St. Anthony Catholic Parish



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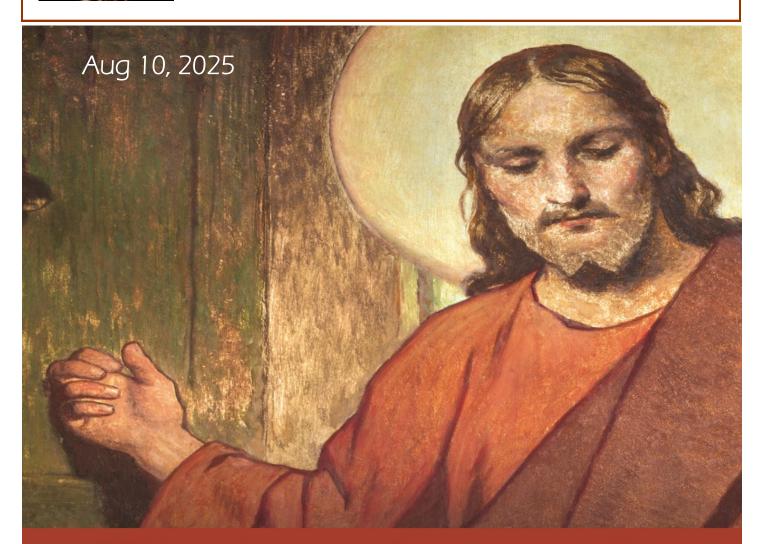
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19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"Be sure of this: if the master of the house had known the hour when the thief was coming, he would not have let his house be broken into. You also must be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come." - Lk 12:39-40

Parish Staff

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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 <u>churchstanthony@dsj.org</u>. *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





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 churchstantho-ny@dsj.org

Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

We are the servants and God is our master. He has told us His will, and given us all that we need to carry out His directions. Do we have the courage to act as our master desires? Do we have what it takes to be stewards of God's grace?

Liturgical Life

CATHOLIC

Mini Reflection: We all love a message about The Right Thing To Do. We all love when a priest or a nun or any Catholic with a microphone gets up and talks about the truth. We rise to our feet and applaud. And then, too often, we take a deep breath and walk to our car and forget all about it — because we think they were talking to someone else.

Are You Talking to Me?

Last summer I was at the National Eucharistic Congress when Fr. Mike Schmitz delivered an impassioned call to repentance in his keynote address during an evening revival session. The crowd received his message with great enthusiasm. Their applause and the cheers shook the Lucas Oil Stadium.

The next night, Sr. Josephine Garrett took the stage and, in her address, got into the nitty-gritty of what it means to be a disciple, what it means to live repentance — or, as she so beautifully put it, to *embrace the hunger*.

And in doing so, she called back to the previous night's thunderous approval of Fr. Mike's message.

"When I heard you clapping when Father said we need repentance, I was worried you thought he was talking about your neighbor's repentance," she said. "He is not."

In other words: he's talking about your repentance.

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And then, too often, we take a deep breath and walk to our car and forget all about it — because we think they were talking to someone else. You know...the *others*. The ones who need to hear it. The ones who aren't being vigilant.

In today's Gospel, Peter asks Jesus, "Is this parable [of the absent master] meant for us, or for everyone?" (Luke 12:41). And Jesus answers him with a question. In so many words, he says this: "Do you want it to be for you? Are you ready to hear it?"

Whoever we are. Wherever we're from. Whatever our life looks like. However we pray. He's talking to us.

Are we ready to hear him?

Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

Why do we do that? Catholic Life Explained

Question:

Why is it so important that we register in a parish? Isn't it good enough that we go to Mass?

Answer:

Registration is the official way we join a parish community. Many people think that because they attend a particular parish they automatically belong. At times, young adults who have moved away for years think they are still signed up under their parents. But membership requires signing up, formally enrolling yourself in a parish. Registration is a commitment to a community, a way to be included in the religious, social, and ministerial activities of your parish. Your registration affects the parish in many ways. Census numbers can determine how many priests are assigned to a church, what benefits and obligations the community has to the diocese. and how Masses, Confessions, and devotions are planned and scheduled.

Registration shows you belong. It is also necessary for certain benefits, like scheduling sacraments, obtaining sponsor certificates, and getting donation statements for taxes. Most importantly, it lets the parish count on you, to call on you to assist in its mission. Registering in your parish is a statement of faith and confidence in the life and work of your parish.



