



St. Anthony Catholic Church

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Welcome / Bienvenidos

"THIS SON OF MINE WAS DEAD,
AND HAS COME TO LIFE AGAIN;
HE WAS LOST, AND HAS BEEN FOUND."

LUKE 15:24

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT
MARCH 27, 2022



St. Anthony

St. Anthony Parish Mission
*Our community follows Jesus
 by praying, loving and serving God.*
*Nuestra comunidad conoce y
 sigue a Jesús rezando, amando, y
 sirviendo a Dios.*
 St. Anthony, pray for us.
 San Antonio, ruega por nosotros.

CONFESSION / CONFESION

Saturday: 3:30PM to 4:30PM or by appointment

Monday: After the 6:30PM Mass

MASS SCHEDULE / HORARIO DE MISAS

Daily: 8:30AM Bilingual in the Church

Daily Mon & Wed: 6:30PM Español en la Iglesia

Daily Tue & Thu: 6:30PM English in the Church

Daily Fri: 6:30PM Bilingual in the Church

Saturday: 5:00PM English in the Church

Sunday: 8:00AM English in the Church

Sunday: 10:00AM English in the Church

Sunday: 12:00PM Español en la Iglesia

Sunday: 2:00PM Español en la Iglesia

Sunday: 5:00PM Español en la Iglesia

DEVOTIONS

SUSPENDED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Monday through Friday: 9:30AM to 6:30PM in the Church

Monday: 7PM to 9PM in the Church

Friday: 7PM to 11PM in the Church

Scheduling Coordinator: Linda Hipólito (925) 493-0976

EXPOSICIÓN AL SANTÍSIMO SACRAMENTO

Lunes a Viernes: 9:30 am a 6:30pm en la Iglesia

Lunes: 7pm a 9pm en la Iglesia

Viernes: 7pm a 11pm en la Iglesia

Coordinadora del Horario para Adoración al Santísimo Sacramento

Linda Hipólito 925-493-0976

HOLY CROSS CEMETERY AND FUNERAL CENTER

2200 East 18th Street, Antioch, (925) 757-0658

We recommend using Catholic Funeral and Cemetery Services (CFCS) at Holy Cross Cemetery and Funeral Center. Their staff will contact the parish office to assist you with your arrangements.

Clergy Sexual Abuse

Any reports of abuse should be directed to the Office of the Chancellor, at (510) 267-8334.

Email and Text Scam Involving Priests

If you receive an email or text from a priest or other church personnel asking for assistance, confirm by calling that person. Do not respond to the email or text.

Second Collection Schedule

March 27 -- Catholic Relief Services

April 3 -- Diocesan Assessment

Parish Office/Oficina Parroquial

(925) 625-2048 Fax: (925) 625-4433

*Monday, Wednesday, Friday-
 (Lunes, Miércoles, Viernes)*

9AM to 12PM and 1PM to 6PM

PASTORAL and OFFICE STAFF

Fr. Rafael Hinojosa, *Parochial Administrator*

Fr. Mac Lingo, *Parochial Vicar*

Deacon Alberto Cruz

Deacon Emeritus Joe Tovar

Deacon Emeritus Alan Layden

Br. Juan Carlos Ponce, *Pastoral Year Intern*

Parish Secretary, Carolina Jauregui

Parish Bookkeeper, Celeste Plate

FAITH FORMATION COORDINATOR

Call the Parish Office, (925) 625-2048 for more program information or to register.

Baptism, Carolina Jauregui

CCD, Belen Capilla

EDGE, Emma Arcayena

Youth Confirmation, Liz Avalos

Christian Initiation

For Adults (English), Michael Maeda

For Adults (Español), Esperanza Vega

For Children, Monica Cardoza

Special Religious Development (SPRED), John Dixon

Giving Made Simple

Please continue to offer your support to St. Anthony with your monetary gifts. These gifts allow us to pay our bills. Please continue giving to the Sunday collection basket by using VANCO; the online way of giving. Visit our St. Anthony website, on the "Home Page" click on pulldown "About Us" select "Online Giving"; you may register there and make your gift. Or you may drop your Sunday envelope in the basket at Mass or the U.S. Mailbox in the front by the Church entrance. You decide how to give, but please continue to give.

