



St. Anthony Catholic Parish

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July 20, 2025

16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The Lord said to her in reply, "Martha, Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things. There is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part and it will not be taken from her." - Lk 10:41-42

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Parish Office Hours

Monday - Friday
8:30 AM - 12:00 PM and 1:00 PM - 3:30 PM

If you need to access the Church or Office after 3:30 PM please ensure your meeting is on the calendar by sending the details to churchstanthony@dsj.org. Thank you for your understanding and co-operation.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Annually at the Easter Vigil. Adults or children aged seven or older please call or email the Parish Office

BAPTISM OF INFANTS

New or expectant parents should contact the Parish Office to schedule an appointment with the pastor. Infant Baptism is celebrated in Mass. Baptism preparation session is required

CONFIRMATION FOR TEENS

Classes begin in Fall 2024

MARRIAGE

Couples should contact the parish upon their Engagement and usually 6 months prior to the desired date of the Wedding Ceremony

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Mass Times

“BIG CHURCH”

MCKEAN RD

Daily Mass:

Tuesday - Friday

8:00 AM

Sunday Masses:

8:30 AM

10:30 AM



“LITTLE CHURCH”

BERTRAM RD

Saturday Vigil Mass:

4:00 PM



Welcome

We welcome visitors and newcomers to St. Anthony Parish. We encourage new parishioners to register as parish members and become active in our parish community. Registration forms are available on our website.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

To submit announcements to the Bulletin Editor please submit announcement **no later than Monday by 12 pm** to be added to the upcoming bulletin: please email at churchstanthony@dsj.org



Dear Parishioners,

In today's Gospel passage, Martha's words to Jesus may seem harsh: *Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me by myself to do the serving? Tell her to help me.* Martha is running around, ensuring that Jesus feels welcome – cleaning, cooking, showing hospitality. She feels great respect for Jesus and knows the importance of welcoming him. And in her agitated state, she finally approaches Jesus, trusting he will hear her.

We can probably relate to her frustration. We have likely encountered similar situations where it feels like all of the burden has fallen to us and we are left without support. It can be challenging and isolating.

Jesus' response to Martha is striking. First, he calls her by name, which sets a tone of compassion. Then, he names how she is feeling. He knows she is feeling anxious and worried. He knows she is overwhelmed, and he essentially says that he sees her struggling. Then, he tells her that *there is need of only one thing*. The visit is not about the service and getting everything right. Jesus himself is the *one thing* necessary; Mary has placed herself at his feet to be with him and listen to his words. We can only imagine the things she learned by sitting beside Jesus at that time. Jesus' response to Martha is one of re-centering her. He names her frustrations and gently reminds her of what is of real value.

The encounter in today's Gospel underlines how God is present with us even now. The *one thing* necessary has not changed; we still can and should find in Christ everything we need in the midst of our cares and worries. While we might feel anxious about many things like Martha, God is here in our midst. When we feel as though there is not enough time in the day, God is here. When we feel as though we cannot live up to expectations, God is here. When we feel there is no hope for a situation, God is still here. He is with us, with a compassionate heart, attuned to our every need.

As we continue our Mass, we remember God's presence in the Eucharist. God abundantly offers himself to us at every Mass, no matter what anxieties or worries are in our hearts. Let us praise him for his generosity and remain, in gratitude, at his feet.

Blessings,

Fr. Tad

Mass Intentions

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Sunday, July 20	8:30 AM	Mary Sheehan †
Sunday, July 20	10:30 AM	Open
Tuesday, July 22	8:00 AM	No Mass
Wednesday, July 23	8:00 AM	No Mass
Thursday, July 24	8:00 AM	No Mass
Friday, July 25	8:00 AM	No Mass
Saturday, July 26	4:00 PM	All parishioners

Prayer Requests & Special Intentions

Our Community Lifting Each Other in Prayer

Carmen Leyton, Chris Antoinette, Jani Riffe, Celerina Agathe Thompson, Samuel Arredondo, Sharon Slone, Alenda Kinder, Sungkey Leo Paik, Agnelo Correia, Shiny Kuriakose, Aleena Kuriakose, Evana Kuriakose, Mary McMahan, Mya Janelle Ortiz, Rosemary McLaughlin, Devesh Kumar, Zenaida Corona, Ken Kurre, Jennifer Buntich, Ron Meeker, Ana & Christian, Marilyn Deel, Leilani Molina, Linda Ronsse, Mary Becker, Bronson Phillips, Sal Gaeta, Myrna Samonte, Mary Ann Fox, Ben Keith, Margarita Maria Suarez, Rose Flowers, Sean Banchemero, Fred Banchemero, Jack Williams, Pat Mayer, Bob Nigh, Michael Haugh, Todd Ericson, Tracy Riffe, Carolyn Hackett, Matt Cesario.

