

Saint Anthony of Padua Church

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 13, 2017

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Rev. Oscar Martin Dominguez, Pastor
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Eucharist:

Daily: Chapel 8:30 am
Monday, Thursday: 7:00 pm (Spanish)
Saturday: 5:00 pm, 7:00 pm (Spanish)
Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:30 am, 12:00 noon (Spanish)

Next Holy Day of Obligation

August 15, 2017 Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursday: Holy Hour following 7 pm Mass
Hora Santa después de la misa 7 pm

Office Hours:

Daily (Diario) 9:00 am - 8:00 pm
Saturday (Sábado) 10:00 - 12:00 noon

Baptism/Bautizos:

Baptisms in English are the first and third Saturday of each month. Arrangements should be made one month in advance. Parents should be registered parishioners.

Los Bautizos son el 2do y 4to sábado de cada mes. Deben de pasar por la oficina para coordinar la fecha por lo menos con un mes de anticipación. Deben de estar inscritos en la parroquia para solicitar un bautismo.

Marriage/Matrimonio:

Please arrange with the priest at least one year in advance. Por favor de separar fecha con el sacerdote y un año de anticipación.

Reconciliation/Reconciliación:

Every Saturday (Cada Sábado) 4:00 PM—5:00 PM

Religious Education/Catecismo:

English: Sunday at 9:00 am in the Grammar school
Español: Sábado a las 10:00 am se reúnen en la cafetería de la escuela.

Sponsorship/Godparent Certificates

You must be an **active parishioner** for at least 6 months to receive a Certificate of eligibility to be a sponsor or godparent.

Debe ser un **feligrés activo** durante al menos 6 meses para recibir un certificado de elegibilidad para ser un patrocinador o padrino.

Staff:

Ms. Rose Perone, Trustee & English Rel. Ed.
Mrs. Mary Wilk, Parish Secretary
Mrs. Teresa Marin, Spanish Rel. Ed.
Mr. Will Villanueva, Trustee
Mr. Edwin Lopez, Altar Servers



MISSION STATEMENT

St. Anthony of Padua Parish is committed to the Celebration of God's presence among His people through meaningful, well prepared liturgy, prayerful gatherings, evangelization and faith formation. We recognize and welcome the richness of our culturally and ethnically diverse community. We strive to nurture and develop these differences by encouraging all our brothers and sisters to share their gifts so we may strengthen our community and become one.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR AUGUST 12, 2017 TO AUGUST 19, 2017

SATURDAY (August 12) Weekday

8:30 ANGELINA & FRANK MADORMA/Sterio Family
 5:00 SALVATORE & DOMENICA LAFACE/
 Domenic & Maria LaFace
 7:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY (August 13) Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 CONCEPCION NAVARRETE/Angela
 10:30 ALFONSO DI COSMO/Wife, Margherita &
 Children
 12:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

MONDAY (August 14) St. Maximilian Kolbe

8:30 MARIO PATERNOSTER/Wife, Amelia & Son
 6:00 PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
 7:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

TUESDAY (August 15) THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

8:30 PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
 7:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

WEDNESDAY (August 16) Weekday

8:30 ANTHONY & MARIE BELLUSCIO/Franklin &
 Susan Belluscio

THURSDAY (August 17) Weekday

8:30 ONOFRIO CHILLEMI/Antonia Chillemi
 7:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

FRIDAY (August 18) Weekday

8:30 SOULS IN PURGATORY/ Jim & Cathy Leggett
 6:00 NATALE GUARDINO/Daughter Pietra Guardino

SATURDAY (August 19) Weekday

8:30 GRACE & LEO FIERRO/Sterio Family
 5:00 MARY & PIETRO PIGA/Children & Grandchildren
 7:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY (August 20) Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 FRANK BUDDY COLICCHIO/Misdea Family
 10:30 GIUSEPPE & IOLANDA DI FLURI/
 Daughter Antonietta Merola
 12:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