Submissions to the Sunday Bulletin

Deadline by noon on Monday, six (6) days prior to the desired Sunday of publication. Send files to parish@stanthonyoakley.com.

Submissions to St. Anthony Website

All church ministries are invited to share their upcoming events or news to our website. Send your info to parish@stanthonyoakley.com

Sunday Collection

Totals for March 13, 2022

Plate GIVE+

1st Collection: \$ 0.00 \$1,214.85

2nd Collection: \$ 0.00 \$ 220.98

Thank you for your generous support.

Gracias por su generoso apoyo.

March 27, 2022
Fourth Sunday of Lent

LOST AND FOUND

The parable of the father and his sons is one of the most familiar of all of Jesus' stories. The father in the parable is lavish in forgiveness and revels in the return of his young son, who was lost and now is found. The older son is also lost—lost in his refusal to forgive, lost in his failure to grasp his father's generous spirit. The Israelites spent many years lost in the desert, seeking the land of milk and honey, yet often failing to seek the God who delivered and fed them. We are sometimes lost as well. We lose sight of the Lord and the Lord's ways. God never loses sight of us, however. God waits, ready for us to come to our senses, ready to welcome us back with open arms. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — God's people enter the promised land, observe the Passover, and eat of the produce of the land (Joshua 5:9a, 10-12) or 1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a.

Psalms — Taste and see the goodness of the Lord (Psalm 34) or Psalm 23.

Second Reading — We are now ambassadors for Christ (2 Corinthians 5:17-21) or Ephesians 5:8-14.

Gospel — We must rejoice when our brother who was dead in sin repents and comes back to life (Luke 15:1-3, 11-32) or John 9:1-41 [1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38].
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Mass Intentions For The Week

Saturday, March 26

5:00PM Devan, Gan, Tuan Nguyen †
Glenze Cellan (thanksgiving)

Sunday, March 27

8:00AM Mary Haney †
10:00AM Marie & Matthew Coelho †
12:00PM Por la Comunidad
2:00PM Julia Lira †
5:00PM Jesus Arroyo Espinoza †
Maria Dolores Guzman
(acción de gracias)

Monday, March 28

8:30AM Herminia Cortes Rodriguez †
6:30PM Alejandro Chavez †

Tuesday, March 29

8:30AM Juan Manuel y Luisa (B-day)
6:30PM Arnoldo Padilla (B-day)

Wednesday, March 30

8:30AM Por el Alma mas necesitada †
6:30PM Emilio Ruiz †

Thursday, March 31

8:30AM Abraham y Trini Heredia †
6:30PM Jaime y Lety Oranga Grace †

Friday, April 1st

8:30AM Joseph Nguyen Sr. †
6:30PM Gilbert Roque Sr. †

Saturday, April 2nd

5:00PM Josephne and Marcelo Lozano †
Chris Luie Cellan (thanksgiving)

Sunday, April 3rd

8:00AM Jose Suarez †
10:00AM Roberto & David Andrade †
12:00PM Guadalupe, Francisco, Teodolinda
Mendoza †
Xavier Marin (cumpleaños)
2:00PM Por la Comunidad
5:00PM Familia Caballero (acción de gracias)

St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry

Open on the 2nd and 4th Saturday from 8:30AM to 10AM in the Parish Hall. If you need food outside of these dates call (925) 325-7424.

FORMED: St. Anthony is a subscriber to FORMED.org, an online faith website. Find Bible Study, Movies, Books and Formation Resources. Register today. Use "St. Anthony Oakley".

Fourth Sunday of Lent

Who knew that when Moses led the Israelites out of slavery it would mean forty years of wandering in the desert before they were able to enter the Promised Land? Many of us experience periods of wandering in our life. Perhaps we made some poor judgment calls in our younger days, or maybe as adult children we returned home to live because of struggling with substance abuse, or unemployment, or a divorce. Or maybe we fell away from Church for a bit. This is nothing new. The second reading calls us to be new creations in Christ, to put away our old selves, to be transformed; and in the Gospel we hear the beautiful story of the Prodigal Son. Each of these calls for us to move, and grow, and leave old ways behind.

