

Abril 29, 2018  
QUINTO DOMINGO DE PASCUA - CICLO B



**Sunday 29** †Cecilia & Louis Faranetta  
8:00am †Elias B. Carrasco  
(Eng-Po) †Dora Olivencia

10:00am †Gladys Labois  
\*Por la Salud de Luis Ortiz Bermúdez

11:30am †Louise Gaul  
(Eng-Ital) \*For My Deceased Friends

**Monday 30** Santa Misa/Mass  
7:00pm †Almas del Purgatorio

**Tuesday 1** Santa Misa/Mass  
7:00pm †Almas del Purgatorio

**Wednesday 2** Rosary/Santo Rosario - en Familia

**Thursday 3** Santa Misa/Mass  
7:00pm †Almas del Purgatorio

**Friday 4** Santo Viacrucis - en Familia

**Saturday 5**  
8:00am Novena a María Auxiliadora  
9:00am First Communion/Primera Comunion  
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Theresa Oddo, Giuseppina Vicari, Susana Calzada,  
Ana Sanchez, Maria Carmen y Angela Maldonado,  
Concetta DePasquale, Maria Isabel Reyes,  
Josephine Pellegrino, Mrs. Occhipinti, JoRiley DeAngelis,  
Rizzel Flores-Luna, Flor Lozano, Victoria Then,  
Susana Beltran, Ligia Martinez, Lucila Herrera de  
Manrique, Domingo Rivas, Maria Iozzia, Andry Prado,  
John Zisa & Rosemary Brandt

In Loving Memory of  
Cecilia & Louis Faranetta  
From the Family

~In Loving Memory of~

Rocco, Robert and  
Thomas Casaletto  
Peter Oddo  
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Eleanor and Joseph  
Pasquariello  
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Alois Family  
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Vincent Bracigliano  
~  
Fred Ardis, Rose,  
Clotilda & Anthony Roma  
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Millie George  
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Rocco Brescia  
~  
Mary Franco

April 29, 2018, Fifth Sunday of Easter - Cycle B

*Saint Anthony of Padua R. C. Church*

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Ms. Maria L. Yee, Secretary  
Mr. Starli Castaños, Seminarian  
Mrs. Escari Tucker, Director of Religious Education  
Miss Diane Aguilar, Youth Ministry

**Office Hours:**

Monday & Tuesday: 8:30am - 2:00pm  
Wed: 8:30am-1:30pm Thurs: 8:30am-11:30am

Music: Carlos Castera

Trustees: Mina Dias

Grupo de Oración/Prayer Group:  
Lunes/Mondays - 7:00pm(Español)  
Novena al Divino Niño: 3º Jueves después de misa

Otros Grupos:  
Movimiento Parroquial Juan XXIII -Viernes -7:30pm  
Youth Group: J-Squad Thursdays after 7:00pm Mass

*Together Evangelizing Our Families*

We welcome new parishioners to St. Anthony's  
Please fill out form below:

New Parishioner

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

*Please drop in collections basket or Rectory mailbox*

**Masses:**

Sunday: 8:00am English/Portuguese  
10:00am Español  
11:30am English/Italian

Monday: 7:00pm Español  
Tuesday: 7:00pm Español  
Thursday: 7:00pm Español  
Padre Pio Mass: 7:00pm 3rd Tuesday of the Month

Holy Rosary/Santo Rosario: Saturday: 8:00am  
Wednesday: 7:00pm

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

Thursdays: 6:00pm to 7:00pm  
\*Santo Viacrucis: Viernes a las 7:00pm



**SACRAMENTS**

**Baptism/Bautismo**  
Third Friday of the Month: Baptismal Instructions at 6:00pm in English  
Cuarto Viernes de Mes: Instrucción Bautismal a las 6:00pm en español  
Third Saturday of the Month: Baptism at 2:00pm in English  
Cuarto Sabado de Mes: Bautismo a las 1:00pm en Español

**Reconciliation (Confession) - Confesiones**

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday after Mass  
Lunes, Martes y Jueves despues de Misa

**Confirmation** 2nd, 3rd & 4th year of High School

**Anointing** of the seriously sick and elderly. Please call the Rectory.

**Marriage:** Engaged couples must contact a Parish Priest of St. Anthony's about one year before the proposed wedding date. The Pre-Cana instructions required by the Diocese must be completed by every couple.

**Homebound** and unable to come to Mass on Sunday? Call the Rectory and Communion will be brought to your home.

**FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER, CYCLE B**

**An appreciation for humor, irony, and laughter are authentic signs of a Christian, I believe,** since we are only able to truly laugh—to laugh with joy, not the nervous bluster of the arrogant or insecure—because in Jesus Christ we see the definitive answer to the otherwise confounding inanity and tragedy that so often mark our world. The frustrations, sufferings, embarrassments, and missteps that leave many people who have no faith despondent can be seen by Christian believers as part of the irony of human existence.

**We have the chance to see a bit of “divine humor” in today’s readings** when Paul, having just made one of the most dramatic religious conversions in history, from Pharisaical Judaism to Christianity, struggles to find acceptance among his new Christian fellows. “When Saul arrived in Jerusalem he tried to join the disciples, but they were all afraid of him, not believing that he was a disciple” (Acts 9:26). One can hardly blame those who shunned Paul’s first inroads into the Church community; after all, till recently, he had been an energetic persecutor of these very same Christians. Still, his situation has something of a tragi-comic cast to it as he tries to meet and affirm new friends in Christ while they desperately flee from him. Some earnest intervention from Barnabas saved the day for Paul, and he eventually became a pillar of the early Christian Church.

