

Saint Anthony of Padua Catholic Church

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MISSION STATEMENT

St. Anthony of Padua Parish, located in the Brookland area of Northeast Washington, DC, is a Catholic Community of faith-filled Christians. We celebrate Christ's life and presence through vibrant and meaningful worship and a rich community life based on openness, unity and love.

We proclaim the Good News through hospitality, education and evangelization. We respond in service to the poor and reach out in justice to those in our community and beyond in order to reach the final goal of happiness in Eternity with Almighty God.

Pastor:	Rev. Frederick J. Close
Priests in Residence:	Fr. Joseph Kirkconnell (Detroit, MI)
Summer Clergy Assist:	Msgr. Michael Wilson (ADW)
Permanent Deacons:	Rev. Mr. John Feeley Rev. Mr. Kenneth Lee
Business Manager:	Mrs. Elaine Schaller
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Music Ministry Director:	Ms. Lynne Gray
Admin Assistant:	Mrs. Cherith Yuly
School Principal:	Mr. Michael Thomasian
School Secretary:	Ms. Atchoi Osekre-Bond
Home & School Pres.:	Ms. Tanzi West
Religious Education:	Mr. Arthur Linder

Masses at St. Anthony Church

Sunday Masses: (7AM,) 10AM, (Noon) and 6:30PM

Daily Masses celebrated in the Church

Monday through Friday ~ 8AM Saturday ~ 8AM
(Tuesday evenings ~ 6:30PM with the **13 Tuesdays Novena to St. Anthony**—Mass, *Adoration and Confession* until 8PM)

On Federal Holidays ~ 10AM ~ On Holy Days ~ see bulletin

Immaculate Conception Novena ~ 5:30PM Mondays

(1st FRI/1st SAT 2Hearts Devotion ~ 8PM Rosary; 9P Mass, *Adoration and Confession* follows the Mass; Holy Hours with 9 Offices prayers; followed by 12:15A 1st Saturday Mass)

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms are usually scheduled for the first Sunday of the month. Parents interested in arranging for the Sacrament of Baptism for their infant/child should call the parish office to arrange for a date for baptismal preparation.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Sunday: 5:30 – 6:15 PM in the Church, or by appointment.
During Lent, The Light is On for You—Tuesdays: 7:15-8:00 PM

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

The bride or groom must be a parishioner of St. Anthony of Padua Parish. Arrangements with a priest should be made at least 6 months in advance.

FUNERALS

It is customary for the family to contact the funeral home of their choice after a loved one is deceased. If the family member was a parishioner of St. Anthony, then the funeral home will contact the pastor to schedule the date and time for a funeral Mass. Music arrangements for a funeral Mass must be made with Lynne Gray at (301) 262-8493.

ADULT RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

Adults interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, please call the parish office.

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

Sunday School classes are available for Pre-Kindergarten through 12th grade. Classes are held on Sundays from 11:15 AM -12:15 PM in the grade school from September to May. For more info, please call Arthur Linder at (202) 529-7558.

ANointing OF THE SICK

Please call the parish office to schedule a priest.

LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

Only registered and participating parishioners in good standing can be issued a Letter of Recommendation. Letters cannot be issued to non-parishioners.

Welcome to new parishioners and visitors! Be sure to introduce yourself to the priest after Mass. Registration forms are available in the gathering area of the Church & at the Parish Office.

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA, WASHINGTON, D.C.



15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 12, 2020

And he spoke to them in parables, saying: "A sower went out to sow ... Some seed fell among thorns, and the thorns grew up and choked it. But some seed fell on rich soil, and produced fruit, a hundred or sixty or thirtyfold. Whoever has ears ought to hear."

~ Matthew 13: 3, 7-9



Current Week's Mass Schedule

Monday, July 13th	St. Henri
8:00 a.m.	
Tuesday, July 14th	St. Kateri Tekakwitha
8:00 a.m.	
6:30 p.m. 4rd TUE in StA Novena	
Wednesday, July 15th	St. Bonaventure
8:00 a.m.	+Robert A. Jones by Beulah Sutherland
Thursday, July 16th	Our Lady of Mt. Carmel
8:00 a.m.	Souls of Priests & Religious in Purgatory
Friday, July 17th	
8:00 a.m.	
Saturday, July 18th	St. Camillus de Lellis
8:00 a.m.	
⇒ 5:00 p.m.	+Mildred B. Jones by Beulah Sutherland

Next Weekend's Mass Schedule

Sunday, July 19th	16th Sunday in Ordinary Time
7:00 a.m.	
10:00 a.m.	+Henrietta J. Jennifer
Noon	
6:30 p.m.	Parishioners of St. Anthony of Padua

The names listed next to a specific Mass indicate an act of love for the living or the deceased member of a family or friend. Mass intentions are scheduled on a first come/first serve basis. If you would like to have a Mass offered for a specific date or intention, please contact the parish office. Customary offerings are as follows:

- Mass stipend: \$10
- Sanctuary candle: \$10
- Flowers: Main Church - \$65
- Engraved Memorial Candles: \$200

Would you like to have a Mass offered for a special intention, in honor of a loved one, or for the repose of the soul of someone departed? Contact the Parish Office to arrange a Mass intention. A voluntary donation of \$10.00 per Mass is suggested.

