

Saint Anthony of Padua Church

Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time August 26, 2018

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Rev. Oscar Martin Dominguez, Pastor

Rev. Juan Carlos Zapata, Parochial Vicar

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

(All Sundays)

November 1 – All Saints' Day

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursday: Holy Hour following 7 pm Mass

Hora Santa después de la misa 7 pm

Office Hours:

Daily (Diario) (M - F) 9:00 am - 8:00 pm

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** (registered) 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
August 25 to September 2, 2018**

SATURDAY (August 25) Weekday

8:30 MARLENE NILSSON/Anthony & Mary Wilk
5:00 PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
7:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY (August 26) Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
10:30 RUTH LUCCO FLYNN/Staff of St. Anthony's Rectory
12:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

MONDAY (August 27) St. Monica

8:30 SALVATORE CIANFANO/Moglie Teresa
7:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

TUESDAY (August 28) St. Augustine

8:30 MAE SIANO/Sally Vaccaro

**WEDNESDAY (August 29) The Passion of
St. John the Baptist**

8:30 POR LOS NINOS NO NACIDO/
Maria del Carmen Polanco

THURSDAY (August 30) Weekday

8:30 ROSE IANNIELLO/Daughter, Carmela
7:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

FRIDAY (August 31) Weekday

8:30 SANTA LUCIA/Teresa Nobile

SATURDAY (September 1) Weekday

8:30 DIANE BACIEWICZ/Angie Sterio
5:00 JACK GENOVA/St. Anthony's Rectory Staff
7:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

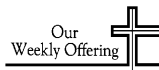
**SUNDAY (September 2) Twenty-Second Sunday in
Ordinary Time**

8:00 CARMELA ROSA/Antonio Vecchio
10:30 JACK GENOVA/Donna & John Petrosky
12:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

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**Next week there will be second collection to
Support the Church in Central & Eastern Europe**



**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.

	OFFERTORY	HOPE SERVICES HAWAII
5:00	444	48
7:00	566	82
8:00	493	72
10:30	411	97
12:00	2,018	403
Mail	249	
Total	4,181	702

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH:

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

TRUST

I may trust Jesus too little, but I can never trust him too much.

--Anonymous

WEEKLY HOMILY / HOMILÍA SEMANAL

Twentieth-First Sunday in Ordinary Time/Domingo Veintiuno Tiempo Ordinario

Whom do you want to serve? This was the question that Joshua put to the Israelites in the desert of Shechem, right after they have conquered Palestine and have crossed the River Jordan. Because, they are at peace, Yahweh has conquered all the peoples that they were finding along the way. Now they possess the Holy Land, and they have everything, houses, cattle, vineyards, olive orchards, etc. So, they find themselves in a situation of now what we must do? And maybe this is our situation today. God has given me everything, but I did not give him all the credit for it. I take all the Glory for me, my efforts, my willingness, my strength, my will power, etc., so I can fall into the trap of believing that it has been me who has gotten everything today. For this same reason, it is very difficult, or, impossible for me to understand, and accept the words of St. Paul to the Ephesians "... Wives be submissive to your husbands, and husbands love your wives as Christ loved the Church..." How is possible Father, you do not know my husband/wife, he/she is impossible to please or understand... For us it is impossible to do it in our own strength, as it was impossible for the Israelites to conquer the land in their own power or military strength. This is why we cannot understand Jesus Christ, and we believe that it is impossible to do what he has said, and that is why we abandoned him so many times in order to do other things. Because to believe that his flesh is true food, and his blood true drink, and that they could give me life, it is impossible to believe and accept, because at the end I have to make an effort in order to get to eternal life. So, let us ask God to receive the Grace that he gave to St. Peter and the apostles to say "... To whom we shall Go, You have words of Eternal Life..." May God bless you always.

