

Saint Anthony of Padua Church

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 25, 2017

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Pastoral Staff:

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. Michael Faccone, Office



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 JUNE 25, 2017
TO JULY 1, 2017**

**SATURDAY (June 24) The Nativity of
St. John The Baptist**

- 8:30 GIOVANNA & SAVERIO BIANCO/
Joann Barberio & Sons
- 5:00 ANTONIO CHIRICHELLO/ Mother & Father
- 7:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY (June 25) Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 8:00 GARBIS BOYAGIAN/ Bello Family
- 10:30 FRANCESCA & GIUSEPPE ARCURI/
Giuseppina Piccoli
- 12:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

MONDAY (June 26) Weekday

- 8:30 DOMINIC DI COSIMO/ Family
- 7:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

TUESDAY (June 27) Weekday, St. Cyril of Alexandria

- 8:30 TESSIE POZYC/ Mr. & Mrs. Pat Nardone, Jr.

WEDNESDAY (June 28) St. Irenaeus

- 8:30 SALVATORE MIRABILE/ Wife and Children
- 7:00 AIDEE ORE/ Vincente Ore

THURSDAY (June 29) Ss. Peter and Paul

- 8:30 PETER MADORMA/ Daughter Dolly
- 7:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

FRIDAY (June 30) Weekday, First Martyrs

- 8:30 TESSIE POZYC/ Mr. & Mrs. Joe Cusmano

SATURDAY (July 1) Weekday,

St. Junipero Serra, BVM

- 8:30 MARY ANN E ABITANTO/ Marlene and
Peter Abitanto
- 5:00 TONY VECCHIA/ Piga Family
- 7:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY (July 2) Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 8:00 CHESTER WILK/ Family
- 10:30 GIUSEPPE LO SARDO/ Mr. & Mrs. Nicolo
Arcieri and Family
- 12:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

	<p>OUR OFFERTORY COLLECTION is shown below. We sincerely thank all those parishioners and friends who contributed to the parish.</p> <p>Be assured that the Lord will never be outdone in rewarding those who give even a glass of water in His Name.</p>
<p>Weekly Offering</p>	<p>Missions Appeal</p>
<p>5:00 PM 373</p>	<p>85</p>
<p>7:00 PM 667</p>	<p>467</p>
<p>8:00 AM 422</p>	<p>165</p>
<p>10:30 AM 566</p>	<p>249</p>
<p>12:00 Noon 1984</p>	<p>1021</p>
<p>Mail 270</p>	
<p>Total \$4,282</p>	<p>\$1,987</p>

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH, especially:

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

WEEKLY HOMILY / HOMILÍA SEMANAL

Twelfth Sunday In Ordinary Time / Decimosegundo Domingo en T.O. Cycle/Ciclo A
TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The Eucharistic Prayers at the heart of our liturgy have a long history, beginning with the extemporaneous prayers of the early Christians. The presiders gave thanks from their hearts, not from any prearranged text, over the gifts of bread and wine. When the assembly had the sense that enough was said, someone would call out "Amen!" and that was that. For the most part, the plan flowed directly from Jewish meal prayers, which always recalled God's mighty deeds. Some other markers and signposts were added almost everywhere fairly early, like the presider's call to attention: "Lift up your hearts!"

Scholars have provided us with translations of many early texts. These have actually helped us craft new liturgical prayers, because until the liturgical reforms of forty years ago, no one could recall any prayer but the Roman Canon, now called Eucharistic Prayer I. For hundreds of years in the West, it was our only Eucharistic Prayer, and it was only in Latin. But the history of our Eucharistic Prayers is amazingly fruitful, and models have come down to us that have yielded new insights and expressions. The old custom of improvising texts according to a master plan has not endured, but we have now rediscovered a plan of standardizing the text while allowing for a great variety.

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

TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

En 1769 los misioneros franciscanos establecieron la primera misión en lo que hoy es la ciudad de San Diego, California. Bajo la dirección de fray Junípero Serra, los hermanos menores pudieron establecer otras ocho misiones, incluyendo la ciudad de San Francisco, en 1776.

Junípero o José Miguel Serra, fue hijo de padres campesinos de la Isla de Mallorca, España. Ingresó a la Orden de los hermanos menores (franciscanos) a los dieciséis años y con el tiempo, llegó a ser profesor de filosofía, pero su verdadero deseo era ser misionero en el continente americano, lo que hoy conocemos como Hemisferio Occidental. En 1749, su orden religiosa lo envió a México como administrador del Colegio Apostólico. Poco a poco se fue desprendiendo de sus cargos académicos para establecer misiones entre los indígenas. Aunque algunos afirman lo contrario, Junípero fue arduo defensor de los nativos. En California, más de una vez tuvo problemas con los soldados españoles, debido a que éstos abusaban de los amerindios, problemas que lo llevaron a defender los derechos humanos de los nativos ante el Virrey en México. Sus esfuerzos por cristianizar los indígenas de California tuvieron como resultado más de 6000 bautizos durante sus quince años en esa región.

