

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

Website: www.stanthonypalacios.org

Finance Council: Isidro Castanon, Chairman
Building Committee: Joe Kana, Scott Tran, Chairman

MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday	February	12	6:30 p.m.	+Jose & Anselmo Herrera by Aurora Herrera G.
Tuesday	February	13	8:00 a.m.	Father's Intentions
Wednesday	February	14	8:00 a.m.	ASH WEDNESDAY/MIERCOLES DE CENIZA 12(noon),5:30pm spanish,7:00 pm.
Thursday	February	15	8:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	Father's Intentions Holy Hour – Adoration
Friday	February	16	8:00 a.m.	Ron Chavez in thanksgiving for his Birthday by Fam.
Saturday	February	17	6:00 p.m.	Isabel Smith in thanksgiving for her 98 th Birthday by Fam.
Sunday	February	18	9:30 a.m.	Parish
Domingo	Febrero	18	11:00 a.m.	+Raul Sotero P. & Leonel Gonzalez by Fam.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday, February 17, 2018

Sunday, February 18, 2018

6:00 p.m.

9:30 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

Sacristan:	Bonnie V.	Mary K. Beard	Julia G.
EMHC:	Deacon V.	Deacon V.	Julia G.
Lector:	Bobbie K./Jeanette A.	Irene P./Mike W.	Yanet C./Gudalupe G.
Altar Servers:	Shayne & Madelyne W./Greenlie J.	Avery & Abigail A./Robert S./Chanh N.	Abraham & Teresita L./Reyna F./Yoselin Ch.

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 - Every 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, Alejandro Ramos, Hellon Holder, Amanda Hasselo, Teresa Blackwell, Dominga Gonzalez, Douglas Hlavaty, Kathie White, Viola Duran, Gerardo Flores, Helen Littlefield, Tom Navarro, Dorothy Baros, Robert Swire Jr, George Capak, Charles Johnston, Stacy Watkins, Herbert Ressler, Clint Koehn, Elvira Contreras, Francisco Javier Campos, Bobbie Garcia Sr., Beba Estrello, Bill Kubecka, Brandon Janak, Cathy Mccay, Ramon Guerrero Jr, Dian Strogram, Jack Harris, Greg Comer, Elyssa Garcia, Juan Contreras, Vickie Peña, Ginger Rose Nutt, Debbie Reyna, Jayden Juarez, Sandra Digiovanni, LaNoe Gibson, George Junek, Nick Garcia.

If you would like to add or remove someone from the prayer list, please call the church office at 361-972-2446.

Pray for those in the Military: Sharon Lamorie Jones, Steven Page, Darron May, Vincent Garcia Jr., Jorge Gonzalez, Ryan Malek, Angel Zamora, Noah Seaman, Bianca Piña, Jason Nguyen, Jason Hurtado, Henry Molina, Gilberto Hernandez, G. Adrian Ortiz, Emilio Garcia, Harleigh Gibson.

Pray for the Seminarians of the Diocese of Victoria: Chase Goodman, James Dvorak, Ryan Kapavik, Dalton Ervin, Nick Aparicio, Jordan Morgan, Tran Dinh, Philippe Dubourdieu, Aaron Padilla, Scott Dornak, Luke Prihoda.

**Friday Lenten Fish & Shrimp Fry
Friday, February 16 & 23 March 2, 9 & 23**



St. Anthony will be having our annual Lent Fish & Shrimp Fry on the Fridays of Lent. All parishioners are encouraged to donate a baked item to the Fish Fry. We will also need adult & High School youth volunteers to peel and clean the fish & shrimp at the Family Center on Friday morning at 9:00

a.m. We will be cooking the fish & shrimp around 2:30 pm and we will need help to serve at 4:00 pm

Catholic Daughters Education Contest & Meeting



Categories: Essay, Poetry, Art & Computer Art. Due in Church Office by February 13, 2018. Forms and Themes located at the back of the church or in the church office. Questions, contact

Chairman Angie Castanon 361-972-6678.



Disciples on the Journey:
Booklets are available at the church office.

*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, February 17th 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 dog.

Church Support for 2/4/2018.....\$ 3,688.06
*Thank you for your generosity! May God bless you.
Gracias por su generosidad! Que Dios los bendiga*



FEBRUARY 14th, 2018

MASS SCHEDULE

8:00 am, 12:00(noon), 5:30 pm (Spanish), 7:00 pm.

Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of the Lenten Season. Ashes will be imposed on our foreheads as sign of repentance.

ALL RELIGIOUS EDUCATION STUDENTS MUST ATTEND MASS-THIS IS THEIR CLASS.

There will be a second collection for the Aid to Church in Europe on February 14th (ASH WEDNESDAY)

FRIDAYS OF LENT

STATIONS OF THE CROSS:

ENGLISH 6:00 pm - SPANISH 7:00 pm

A SECOND COLLECTION WILL BE TAKEN AT ALL WEEKEND MASSES DURING LENT FOR THE RICE BOWL.

GUIDELINES FOR LENTEN OBSERVANCE

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday: are days of fast and abstinence.
Fridays during Lent - are days of abstinence.



Fasting - binds all persons who have completed their 18th birthday through those who have completed their 59th year, unless prevented by poor health. On days of fast, one full meal is allowed. Two other meals sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to one's own needs.

Eating between meals is not allowed although fluids may be taken.

Abstinence - binds all persons who have completed their 14th birthday, unless prevented by poor health. On days of abstinence, the consumption of meat is not allowed. The Church strongly encourages the observance of Friday abstinence, but failure to do so is not regarded as sinful.