To add a name to the Prayer List **OR** remove, please contact the Parish Office: churchstanthony@dsj.org

ANOINTING & CARE OF THE SICK

- † If you or someone you know is preparing for surgery, received a recent serious medical diagnosis, or is experiencing the burden of years, please call the Parish Office for Anointing of the Sick.
- † Communion can be brought to anyone who is ill or homebound through our Pastoral Care Ministers **or** upon request **by Fr. Tad on the First Friday of the month.** Please call the Parish Office for more information.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday:	Gn 18:1-10a/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 5 (1a)/Col 1:24-28/Lk 10:38-42
Monday:	Ex 14:5-18/Ex 15:1bc-2, 3-4, 5-6/Mt 12:38-42
Tuesday:	Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18
Wednesday:	Ex 16:1-5, 9-15/Ps 78:18-19, 23-24, 25-26, 27-28/Mt 13:1-9
Thursday:	Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56/Mt 13:10-17
Friday:	2 Cor 4:7-15/Ps 126:1bc-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6/Mt 20:20-28
Saturday:	Ex 24:3-8/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15/Mt 13:24-30

OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday:	16 th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday:	St. Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest and Doctor of the Church
Tuesday:	St. Mary Magdalene
Wednesday:	St. Bridget, Religious
Thursday:	St. Sharbel Makhlūf, Priest
Friday:	St. James, Apostle
Saturday:	Sts. Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary



What's happening this week

Monday, July 21	
Tuesday, July 22	7-8 PM Choir Practice (8:30 Mass)
Wednesday, July 23	7-8 PM Choir Practice (10:30 AM)
Thursday, July 24	
Friday, July 25	
Saturday, July 26	

MASS ETIQUETTE

- Remember to **silence**, turn off, and put away your cell phones, tablets, and gaming devices prior the start of Mass.
- Remember **not to chew a gum** in the church, especially during Mass.
- Keep in mind the **Communion fast** – we are to fast from food and drink (water and medicine excluded) one hour before receiving Holy Communion. Let us prepare our body and soul to worthily receive our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.
- When we are in the church (specifically in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament), we should keep our volume to a reverential whisper, if conversation is necessary. This is **to promote prayer** to prepare our hearts and minds for Mass. Thank you for your mindfulness.

CHOOSE
THE
BETTER
PART



By Johannes Vermeer: Christ in the House of Martha and Mary - Google Arts & Culture - twiZsm7W0c5kA, Public Domain.

July 20, 2025

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gn 18:1-10a | Col 1:24-28 | Lk 10:38-42

Written by
THE
FAITHFUL
DISCIPLE

GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE

Are you a Martha or a Mary? How many times have we been presented with that question when we hear today's Gospel reading? At first ask, similar to many people, I would answer that I'm easily a Martha. I'm a perfectionist in many areas of my life, especially when it comes to my work or when I host dinner for friends and family. In those moments, I put a lot of pressure on myself to be the best I can be, to do the job well, and demonstrate the utmost hospitality. But as with Martha, too much focus on being "perfect" can cause worry and anxiety. But this year, hearing the story again, I realized something: There *are* times when I'm able to put those worries and anxieties aside and sit at the feet of Jesus just like Mary did, and I want to make that happen more often.

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

Although it has been several weeks since we celebrated the Sacred Triduum and we are back in Ordinary Time, the realization that I can be more like Mary than Martha has stayed with me. During the Triduum, we are asked by the Church to maintain a time of prayer, reverence, and, particularly on Holy Saturday, silence, as we reflect on Christ's death. This has always been the one time a year when I am able to find my "inner Mary" and sit at the feet of Christ. I thought the only way to do that was to completely shut myself off from everything, but that is not how God wants to be present in our lives. He wants to be with us always and seeks us where we are. With that realization, I learned that I can sit at his feet during my times of work or bustling as well. It can be as simple as listening to prayers on an app or praise and worship music while cooking dinner, or saying a prayer before I sit down to complete the next task at work and asking Jesus to be with me. This is a start to being more like Mary even during my busy periods. And by finding my inner "Mary," I find Jesus. So can you.

PRAY

Read through the Gospel again. Don't assume you have to stay stuck in the rhythm of being "Martha" when you know you long for a closer relationship with Jesus. Life is full of busyness and seemingly endless tasks, but being perfect will not bring calm. But inviting Jesus into those busy moments will. And when you do, Jesus will calm any anxieties you may have because you have "chosen the better part and it will not be taken from [you]."

Ministry Recognition

Father Tad wishes to thank all persons involved in the many liturgical and devotional, catechetical, outreach, social, administrative and maintenance ministries of the parish. Your selfless, dedicated service is very much appreciated and is vital to our parish operation and faith mission. We are so blessed to have a community of such caring people. If you are not yet involved in a ministry and would like to be, please let us know.

Recently, the Diocese of San Jose recognized persons with notable service in the liturgical and catechetical ministries of the Church. Recipients were those currently active in liturgical or catechetical ministry and had completed ten or more years of continuous service in the Catholic Church, with recognition acknowledged in five-year increments thereafter. St. Anthony was among the top awarded parishes, having forty-nine persons receiving recognition for liturgical or catechetical service, or both—many serving for 25 years or more!

