

Saint Anthony of Padua Church

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 12, 2015

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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

December 8, 2015 Immaculate Conception

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
RCIA Tuesday 7:00 pm in Rectory Meeting Room.
Español: Sábado a las 10:00 am se reúnen en la cafetería de la escuela.

Sponsorship/Godparent Certificates

Those who need a sponsorship certificate to be a godparent must make an appointment with the priest.

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 JULY 12, 2015
TO JULY 18, 2015**

SATURDAY (July 11) St. Benedict

8:30 SOULS IN PURGATORY/ Jim & Cathy Leggett
 5:00 CARLO & ANNA REINA & TOM &
 JAY DARAGH/ Jay Daragh
 7:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY (July 12) 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 VITO MONACO/ Mr. & Mrs. Frank O. Mazza
 10:30 ANGELO & JOSEPHINE RANDAZZO/ Mother
 12:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

MONDAY (July 13) St. Henry

8:30 MARIA DI PAOLA/ Husband Antonio & Famiglia
 7:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

TUESDAY (July 14) St. Kateri Tekakwitha

8:30 CAROLYN CALAVANO/ Family
 7:30 LIBORIA MUNI LORIA/ Mr. & Mrs. Biagio Arcieri

WEDNESDAY (July 15) St. Bonaventure

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

THURSDAY (July 16) Our Lady of Mount Carmel

8:30 CARMELA MADORMA/ Daughter Dolly
 7:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

FRIDAY (July 17) Weekday

8:30 ONOFRIO CHILLEMI/ Wife Antonia Chillemi

SATURDAY (July 18) St. Camillus de Lellis

8:30 CARMELA TAMBURELLO/ Enza Mirabile
 5:00 HARRY VACCARO/ Sally and Sons
 7:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY (July 19) 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 JEAN FESTA/ Daughter
 10:30 ARTHUR MENDOS/ Mr. & Mrs. Louis LaRocca
 12:00 VARIOUS INTENTIONS

SAVE THE DATE

We will have a Family Festival on
 Sunday, September 27, 2015. More
 information will follow in the bulletin.

**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	Diocesan Assessment
5:00 PM	234	70
7:00 PM	284	162
8:00 AM	319	200
10:30 AM	682	323
12:00 Noon	1,146	757
Mail		
Total	\$2,665	\$1,512

ETERNAL REST GRANT UNTO THEM, O LORD! We remember those who have died in the peace of Christ, especially: **Sabrina Baca, John Sporer and Jose Nelson Lopez.**

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH, especially:

Alfonsina Aker	Elvin Martinez
Carmen Alava	Carmen Mistichelli
Sheree Balaam	Angelo Meo
Oran Bryant	Leonarda Merlo
Karen Bulloch	Nick Netta
Caterina Campbell	Declan Rocco O'Connor
Isaac Castañeda	Robergeau Paul
Orlando Chavez	Laura Philipone
Paul Chiusano	Peter Philipone
Wayne Cook	Frank Pierre
Mary Cusmano	Raul Atilio Portillo
Leonor Sepulveda De Devia	Carmen Fojo Prieto
Marianna Dubell	Edith Quijada
Denise Griest	Endy Quijada
Jared Leonardo Henao	Oscar Eduardo Ramirez
Jacob Hinman	Sergio Ricciardi
Joshua Hinman	Isadora Rodriguez
Joseph B. Jean-Mary	Magdalena Rodriguez
Michelle Johnson	John Ruela
Stanley Kuchno	Maria Saavedra
Lindsay LaMarre	Hugo Santa Maria
John Lapolla	Kay Scaturo
Theresa Lattanzio	Cira M. Senese
Rosa Leon	Frank Tinnirella
Barbara McMurray	John Veltre

SECOND COLLECTION

The second collection this weekend is for
 the **Summer Energy Collection.**

WEEKLY HOMILY / HOMILÍA SEMANAL

Domingo Quince Tiempo Ordinario /15th Sunday O.T.