Mass Intentions

Sunday, Aug 10 8:30 AM Lucian Blazej †

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Tuesday, Aug 12 8:00 AM No Mass

Wednesday, Aug 13 8:00 AM No Mass

Thursday, Aug 14 8:00 AM No Mass

Friday, Aug 15 8:00 AM Open

Saturday, Aug 16 4:00 PM Leonard Donahue †

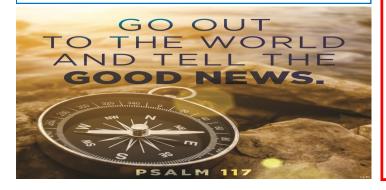


Delores Schwarz, Carmen Leyton, Chris Antoinette, Jani Riffe, Celerina Agathe Thompson, Samuel Arredondo, Sharon Slone, Alenda Kinder, Sungkey Leo Paik, Agnelo Correia, Shiny Kuriakose, Aleena Kuriakose, Evana Kuriakose, Mary McMahon, Mya Janelle Ortiz, Rosemary McLaughlin, Devesh Kumar, Zenaida Corona, 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 Banchero, Fred Banchero, 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** <u>remove</u>, please contact the Parish Office: <u>churchstanthony@dsj.org</u>

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: Wis 18:6-9/Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22 (12b)/

Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12/Lk 12:32-48

or 12:35-40

Monday: Dt 10:12-22/Ps 148:1-2, 11-12, 13, 14/Mt

17:22-27

Tuesday: Dt 31:1-8/Dt 32:3-4ab, 7, 8, 9 and 12/Mt 18:1

-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday: Dt 34:1-12/Ps 66:1-3a, 5 and 8, 16-17/Mt

18:15-20

Thursday: Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17/Ps 114:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/

Mt 18:21—19:1

Friday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2/Ps 132:6-7,

9-10, 13-14/1 Cor 15:54b-57/Lk 11:27-28 *Day:* Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab/Ps 45:10, 11,

12, 16/1 Cor 15:20-27/Lk 1:39-56

Saturday: Jos 24:14-29/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 11/Mt

19:13-15

OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: St. Clare, Virgin

Tuesday: St. Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious Wednesday: Sts. Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus, Priest,

Martyrs

Thursday: St. Maximillian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr Friday: The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Saturday: St. Stephen of Hungary



What's happening this week

Monday, Aug 10

Tuesday, Aug 12 7-8 PM Choir Practice (8:30 Mass)

Wednesday, Aug 13 7-8 PM Choir Practice (10:30 AM)

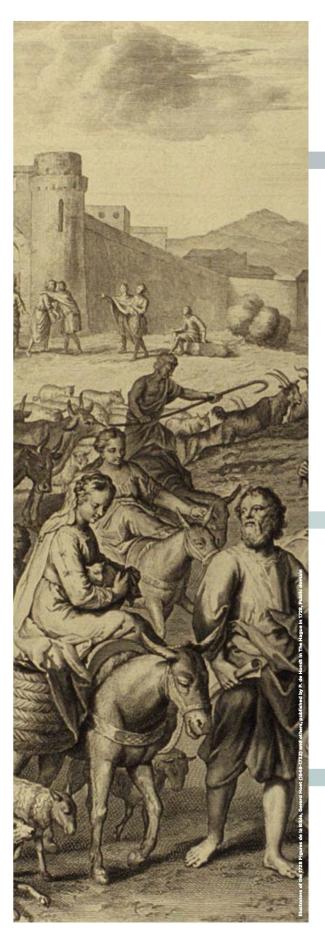
Thursday, Aug 14

Friday, Aug 15

Saturday, Aug 16

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.



August 10, 2025

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wis 18:6-9 | Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 | Lk 12:32-48

Written by
THE
FAITHFUL
DISCIPLE

GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE If we're honest with ourselves, we often want God to give us exactly what we ask for in prayer, or to provide immediate comfort in moments of need. But from the beginning, God revealed that the life of faith would entail trusting in his promises even as we wait for their final fulfilment. The example of Abraham in the second reading can be our model. We are called to emulate Abraham's obedient trust: "for he thought that the one who had made the promise was trustworthy." Throughout the Scriptures God promised his people that he would prepare a place for them. This promise propelled the Israelites through famine, exile, and agony, until God brought them to their earthly homeland. Jesus promises a new and everlasting place of rest, where we will live with God forever. We wait in joyful hope that one day he himself will bring us to our heavenly home. Amid the difficulties of life, in seasons of grief, pain, or confusion, it is easy to let doubt creep in. This is when, more than ever, we must cling to our faith, which Paul describes as "the realization of what is hoped for and evidence

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of things not seen."