Our Weekly Offering		OUR OFFERTORY COLLECTION is shown below.	
		We sincerely thank all those parishioners and friends who contributed to the parish.	
		Be assured that the Lord will never be outdone in rewarding those who give even a glass of water in His Name.	
Weekly Offering		Assessment	
5:00 PM	342	5:00 PM	92
7:00 PM	605	7:00 PM	729
8:00 AM	400	8:00 AM	257
10:30 AM	605	10:30 AM	171
12:00 Noon	1,640	12:00 Noon	832
Mail	60	Mail	272
Total	3,652	Total	2,353



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH, especially:

Carmen Alava	Leonarda Merlo
Louise Barile	James D. Milazzo
Oran Bryant	Carmen Mistichelli
Karen Bulloch	Carlos Moran
Caterina Campbell	Declan Rocco O'Connor
Isaac Castañeda	Robergeau Paul
Orlando Chavez	Maria Perdomo
Wayne Cook	Laura Philipone
Mary Cusmano	Frank Pierre
Leonor Sepulveda De Devia	Anne Piga
Marianna Dubell	Raul Atilio Portillo
Maria Espinoza	Carmen Fojo Prieto
Mario Fronzoni	Edith Quijada
Denise Griest	Endy Quijada
Ann Harris	Oscar Eduardo Ramirez
Jared Leonardo Henao	Sergio Ricciardi
Jacob Hinman	Angel Rivera
Joshua Hinman	Isadora Rodriguez
Annette Irizarry Jacome	Magdalena Rodriguez
Joseph B. Jean-Mary	John Ruela
Michelle Johnson	Maria Saavedra
Lindsay LaMarre	Salvatore Saluccio
John Lapolla	Hugo Santa Maria
Theresa Lattanzio	Frank Tinnirella
Rosa Leon	Rosalie Tinnirella
Elvin Martinez	Angela Verlengeri
Angelo Meo	John Veltre

Pray for the Deceased **ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM, O LORD!** We remember those who have died in the peace of Christ, especially:
Frank Cuzzola and Concetta Vicari

Tuesday, August 15th, The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is a Holy Day of Obligation.

WEEKLY HOMILY / HOMILÍA SEMANAL**Nineteenth Sunday OT/Decimo Noveno Domingo T.O. Ciclo/Cycle A**

This Sunday's readings propose a fundamental question: where can we find God? The prophet of the prophets par excellence (the one who according to the Jews tradition would precede the messiah), Elijah discovers him in the gentle breeze blowing on the lawn, not in the violent and frightening hurricane, not in the earthquake that destroyed everything. In the words of St. Therese God is found in the carrying out of our daily work as if Christ himself was the recipient, in humility. But it is our nature to always look for the appearance of God in the impressive and majestic, we never look in the little, in the poor, or in our daily homework, etc. For this reason, in today's gospel, after Christ had done the multiplication of the loaves and fish, and healed so many, and after he appeared walking above the waters, the disciples got scared, first because the storms on the Galilean sea are terrible (I know this because I was there in the year 2000 for World Youth Day with the now Blessed John Paul II, and we had a tremendous storm with thunder, rain and hurricane winds, it was a terrible spectacle.) But Jesus without doubting called Peter to prove that faith is what makes us walk above the waters of death, this is the invitation Christ gives us today, although we have seen so many miracles, in those moments when Jesus looks as though he is far away and a ghost, it is just a test to give us a solid faith, God did not appear in grandiose signs but in the simplicity of everyday life.

Las lecturas de este domingo, nos ponen delante una pregunta fundamental para nuestra vida, esta es: ¿Dónde podemos encontrar a Dios? He aquí que el profeta de los profetas por excelencia (el que según la tradición Judía vendrá precediendo al Mesías), Elías lo descubre en la suave brisa que sopla sobre el césped, no en el huracán violento y tenebroso, y tampoco en el terremoto voraz que destruye todo. Como decía Santa Teresa de Lisieux, en el que hacer diario, haciéndolo como si fuera Cristo mismo el recipiente de nuestro trabajo. En la humildad. Pero en nuestra naturaleza siempre buscamos una aparición de Dios en lo majestuoso y impresionante, nunca lo buscamos en lo insignificante, en el pobre y abatido, o en los quehaceres domésticos, etc. Y por esta misma razón en el Evangelio de hoy, después de que Cristo ha hecho el milagro de la multiplicación de los panes y los peces, y muchas curaciones, cuando aparece caminando sobre las aguas, los discípulos se asustan, primero por que la tempestades en el mar de galilea son terribles (Yo lo se por que cuando estuve allí en el año 2000, en la jornada mundial de la Juventud con el ahora beato Juan Pablo II, se monto una tormenta terrible con lluvia, viento huracanado, rayos y truenos, todo un espectáculo terrible). Pero Cristo que sin dudar lo llama a Pedro para comprobar que la fe es lo que nos hace caminar por encima de las aguas de la muerte, esta es la invitación que nos hace Cristo hoy, aunque hayamos visto muchos milagros, en los momentos en que Jesús parece que pasa de largo y aparenta ser un "Fantasma," es simplemente una prueba para solidificar nuestra fe, ya que Dios no aparece con acontecimientos grandiosos sino en la sencillez del día a día. Que Dios me los bendiga siempre.