We see a special situation in today's Gospel. Jesus sent out his Apostles, in pairs, to preach repentance. Repentance is a sorrow for sins - recognition that my sins have hurt me, other people and God. Repentance opens up the floodgates of God's grace. When people listened and repented, the Apostles then could drive out demons and cure illnesses by anointing with oil. (In our glass ambry you see the three oils - one of them is for the anointing of the sick.) When we repent and pray, wonderful things can happen in our families, our parish and our world. This is urgent. To underscore the urgency, Jesus sent the Twelve with no food, no money, and no backpack. The time is short. Make a decision now. Tomorrow is too late. Now is the time to repent and pray. We do not know what kind of trials will come, but they will come. Sometimes people ask why we have so many trials and difficulties. Why doesn't God just make things smooth for us? If you think about it, the answer is evident. God allows trials and difficulties for our greater good - to bring us back to Himself. You and I have to make a choice in this life - either for God or to separate from Him. This is fundamental - the basic reason for our existence. When we get the basics right, other things fall into their place. This applies in our lives, our families and our world. If we put God first, if we treat others with dignity, then things start to go well. If we don't, things start to turn sour. Pope Benedict makes that point in his last encyclical "Caritas in Veritate" (Charity in Truth). The reason our world economy has gone bad is because we have forgotten the basics. The same is true in our individual lives. You and I may not be able to do much about the global economy, but each one of us has control of our lives: Do I want to put God first or turn away from him? Do I want to treat others with dignity or brush them aside? God allows trials and difficulties to come so that we will turn back to him and treat others properly. That was the message the Virgin Mary gave to the children at Fatima (and other visionaries): Repent and pray. We hear that same message in today's Gospel: Repent and pray.

Vemos una situación especial en el Evangelio de hoy. Jesús envía a los Apóstoles, dos en dos, para predicar arrepentimiento. Arrepentimiento es dolor a causa de pecados - un reconocimiento que mis pecados me han herido a mi mismo, a otras personas y a Dios. Arrepentimiento abre los cielos. Cuando les escuchan y se arrepienten, los Apóstoles podían echar demonios y curar a los enfermos, ungiéndolos con aceite. (En nuestro templo se puede ver los tres aceites en la Sacristía - uno de ellos para la unción de enfermos.) Cuando se arrepienta y rece, cosas maravillosas puedan suceder en nuestras familias, nuestra parroquia y nuestro mundo. Es urgente. Para subrayarlo, Jesús envía a los Doce sin comida, dinero o mochila. El tiempo es breve. Hacer una decisión ahora. Mañana es tarde. Ahora es el momento para arrepentirse y rezar. No sabemos que pruebas vendrán, pero, si, vendrán. Algunos se preguntan porque hay tantas pruebas y dificultades. ¿Por qué Dios no hace la vida más fácil? Si uno lo piensa bien, la respuesta es evidente. Dios permite pruebas y dificultades para nuestro mayor bien - para volver a él. Tú y yo tenemos que tomar una decisión - escoger Dios o separarse de él. Es fundamental - el motivo básico de nuestra existencia. Cuando hacemos bien las cosas básicas, las otras cosas encuentran su lugar. Esto aplica a nuestras vidas, nuestras familias y mundo. Si ponemos a Dios en el primer lugar, si tratamos a los otros con dignidad, las cosas empiezan a ir bien. El Papa Benedicto afirma esto en su nueva encíclica "Caritas in Veritate." (La Caridad en la Verdad). La economía global ha ido mal porque nos hemos olvidado las cosas básicas. Tú y yo no tenemos mucho control sobre la económica mundial, pero podemos cambiar nuestras vidas: ¿Pongo a Dios en primer lugar u otras cosas? ¿Trato a otros con dignidad o los pongo a los márgenes? Dios permite pruebas y dificultades para volver a el y tratar a otros correctamente. Era el mensaje que la Virgen María se les dio a los niños de Fátima (y otros videntes): arrepentirse y orar. Es lo mismo mensaje del Evangelio: arrepentirse y orar.

St. Anthony's Food Pantry

St. Anthony's Food Pantry will be open once a month. The next day for the Food Pantry will be **Wednesday, July 22, 2015** at 1:00 PM. Entrance is 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 18-19, 2015

Saturday, July 18

5:00 PM Mary Anne Costanza
 7:00 PM Marta Portillo y Will Villanueva
 (Comentario: Paola Villanueva)

Sunday, July 19

8:00 AM Anna Ruppert
 10:30 AM Ariel Legacy
 12:00 Noon Norma Guido y Hilma Muños
 (Comentario: Teresa Marin)

Eucharistic Ministers for the Weekend of July 18-19, 2015

Saturday, July 18

5:00 PM Avery Kenner
 7:00 PM Reina Yanes

Sunday, July 19

8:00 AM Nick Cistrelli
 10:30 AM Maria Agliata & Cristian Moron
 12:00 Noon Betsy Aleman, Myrna Gonzalez y
 Melida Canela

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.

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.

Email Registration. Clip and Return. Registro de email. Clip y volver.

Name _____
 E-Mail Address _____



***TUESDAY:** Novena to St. Anthony
 (After 8:30 AM Mass — Chapel)
 7:00 PM RCIA (Rectory Basement)

***THURSDAY:** Holy Hour after 7:00 PM Mass
 7:30 PM AL-ANON—Spanish (Rectory Basement)

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

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading -- Amos said, "The LORD took me from following the flock, and said to me, Go, prophesy to my people" (Amos 7:12-15).