TESTING THE BOUNDARIES

Some of the first words a two-year-old might say are "Do by self!" It is almost a rite of passage for teenagers to test their parents as much as they can. Every parent who ever lay awake in bed at night waiting to hear the sound of the child pulling the car into the garage or opening the door knows at least as much about praying vigils as any nun in a convent. This is a deep and earnest prayer, and the parents can barely breathe until their child comes home. Usually when we think of the story of the Prodigal Son, we think of the feeling of guilt the son had as he realized how much he had messed things up, or we feel the injustice that the older brother felt, because he wasn't the rebel child leaving the home.

WELCOME HOME

What we don't often remember in the story of the Prodigal Son is that God is there welcoming, urging us on. A few years ago there was a funeral for a young man who died of a drug overdose within days of coming out of a treatment center. Many of his young friends came but expected fire and brimstone, and to be told what a bad child that boy was. Instead, the priest preached about God loving this child so much that perhaps the only way God could protect him was to bring him home. That gentle image of God welcoming him with open arms soothed the broken hearts and unspoken questions that were on many minds. Not every situation is that drastic, but God is calling us home this Lent no matter what mistakes we've made, or how many times we have made them. Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

Sacrament of the Sick

Please notify the parish office of any parishioner who is ill or infirm to request a visit, to receive the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick or Communion at home, hospital or assisted living facility.

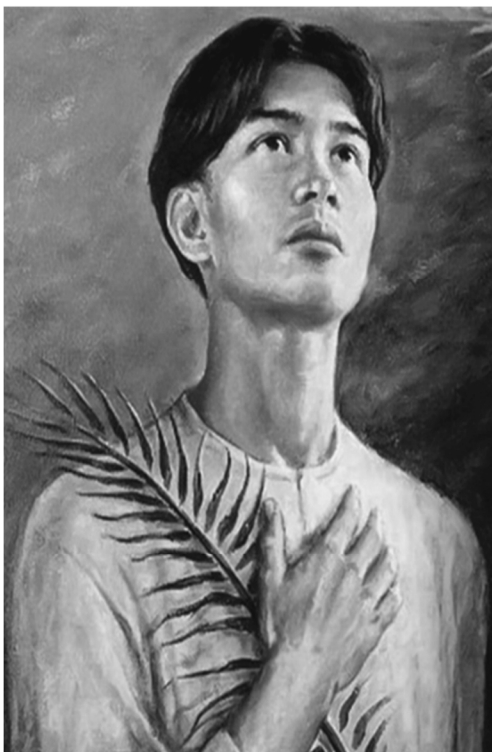
Please Pray For/Oremos Por

Deacon Joe Tovar	Juanita Palman Propst
Andrea Spindler	Kathryn Fisk
Antonio Velasquez	Linda Hernandez
Arthur Pena	Lorraine Fallon
Avelina Sablan Salas	Margarita Avalos
Bartolome Robinos	Marlene Layden
Bev Rossi	Martin Gonsalvez
Danny Luna, Sr.	Mayra Murillo
Danny Luna, Jr.	Michael Makinano, Sr.
Erica Jaranilla	Michael Makinano, Jr.
Fatima Matuu	Noe Hernandez
Fernando Navarro	Oscar Hernandez
Fred Schmidt	Olga Ramos
Gay Lacsa	Patrick Pena
Glenda Crane	Ramona Hernandez
Gloria Ibarra	Ricardo Jimenez
Grace Bustos	Rigoberto Hinojosa
Guadalupe Sanchez	Rocco Vicente Reyes
Guillermo Ayon Jimenez	Rolando Abad
Guillermo Villanueva	Ron Cruz
Helen Alleman	Socorro Ortega
Heriberto Diaz	Stella Benitez
Isaac Narez	Tina Herrera
Janelle Bundy Martinez	Tita Lira
Joanne Salas	Teri Hernandez
John Salas	Tony Rodriguez
Jose Munoz	Toni Marie Gonsalvez
Jose Luna	

Our Men and Women of the military services.

Names are removed periodically. If you wish to add a loved one who is going through health, emotional, spiritual problems and needs our prayers, please call the office at 625-2048.





Fil-Am of Oakley and St. Anthony Parish

Invite you to celebrate

the Feast of San Pedro Calungsod

Saturday April 2, 2022

5:00 pm Holy Eucharist
6:00 pm Fellowship
in Church Hall



PALM SAUNDAY

APRIL 10, 2022

Regular Mass Schedule

HOLY THURSDAY

APRIL 14, 2022

English Mass at 5:30 pm

Blessed Sacrament will be exposed
for Adoration in Padua Hall after
7:30 pm Mass until 6:00 am.

