

# *Saint Anthony of Padua Church*

**Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time     June 28, 2020**

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## **Pastoral Staff:**

Rev. Oscar Martin Dominguez, Pastor

## **Eucharist:**

Daily: Chapel 8:30 am

Monday, Thursday: 7:00 pm (Spanish)

Saturday: 5:00 pm, 7:00 pm (Spanish)

Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:30 am, 12:00 noon (Spanish)

## **Next Holy Day of Obligation**

### **(All Sundays)**

May 21-Ascension of Jesus

## **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

Thursday: Holy Hour following 7 pm Mass

Hora Santa después de la misa 7 pm

## **Office Hours:**

Daily (Diario) (M - F) 9:00 am - 8:00 pm

## **Baptism/Bautizos:**

Baptisms in English are the first and third Saturday of each month. Arrangements should be made one month in advance. Parents should be registered parishioners.

Los Bautizos son el 2do y 4to sábado de cada mes. Deben de pasar por la oficina para coordinar la fecha por lo menos con un mes de anticipación. Deben de estar inscritos en la parroquia para solicitar un bautismo.

## **Marriage/Matrimonio:**

Please arrange with the priest at least one year in advance. Por favor de separar fecha con el sacerdote y un año de anticipación.

## **Reconciliation/Reconciliación:**

Every Saturday (Cada Sábado) 4:00 PM—5:00 PM

## **Religious Education/Catecismo:**

English: Sunday at 9:00 am in the Grammar school

Español: Sábado a las 10:00 am se reúnen en la cafetería de la escuela.

## **Sponsorship/Godparent Certificates**

You must be an **active parishioner** (registered) for at least 6 months to receive a Certificate of eligibility to be a sponsor or godparent.

Debe ser un **feligrés activo** durante al menos 6 meses para recibir un certificado de elegibilidad para ser un patrocinador o padrino.

## **Staff:**

Ms. Rose Perone, Trustee & English Rel. Ed.

Mrs. Mary Wilk, Parish Secretary

Mrs. Teresa Marin, Spanish Rel. Ed.

Mr. Will Villanueva, Trustee

Mr. Edwin Lopez, Altar Servers



## **MISSION STATEMENT**

St. Anthony of Padua Parish is committed to the Celebration of God's presence among His people through meaningful, well prepared liturgy, prayerful gatherings, evangelization and faith formation. We recognize and welcome the richness of our culturally and ethnically diverse community. We strive to nurture and develop these differences by encouraging all our brothers and sisters to share their gifts so we may strengthen our community and become one.

**Mass Intentions  
June 27– July 5, 2020**

**SATURDAY (June 27) Weekday**

8:30 PEOPLE OF THE PARISH  
5:00 PIGA FAMILY/Family  
7:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

**SUNDAY (June 28) Thirteenth Sunday in OT**

8:00 GIOVANNI ROMANELLI/Mr. & Mrs. Frank Mazza  
10:30 DOMENICK TRIPODI/Daughter Tina  
12:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

**MONDAY (June 29) Sts Peter and Paul**

8:30 PATRICIA CORSENTINO/Theresa Justianiano

**TUESDAY (June 30) Weekday**

8:30 BILL & MARGI SHARKEY/Giuseppe Ferrera & Family

**WEDNESDAY (July 1) Weekday**

8:30 REV. PIETRO BIANCHINI/Mr & Mrs Frank Mazza

**THURSDAY (July 2) Weekday**

8:30 CHESTER WILK/Family

**FRIDAY (July 3) St. Thomas**

8:30 EMIRO CASTILLO & FAMILY/Family

**SATURDAY (July 4) Independence Day**

8:30 VINCENZO & JOHN SACCA/Family  
5:00 PEOPLE OF THE PARISH  
7:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

**SUNDAY (July 5) Fourteenth Sunday in OT**

8:00 VICTOR SILVA/Wife & Children  
10:30 GIUSEPPE & GIOVANNA LOSARDO/  
Nicolo & Vincenza & Family  
12:00 PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

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**PRAYER**

The more you devote yourself in prayer the more you will do well in your work.  
—St. John Baptist de la Salle



**OUR OFFERTORY COLLECTION**

is shown below. We sincerely thank all those parishioners and friends who contributed to the parish. Be assured that the Lord will never be outdone in rewarding those who give even a glass of water in His Name.