St. Paul X Liturgical Service Recognition

The persons below have been recognized for their outstanding service in the Liturgical Ministry of the Church. Liturgical service includes: lectors and Mass notes administration, sacristans, Eucharistic ministers, ushers, greeters, musicians, and persons who create the environment and care for linens.

10-15 Years	20 Years	25+ Years
Dave Adams : 10	Ken Brock : 20	Helene Eichler : 25
Dede Adams : 10	Faye Careway : 20	Cathy Farnsworth : 25
Alex Baretta : 10	Hal Careway : 20	Jason Sekab : 25
Gary Borges : 10	Helen Han : 20	Dick Svec : 25
Therese Dao : 10	Barbara Hawthorne : 20	Pauline Golitz : 30
Vince Duong : 10	Vince Macaluso : 20	Corinne Jarrett : 30
Lucia Tanzil : 10	Bertha Minnihan : 20	Betty Ko : 30
Tj The : 10	Mark Minnihan : 20	Patti Rottjakob : 30
Barbara Wadors : 10	Gary Rummelhoff : 20	Tom Cronan : 35
Ken Wadors : 10	Jean Rummelhoff : 20	Mary Maassen : 35
Kristina Bejinez : 15	Jess Votaw : 20	Marilyn McMahon : 35
Vicki DeMaio : 15	Katrina Votaw : 20	Tonine Nielsen : 35
Dawn Georgiou : 15	John Zent : 20	Kitty Rout : 35
Douglas Jackson : 15	William Zillman : 20	Denise DeLong : 40
Harry Lam: 15		Liz Meehan : 40
Jerry Wells : 15		Terry Meehan : 40
		Jim DeLong : 45
		Leo Hartung : 45
		Mary Alice Hillman : 45

St. Pius VI Catechetical Service Recognition

The persons below have been recognized for their outstanding service in the Catechetical Ministry of the Church. Catechetical service includes: catechists and RCIA leaders, bible study leaders, faith group leaders, and persons involved in marriage and baptismal preparation.

10-15 Years	20 Years	30 Years
Alex Baretta : 10 years	Dave Adams : 20 years	Liz Meehan : 30 years
Faye Careway : 15 years	Dede Adams : 20 years	Terry Meehan : 30 years
Hal Careway : 15 years	Gary Rummelhoff : 20 years	Patti Rottjakob : 30 years
Katrina Votaw : 15 years	Jean Rummelhoff : 20 years	

SUNDAY COLLECTION WEEK:
7/13/2025

Giving Method

Cash \$ 564

Checks \$ 4,425

Online \$ 1,362

Collection Total \$ 6,351

Weekly Budgeted Collection \$ 7,692

This week's collection is under by \$ 1,341

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION –
NEW CONFIRMATION PRO-
GRAM THIS FALL

Religious Education Classes for children at Saint Anthony Parish **start at the beginning of September.** Please, sign-up your children.

We are also pleased to announce a new CONFIRMATION PRO-GRAM starting THIS FALL (7th grade and older). We ask the parents to register your children for Confirmation. Forms are available in the parish office, in the vestibule and on the church website. The cost is \$80 per child.

If you have any questions, please call **Katrina Votaw** at (408) 927- 8224.

We hope your children will join us this year!!

AVAILABLE NOW!

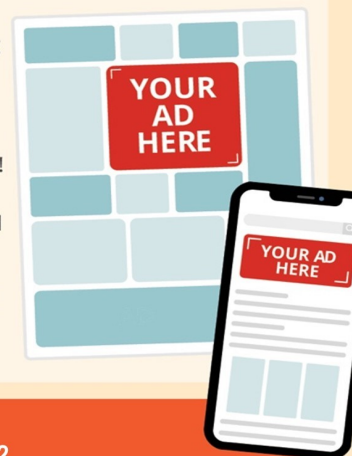
PRINT & DIGITAL AD SPACES

The Support of Your Business is Greatly Appreciated

Joanne Sullins from LPi, our bulletin printer, will be securing new ads for our church in the coming weeks. It is the support of the business community that helps to make our church thrive. Please consider purchasing a print and/or digital ad as your participation makes our bulletin successful, and you attract customers!

Church bulletin advertising is a cost-effective way to advertise 52 times per year and show support for your local community; in turn, parishioners will support you!

Digital advertising allows your business to be front and center to anyone who visits a church profile page on ParishesOnline.com — that's approximately 500,000 page views per month!



Joanne Sullins
(800) 950-9952x2662



Welcome to St. Anthony Catholic Church! We are so glad you joined us today.

Welcome

Would you like to register or learn more about our community? We would love to connect with you.

Your Name: _____

Date: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Preferred method of contact:

Home Phone: _____

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