HOLY FRIDAY

APRIL 15, 2022

Divine Chapel Rosary
At 3:00 pm - Bilingual

Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ
in English at 5:30 pm

HOLY SATURDAY

APRIL 16, 2022

Bilingual Mass at 8:00 pm.

DOMINGO DE RAMOS

ABRIL 10, 2022

Horario de Misas Regular

JUEVES SANTO

ABRIL 14, 2022

Misa en Español a las 7:30 pm

El Santísimo Sacramento será
expuesto en el Salón Padua
después de Misa de 7:30 pm
hasta las 6:00 am.

VIERNES SANTO

ABRIL 15, 2022

Coronilla de la Divina Misericordia
A las 3:00 pm - Bilingüe

Pasión de Nuestro Señor Jesucristo
en Español, a las 7:30 pm

SABADO SANTO

ABRIL 16, 2022

Misa Bilingüe a las 8:00 pm.



Lenten Retreat

Sponsored by St. Anthony Columbiettes

Saturday, April 2, 2022

From 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

At St. Anthony Catholic Church, Padua Hall

FOR ALL CHRISTIAN WOMEN

Pre-Register Today at (925) 848-8925 (Libby)

Free Entrance!!

We will start registration
at 8:00 am. Bring your
lunch, refreshments will
be provided.



27 de marzo de 2022
Cuarto Domingo de Cuaresma

PERDIDO Y ENCONTRADO

La parábola del padre y sus hijos es una de las más conocidas de todas las historias de Jesús. El padre de la parábola es espléndido en el perdón y se deleita con el regreso de su hijo menor, el que estaba perdido y ahora lo ha encontrado. El hijo mayor también está perdido; perdido por su negación a perdonar, perdido por su incapacidad para comprender el espíritu generoso de su padre. Los israelitas pasaron muchos de los años perdidos en el desierto, buscando la tierra de leche y miel, pero muchas veces fracasaron para buscar al Dios que los liberó y alimentó. Nosotros también algunas veces estamos perdidos. Perdemos de vista al Señor y a sus caminos. Sin embargo, Dios nunca nos pierde de vista. Dios espera, listo para que volvamos a entrar en razón, listo para recibirnos de nuevo con los brazos abiertos. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — El pueblo de Dios entra a la tierra prometida (Josué 5:9a, 10-12) o 1 Samuel 16: 1b, 6-7, 10-13a.

Salmo — Gusten y vean qué bueno es el Señor (Salmo 34 [33]) o Salmo 23(22).

Segunda lectura — Ahora somos embajadores de Cristo (Corintios 5:17-21) o Efesios 5:8-14.

Evangelio — Debemos celebrar cuando nuestro hermano se arrepiente y vuelve a la vida (Lucas 15:1-3, 11-32) o Juan 9: 1-41 [1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38].

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Segunda Colecta

27 de Marzo - Servicios de Ayuda Católica
3 de Abril - Evaluación Diocesana

Convalidación

Esto es para aquellas parejas que están casadas por lo civil y ahora desean casarse por la Iglesia. Algunas parejas, debido a diferencias en los antecedentes religiosos o por un sentido de distancia de la Iglesia en el momento de su matrimonio, o debido a situaciones familiares complicadas, se casaron civilmente o de alguna manera de otra manera que no cumpliera con los requisitos legales de la Iglesia Católica para un matrimonio eclesial válido. Para mas información, llame a la oficina parroquial (925) 625-2048

Apoye a nuestros patrocinadores
Cuyos anuncios hacen posible este boletín.



A SEASON OF REFLECTION,
RENEWAL AND PREPARATION

Lenten Confessions

March 30, 2022

At 7:00 pm

Confesiones de Cuaresma

Marzo 30, 2022

A las 7:00 pm



La Escuela Bíblica de San Jerónimo Apóstoles de la Palabra les hace la invitación a todos a ser parte de esta escuela.
Todos los lunes a las 7 pm.
Salón 5 del edificio Padua.

Venga y conozca mas de Dios por medio de Su Palabra!!