¿A quien quieren servir? Esta es la pregunta que hace Josué al pueblo de Israel después de cruzar el río Jordán y haber tomado posesión de la tierra prometida. Por que ya que Yahveh les ha dado todo, han conquistados los pueblos y reinos de alrededor, los israelitas se encuentran en esta situación, ¿que hacer ahora? A lo mejor, esta es nuestra situación hoy, pero no le doy a Dios toda la gloria y el crédito que se merece, y puedo caer en la trampa de creer que he sido yo, quien ha conseguido todo lo que poseo hoy. Por esta razón es muy difícil, o mejor dicho, entender y aceptar las palabras de San Pablo a los efesios, "mujeres sed sumisas a vuestros maridos... maridos amad a vuestras esposas como Cristo amó a su iglesia..." Como voy a hacer esto padre, usted no conoce a mi marido/mujer, o, ya se volvió loco del todo el padrecito. Es imposible para nosotros en nuestras fuerzas, como era imposible para el pueblo de Israel, conquistar palestina por sus medios. Por esto mismo, no entendemos a Cristo y creemos que es imposible hacer lo que el nos dice y por eso lo abandonamos tantas veces. Por que creer que el me puede dar la vida, por medio de su cuerpo y su sangre (Verdadera comida y verdadera bebida) y que no tengo que esforzarme, no me lo creo, y pensamos aquí hay gato encerrado. Pidámosle a Cristo hoy que nos conceda la gracia que le concedió a Pedro y así podamos decir como dijo el, "... A quien vamos a acudir, tu tienes palabras de Vida Eterna..."

AUGUST 26, 2018 | TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Readers & Lectors Lectors for the Weekend of September 1 - 2

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Saturday, September 1

5:00 PM Mark Cosmas
7:00 PM Maria Duran y Marta Villanueva
(C: Teresa Marin)

Sunday, September 2

8:00 AM Jennifer Markowycz
10:30 AM Ariel Legacy
12:00 Noon Javier Zapata y Norma Frutos
(C: Teresa Marin)



EMHC for the Weekend of September 1 - 2

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Saturday, September 1

5:00 PM Frank Mazza
7:00 PM Gerson y Maria Duran

Sunday, September 2

8:00 AM Mary Wilk
10:30 AM Maria Agliata, Cristian Moron, Frank Iazzetta
12:00 Noon Melida Canela, Ana Marte y Marisa Puello

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

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.



***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

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.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading -- The LORD, our God, protected us along our entire journey (Joshua 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b).

Psalm -- Taste and see the goodness of the Lord (Psalm 34).

Second Reading -- Christ nourishes and cherishes the church because we are members of his body (Ephesians 5:21-32 [5:2a, 25-32]).

Gospel -- We have come to believe and are convinced that you are the Holy One of God (John 6:60-69).

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LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura -- Josué urge a los israelitas a que sirvan a Dios o a los otros dioses. Ellos escogieron al Señor (Josué 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b).

Salmo -- Gusten y vean qué bueno es el Señor (Salmo 34 [33]).

Segunda lectura -- Pablo reflexiona cómo los esposos y esposas deberán darse amor y reverencia mutua (Efesios 5:21-32 [2a, 25-32]).

Evangelio -- Después de hablar de dar su carne a comer, muchos de los discípulos de Jesús se alejaron. Los doce escogieron permanecer con él; "Maestro, ¿a quién acudiremos?" (Juan 6:60-69)

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Thes 1:1-5, 11-12; Ps 96:1-5; Mt 23:13-22

Tuesday: 2 Thes 2:1-3a, 14-17; Ps 96:10-13; Mt 23:23-26

Wednesday: 2 Thes 3:6-10, 16-18; Ps 128:1-2, 4-5; Mk 6:17-29

Thursday: 1 Cor 1:1-9; Ps 145:2-7; Mt 24:42-51

Friday: 1 Cor 1:17-25; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 10-11; Mt 25:1-13

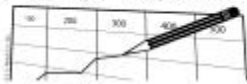
Saturday: 1 Cor 1:26-31; Ps 33:12-13, 18-21; Mt 25:14-30

Sunday: Dt 4:1-2, 6-8; Ps 15:2-5; Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27; Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23





Fund Raiser



Our church parking lot is in need of grating and repaving. This will be a big expense for the parish, and we are asking for your help. If every family would be able to donate \$300, this will aid in our efforts to accomplish this. If you cannot donate \$300, any donation will be greatly appreciated. Thank you and God Bless you and your family.