**The humor we might find in Paul’s plight in Jerusalem gives us a chance to reflect on coming into the Church and the way we are welcomed when we try to do so.** Catholics are rightly proud of our home parishes and churches, our schools, our Altar Guilds, Men’s Clubs, and our CYO leagues, all of which ought to remind us of the catholicity

and universality of the Church. Yet we may have experienced less than an opened-armed welcome at one point or another when joining a new parish or a group within our parish. Catholics are famous for this sort of territoriality, which is very often built on lines of ethnic identity and which can be seen in the proliferation of small Catholic churches in an ethnically rich area like our own.

**A sure way to celebrate our rightful Catholic identity** and to make sure that it does not become parochial or unwelcoming is to see to it that our identity is rooted first in Christ, “the true vine” (John 15:1) and then in the more particular cultural or regional expressions of our Christian identity. This proper ordering of values gives the Church its catholicity—the unity in diversity that has been part and parcel of its existence from the earliest days and which continues to strengthen the Church today.

**The “mark” of catholicity (do you remember the four “marks” of the Church?)** should be kept in mind both when we graft ourselves onto a new branch of the Church by joining a new parish or Catholic organization, and when we encounter others trying to make their way in the Church. If we do this faithfully we show that we properly understand the relationship between Christ, the vine, and the many branches that make up his living body, the Church. Welcoming others into the Church is eventually part of the experience of every Catholic, and doing so consciously is a sharing in the apostolic work Paul himself began with great difficulty in Jerusalem. His evangelical efforts eventually paid off in spite of his humorous misadventures, and ours will be sure to “bear much fruit” (John 15:8) if we keep our eyes centered on Christ the true vine.



**First Confession**  
Our children will receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation on May 1st at 5:00 pm  
**Primera Confesión**  
Nuestros niños recibirán el Sacramento de la Reconciliación el 1 de mayo a las 5:00pm



**First Communion** will take place on Saturday, May 5th at 9:00 am. Come celebrate with us as our children receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion. Following the Prayer after Communion, the children will Crown our Blessed Mother.  
**Primera Comunión:** Acompáñenos el 5 de mayo a las 9:00am, con nuestros niños, ellos recibirán el Sacramento de la Comunión. Después de la Oración de la Comunión, los niños Presentarán y Coronarán a la Virgen María.

**Solemnidad de la Ascensión del Señor**  
Miércoles, 9 de Mayo a las 7:00pm  
**The Ascension of the Lord**  
Wednesday, May 9th at 7:00pm

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION REGISTRATION IN PROCESS AFTER 10:00am SUNDAY MASS**  
Religious Education starts in September 2018. Registrations for all Programs: Candidates for Confirmation; 1st and 2nd Year for First Holy Communion and RCIA. \$60.00 registration. Any questions, call Escari Tucker at 973-742-9695 x12

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Registración para las clases de educación religiosa todo los domingo despues de la misa de las 10:00am con Escari Tucker. Inscripciones para todos los programas: Candidatos para la confirmación; 1º y 2º año para la primera communion y RCIA. Las clases comienzan en Septiembre. Inscripción \$60.00. Cualquier pregunta por favor llame a Escari Tucker 973-742-9595 x12

**NADA ES IMPOSIBLE PARA DIOS**  
**Concierto/Oración**

**GLENDA GHERMANA**  
Grupos de Oración "Jesus Nuestra Esperanza" DOCESES DE PATERSON

**JUEVES, 10 DE MAYO 2018**

**HORA: 7PM**  
**LUGAR: Saint Anthony of Padua**  
138 Beech St, Paterson, NJ  
**DONACION: \$20**

**INFORMACION y BOLETOS:**  
Alfredo: 862.944.9969  
Manuel: 973.220.9710  
Lidia: 201.887.5065

**ESTACIONAMIENTO DISPONIBLE**

**JOIN US IN THE GYM FOR OUR BREAKFAST SALE ON SUNDAYS AFTER MASS VENTA DE DESAYUNO LOS DOMINGOS DESPUÉS DE MISA EN EL GIMNASIO.**

| Week of:<br>Apr 16th – Apr 22nd<br>Collections | First<br>Collection | Second<br>Collection | Total<br>Collection |
|------------------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| Monday 4/16                                    | \$ 13.00            | —                    | \$ 13.00            |
| Tuesday 4/17                                   | \$ 20.00            | —                    | \$ 20.00            |
| Thursday 4/19                                  | \$ 62.00            | —                    | \$ 62.00            |
| Wedding 4/21                                   | \$ 119.00           | —                    | \$ 119.00           |
| Sunday 8:00am                                  | \$ 283.00           | \$ 68.00             | \$ 351.00           |
| Sunday 10:00am                                 | \$1,108.00          | \$ 271.00            | \$ 1,379.00         |
| Sunday 11:30am                                 | \$ 378.00           | \$ 112.00            | \$ 490.00           |
| Mail                                           | \$ 20.00            | —                    | \$ 20.00            |
| <b>Total Collection</b>                        | —                   | —                    | <b>\$2,254.00</b>   |