"The Holy Mass would be of greater profit if people had it offered in their lifetime, rather than having it celebrated for the relief of their souls after death." -Pope Benedict XV
St. John Vianney said that if we knew the value of the Mass, we would die of joy.



Remember those who are Sick:

John Barbera, Unita Belle, Vincent Brook, Joseph C. Brown, III, Joseph R. Butler, Alfred Capobianco, Annamarie Castellucci, Betty Colbert, Sarah Cronin, Cajetan Demello, Mychael Doss, Denise Doss-Arrington, Ruby Duckwilder, Eulaulia Ellsworth, Althea Fox Watts, Rita Goodwin, Eureka Gray, Pauline Gregory, Sr. Barbara Karl, Roosevelt Lake, Maria Grazia Luisi, Mary Marshall, Sabrina Porter, Josephine Reid, Joe Steen, George Taylor, Inez Teasley

Remember our Homebound:

Leonard Cain, Orval Cooke, Harriet Gay, Will Grissett, Carolyn Hamilton, Mary Lafferty, Rachel Parham, Celia Ross, Ruth Scott, Amy Smith, Dorothy West, Sylvia Wood

Pray for our Family and Friends:

Mark Bowen, Joseph Fisher, Willard Goldsmith, JoAnn Coules, Jessalyn Charles, Marie Keaveney, Claudia Nelson, Nancy Logan, Rose Willis, Ronald W. Haley, Msgr. Joaquin Bazan, Theodore McCarrick

Eternal Rest grant unto them, O Lord:

Anna Marie Castellucci, Josephine Harris, Charles Gaffney, Fr. Charles Green, Mary Elizabeth Monroe, Antoinette Corprew,

and the Holy Souls in Purgatory

We pray also for all those who have asked for prayers through the Intercession of our patron,



From the Pastor's Desk



A.M.D.G.

Dear Parishioners,

Romans 8 today teaches: "For creation awaits with eager expectation the revelation of the children of God; for creation was made subject to futility, not of its own accord but because of the one who subjected it, in hope that creation itself would be set free from slavery to corruption and share in the glorious freedom of the children of God." If ever the futility of human effort was on display, Covid-19 time is such a time, proving Jesus' prophecy: "Apart from me you can do nothing."

This is probably the greatest opportunity of our short life-times for sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ, because we have the assurance "that the sufferings of this present time are as nothing compared with the glory to be revealed for us!" Notice there is no minimizing of our sufferings, which are real, but a placing of them in the context of eternity, in the certainty of the power of God's Words of promise: "My Word shall not return to Me void, but shall do My Will, achieving the end for which I sent it." The end is the forgiveness of sin: "Father, forgive them for they know not what they do," the sending of the Holy Spirit: "Wait in Jerusalem until you are clothed with power from on high;" so that we may bear fruit for the Kingdom, "a hundred or sixty or thirty fold."

What if the parable of the sower is a prophetic interpretation of reality, and specifically the reality of spiritual life for fallen men and women? What if everyone must fight off the birds of prey like Father Abraham did? What if we are meant to discern whether our response to the Gospel is mere social activism based on "the little soil" of human initiative, or a participation in God's initiative, which precedes and exceeds us, like "that love which is stronger than death" from the Song of Songs? What if, as citizens of the wealthiest consumer nation in the history of the world, we are invited to consider whether we are infected with "influenza," that "love of money which is the root of all evil?"

What if a true examination of conscience reveals repentance and humility as the pathway to the solid ground on which our hope in Jesus rests? What if, Mass and daily Eucharistic Adoration are the way for us to "know the way to take, for we have not gone over this road before." (Joshua 3:4) Let us pray!

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Father Fred



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School Mass: 8:15 AM (Fridays)

Before Care: 7:00 AM – 8:00 AM

After Care: 3:00 PM – 6:00 PM

SCHOOL NEWS

"You aspire to do great things. Begin with little ones." - St. Augustine of Hippo
2019-2020 School Theme

After an intense, yet successful, distance learning experience, our school is now on summer break. Unfortunately, we are unable to host our annual summer camp; however, we are able to continue with virtual summer enrichment programs. We are blessed with a dedicated faculty that has been unbelievably wonderful during this time.

You may have heard that our campus was vandalized twice over the last few weeks. Our lending library was destroyed, a banner was trashed, flower pots were stolen, and plants were crushed. Although discouraging, we have plans to replace these items and keep things as beautiful as ever. In related news, our playground just received much need repairs and improvements, including the addition of eight new crepe myrtle trees. Take a moment and check out our expanded play space. It's fantastic!