**We will list collection amounts starting next week**

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH:**

Carmen Alava	James D. Milazzo
Karen Bulloch	Joseph Merlo Jr.
Caterina Campbell	Carmen Mistichelli
Isaac Castañeda	Carlos Moran
Orlando Chavez	Rosemarie Newton
Alberto Chumbiray	Declan Rocco O'Connor
Maritza Chumbiray	Pietro Paolucci
Wayne Cook	Robergeau Paul
Rosemary Coppola	Maria Perdomo
Mary Cusmano	Frank Pierre
Leonor Sepulveda De Devia	Raul Atilio Portillo
Marianna Dubell	Jose Luis Porto
Maria Espinoza	Gisel Porto
Mario Fronzoni	Carmen Fojo Prieto
Sherry Gallanter	Edith Quijada
Joseph Gambino	Endy Quijada
Denise Griest	Oscar Eduardo Ramirez
Jared Leonardo Henao	Sergio Ricciardi
Jacob Hinman	Angel Rivera
Joshua Hinman	Isadora Rodriguez
Joseph B. Jean-Mary	Magdalena Rodriguez
Lindsay LaMarre	John Ruela
John Lapolla	Maria Saavedra
Theresa Lattanzio	Salvatore Saluccio
Rosa Leon	Hugo Santa Maria
Elvin Martinez	Frank Tinnirella
Anthony Merlo	Rosalie Tinnirella
Leonarda Merlo	John Veltre

*This week there will be a second collection for Peter's Pence*

**Next week there will be a second collection for the Monthly Assessment**

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**WEEKLY HOMILY / HOMILÍA SEMANAL**

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**Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time/Décimo Tercer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario**

On first reading, our Gospel seems very harsh. The idea of taking up our cross can be fearful or have negative connotations, as if it were something only a few can do. It is also confusing. Scripture tells us to honor our father and mother, and yet here are told we must love Jesus more than our parents or children, or we are not worthy. The message that Jesus intends to convey, however, is not to give up these people, but rather to choose Christ first.

Sometimes this means being countercultural. For a family, how do we make choices to keep Christ in the picture? It could mean that when you make plans to take the family to that water park for the weekend, you should also locate the local church so you can attend Mass. Or maybe it means not placing your child on the soccer team with 10 a.m. Sunday games, or rescheduling another part of your life to keep Christ foremost. Perhaps it is something as simple as locking yourself in the bathroom for five minutes so that you have time to pray. Maybe it means listening to an audiobook of scriptures on your commute to work. All we do is for naught if we do not include Christ. .

La lectura del Evangelio parece muy rigurosa. La idea de tomar nuestra cruz puede dar temor o tener connotaciones negativas, como si fuera algo que solo algunos pueden hacer. También es confuso. Las Escrituras nos dicen que debemos honrar a nuestro padre y madre, e incluso aquí se nos dice que debemos amar a Jesús más que a nuestros padres o hijos, sino no somos dignos. Sin embargo, la intención del mensaje que Jesús quiere transmitir no es la de abandonar a las personas, sino al contrario, primero elegir a Cristo.

Algunas veces esto significa ser contracultural. Para una familia, ¿cómo tomamos decisiones para mantener a Cristo en la foto? Podría significar que cuando haces planes para llevar a la familia a un parque de diversiones el fin de semana, deberías encontrar una parroquia cercana para ir a Misa. O quizá significa no poner al hijo en el equipo de futbol en el mismo horario de los juegos dominicales de las 10 de la mañana, o cambiar del calendario una fiesta para mantener a Cristo como lo primero. Quizá es algo tan sencillo como encerrarse en el baño por cinco minutos para dedicar un tiempo para rezar. Tal vez significa escuchar un audio de la Escrituras durante el camino al trabajo. Todo lo que hacemos es nada si no incluimos a Cristo.

**Readers & Lectors**  
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**Lectors for the Weekend of  
June 28– June 29**

Saturday, June 28  
5:00 PM  
7:00 PM Sunday, June 29  
8:00 AM



**Eucharistic Ministers for the Weekend of  
June 28– June 29**

Saturday, June 28  
5:00 PM 7:00 PM Sunday, June 29  
8:00 AM 10:30 AM 12:00 Noon

**Ministry to the Sick and Homebound**

The parish family of St. Anthony’s seeks to reach out and include the sick, the elderly, and the homebound in the life and prayers of our parish.

Please contact the parish office if someone wants to receive Communion or needs to see the priest for the sacraments of Confession and Anointing of the Sick.

**RCIA**

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is the process the Catholic Community provides to welcome adults who wish to become Catholic and to prepare adult Catholics to receive Confirmation (and when needed, First Eucharist.) Please contact the Parish for more information.



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**FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS**

Our Food Pantry is in need of food. Please drop off your food to help feed those in need of our parish in the baskets at the back of the church or at the rectory.

**SACRAMENTS:**

**FIRST COMMUNION**

**Mother, Father and Child receiving Sacrament plus (2) Guests**

July 4, 2020 (Spanish)  
9:00 a.m. and 11 a.m.

