

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC CHURCH AND SCHOOLS

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Daily Rectory Office Hours:

9:00am—1:00pm, 2:00pm-5:00pm

Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:30pm (English)

Sunday Masses:

7:30am (English) 9:00am (Español)

11:00am (English) 1:00pm (Español)

5:30pm (English)

Weekday Masses:

Monday - Friday 6:30am & 8:00am

Saturday Morning 8:00am

First Friday/Primer Viernes:

6:15pm Mass & Adoration until 8:15pm/

Misa Bilingüe y Adoración hasta las 8:15

Confessions: Saturdays, 6:45pm

Friday evenings during Adoration

Adoration: Most Fridays, 6:15pm-7:15pm

Drive-in Visits to the Blessed Sacrament on the NW side of the Church. The parking lot Berendo gate is open from 6:00am-7:00pm weekdays and 7:00am-7:00pm weekends.

Daily Rosary: Monday-Friday 6:00am

Monday-Saturday 7:30am

Thursday 8:40am (Español)

First Saturday 7:00am; 8:30am (Español)

St. Anthony Novena: Tuesdays after 8:00am

Mass in English followed by Espanol

Rosario - Legión de María (Español)

Martes, 9:00am (Salón de Nuestra Señora)

Mother of Perpetual Help Novena:

Saturdays after 8:00am Mass in English.

Wednesdays after 8:00am Mass en Espanol.

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JANUARY 19, 2025
2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Parish Contacts

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Kevin Agudo (209) 603-2270

Schedule on Instagram at [arkyouthministry_gardenaca](https://www.instagram.com/arkyouthministry_gardenaca)

Baptism/Bautismo

Baptisms: Infant Baptisms in English are held twice a month. Parents and Godparents must visit the Parish Office (Rectory) during office hours to:

- Register for the required Baptism Formation Seminar
- Submit a copy of the child's state-issued birth certificate

Bautismo: Los bautizos en espanol se llevan a cabo dos veces al mes. Los padres y padrinos deben visitar la oficina parroquial (rectoria) durante el horario de oficina para:

- Registrarse para el clase de formacion de Bautismo requerido
- Envíe una copia del certificado de nacimiento emitido por el estado del niño

Marriage/Arreglos para Boda

Engaged couples are strongly encouraged to contact the parish office for appointments and classes 6 months prior to proposed wedding date. / Parejas que desean casarse necesitan ponerse en contacto con la parroquia para empezar hacer arreglos por los menos seis meses antes de la fecha propuesta.

"ORDINARY TIME" - Having finished the Christmas Season with last week's celebration of the Baptism of the Lord, we begin the liturgical season called "Ordinary Time." The term "Ordinary Time" may be misleading. In the context of the liturgical year the term "ordinary" does not mean "usual or average." Ordinary here means "not seasonal." Ordinary Time is that part of the Liturgical Year that lies outside the seasons of Lent-Easter and Advent-Christmas. In Ordinary Time, the Church celebrates the mystery of Christ not in one specific aspect but in all its aspects. The readings during the liturgies of Ordinary Time help to instruct us on how to live out our Christian faith in our daily lives. Ordinary Time in the Church's year occurs in two sections. The first part begins on the Monday following the Christmas season and lasts through the Tuesday before Ash Wednesday, which begins Lent. Ordinary Time then resumes after the Easter Season, on the Monday after Pentecost, and continues through the summer until the beginning of Advent. The liturgical color of Ordinary Time is green which is a symbol of hope.

WILDFIRE VICTIMS EMERGENCY RELIEF FUND - The Archdiocese has established a Wildfire Victims Emergency Relief Fund to help the victims of the recent wildfires. There will be a special second collection in the month of January at all parishes in the Archdiocese for the fund to provide grants for food, clothing, and other needs due to the recent wildfires. Our second collection at St. Anthony's will take place NEXT SUNDAY, JANUARY 19. Anyone who would like to donate to help our brothers and sisters who are suffering because of the fires, please contribute to the second collection for the Wildfire Victims Emergency Relief Fund. Requests for assistance will be made through your local parish and the funds will be provided as a one-time grant to those in need effective immediately. Thank you for your support to help those who are suffering and have lost so much through these devastating events. Let us continue to offer our prayers for all who have been impacted by the wildfires and for the first responders and all volunteers who are on the front lines.