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

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, June 28 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 July 1-2, 2017Saturday, July 1

5:00 PM Mark Cosmas
7:00 PM Maria Duran y Senon Herrera
(C: Javier Zapata)

Sunday, July 2

8:00 AM Jennifer Markowycz
10:30 AM Ashley Mora
12:00 Noon Magdalena Ortis y Soila Terrones
(C: Maria Duran)

**EMHC for the Weekend of July 1-2, 2017
(Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion)**Saturday, July 1

5:00 PM Frank Mazza
7:00 PM Reina Yanes y Salomon Yanes

Sunday, July 2

8:00 AM Mary Wilk
10:30 AM Maria Agliata, and Cristian Moron
12:00 Noon Mirna Gonzales, Besy Aleman y Miguel Hernandez

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.

SUMMER

It will not always be summer; build barns.

--Hesiod

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 -- The LORD has rescued the poor from the clutches of the wicked (Jeremiah 20:10-13).

Psalm -- Lord, in your great love, answer me
(Psalm 69).

Second Reading -- The grace of God overflows for all (Romans 5:12-15).

Gospel -- All who acknowledge Jesus before others will likewise be acknowledged by Jesus before the Father (Matthew 10:26-33).

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LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura -- El Señor ha salvado al desamparado de los manos de los malvados (Jeremías 20:10-13).

Salmo -- Escúchame, Señor, porque eres bueno (Salmo 69 [68]).

Segunda lectura -- Por gracia, el don generoso del Hijo de Dios, Jesucristo, nos ha salvado de todo pecado. (Romanos 5:12-15).

Evangelio -- No hay miedo cuando el amor de Dios se recibe como don precioso (Mateo 10:26-33).

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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.

VERANO

No siempre sera verano, construye graneros.

--Hesiod



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gn 12:1-9; Ps 33:12-13, 18-20, 22; Mt 7:1-5

Tuesday: Gn 13:2, 5-18; Ps 15:2-4ab, 5; Mt 7:6, 12-14

Wednesday: Gn 15:1-12, 17-18; Ps 105:1-4, 6-9;
Mt 7:15-20

Thursday: Vigil: Acts 3:1-10; Ps 19:2-5; Gal 1:11-20;
Jn 21:15-19

Day: Acts 12:1-11; Ps 34:2-9; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18;
Mt 16:13-19

Friday: Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22; Ps 128:1-5; Mt 8:1-4

Saturday: Gn 18:1-15; Lk 1:46-50, 53-55; Mt 8:5-17

Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a; Ps 89:2-3, 16-19;
Rom 6:3-4, 8-11; Mt 10:37-42

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.

ST. MARY OF THE ASSUMPTION HIGH SCHOOL — FULLFILLING OUR MISSION

For nearly nine decades, St. Mary's has provided young people with quality, values-based education in a safe family-oriented environment. To ensure the high school's sustainability, the Board of Regents has authorized a multi-phase fund-raising campaign: "*Fulfilling Our Mission.*"

To learn how you can support St. Mary's campaign, please visit our website, www.stmaryshsnj.org. ***DONATE NOW***.

For more information, contact Ms. Kathleen Staudt, Phone: 908-352-4350 ext 213, E-mail: kstaudt@stmaryshs.org.

WALKING TOWARD GOD

If we walk one step toward God,
God will run ten steps toward us.

--Anonymous

FEAR NOT

How do people find hope in the face of suffering and death? That is the question addressed by today's scriptures. We hear of the suffering of Jeremiah and the psalmist. We hear of the death that "reigned from Adam to Moses" (Romans 5:14). We hear of the fears of the Twelve as Jesus sends them out into the world to preach and heal.

Through all this tribulation one message rings out loud and clear--"Do not be afraid!" The God who saved Jeremiah and the psalmist and Jesus is fully present to save us through the gracious gift of Jesus Christ. We have nothing and no one to fear.

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¡NO TENGAN MIEDO!

¿Cómo es que las personas encuentran paz frente al sufrimiento y la muerte? Ese es el mensaje de las Escrituras de hoy. Escuchamos el sufrimiento de Jeremías y del salmista. Escuchamos de la muerte que "reino desde Adán hasta Moisés" (Romanos 5:14). Escuchamos de los miedos de los Doce cuando Jesús los envió a las periferias para predicar y sanar.

En medio de toda esta tribulación hay un mensaje que suena fuerte y claro: "¡No tengan miedo!" El Dios que salvó a Jeremías y al salmista y a Jesús está plenamente presente para salvarnos por medio del extraordinario don de Jesucristo. No tenemos nada y a nadie a quien temer.

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CAMINAR HACIA DIOS

Si damos un paso hacia Dios,
Dios correrá diez pasos hacia nosotros.

--Anónimo