

Let us pray.

All: O God,
may it always be a source of joy
to your Church
that we honor the memory of
St. Anthony,
your Confessor and Doctor.
May his spiritual help fill us
with faith, hope, and love.
We ask this
through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Blessing with Relic of St. Anthony

Leader:

Through the intercession of St. Anthony,
may almighty God bless you,
the Father, (+) and the Son,
and the Holy Spirit.

All: *Amen.*

Veneration of the Relic



**St. ANTHONY'S SHRINE
FOR THE SICK**

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**Novena Prayers
St. Anthony of Padua
(9 Tuesdays)**



*In the name of the Father and of the Son
and of the Holy Spirit.*

— Amen.

*The Lord is the strength of His people;
the saving refuge of His anointed.*

— Save Your people, O Lord /
and bless Your inheritance.

*Hear, O Lord, the sound of my call;
be my helper; do not forsake me,
O God my Savior.*

— Though I walk amid distress /
You preserve me, O Lord; /
Your right hand saves me.

*Our help is in the name of the Lord.
— Who made heaven and earth.*

Let us pray through the intercession
of St. Antony:

WE SALUTE YOU, St. ANTHONY,

lily of purity & glory of Christianity.

We salute you, great Saint,

doctor of wisdom

and seraph of divine love.

We rejoice at the many graces

our Lord has bestowed on you.

In humility and confidence,

we entreat you to help us,

for we know that

you intercede for us to God.

We ask you by the love you felt

toward the Child Jesus

to tell Him now of our wants.

One sound from your voice

He so blessed will fill us with joy.

Remember how complete

your happiness was

as you held Him in your arms

and listened to His divine voice.

If we could behold you,

we would bathe your feet with tears,

and tell you all we feel & all we fear.

But to see you is not granted us.

And so we salute you in spirit,

O glorious saint of God.

We bow our heads before you

in humble reverence

and we raise our hearts,

full of hope,

toward heaven and you.

For Christ, who so often put Himself

in your arms,

will now fill your hands

with all we ask of you.

Grant us, then, what we desire,

miracle worker of Padua,

and we will tell of your wonders,

and so honor and glorify Christ

who so blessed and honored you.

Amen.

LEADER: St. Anthony, whom the

Infant Jesus so much loved

and honored,

All: *grant us what we ask of you.*

LEADER: St. Anthony, powerful

in words and work,

All: *grant us what we ask of you.*

LEADER: St. Anthony attentive

to those who invoke you,

All: *grant us our request.*