAH CUP** is a chalice presented to a family, individual, or couple each Sunday to take home and use as a focal point while praying for an increase in vocations. To schedule your week, please call the Pastoral Ministry Office at 718-236-0124, Ext. 24 or email [StAPastoralMin@aol.com](mailto:StAPastoralMin@aol.com).

**ROSARY FOR LIFE** is prayed every Saturday after the 9a.m. Mass for an end to abortion.

**ST. FRANCIS COLLEGE IS HAVING OPEN HOUSE ON SUNDAY NOV. 14 from 12noon to 3p.m.** Come and meet the students, faculty & administrators. Tours of the campus will be provided. For info call 718.802.0453.

**BOB VEZZUSO IS HOSTING LECTURES ON TAKING CONTROL & STARTING YOUR OWN BUSINESS.** The workshop will be held Sat. November 20, and December 4 in the Nazareth Institute. Bob has acquired much knowledge in the area of starting a business and wants to share it with people who are willing to step up and take a chance. The cost is \$20.00 per person. Seating is limited, so if you are interested, call Bob at 718-837-2743 to reserve your seat at one of the lectures.

**HELP THE SISTERS OF ST. JOSEPH'S CAUSE: ENTERTAINMENT 2005 IS NOW BEING OFFERED BY SR. CHARLOTTE** to raise funds for the sick & elderly Sisters of St. Joseph in Brentwood. The books, NYC or LI editions are \$20. They can be used now until Nov. 1, 2005. Call Sr. Charlotte at 718.236.2680.

**LOOKING FOR A TUTOR?** Certified Board of Ed teacher, bilingual in English and Spanish, grades K-8: All Subjects. Will travel to your home or the local library 1-347-439-0690 Call to make an appt. Ask for Helen. (a St. A's parishioner)

**HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS:** Would you like us to connect you with one of our Ministers of Caring? Call ext. 44 of the rectory, leaving a message for Palma Parmese.

**THE EVER CHANGING SACRAMENTS: A VATICAN II THEOLOGY** An over view of the historical developments of the sacraments continues. Sessions meet Thursdays, 7:30-9:30p.m., in the **Nazareth Institute**, continuing this Thurs. **Nov. 11** with a discussion on **Anointing of the Sick with a viewing of AILING ANNIE**. If you missed a few classes, you can still attend this week!

**ARE YOU GLUTEN INTOLERANT?** It is becoming more common that a growing number of our congregants require low gluten hosts. If you suffer from celiac disease, and are interested in obtaining low gluten hosts, please call Pastoral Associate John Fruner at Ext. 44 of the rectory. After permission from our Bishop, we can provide you with a supply of unconsecrated low gluten hosts that you can bring to mass. **Do you dip your host in the Precious Blood? (called Intinction)** If doing so, you cause pieces of the host to break off, "contaminating" it for those who are gluten-intolerant.

**THE JOSEPH B. CAVALLARO COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS IS HAVING A MEMBERSHIP DRIVE SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2004.** The Knights are Catholic gentlemen, 18 years of age and older, who have an interest in making their community a better place and supporting their Church. If you feel you are looking for somewhere to share your faith and help others, the Knights may be for you. Talk to one of the Knights who will be attending the Masses on Sunday November 7 or contact Deacon Michael Vicinanza at 718-376-4336 for more information.

**BISHOP KEARNEY HIGH SCHOOL IS PRESENTING THE MUSIC FOOTLOOSE IN THEIR AUDITORIUM ON FRI. & SAT. NOV. 12 & 13<sup>th</sup> at 7:30p.m. & SUN. NOV. 14 at 3p.m as well as on Fri. & Sat. Nov. 19 & 20<sup>th</sup> at 7:30p.m.** For tickets & reservations call 236-6363 Ext. 200 or e-mail [BkPlayers@mindspring.com](mailto:BkPlayers@mindspring.com).

**CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT COLLECTION November 21<sup>st</sup>.** Did you know that nearly 35 million Americans live in poverty? You can help by contributing to the 2004 appeal during all our Masses on Nov. 21<sup>st</sup> weekend. This year over \$135,000 in funds was awarded to local groups including the LATINO WORKERS UNION on Bay Parkway, which works with Catholic Charities. For more info go to: [www.povertyusa.org](http://www.povertyusa.org)

**THE FOUR CHAPLAINS: SACRIFICE AT SEA** A T.V. special of courageous World War II Christian & Jewish clergy who made sacrifices so others could live. **Wed. Nov. 10 at 10p.m. on the Hallmark Channel.**

***Changes in the mass... again?***

**WE BOW DURING THE CREED** As we proclaim the words of the Creed "**by the power of the Holy Spirit, he was born of the Virgin Mary and became man**" we will all bow, expressing our profound gratitude and awe for Christ becoming a human being.

**INVITATION TO THE "PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS"** During the preparation of the altar and the gifts, at what we **used** to be called the offertory, the priest says: "Pray my dear friends that our sacrifice may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father." When he completes this invitation to prayer, **we will now stand as a community** and **then respond** to what he said with our response: "May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good, and the good of all his Church."