CCD NEWS English CCD Registration

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Applications will be mailed to all students who attended last year.

Forms are available in the Rectory office and the back of the church for new students.

Copies of Baptismal certificates are required. Return completed forms with fee to Rectory office or place in collection basket (mark envelope CCD)

English CCD Classes begin, Sunday, September 23th at 9:00 a.m.

The U.S. bishops urge our participation each Friday in a nationwide Novena for the Legal Protection of Human Life, August 3-September 28. Participants will receive weekly email or text reminders to pray and fast, along with little-known facts about *Roe v Wade* to share with others.

Sign up at www.usccb.org/pray!

ATTENTION ALL ATHLETES

Our Lady of Guadalupe Academy is currently accepting sign-up sheets for all students that belong to our Parish interested in joining our Sports Teams for the upcoming 2018-2019 school year.

Grades: 1st to 8th grade

Sports:

Boys Basketball & Girls Basketball (Winter)

Boys Soccer & Girls Soccer (Spring)

Baseball & Softball (Spring)

Girls Volleyball (Fall)

We are also looking for parents and volunteers who are interested in coaching one or more of our teams.

Anyone interested in receiving more information or a sign up form, please contact Carmen Rooney at (908) 352-7424 or email us at crooney@olgacademy.org

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

This is the height of vacation season, but as anyone who has ever been to Rome in the summer knows, no time to visit there! The city is sweltering, and in a pre-air-conditioned world long ago, Romans figured out that they needed a break in the surrounding hills. Even the pope clears out. His destination is usually Castelgandolfo, a lovely little hill town southeast of Rome, overlooking a tranquil lake. It has been a papal possession since about 1600, and in 1929, when most of the papal states were finally lost, the papal dwelling was given "extraterritorial rights," meaning that it is an extension of Vatican City and not under Italian rule. The Vatican observatory maintained telescopes here for decades, far from the glare of the city lights of Rome, but although the observatory offices remain here year round, the telescopes are in Arizona. Pope Francis spends less time here than his predecessors, though he still slows down the pace of his work in Rome. Vacations can help us visit friends and relatives, and revive those human contacts that the pace of our lives keeps us from cultivating. The pope needs a break, and so do you. Vacation comes from a word meaning to empty oneself. There's still time to clear the calendar for at least one golden summer day even if you don't have a personal castle in the hills!

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TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

Narcisa de Jesús Martillo Morán nació el día de san Narciso (29 de octubre, 1832), hija de campesinos ecuatorianos. Vivió su vida como costurera y doméstica. Falleció en Perú en 1869. Su fe se distinguió por su amor a la presencia de Jesús Sacramentado en la Eucaristía, sus prácticas de penitencia y sus obras de caridad. Cuando aún era joven, conoció la vida de la recientemente beatificada y ahora santa, Marianita de Jesús, "la Azucena de Quito" (1618-1645). La vida de esta santa mujer latina la inspiró a vivir como mejor cristiana, buscando ser guiada espiritualmente por una serie de directores espirituales. En esta laica beata, encontramos dos puntos de reflexión para nosotros los latinos. El primero es la necesidad de conocer nuestros santos latinos no sólo para recurrir a ellos sino para imitar su santidad. Lo segundo es la necesidad de buenos directores espirituales, ya sean sacerdotes, religiosos, religiosas, laicos o laicas. La dirección espiritual es una práctica antigua en nuestra Iglesia y muchos hombres y mujeres han sido directores espirituales para guiar a personas como Narcisa, ayudándoles en el camino a la santidad.

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