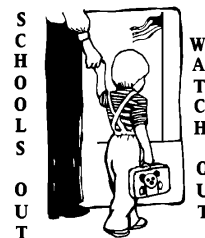
We are currently planning for various re-opening scenarios. Visit our website for updates.

The school is in need of hand sanitizer, disinfectant wipes, and "back to school" supplies. Your generosity is most appreciated during these uncertain times. Contact the office if you would like to make a donation or to learn how else you can support your parish school.

Let us continue to keep each in prayer this summer.

Peace & Blessings,

Mike Thomasian



PARISH NEWS

Bulletin articles must be submitted by 12 Noon on Monday for publication the following weekend. Bulletin inserts must be in the parish office on the Tuesday prior to the weekend that the insert will be used. Inserts and articles for the bulletin must be approved by the pastor and arrangements made for the organization to stuff the bulletin with the office staff.

Office Hours: Monday – Friday 8:30 AM – 5 PM and
The parish office is closed for lunch from 12-1 PM

Intentions of Pope Francis for July

Our Families

We pray that today's families may be accompanied with love, respect and guidance.

Thank You for Remembering Your Spiritual Home!

Thanks to all who continue your generous support to our parish in this unprecedented challenge! Please consider joining the many parishioners who utilize **Faith Direct** to do so. Please consider donating your first hour's wage or salary every week, or make an appropriate Lenten sacrifice. We are in this together! Thank you!



ADORATION & CONFESSIONS are in the Church
Monday through Saturday: After 8am Mass and 6-7pm

PUBLIC MASSES HAVE RESUMED IN THE PARISH

As we navigate the reopening for public Masses at our parish, we are following the instructions from the archdiocese and limitations from the District of Columbia. In this necessarily fluid situation, please keep the following points in mind:

- The dispensation from the obligation to attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation issued by Archbishop Gregory on March 12th remains in effect until further notice.
- Under the "Phase 2" regulations of the DC Government, religious gatherings are permitted up to 50% of the capacity of the Church building, or 100 persons, whichever is less. Our limit is thus 100.

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Parish Support

<u>Altar Servers:</u> Deacon Lee	202-526-8822
<u>Extraordinary Ministers:</u> Eleanor Fleming	615-336-3664
<u>Lectors:</u> Amanda Alexander	202-526-7667
<u>Liturgy:</u> Fr. Fred	202-526-8822
<u>Children's Liturgy:</u> Anne Gribbin	202-526-8634
<u>Music Ministry:</u> Lynne Gray	301-518-6914
<u>Sacristan:</u> Nicholas Dollar.....	202-250-8208
<u>Ushers:</u> Theodore Hudson	202-832-7469

PARISH Ministries

<u>Alliance of 2 Hearts:</u> Candace Harshaw	845-401-4678
<u>Celebrate Recovery:</u> Beng Reyes	202-250-8208
<u>Couples For Christ:</u> Norma Tumbali	630-849-9636
<u>Holy Name Society:</u> Pierre Crutchfield	240-205-5880
<u>Knights of Columbus:</u> James Bennett	202-526-4406
<u>Legion of Mary:</u> Diane Hart	202-573-0343
<u>St. Anthony Moms:</u> Annie Wolfson	585-727-6414
<u>St. Vincent DePaul:</u> Gary Reyes	301-674-1415
<u>Sick & Homebound:</u> call parish office	202-250-8208
<u>Sodality:</u> Pat Smith	240-644-3226
<u>Tonies:</u> Gwendolyn Means	202-635-0863

CATECHETICAL Ministries

<u>Adult Inquiry & RCIA:</u> Andy Russell	202-250-8208
<u>Bible Alive:</u> Bill Clausen	301-767-7180
<u>Catechesis Good Shepherd:</u>	574-727-6414
<u>Parish School of Religion:</u> Arthur Linder	202-529-7558

YOUTH Ministries

<u>Cub Scouts:</u> Dcn. John Feeley	202-526-8754
<u>Boy Scouts:</u> Bryan Martin Firvida	202-588-5808
<u>Girl Scouts:</u> Beulah Sutherland	202-529-1088
<u>CYO:</u> Mrs. Flowers:	202-526-4657

- Daily Mass will be celebrated at 8 AM, with Adoration and Confessions continuing until 9 AM, and then again from 6 - 7 PM, Monday through Saturday.
- Sunday Mass will be celebrated at 10 AM and 6:30 PM for the beginning of our reopening, starting July 5th. Today's Mass is at 8 AM. Additional Masses and times for Adoration and Confession will be added as the need arises and priests are available.
- Under current regulations, everyone 2 years old and older must wear a face mask unless exempt (e.g., ADA), and distancing regulations, communion under one species, etc. continue as well. Covid-19 time is the perfect opportunity to offer up our challenges and frustrations, and thus "make up in our own bodies what is lacking in the sufferings of Christ."

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