**WE NOW BOW BEFORE RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION.** As we come forward toward the altar, we remain standing, and as we approach the minister of Communion we bow our head, respond "Amen," and receive either in the hand or on the tongue. If we receive the Precious Blood, the same reverence, the bow of the head, is done before receiving. We do not genuflect.

**Dal nostro DIACONO DANTE COLANDREA**

Riflessione del Mese di Ottobre

Mese dedicato al Santo Rosario

**PREGHIERA A SAN GIUDA TADDEO** - Glorioso apostolo e martire del Vangelo, mio caro e potentissimo San Giuda Taddeo, quanto gioisco della Gloria che tu godi nel regno della pace in ricompensa dei tuoi grandi meriti, delle tue fatiche apostoliche e delle eroiche imprese da te compiute fino a sigillare con il sangue la tua fede in Cristo, da te largamente propagate in mezzo ai barbari e agli idolatri! Ringrazio e benedico la Santissima Trinita' per averti reso cosi' grande in Cielo e cosi' potente in terra; e percio', umile e riverente, oso inchinarmi davanti al tuo trono di Gloria, offrirti il tributo della mia preghiera e venerarti con devoto ossequio. E tu, tra gli ineffabili splendori della beatitudine in cui regni, non sdegnare di riversare su di me, tuo devoto, l'abbondanza dei tuoi doni e delle piu' eccelse grazie divine. O amatissimo Santo, sicuro sostegno della mia piu' tenera fiducia, prendi a cuore la mia eterna salvezza; soccorrimi nelle miserie e nelle tribolazioni della vita e ottienimi dal Signore la grazia del vero pentimento dei miei peccati. Porgimi aiuto e conforto nelle situazioni piu' difficili e nei casi disperati; concedimi slancio e vigore per proclamare le tue lodi immortali, I tuoi meriti eccelsi e la tua potentissima intercessione presso di Dio per tutti I bisogni della mia vita, affinche' assistito dalla tua protezione e difeso nelle prove piu' ardue, confortato e soccorso nell'ora della mia morte, venga io pure a godere quella somma Gloria che tu godi per tutta l'eternita'. Amen. -Prega per noi, beato apostolo San Giuda, affinche' siamo resi degni delle promesse di Cristo.

**OGGI E' LA DOMENICA D'OSPITALITA** offerta da Holy Name Society. Dopo le Messe delle 8:30, 10, e 11:30 siete invitati nell'auditorio della nostra scuola per un caffe'.

**FESTA DI HALLOWEEN** – oggi all'una del pomeriggio tutti i bambini della nostra parrocchia sono invitati ad una festa di Halloween organizzata da Holy Name Society. Ogni bambino deve essere accompagnato da una persona adulta. Ci sara' un premio per la migliore maschera.

**TUTTI I SANTI** - Vi ricordiamo che **Lunedì, e' il di Primo di Novembre** e ricorre la solennita' di **TUTTI I SANTI**. Ci sara' la Santa Messa alle ore otto di sera. Venite numerosi.

**VENERDI', 5 Novembre e' il PRIMO VENERDI' DEL MESE** - Da non dimenticare che il primo Venerdì' di ogni mese si celebra una Santa Messa alle ore 8:00PM.

**Ballo Annuale G.I.S.A.** Sabato, 13 Novembre 2004 alle 7:30pm nell'auditorio della nostra scuola si terra' il ballo annuale della G.I.S.A. (Gruppo Italiano Sant'Atanasio). Ci sara' cibo caldo e bevanda su ogni tavolo. Il costo del biglietto e' di \$45 a persona. La serata sara' allietata dal complesso l'Armonia. I biglietti si possono acquistare prima e dopo la Messa italiana oppure telefonando a **Maria Porcu' 718-627-0387, Maria Perniciaro, 718-256-8122, Freddy Felletti al 718-236-9855.**

**FIERA DI NATALE** - Domenica, 5 Dicembre. Per prenotare un tavolo telefonare a **Eleonor Damiano al 331-0450 o Eleonor Mattia al 256-4321.**

**DOMENICA, 19 DICEMBRE - GIORNO DI PREGHIERA** - Da appuntare sul vostro calendario questa data per un **giorno di preghiera** durante l'Avvento qui a Sant'Atanasio iniziando alle 12:30 nell'auditorio della nostra scuola. Colloqui e preghiere in Inglese, Italiano e Spagnolo. Le guide di questo giorno di preghiera includono Suor Mary Claire Rhatigan, O.P., il Signor Jeff Smith (Inglese), il **Diacono Dante Colandrea (Italiano)** e Jennifer Compton (Spagnolo). Si terranno 2 colloqui, la Preghiera Di Mezzogiorno, Vespri, e L'Adorazione del Santissimo Sacramento. Seguirà il pranzo e uno spazio di tempo per poter conoscere e far amicizia con gli altri partecipanti. L'offerta è di \$20 a persona. Abbiamo bisogno di un minimo di 50 partecipanti e i posti sono limitati. Per l'iscrizione, disponete la vostra offerta in una busta con il vostro nome, indirizzo e numero di telefono (gentilmente scrivete sulla busta "Giorno di Preghiera"), portandola in rettoria o semplicemente metterla nel cestino delle offerte la Domenica. Sara' una bella giornata. Venite numerosi.