St. Anthony's Food Pantry

St. Anthony's runs a Food Pantry once a month. The next day for the Food Pantry **will be Wednesday, August 23 from 12:30-1:30 PM.** Enter through the 3rd Avenue Basement. Please bring some form of identification.

FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS

Our Food Pantry is in need of food. Please drop off your food to help feed those in need of our parish in the baskets at the back of the church or at the rectory.

Lectors for the Weekend of August 19-20, 2017Saturday, August 19

5:00 PM Mark Cosmas

7:00 PM Javier Zapata y Senon Herrera
(C: Teresa Marin)Sunday, August 20

8:00 AM Ann Ruppert

10:30 AM Julianna Cianfano

12:00 Noon Magdalena Ortiz y Esterlina Ingrid Oberg
(C: Teresa Marin)**EMHC for the Weekend of August 19-20, 2017
(Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion)**Saturday, August 19

5:00 PM Joe Gambino

7:00 PM Reina Yanes y Salomon Yanes

Sunday, August 20

8:00 AM Mary Wilk

10:30 AM Maria Agliata and Cristian Moron

12:00 Noon Miguel Hernandez, Ana Marte, Sr. Carol

Ministry to the Sick and Homebound

The parish family of St. Anthony's seeks to reach out and include the sick, the elderly, and the homebound in the life and prayers of our parish.

Please contact the parish office if someone wants to receive Communion or needs to see the priest for the sacraments of Confession and Anointing of the Sick.

WHAT I KNOW

As for me, all I know is that I know nothing.

--Socrates

Welcome/ Bienvenidos

Welcome New Parishioners! We are happy to have you with us. We would like to invite you to register at the parish office during the week. Registration is essential for sponsor/witness letters. **If you move or change your address, please call the rectory.**

¡Bienvenidos a los nuevos feligreses! Nos da mucho gusto de que estén con nosotros. Los invitamos a inscribirse en nuestra oficina entre semana. Tienen que estar inscritos para recibir cartas verificando su participación en la Iglesia.



***TUESDAY:** Novena to St. Anthony
(After 8:30 AM Mass — Chapel)

***THURSDAY:** Holy Hour after 7:00 PM Mass

***FRIDAY:** 7:30 PM Spanish Prayer Group

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading -- Elijah waits on the mountain for the LORD to pass by (1 Kings 19:9a, 11-13a).

Psalms -- Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant us Your salvation (Psalm 85).

Second Reading -- From the Israelites, with their law and the prophets, comes the Christ (Romans 9:1-5).

Gospel -- As Jesus walked on the sea, the disciples were terrified (Matthew 14:22-33).

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LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura -- Sal afuera y ponte de pie en Elcerro ante el Señor (1 Reyes 19:9a, 11-13a).

Salmo -- Señor, muéstranos tu bondad, y danos tu Salvación (Salmo 85 [84]).

Segunda lectura -- Cristo es uno de los israelitas, Quien como Dios, está por encima de todo (Romanos 9:15).

Evangelio -- Señor, si eres tú, manda que yo llegue hasta ti caminando sobre el agua (Mateo 14:22-33).

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RCIA

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is the process the Catholic Community provides to welcome adults who wish to become Catholic and to prepare adult Catholics to receive Confirmation (and when needed, First Eucharist.) Please contact the Parish for more information.

LO QUE SÉ

En cuanto a mí, sólo sé que nada sé.

