

**ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC CHURCH  
& VIETNAMESE APOSTOLATE  
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9:00 a.m. – 12 noon  
1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

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Finance Council: Isidro Castanon, Chairman  
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**MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday	January	23	6:30 p.m.	+Olegario & Margaret Vargas by Fam.
Tuesday	January	24	8:00 a.m.	Brandi Garcia in thanksgiving for her Birthday by Fam.
Wednesday	January	25	8:00 a.m.	Socorro Cruz & Fam. for well being
Thursday	January	26	8:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	+Demetrio LLanes by Rene & Wilma Galvan Holy Hour - Adoration
Friday	January	27	8:00 a.m.	James & Patsy Gibson in thanksgiving for their 51 <sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary
Saturday	January	28	6:00 p.m.	+David Ybarra by David & Ninfa Peña
Sunday	January	29	9:30 a.m.	Parish
Domingo	Enero	29	11:00 a. m.	+Manuel & Maria Uribe by Fam.

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**MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

Saturday, January 28, 2017

Sunday, January 29, 2017

6:00 p.m.

9:30 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

Sacristan:	Debbie B.	Mary K. Beard	Julia G.
EMHC:	Marina G.	Deacon V.	Julia G.
Lector:	Delfina L./Norma W.	Irene P./Nieves J.	Yanet C./Dolores L.
Altar Servers:	Daniel & Victoria C./Xavier P.	Dax J./Xavier O./Noah W./Chanh N.	Teresita & Abraham L./Emily & Juliette P.

**PARISH MISSION STATEMENT**

Prayerful reading and study of the Bible

- Deeper understanding and appreciation of the Holy Eucharist

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:** Holy Hour Thursday: 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

**BAPTISM:** By appointment. One month notice necessary.

**SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:** Six months notice necessary.

**RECONCILIATION (Confession):** Saturday 5:00 p.m. – 5:40 p.m. and by appointment

**QUINCEAÑERA:** Five months notice necessary.

**ANOINTING & COMMUNION TO THE SICK:** Call the RECTORY when a family member is sick and would like a visit or would like to receive Holy Communion, Reconciliation and Anointing of the Sick. If any family has a relative at the nursing home, homebound or admitted to the Hospital, **Please let Father know.**

**PRAY FOR OUR SICK:** Adela Farley, Maria Garcia, Miguel Zamora, Rebeca Collins, Alejandro Ramos, Hellon Holder, Amanda Hasselo, Teresa Blackwell, Leonel & Dominga Gonzalez, Douglas Hlavaty, Kathie White, Viola Duran, Gerardo Flores, Jackie Acosta, Edward Serna, Wayne Hunter, Esthela Alamia, Jay Guerrero, Helen Littlefield, Tom Navarro, Dorothy Baros, Vic Kahlich, Mary Duran, Christopher Duke, Elvira Ortiz, Debbie Barnett, Robert Swire Jr, Florence Adamitis, George Capak, Sylvia Davalos, Ramiro Arroyo Sr, Richard & Juanita Duran, Rosie Aguilar, Judy Chavez, Alexis Garcia, Charles Johnston, Stacy Watkins, Herbert Ressler, Jacob Thomas, Clint Koehn, Calvin Hill, James Milam, Esthela Vasquez, Ken Leck, Willo Rodriguez, Carolyn Into, LaNoe Gibson, Jackie & Larry Flores, Michael Fonseca, Victoria Chavez Gatica.

**Church Support for 1/15/2016..... \$ 3,568.47**  
*Thank you for your generosity! May God bless you.*  
*Gracias por su generosidad! Que Dios los bendiga.*

**Pray for those in the Military:** Lee Cink, Sharon Lamorie Jones, Steven Page, Darron May, Vincent Garcia Jr., Jorge Gonzalez, Ryan Malek, Esteban Jimenez, Angel Zamora, Noah Seaman, Ariel Robins, Bianca Pfiña, Jason Nguyen, Jason Hurtado, Henry Molina, Gilberto Hernandez.

