



# SAINT ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH

## EL SEGUNDO, CALIFORNIA

**FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME    JULY 4, 2021**

**Dear St. Anthony Parishioners:**

It is a pleasure to introduce myself to you at all the Masses this Sunday, the Fourth of July. Fr. Robert Victoria is a classmate from St. John’s Seminary, so I have known him for years. I thank him for his years of service through his ministry of the priesthood. I have just finished twelve years as pastor of St. Timothy’s Church, about fifteen miles away in West L.A.

The reason we and other priests move, in part, is that there is a policy that states that a maximum time to be a pastor is twelve years though there are exceptions such as when the twelfth year is reached when the priest is at retirement age at which point he may continue there as pastor as long as he can adequately serve the people. Anyway, enough with the policy!

I do have a history with St. Anthony though I never lived in the city before, although I have often visited here. My second assignment as a priest was at St. Lawrence Martyr in Redondo Beach from 1995-2000. Those were the first years that I became aware of El Segundo. I also know that the name comes from the company, Chevron Standard Oil: Richmond CA was their first oil refinery and this one is their second, hence, the name which of course means second in Spanish. Over the years since then I have been assigned also at Ascension Church in Los Angeles and it wasn’t too far a drive from there to come and walk my sheltie dog at the beach down the 105 freeway, passing by El Segundo. The list goes on of becoming familiar with the area and parish not to mention sometimes meeting priest friends in the area for a meal or a walk. So, when the opportunity came up to become pastor here at St. Anthony I was thrilled. So, I just arrived here earlier today, Wednesday which is the deadline for the bulletin article, and after finding my iPad in my too many boxes I wanted to write a letter of introduction as well as say that as I celebrate the Masses this weekend.

It is a once-in-a-lifetime to have an inaugural weekend as a pastor, so to speak. Everything is new and different and it’s an exciting weekend. This is true and I thank the Lord for this experience: to have an



an uplifting sense of God’s love is most pleasing!  
 God willing in the coming months and years we will come to know each in the Lord better. I have briefly met most of the staff and enjoyed doing so. As we return to some sense of normalcy with regard to health and health restrictions it calls to mind many experiences. Thank God for our health and for the vaccine; at the same time, we pray for those who have suffered and died during the pandemic and we pray that it subsides internationally. So, what a blessing to be able to attend Mass in person and see each other and be strengthened in our Faith.

Thank you and God bless,  
*Fr. Paul E. Vigil, Pastor*

**Mass Times**

Monday, Wednesday & Friday	8:00 am
Tuesday & Thursday	12:10 pm
Saturday	8:00 am & 4:00 pm
Sunday	8:00 am, 10:00 am & 4:00 pm
Sunday (Spanish)	12 Noon

**Latin Mass**

Sunday	1:30pm
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**Eucharistic Adoration Chapel**

Open Mon-Thurs: 9:00am – 4:30pm

**Parish Center Office Hours**

Monday - Thursday	8:30 am - 5:00 pm
Friday, Saturday, Sunday	By appointment only

**Confessions**

Saturday	8:30-9:00am
	3:00 - 3:30pm

**Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
July 4, 2021**



My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness.

-2 Corinthians 12:9

**Welcome Fr. Paul Vigil!**

We welcome Fr. Paul Vigil, who has been appointed to serve as our new Pastor starting July 1st, 2021. We are glad to have Fr. Paul as a part of our church. May God enrich our lives together as we serve our Lord.

**Rev. Robert Victoria  
New Address:  
St. Luke The Evangelist  
5605 Cloverly Ave.  
Temple City CA 91780-2540  
(626) 291-5900**

**Traditional Latin Mass - Sundays at 1:30 pm**

St. Anthony's Catholic Church celebrates a Traditional Latin Mass all Sundays with Fr. Michael Carcerano as our celebrant. We are back in the Church and now return to the reception of Holy Communion on the tongue. The dispensation from attending Mass and Holy Days of obligation granted by Archbishop Jose Gomez has been rescinded, with the exceptions for those who have serious and legitimate reasons. Mask are not required for fully vaccinated individuals. Volunteers will be at the entrances to answer any questions you may have. Fr. Carcerano will be hearing Confessions in the confessional in the church every Sunday from 1:00 to 1:25 PM, and after Mass for those who wish.