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

Second Reading -- The God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing (Ephesians 1:3-14 [3-10]).

Gospel -- Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out two by two (Mark 6:7-13).

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LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura -- Amós es enviado por Dios a profetizar al pueblo de Israel (Amós 7:12-15).

Salmo -- Muéstranos, Señor, tu misericordia (Salmo 85 [84]).

Segunda lectura -- El Dios y Padre de Cristo Jesús nuestro Señor nos ha elegido (Efesios 1:3-14 [3-10]).

Evangelio -- Jesús envía a los doce apóstoles de dos en dos (Marcos 6:7-13).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Ex 1:8-14, 22; Ps 124:1b-8; Mt 10:34 -- 11:1

Tuesday: Ex 2:1-15a; Ps 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34;
 Mt 11:20-24

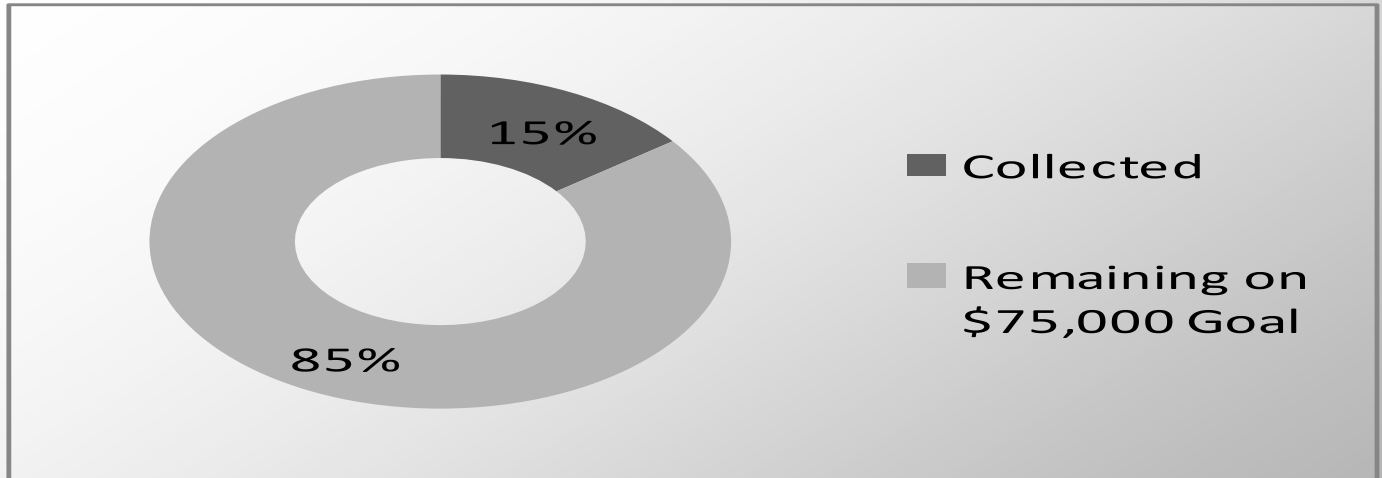
Wednesday: Ex 3:1-6, 9-12; Ps 103:1b-4, 6-7;
 Mt 11:25-27

Thursday: Ex 3:13-20; Ps 105:1, 5, 8-9, 24-27;
 Mt 11:28-30

Friday: Ex 11:10 -- 12:14;
 Ps 116:12-13, 15, 16bc, 17-18; Mt 12:1-8

Saturday: Ex 12:37-42; Ps 136:1, 23-24, 10-15;
 Mt 12:14-21

Sunday: Jer 23:1-6; Ps 23:1-6; Eph 2:13-18; Mk 6:30-34



CHURCH RENOVATIONS

Our goal for Church renovations (painting and carpeting) is \$75,000. So far we have collected \$11,050. Your extra donation will go entirely for this purpose. We are asking that each family donates \$200 to help beautify our Church. Thank you for your generosity.

RENOVACIONES DE LA IGLESIA

Nuestro objetivo para las renovaciones de la Iglesia (pintura y alfombras) es de \$75,000. Hasta ahora hemos recaudado \$11,050. Su donación adicional se destinará íntegramente a este fin. Pedimos que cada familia dona 200 dólares para ayudar a embellecer nuestra Iglesia. Gracias por tu generosidad.

ST. MARY OF THE ASSUMPTION HIGH SCHOOL

Catholic education — We all benefit. It has been 84 years since St. Mary of the Assumption High School was established. Much has changed in those 84 years, but one thing remains the same — the commitment to deliver a superior education within the spiritual heritage of the Catholic faith. For information, please call Admissions Director Jaime de Leon at 908-352-4350, ext. 3.

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