Para mas Información puede contactarse con:
Alejandro Padilla al
(925) 383-4123



Cuarto Domingo de Cuaresma

¿Quién iba a saber que, cuando Moisés sacó a los israelitas de la esclavitud, eso significaría cuarenta años de deambular por el desierto antes de poder entrar en la Tierra Prometida? Muchos de nosotros experimentamos periodos de alejamiento en nuestra vida. Tal vez tomamos algunas decisiones equivocadas en nuestros días de juventud, o tal vez como hijos adultos regresamos a casa a vivir debido a la lucha contra el abuso de sustancias, o el desempleo, o un divorcio. O tal vez nos alejamos de la Iglesia por un tiempo. Esto no es nada nuevo. La segunda lectura nos llama a ser nuevas creaciones en Cristo, a despojarnos de nuestro viejo yo, a ser transformados; y en el Evangelio escuchamos la hermosa historia del hijo pródigo. Cada una de ellas nos llama a movernos, a crecer y a dejar atrás las viejas costumbres.

PROBANDO LOS LÍMITES

Algunas de las primeras palabras que tal vez puede decir un niño de dos años son "¡lo hice!" Es casi un rito de paso para los adolescentes poner a prueba a sus padres todo lo que puedan. Todos los padres que alguna vez se han quedado despiertos en la cama por la noche esperando oír el sonido del hijo metiendo el coche en el garaje o abriendo la puerta, saben al menos tanto sobre las vigilias de oración como cualquier monja en un convento. Se trata de una oración profunda y sincera, y los padres apenas pueden respirar hasta que su hijo vuelva a casa. Normalmente, cuando pensamos en la historia del hijo pródigo, pensamos en el sentimiento de culpa que tuvo el hijo al darse cuenta de lo mucho que había estropeado las cosas, o sentimos la injusticia que sintió el hermano mayor, porque no era el hijo rebelde que se iba de casa.

BIENVENIDO A CASA

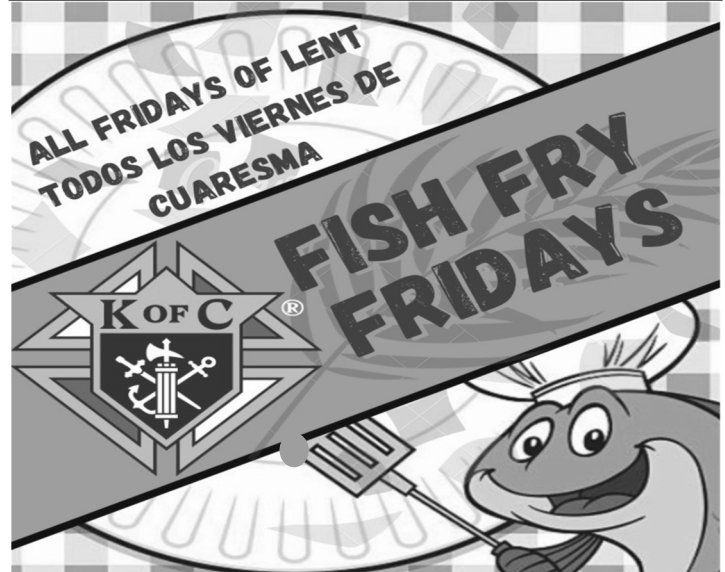
Lo que no solemos recordar en la historia del hijo pródigo es que Dios está ahí dando la bienvenida, instándonos a seguir adelante. Hace unos años hubo un funeral por un joven que murió de sobredosis a los pocos días de salir de un centro de tratamiento. Muchos de sus jóvenes amigos acudieron, pero esperaban fuego y azufre, y que les dijeran lo malo que era ese chico. En lugar de eso, el sacerdote predicó que Dios amaba tanto a ese niño que quizá la única forma de protegerlo era llevarlo a casa. Esa amable imagen de Dios recibéndolo con los brazos abiertos alivió los corazones rotos y las preguntas no formuladas que había en muchas mentes. No todas las situaciones son tan drásticas, pero Dios nos llama a casa en esta Cuaresma, sin importar los errores que hayamos cometido, o cuántas veces los hayamos cometido. Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

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recortes de los santos



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y nunca olvides sus
beneficios.

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