CALLED TO RENEW PROGRESS as of December 2024

Total Gifts Pledged – 318 individuals or families

Total Pledged - \$1,335,576

Assigned Goal - \$790,000

Percent of Goal Pledged – 169%

Payments to Date - \$443,356

Percent of Total Pledged Paid – 33.19%

Percent of Assigned Goal Paid – 56.12%

Thank you again so much for your generosity to this archdiocesan and parish capital campaign which our parish began in January 2023. Please remember to make your monthly or quarterly payments on your 5-year pledge.

If you have not received an invoice or bill as your monthly reminder, please contact Br. Jose Luis in the rectory office during the week as soon as possible.

ANNUAL NATIONAL CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

begins next Sunday, January 26. We begin the week with Mass celebrated with our parish school community at 11:00am and the Open House is at the school from 12noon until 2pm. All are welcome! There will be a variety of speakers after Communion at each Mass starting at 5:30pm Mass on Saturday, January 25, all Masses on Sunday, January 26. This week we highlight the importance of a Catholic education. Statistics and history prove that the

surest and best way to bring or keep a child out of poverty and equip him with the tools necessary to succeed is a Catholic education. In our parish we want to make the promise of this excellent education available to all our children. Sadly, the primary reason many parents do not send their children to a Catholic school is simply money. Because we receive no funding from the government we must rely entirely upon tuition. Nevertheless, money is never a reason for us to turn away a child from our school. Now is the time to apply for tuition grants from the Catholic Education Foundation. Each applicant may receive \$1000.00 and possibly more if he qualifies. This is a tremendous help for those parents who cannot afford the full tuition. However, we will work with any family who desires to send their children to our school. Please stop by throughout this coming week and obtain more information at the school. Request the enrollment form as well as the application for the tuition grant and complete them as soon as possible. Remember we want each child to have a Catholic education and thus "an advantage for life."

SEE WHY ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA SCHOOL HAS BEEN VOTED "BEST AND FAVORITE" - Sunday, January 26, 11:00am Family Mass followed by School Tours from Noon-2:00pm.

DID YOU KNOW? - Small actions to take for child safety

- Being a safe adult is more than just taking some classes on abuse prevention and filling in the right answers. Adults who model healthy behaviors are a strong example for children, helping them distinguish safe from unsafe adults. Basic actions, like wearing a seatbelt, obeying school rules and ministry guidelines, and always acting in a way that supports children can help build a safe community. For more ideas, read the VIRTUS® article "Modeling healthy behaviors" at lacatholics.org/did-you-know.

"TIEMPO ORDINARIO" - Habiendo terminado la temporada navideña con la celebración del Bautismo del Señor la semana pasada, comenzamos la temporada litúrgica llamada "Tiempo ordinario". El término "Tiempo ordinario" puede ser engañoso. En el contexto del año litúrgico, el término "ordinario" no significa "habitual o promedio". Ordinario aquí significa "no estacional". El tiempo ordinario es esa parte del año litúrgico que se encuentra fuera de las estaciones de Cuaresma-Pascua y Adviento-Navidad. En el tiempo ordinario, la Iglesia celebra el misterio de Cristo no en un aspecto específico sino en todos sus aspectos. Las lecturas durante las liturgias del tiempo ordinario ayudan a instruirnos sobre cómo vivir nuestra fe cristiana en nuestra vida diaria. El tiempo ordinario en el año de la Iglesia ocurre en dos secciones. La primera parte comienza el lunes siguiente a la temporada navideña y dura hasta el martes anterior al Miércoles de Ceniza, que comienza la Cuaresma. El tiempo ordinario se reanuda después de la temporada de Pascua, el lunes después de Pentecostés, y continúa durante el verano hasta el comienzo del Adviento. El color litúrgico del tiempo ordinario es el verde, que es un símbolo de esperanza.