**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

**Sunday, July 4th**

**Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Happy Independence Day**

1:00pm Confession with Fr. Carcerano  
1:30 pm Latin Mass in the Church  
3:00pm Divine Mercy Livestream  
4:00pm Mass in the Church

**Monday, July 5th**

**Parish Center & Adoration Chapel Closed**

8:00am Public & Livestream Mass

**Tuesday, July 6th**

**Parish Center & Adoration Chapel Open**

12:10pm Public and Livestream Mid-day Mass

**Wednesday, July 7th**

**Parish Office & Adoration Chapel Open**

8:00am Public & Livestream Mass

**Thursday, July 8th**

**Parish Office & Adoration Chapel Open**

12:10pm Public and Livestream Mid-day Mass

**Friday, July 9th**

**Parish Center & Adoration Chapel Closed**

8:00am Public & Livestream Mass

**Saturday, July 10th**

**Parish Center & Adoration Chapel Closed**

8:00am Public & Livestream Mass  
8:30am Confessions  
12:00pm Quinceanera - Amanda Marquez

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**St. Anthony Office Closed  
In honor of  
Independence Day**

**Our Parish Center offices will be closed Monday July 5th in honor of Independence Day. We will reopen on Tuesday July 6th at 8:30am.**

**St. Anthony Church**  
**215 Lomita St., El Segundo CA 90245**  
**(310) 322-4392 Fax: (310) 322-0797**  
**www.stanthonyes.com Visit us on Facebook**  
**Safeguarding the Children: Joan Viena (213) 637-7227**  
**Victims Assistance Ministry: Dr. Heather T. Banis (213) 637-7650**  
**Archdiocesan Vocation Director: Rev. Samuel Ward (213) 637-7755**

<b>Pastor:</b> Rev. Paul Vigil	(ext. 441)	<b>Preschool:</b> Rose Aguayo, Director	(424) 277-1702
<b>Deacon:</b> Benjamin Ramos	(310) 890-1690	<b>Bookkeeper:</b> Carolina Luna	(ext. 442)
<b>Director of Religious Education:</b> Mr. Timothy K. Rodrick, O.P.	(ext. 444)	<b>Secretary:</b> Elizabeth Swenson	(ext. 440)
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<b>Finance Council Chairperson:</b> David Bohline		<b>Maintenance:</b> George Cadena	(ext. 440)
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		<b>Email:</b> Kathymstanthony@gmail.com	

**St. Anthony Church Mission Statement:**

We the St. Anthony community, blessed with diversity in culture and traditions, unite ourselves to the Real Presence of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist. We commit ourselves to live out the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ through prayer, service, and actions.

**Peter's Pence Collection**

Thank you for your generous support of last week's Peter's Pence Collection. Our contributions will join those from our brothers and sisters around the world to help Pope Francis in his ministry to the Universal Church, including relief to people in need and support for the Holy See. If you missed the collection, it is not too late to give. Visit [www.usccb.org/peters-pence](http://www.usccb.org/peters-pence).

**RCIA/Adult Faith Formation**

**Are you someone or do you know someone who would like to become Catholic?** The RCIA is a process of conversion that provides faith formation, spiritual enrichment and preparation of the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Eucharist; baptized adults in other Christian churches who wish to profess their faith through the Catholic church and requests the sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist and baptized Catholics who seek to complete the sacrament of initiation. We meet every Thursday via Zoom at 7:00pm. For more information, please contact Tim Rodrick at (310) 322-4392 on Mondays or Thursdays.

**Safeguard the Children**

**Did you Know?**

**What to do if your child is missing**

It is every parent's worst nightmare — losing a child somewhere. If your child is missing, knowing what to do and acting quickly can help bring him/her home safely. First, call the police. Give them a full description of what your child looks like, what he/she was wearing, when you last saw him/her. Provide pictures if possible. Then call the National Center for Missing & Exploited Children at 1-800-THE-LOST (1-800-843-5678). If your child is missing from home, check your house thoroughly: behind and in large appliances, in closets, under beds, in your cars. For more information, visit <https://www.missingkids.org/gethelpnow/isyourchildmissing>.