July 11, 2020 (Spanish)  
9:00 a.m. and 11 a.m.

July 18, 2020 (English)  
10:00 a.m.

**RCIA**

July 16, 2020 (Children)  
**One Sponsor, Mother, Father and Child receiving Sacrament plus (2) Guests**

6:00 p.m.

July 17, 2020 (Adults)  
**One Sponsor and Adult receiving Sacrament plus (2) Guests**

6:00 p.m.

**Confirmation**  
**Sponsor, Mother, Father and Child receiving Sacrament plus (2) Guests**

July 9, 2020 (CCD)  
6:00 p.m.

July 10, 2020 (CCD)  
6:00 p.m.

July 24, 2020 (School)  
6:00 p.m.

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**TODAY'S READINGS**

**First Reading** — Elisha promises a baby son to the hospitable woman (2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a).

**Psalms** — For ever I will sing the goodness of the Lord (Psalm 89).

**Second Reading** — We shall live in newness of life as Christ was raised from the dead (Romans 6:3-4, 8-11).

**Gospel** — Whoever gives but a cup of cold water to another will surely be rewarded (Matthew 10:37-42).

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**LECTURAS DE HOY**

**Primera lectura** — Abriré sus tumbas; pondré mi espíritu en ustedes para que tengan vida (Ezequiel 37:12-14).

**Salmo** — Con el Señor hay misericordia y redención completa (Salmo 130 [129]).

**Segunda lectura** — El Espíritu de vida mora en nosotros (Romanos 8:8-11).

**Evangelio** — Yo soy la Resurrección y la Vida (Juan 11:1-45 [3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45]).

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**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday:** Acts 12:1-11; Ps 34:2-9; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19

**Tuesday:** Am 3:1-8; 4:11-12; Ps 5:4b-8; Mt 8:23-27

**Wednesday:** Am 5:14-15, 21-24; Ps 50:7-13, 16bc-17; Mt 8:28-34

**Thursday:** Am 7:10-17; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 9:1-8

**Friday:** Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 20:24-29

**Saturday:** Am 9:11-15; Ps 85:9ab, 10-14; Mt 9:14-17 or, for Independence Day, any readings from the Mass "For the Country," nos. 882- 886, or "For Peace and Justice," nos. 887 891

**Sunday:** Zec 9:9-10; Ps 145:1-2, 8-11, 13-14; Rom 8:9, 11-13; Mt 11:25-30

**TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION**

Confirmation is complicated, at least in its history. It arose in response to real problems deeply felt, not the least of which was the desire of the bishop to minister to all who were baptized. But it also has to do with the early crisis of how to deal with persons baptized by congregations that had broken bonds with the greater church: heretics. People reasoned that no matter how wrong-headed the minister might be, Christ would always work in the waters of baptism. No matter what, God would sweep aside all human obstacles to claim the new life in the water. They were not so sure about the ability of someone who had broken with the church to confer the Spirit.

By the fifth century, already-baptized persons coming into the church were anointed with chrism but not rebaptized. This anointing with myron or chrism was seen as an act of reconciliation by the church, and a seal upon the commitments vowed by the newcomer. Today, we preserve this ancient practice by never "rebaptizing" Christians who have been baptized in water in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. We affirm the candidates' baptismal dignity, and we celebrate confirmation at their first reception of the Eucharist. —Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co. —Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

**TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE**

En 1769 los misioneros franciscanos establecieron la primera misión en lo que hoy es la ciudad de San Diego, California. Bajo la dirección de fray Junípero Serra, los hermanos menores pudieron establecer otras ocho misiones, incluyendo la ciudad de San Francisco, en 1776.

Junípero o José Miguel Serra, fue hijo de padres campesinos de la Isla de Mallorca, España. Ingresó a la Orden de los hermanos menores (franciscanos) a los dieciséis años y con el tiempo, llegó a ser profesor de filosofía, pero su verdadero deseo era ser misionero en el continente americano, lo que hoy conocemos como Hemisferio Occidental.

En 1749, su orden religiosa lo envió a México como administrador del Colegio Apostólico. Poco a poco se fue desprendiendo de sus cargos académicos para establecer misiones entre los indígenas. Aunque algunos afirman lo contrario, Junípero fue arduo defensor de los nativos. En California, más de una vez tuvo problemas con los soldados españoles, debido a que éstos abusaban de los amerindios, problemas que lo llevaron a defender los derechos humanos de los nativos ante el Virrey en México. Sus esfuerzos por cristianizar los indígenas de California tuvieron como resultado más de 6000 bautizos durante sus quince años en esa región. Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Glz, OFM, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

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