**Siete pregati di spegnere i vostri cellulari e i vostri beeper quando siete in chiesa e durante la Santa Messa. Grazie.**

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**PADRE AMIRO ESTA EN LA RECTORIA DE SAN ATANASIO CADA VIERNES de 10:30de la manana a 6:30 de la noche.**

**GRUPO DE ORACION CARISMATICA EN ESPANOL SE REUNE CADA VIERNES, a las 7:30p.m., en la iglesia de abajo.**

**LA FERIA DE NAVIDAD SERÁ PATROCINADA POR LA SOCIEDAD DEL ROSARIO, EL DOMINGO 5 DE DICIEMBRE.** Cualquier persona interesada en reservar una mesa, por favor llamar a Eleanor Damiano al (718) 331-0450 o a Eleanor Mattia al (718) 256-4321.

**PARA RECIBIR EL SACRAMENTO DE MATRIMONIO** Arreglos y consejeria deben de empezar por los menos de 6 meses antes de recibir este sacramento. Llame al Padre Amiro para que le den la informacion necesario para su preparacion.

**USE LOS SOBRES PARA LA OFRENDA DOMINICAL** No se olvide de usar los sobres que le Mandan por correo. Estos nos ayudan a verificar su presencia en nuestra parroquia, y si no los usa, nos indica que no esta participando. Si por algun motivo usted no esta recibiendo los sobres, por favor visitenos en la rectoria despues de la misa, o durante la semana de 9 de la manana a 8 de la noche. Los sobres no se ocupan solo para su ofrenda, sino para ver su participacion en la parroquia de San Atanasio. No importa que ponga su sobre con una donacion pequena. Lo que importa es que usted aqui celebrando la Eucaristia con nosotros.

*Please don't forget the hungry!*

## THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE HAS BEGUN!

"The Lord says this: Share your food with everyone who is hungry and share your home with the poor and homeless. Give clothes to all in need and don't turn away your own relatives. Then your light will shine like the dawning sun, and you will quickly heal. Your light will shine in the darkness, and your darkest hour will be like the noonday sun." (Isaiah 58:7-10)

If you plan on donating a complete meal or turkey, please leave your message on Extension 44 (Pastoral Ministry) in the rectory as soon as possible so we can plan appropriately.

**Our Goal**

Let's bring in so much food that we fill the shrine to St. Joseph!

**On Sunday November 21, 2004 after the last mass,**

we will be preparing 80 Thanksgiving baskets for needy families of our parish. In addition to this Thanksgiving Food Drive, the St. Vincent dePaul Society's Food Pantry distributes emergency food during the week. Since it is our call as Christians to "feed the hungry" as part of the Corporal Works of Mercy, we do not just provide a token meal at Thanksgiving, Christmas & Easter but try to alleviate the sufferings of these families on a regular basis. The demands made here at St. A's have increased so much that we will be forming a Food Pantry Team. KEEP A LOOK OUT IN OUR BULLETIN FOR DETAILS.

**ALL FOOD IS NEEDED IN CHURCH  
SUNDAY NOV. 21, 2004!**

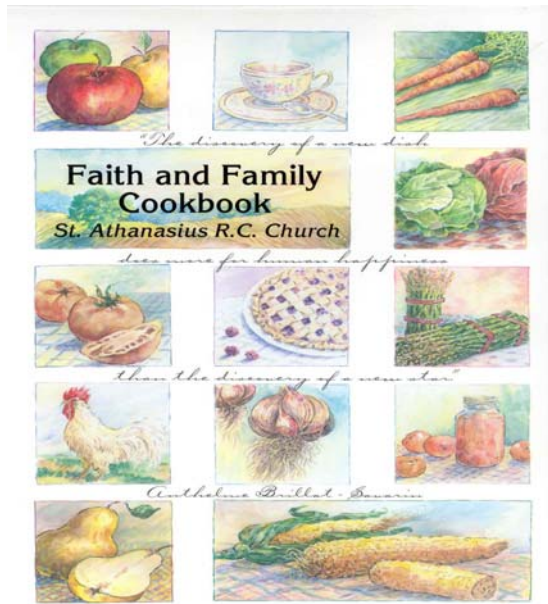
### Items that are needed:

Cranberry sauce (jellied)	Dinner rolls*
Canned Yams	Bread*
Marshmallows	Boxed Stuffing Mix
Pumpkin & Apple Pie*	Nuts
Canned or Fresh Potatoes*	Fresh Fruit*
Canned or Fresh Vegetables*	(*these items can be brought on Nov. 21st.)

**Do You Like to Bake or are planning to bake?**

Why not bake a little extra something and bring it to church Sunday November 21th & place in front of the St. Athanasius Icon!

# BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!!



## ***COOKBOOK SALE & SIGNING***

**Msgr. Cassato will be available to sign your Cookbooks.**

**When: November 13 & 14 after each Mass  
Cost: \$15.00**

**Limited Supply Available**