***Celebration of the Lunar New Year  
Vietnamese Community Celebration***  
The Saint Anthony's Vietnamese Community invites everyone to their Annual New Year Celebration at the Vietnamese Community Center on **Saturday, January 28<sup>th</sup>** beginning with Mass at 10 am and a festival of food, entertainment and activities following. The food is available for dine-in or to go. **Come and celebrate the Year of the Rooster.**

**Pray for the Seminarians of the Diocese of Victoria:**  
Chase Goodman, James Dvorak, Ryan Kapavik, Deacon Stephen Vacek, Deacon Jacob Mendoza, Dalton Ervi, Nick Aparicio, Jordan Morgan, Tran Dinh, Philippe Dubourdieu, Aaron Padilla.

***St. Anthony's 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Winter Gala***  
**February 18<sup>th</sup>, 2017**  
Family Center, 1004 Magnusson, Palacios, TX.  
Social 6:30 pm doors open at 6:15  
Dinner: 7:00 pm  
Dance: 8:00 pm  
No outside alcohol, must be 21 or older to attend  
For preferential seating tickets must be paid for Thursday, February 16<sup>th</sup>.  
Food, drinks are provided and there will be a silent auction as well. Tickets are \$50 each and all proceeds go to our parish support to the services provided by our diocese.  
**Tickets are now available for purchase (\$100 per couple/\$50 per person).**

**Adopt a Flower bed...** St. Anthony's needs your help to keep the church flower beds beautiful. Anyone interested in adopting an area to maintain once or twice a month please contact the church office.

**Job Opening...** The diocese of Victoria has an opening for a Human Resources Director. A degree in HR Management is preferred or related experience. Position reports to the CFO. For qualifications, job description, and application, visit: [www.victoriadiocese.org](http://www.victoriadiocese.org). The closing date to apply is January 31.

**First Communion Classes for Older Students**  
Class for the Older students will begin on Sunday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>, at 5:00 pm. A sign-in sheet will be at the back of the church, Classes will be every Sunday. It is important that your child attend Religious Education Classes regularly and most important that they attend Mass.

**Catholic Daughters Rosary for Life....** On Sunday, January 22, 2017, the Catholic Daughters Court Our Lady of the Sea # 2133 will commemorate the 44<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Supreme Court decision, Roe vs. Wade, allowing the legalization of abortion in the United States. Members will lead St. Anthony's parishioners in a Rosary for Life before the 9:30 a.m. Mass. After the Mass, CDA Members will lay flowers at the Monument for Those Lost to Abortion on the East side of the Church. Parishioners are invited to process with CDA Members to the Monument and observe a few moments of silent commemoration and reflection.

**CDA Texas State Court**  
**One Mile Walk/Run....Sunday, April 23, 2017**  
Monies raised will be donated to: Missions of Mercy(MOM) and Texas State Projects see flyer on bulletin Board. If you would like to support Mary Kay Beard with a donation give it to her or come by the church office.

**Looking for a Special Way to Begin the New Year with Your Spouse? How about an Enrichment Retreat for Marriages??** Fr. Gary Janak and Fr. Michael Rother, along with several married couples, will be sponsoring a special weekend for married couples. *Choosing to L.O.V.E.* is a retreat for couples seeking to enrich their marital commitment by focusing on what brought their covenant into existence – their marriage vows. It is not a weekend for couples experiencing serious problems in their relationship, but for couples seeking to be faithful to their marriage vows and desiring to strengthen the core of who they are as husband and wife. The retreat will be held in Palacios, on February 10-12<sup>th</sup>, 2017. Space is limited. The cost for the retreat is \$250 per couple, which includes lodging, food, and materials. Application forms are available at the parish offices of The Cathedral of Our Lady of Victory and St. Philip in El Campo, or by emailing [jvincent@olvcathedral.org](mailto:jvincent@olvcathedral.org).