--Sócrates



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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dt 10:12-22; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20;
Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday: 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 45:10-12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56

Wednesday: Dt 34:1-2; Ps 66:1-3a, 5, 8, 16-17;
Mt 18:15-20

Thursday: Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17; Ps 114:1-6;
Mt 18:21 -- 19:1

Friday: Jos 24:1-13; Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22, 24;
Mt 19:3-12

Saturday: Jos 24:14-29; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-8, 11;
Mt 19:13-15

Sunday: Is 56:1, 6-7; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8;
Rom 11:13-15, 29-32; Mt 15:21-28

FACEBOOK

Check out the St. Anthony's Facebook page (facebook.com, search "St. Anthony of Padua Elizabeth NJ") for daily scripture readings and to see an electronic version of this bulletin.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The Roman Canon, called Eucharistic Prayer I, is probably seldom heard in your parish. Some priests will choose it for at least one of the Masses of Christmas, or the Easter Vigil. Such sparing use of this prayer seems strange, especially since it was the only Eucharistic Prayer in the Latin Rite for many centuries, from as long ago as 500 right up to 1970.

In 1965, the vernacular language was approved for the canon of the Mass. Almost immediately, some experimental texts began to surface in the Netherlands, and priests began to use new Dutch texts without permission. By 1966, Pope Paul VI had set up a committee to consider whether or not it was time to approve such experimentation and extend it to non-Dutch churches. No sooner had the committee been formed than other individuals copied the Dutch by just plunging on ahead. The Dutch bishops had approved the use of the new prayers nationwide in 1968, and Flemish bishops in Belgium quickly agreed. By then, German translations of the Dutch prayers were in wide use, and before long nearly one hundred Eucharistic Prayers, all unapproved, were in circulation in France. The Vatican heard the widespread desire for more variety in Eucharistic Prayer forms, and, with the pope's approval, the process of creating new official prayers began.

--Rev. James Field, Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co.prayer

TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

Frecuentemente, los santos y santas son personas molestas que desafían tanto a los fieles como a los infieles. Tal es el caso del agustino Ezequiel Moreno Díaz (1848-1906), obispo de Pasto, Colombia.

Nació en La Rioja, España, en el seno de una familia pobre.

En 1865 ingresó en la orden de los agustinos y fue enviado como misionero a Filipinas. Luego se ofreció como misionero en Colombia donde buscó renovar la orden de los agustinos. En 1895 el Papa León XIII lo nombró obispo de Parma, lugar en el que le esperaba un martirio moral de calumnias, desprecios y humillaciones por parte de las autoridades civiles. Sus mensajes y desafíos pastorales llevaron a los fieles a un mayor fervor apostólico a tal grado, que incomodó al gobierno.

En 1898 buscó renunciar a su puesto como obispo para no continuar como causa de polémicas y problemas para la Iglesia. El Papa no permitió su renuncia, más bien lo animó a seguir promoviendo el celo apostólico por el bien del pueblo. La polémica nunca debe desanimar a los fieles en Cristo cuando se trata de mejorar la vida moral de la sociedad en la que se encuentran.

--Fray Gilberto Cavazos-Glz, OFM, Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co., Inc

NOTHING TO FEAR

A rabbi was asked why God sends trials and troubles into human lives. "Because God gets lonely for his people" was the reply. There is some resonance with this wisdom in today's Gospel, as Jesus makes his disciples get into a boat without him and goes off alone while they venture into stormy waters. Of course, neither Jews nor Christians believe that the Almighty plays this sort of whimsical game with them, but there is some truth in the statement that we don't turn to God for saving help until we're in a bind. Peter's role today, as it is throughout the New Testament, is to be a sign or to represent each member of the church and the whole church. Our story is the tale told about Peter's faith today. What can bolster our faith is that even when Christ calls us to face bravely the tempests of life, if we are walking through them with our eyes fixed on him in faith, we have nothing to fear. Even when we falter or sink, simply crying "Lord, save me!" is enough to help us know the steady grasp of God's hand. Then, sheltered inside the walls of faith, the storms we endure lose their power over us.

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JUGUETÓN

Cualquier persona que desee divertirse con el Diablo no puede alejarse de Cristo.

--San Pedro Crisólogo

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