**WHY BE REGISTERED IN THE PARISH?**

When you live within the parish boundaries, you belong to this Parish. However, it is **very important** that you officially register. Then when you need official papers, you are more easily identified through the parish records. You may download the registration form from our website, [www.stanthonyes.com](http://www.stanthonyes.com).



- SATURDAY** July 3  
8:00am Robert Perez & brothers (PI) & Joseph Ferrer (PI)  
4:00pm Stephen Angeli (D) & David Piquette (D)
- SUNDAY** July 4  
8:00 am Oscar Mayor (D) & Rosalina Buduan (D)  
10:00 am In Thanksgiving to Jesus Christ  
12:00 pm Samuel Castellanos (D) & Bertha Loeza (D)  
1:30pm For all Parishioners  
4:00 pm The end to Pandemic
- MONDAY** July 5  
8:00 am Alejandro de Jesus Duran (D) & Jesus Perez (D)
- TUESDAY** July 6  
12:10pm Victoria Salonga (D) & Sandy Holt (D)
- WEDNESDAY** July 7  
8:00 am Elizha Ruth Maytorena (PI) & Emilio Murga (PI)
- THURSDAY** July 8  
12:10pm William Fadriquetla (D) & Cynthia Jenkins (D)
- FRIDAY** July 9  
8:00am In Thanksgiving to Jesus Christ
- SATURDAY** July 10  
8:00am Benjamin & Patty Perez (PI) & Justina Garcia (PI)  
4:00pm Leoncio Ricarte (PI) & Timothy Rodrick (PI)



**Please Pray for**

Marcy Armitage, Bassam & Zaina Alwan, Eileen Barrett, Phillip Berretta, Michael Blackstock, Teresa Calderon, Bill Caldwell, Eva & Roberto Canales, Susanna and David Castellanos, Teresita Clemente, Gertrudes Dacquel, Dorothy Doukakis, Juan Antonio Duran, Cora & Howard Fausto, Lucila Frias, Lisa Garasec, Rose Garcia, Raymond Garcia, Rose Gibilterra, Victor & Maria Luz Gonzalez, Lucille Goodreau, Marian Goyette, Marie Gutierrez, Sharon & Joe Guzman, Matthew Haggerty, Eileen Hawkins, Dane Kissel, Czeslaw & Michelina Kubek, Zdzislaw & Stanislaw Kubek, Franco Mercado, Monica Labayen, Celine Luper, Martha Salazar, Susan McGarry, Anthony Molina, Emilio M. Moore, Virginia & Michael Mouzakis, Leoncio Ricarte, Don Riley, Josefina Rigalva, Cecilia Sizighaney, Allan Schwartz, Anne Schuman, Jerry Tomic, Meghan Warren, Pennye Wilder, Barbara Wing, Norm Wood, Bob and Barbara Zenk.

### Ongoing CASE Collection



St. Anthony Church continues its ongoing CASE Drive for all those families in need in our community. Some families receive a small monetary aid to help with utilities bills.

If you would like to help monetary, please send your check to CASE: P.O. Box 1585; El Segundo CA

90245. CASE's hope is to keep these families in their home and not become homeless. **Items needed in their food pantry include:** canned meat foods, canned soups, spaghetti sauce, pasta, canned fruits, cookies, crackers, fruit juices, toilet paper, shampoo, toothpaste, soap, tissues/Kleenex, and cleaning supplies, dish soaps, laundry detergent, Comet, Lysol, etc....

**As always thank you for your generosity.**

### SAINT OF THE WEEK St. Maria Goretti (1890-1902) July 6

She was the daughter of a poor Italian tenant farmer, had no chance to go to school, never learned to read or write. When she made her First Communion not long before her death at age 12, she was one of the larger and somewhat backward members of the class.

