

2018 AFL-CIO Labor Day Parade and Picnic

The following is a list of guidelines to make everyone's participation in the parade and picnic very enjoyable. Please review with all of your members who will be participating.

- The event is on Monday, September 3rd, 2018
- The annual Labor Day Mass will be held at St. Joseph the Worker Shrine, located at 450 Abbott Road, Buffalo, New York. Mass begins at 9:00am. At the time of presentation of Gifts union members will be able to present tools of their trade for a blessing.
- **LINE-UP BEGINS AT 11:00 A.M. BE ON TIME!**
- Check in with the parade staff upon arrival. The parade staff will be on or around Abbott road wearing identifying florescent orange, or green, shirts/vests. They will help you find your line-up spot.
- **FLOATS CANNOT BE OVER 12 FEET TALL!**
- Please respect the community members' property by keeping off lawns and out of driveways.
- Please dispose of garbage properly. **DO NOT LITTER!**
- Buses will shuttle marchers from Cazenovia Park, starting at the Peter J. Crotty Casino, to comer of Stevenson Street and Cumberland Avenue from 10:15 am to 11:45 am. This will eliminate congestion at beginning of parade and members don't have to walk back to get their cars.
- Please advise members to follow all parking signage on parade route and within Cazenovia Park.
- For marchers who park their vehicles at the beginning of the parade route, buses will be available from 1:15 pm to 2:30 pm to return them to their vehicles.
- Buses will also be in the parade. Any retired members wishing to ride may do so on a first come basis.
- The picnic is at the Peter J. Crotty Casino Shelter in Cazenovia Park. Food will be served starting at 1pm.
- **RELAX AND ENJOY!**

Thank you for participating in the 2018 AFL-CIO Labor Day Parade.

If you have any questions please contact John Mudie at 716-633-2211.