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

Trusting in God, we are called to wait with hope and prepare ourselves to readily receive him when he comes. Today's Gospel from Luke provides an image for us to imitate: the faithful servant dutifully awaiting his master's return. What does Jesus say about these servants who keep close watch, always prepared for the moment their master will return? "Blessed are those servants whom the master finds vigilant on his arrival." The faithful witness of the servants in the Gospel reminds us not to overcomplicate our faith. We simply need to remain diligent in carrying out the work that God has given us to do here and now and to keep ourselves alert as we wait with patience for the coming of the Lord.

PRAY

Our faith strengthens us as we wait for the Lord — as we hold on to the radical belief that our destination is heaven, and our God keeps his promises. Wherever you find yourself on the journey today, cling to his promises! Ask for the grace for deeper trust in him and for greater faithfulness to the work of building up his kingdom as you wait for God to bring all things to their ultimate fulfillment.



FRIDAY, AUG 15 SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Please join us on Friday, Aug 15, at 8:00 AM Mass for the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

"The dogma of the Assumption states that at the end of her life, the Blessed Virgin Mary was taken, body and soul, into Heaven. The Solemnity of the Assumption reminds us of the unique role that Mary served in the process of our salvation. Although she was without sin, we have the possibility of receiving God's forgiveness for our sins through Christ. Her entry into Heaven prefigures our own hope of experiencing the same eternal life." (from the USCCB's Catholic Current bulletin insert for August 2021)

It is a holy day of obligation for Catholics.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION – NEW CONFIRMATION PROGRAM 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 PROGRAM 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 **contact katrina.votaw@gmail.com**.

We hope your children will join us this year!!

HOSPITALITY next Sunday, Aug 17

Hospitality Sunday is a great opportunity for parishioners to meet new people and build strong community relationships.

We hope to see you and your beautiful families!

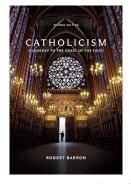


TACO NIGHT Thursday, August 21

We've had a great response to our Taco Nights this summer. Join us on **Thursday**, **August 21**, **from 5 PM** for our next fun evening.

The Taco Truck will be here with their delicious Mexican food and Esther's famous Margaritas will be available for \$5.00. Beer will be \$2.00 and there will be plenty of free chips and salsa.

We look forward to seeing you there!



BIBLE STUDY---CATHOLICISM

Join our Tuesday Bible Study group as we dive deeper into our Catholic Faith in all it's richness, history, beauty, goodness, and truth through the <u>Catholicism Study Guide</u> and the breathtaking travel videos to more than 50 locations throughout 15 countries.

The <u>Catholicism</u> series is presented by Bishop Robert Barron, an acclaimed author, speaker and theologian.

Tuesday Morning Bible Study group meets weekly 9:30A to 11:30A starting September 9.

Group Order Discount Deadline: Sunday August 17

For details & information contact Faye Careway <u>HFGENRL@COMCAST.NET</u>

SUNDAY COLLECTION WEEK: 8/03/2025

Giving Method

Cash \$ 596

Checks \$ 3,990

Online \$ 3,007

Collection Total \$ 7,593

Weekly Budgeted Collection \$ 7,692

Religious Education at St. Anthony \$ 345

This week's collection is under by \$ 99

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Thank you for your continued support!!

Mark your calendars!

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting a free pancake breakfast to our parishioners on Sunday, August 24 after the 8:30 and 10:30am Masses. The Knights are requesting help to set tables before and take down after the event. For further information contact Ken Wadors @ 408-921-1002 or kwadors@sbcglobal.net.

Outreach- Backpacks & School Supplies

Over the years, Saint Anthony Outreach has sponsored a school backpack drive for families in need. The backpacks and school supplies benefit the children of the *Amigos de Guadalupe Homework Center* in East San Jose.

The *Amigos* program is focused on breaking the cycle of poverty in our neighborhoods. The poverty experienced by the families served by *Amigos* is daunting. It is one of the most poverty-stricken neighborhoods in Santa Clara County.

Outreach has committed to donating 100 backpacks--a total cost of \$\$5,000 --to *Amigos de Guadalupe Homework Center*. Each backpack, with included supplies, costs \$50.

This year Outreach received enough monthly donations to cover the cost of the 100 backpacks with supplies. It was decided to NOT ask parishioners this year to donate \$50 dollars to the Backpack Drive.

The Outreach Committee continues to be grateful for the financial and hands-on support Saint Anthony Parishioners have given to Outreach. Without your generosity we would not be able to serve those in our community who are most in need.

A special thanks to all who helped organize, assemble and deliver the backpacks.

Blessings Always,

Outreach Committee



	Welcome to St. Anthony Catholic Church Welc			
Would you like to regis	ter or learn more about our commun	ity? We would love to connect with yo	ou.	
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