On a hot afternoon in July, Maria was sitting at the top of the stairs of her house, mending a shirt. She was not quite 12 years old, but physically mature. A cart stopped outside, and a neighbor, Alessandro, 18 years old, ran up the stairs. He seized her and pulled her into a bedroom. She struggled and tried to call for help, gasping that she would be killed rather than submit. "No, God does not wish it. It is a sin. You would go to hell for it." Alessandro began striking at her blindly with a long dagger. She was taken to a hospital. Her last hours were marked by the usual simple compassion of the good—concern about where her mother would sleep, forgiveness of her murderer (she had been in fear of him, but did not say anything lest she cause trouble to his family) and her devout welcoming of Viaticum. She died about 24 hours after the attack.

Her murderer was sentenced to 30 years in prison. For a long time he was unrepentant and surly. One night he had a dream or vision of Maria, gathering flowers and offering them to him. His life changed. When he was released after 27 years, his first act was to go to beg the forgiveness of Maria's mother.

Devotion to the young martyr grew, miracles were worked, and in less than half a century she was canonized. At her beatification in 1947, her mother (then 82), two sisters and a brother appeared with Pope Pius XII on the balcony of St. Peter's. Three years later, at her canonization, a 66-year-old Alessandro Serenelli knelt among the quarter-million people and cried tears of joy.

### News from the Office of Respect Life Pregnancy Help Center



*"In a time when I was scared and confused, you made me feel cared about. I don't know what I would have done without you. This child is such a blessing."*

**Pregnancy Help Center**

**(310) 787-4357 - 24-hour help line**

### SANTO DE LA SEMANA Santa Maria Goretti (1890-1902) 6 de Julio



Una de las más grandes multitudes reunidas para un canonización—250,000— simboliza la reacción de millones de personas enternecidas por la sencilla historia de Maria Goretti. Ella fue hija de un humilde granjero, no tuvo la oportunidad de ir a la escuela, nunca aprendió a leer ni escribir. Cuando ella hizo su Primera Comunión poco tiempo antes su muerte, a la edad de 12 años, ella era una de las mayores y más atrasadas de la clase.

Una calurosa tarde de Julio, Maria se encontraba sentada en la escalera de su casa, reparando una camisa. No llegaba a los 12 años de edad, pero físicamente madura. Un carro frenó, y un vecino, Alejandro, de 18 años de edad, le hizo subir la escalera. La agarró por el brazo y la arrastró con fuerza hacia una habitación a la entrada. Ella comprendió inmediatamente sus intenciones, resistió y se puso a gritar: '¡No, no! ¡Dios no quiere eso! ¡Si lo haces irás al infierno!'. Ante su resistencia, Alejandro se enfureció, y agarró un puñal y empezó a clavarlo en el vientre. Ella fue llevada a un hospital. Sus últimas horas fueron marcadas por su sencilla compasión de una persona buena - preocupada donde su madre dormiría, el perdón para su asesino (ella había estado atemorizada de él, pero no dijo nada por temor a causar problemas a su familia) y su devota bienvenida de Viático. Ella murió 24 horas después del ataque. Su asesino fue sentenciado a 30 años en la prisión. Por mucho tiempo él era impenitente y hosco. Una noche tuvo un sueño o la visión de Maria, reuniendo flores y ofreciéndoselas a él. Su vida cambió. Cuando fue liberado después de 27 años, su primer acto fue pedir el perdón a la madre de Maria.

La devoción de la joven mártir creció, los milagros se realizaron, y en menos de medio siglo ella fue canonizada. En su beatificación en 1947, su madre (entonces 82), dos hermanas y un hermano aparecieron ante el Papa Pío XII en el balcón de la Basílica de San Pedro. Tres años más tarde, en su canonización, Alejandro Serenelli de 66 años de edad se arrodilló entre un cuarto-millones de personas y lloró lágrimas de alegría.

## **Mensaje para Reflexionar**

En el evangelio según san Marcos, vemos que Jesús sufrió la experiencia del fracaso, debido al rechazo de sus paisanos de Nazaret. Desde entonces se generó el dicho que continúa hasta nuestros días: “Nadie es buen profeta en su tierra”. Esta es una verdad generalizada en todas partes y en todo tiempo.

Cuántos de nosotros hemos pensado o dicho alguna vez que nos hubiera gustado vivir en tiempo de Jesús para conocerlo y tratarlo; sin embargo, tiemblo al pensar que yo pudiera no haberlo aceptado, como no lo aceptaron sus paisanos que en general eran gente buena. Quizá lo más difícil para todos sea aceptar y valorar a los más cercanos de nosotros. Los judíos decían que cuando llegara el Mesías nadie conocería su origen, mientras que ellos estaban seguros de conocer el origen de Jesús como carpintero del pueblo, así como de conocer igualmente a sus familiares.

Ojalá que este evangelio abra nuestra mente y nuestro corazón para esperar las posibles gratas sorpresas que cualquier persona a nuestro alrededor cercano nos puede dar.

Los paisanos de Jesús habían escuchado sobre su fama, que recorría pueblos tanto como ciudades, predicando y obrando grandes milagros; por eso lo esperaban con una cierta curiosidad malsana y morbosa, no dando crédito de antemano a todo lo que oían sobre él. Estemos atentos a cualquier tipo de predisposición que tengamos hacia las personas. Dice el evangelio de hoy que Jesús no pudo hacer allí muchos milagros a causa de su poca fe, curando sólo a algunos enfermos imponiéndoles las manos.

Alguien se puede sorprender de que el texto evangélico diga que Jesús “no pudo”, porque se supone que él como Dios puede hacerlo todo. Pero el Señor no va tirando milagros por aquí y por allá, ya que un milagro supone siempre tres cosas: el poder de Dios, la voluntad de Dios y la fe del ser humano. El Señor decide lo que quiere hacer como respuesta a la fe del hombre.

En Nazaret curó algunos enfermos y esto nos pone en continuidad con el evangelio del domingo pasado, mostrándonos cómo los enfermos están ordinariamente más dispuestos a la fe, mientras que los sanos podemos mantenernos orgullosamente incrédulos. San Pablo no fue curado de su enfermedad y eso contribuyó a su grandeza espiritual.

La educación de hoy nos dispone a todos para el éxito, no para el fracaso; por lo tanto, es bueno que pongamos todo nuestro empeño en lo que hacemos. Especialmente cuando se trata de la obra evangelizadora hemos de estar dispuestos al fracaso, pues debemos estar convencidos de que Dios no nos ha llamado a tener éxito, sino a ser fieles. De todo podemos sacar provecho y enseñanza.

Que tengan todos una feliz semana. ¡Sea alabado Jesucristo!

- Obispo Gustavo Rodríguez Vega

## **La Parroquia de San Antonio Nuestra Misión:**

Nosotros, la comunidad de San Antonio, bendecidos con diversidad en cultura y tradiciones, nos unimos a la presencia real de Jesús en la Sagrada Eucaristía. Nos comprometemos a vivir y enseñar la palabra de nuestro señor Jesucristo por medio de nuestra oración, servicio y acciones.

## **MATRICULAS- EDUCACION RELIGIOSA (CATECISMO) AÑO ESCOLAR 2021-22**

### **Programa de Preparación Sacramental**

La preparación para recibir el Sacramento de Reconciliación y Primera Comunión es un programa de dos años de preparación que comienza cuando inscribe a su niño(a) en el Programa. Las inscripciones ya comenzaron el 1 de Junio. Por favor comuníquense con el Centro Parroquial para mayor información o pase a recoger un nuevo formulario a las oficinas de la parroquia.



**St. Anthony Centro Parroquial  
Estará cerrado en honor al  
Día de la Independencia  
Lunes, 5 de Julio, 2021**

### **Colecta Peter Pence**

Muchas gracias por su generoso apoyo la semana pasada a la colecta Peter's Pence, Nuestra contribuciones se juntaron con aquellas de nuestros hermanos y hermanas en todo el mundo para ayudar al Papa Francisco en su ministerio con la Iglesia Universal, que incluye socorrer a las personas necesitadas y apoyar a la Santa Sede. Si no le fue posible contribuir la semana pasada, pueden visitar [www.usccb.org/peters-pence](http://www.usccb.org/peters-pence) y pueden realizarla por internet.

## **Protegiendo a los Niños**

### **Sabía usted?**

#### **What to do if your child is missing**

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# A Warm Welcome to Our New Pastor



*Fr. Paul Vigil*