FONDO DE EMERGENCIA PARA LAS VÍCTIMAS -

La Arquidiócesis ha creado el Fondo de Emergencia para las Víctimas de los Incendios para ayudar a las víctimas de los recientes incendios que están sufriendo debido a la devastación. Habrá una segunda colecta especial durante el mes de enero en las parroquias de la Arquidiócesis para recaudar dinero para el fondo que distribuirá ayuda financiera para alimentos, ropa y otras necesidades debido a la destrucción de los incendios recientes. Nuestra segunda colecta en San Antonio tendrá lugar el PRÓXIMO DOMINGO 19 DE ENERO. Cualquier persona que desea donar para ayudar a nuestros hermanos y hermanas que han sido afectados por los incendios, por favor contribuya a la segunda colecta para el Fondo de Emergencia para las Víctimas de los Incendios. Las solicitudes de ayuda se harán a través de su parroquia local y los fondos se proporcionarán a los necesitados inmediatamente como pago único. Gracias por su apoyo en ayudar a todos los que están sufriendo y han perdido tanto a causa de estos eventos devastadores. Continuamos ofreciendo oraciones para todos los afectados por los incendios y por los equipos de intervención inmediata y todos los voluntarios que están en la primera línea.

LLAMADOS A RENOVAR EL PROGRESO de Diciembre 2024

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Pagos hasta la fecha - \$443,356

Porcentaje del total prometido pagado – 33.19%

Porcentaje de meta asignada pagada – 56.12%

Muchas gracias nuevamente por su generosidad con esta campaña capital arquidiocesana y parroquial que nuestra parroquia comenzó en enero de 2023.

Recuerde realizar los pagos mensuales o trimestrales de su compromiso de 5 años. **Si no ha recibido una factura o factura como recordatorio mensual, comuníquese con Hermano José Luis en la oficina de la rectoría durante la semana lo antes posible.**

LA SEMANA ANUAL DE LAS ESCUELAS

CATÓLICAS comienza en el próximo Domingo en el 26 de enero. Comenzamos la semana con una misa celebrada con nuestra comunidad escolar parroquial a las 11:00am y la Casa Abierta es en la escuela desde las 12 del mediodía hasta las 2:00pm. ¡Todos son bienvenidos! Habrá una variedad de oradores después de la Comunión en cada Misa comenzando en la Misa de las 5:30pm el sábado 25 de enero, todas las Misas el domingo 26 de enero. Esta semana destacamos la importancia de una educación católica. Las estadísticas y la historia demuestran que la mejor y más segura manera de sacar o mantener a un niño fuera de la pobreza y equiparlo con las herramientas necesarias para tener éxito es una educación católica. En nuestra parroquia queremos hacer que la promesa de esta excelente educación esté disponible para todos nuestros niños. Lamentablemente, la razón principal por la que muchos padres no envían a sus hijos a una escuela católica es simplemente dinero. Debido a que no recibimos fondos del gobierno, debemos depender completamente de la matrícula. Sin embargo, el

dinero nunca es una razón para que rechacemos a un niño de nuestra escuela. Ahora es el momento de solicitar becas de matrícula de la Fundación de Educación Católica. Cada solicitante puede recibir \$1000.00 y posiblemente más, si califica. Esta es una gran ayuda para aquellos padres que no pueden pagar la matrícula completa. Sin embargo, trabajaremos con cualquier familia que desee enviar a sus hijos a nuestra escuela. Pase por aquí durante la próxima semana y obtenga más información en la escuela. Solicite el formulario de inscripción, así como la solicitud de la beca y complétenlos lo antes posible. Recuerde que queremos que cada niño tenga una educación católica y, por lo tanto, "una ventaja para la vida".

VEA POR QUÉ LA ESCUELA SAN ANTONIO DE PADUA HA SIDO VOTADA COMO “LA MEJOR Y LA FAVORITA”

– Domingo, 26 de enero, 11:00am. Misa familiar seguida de visitas a la escuela de 12:00pm a 2:00pm.

COMING UP / PRÓXIMOS EVENTOS

Wed., Jan. 22, day of prayer and penance for the legal protection of unborn children

Sun., Jan. 26 - School Open House after 11:00am Mass

Jan. 26 – Feb. 1 - Annual National Catholic Schools Week

Fri., Jan. 31, 7:00pm – Annual Mass in honor of the Santo Nino of Prague, Maria Regina Church, Bishop Solis.

Sat., Sun., Feb. 1-2, 8:00am – 5:30pm, en el Salon – Retiro: Familias Sanadas y Restauradas por el Amor.

Llamar a Luisa (213) 570-9073 o Antonia (310) 612-0819.

Sun., Feb. 2 – Candlemas & Feast of the Presentation of the Lord / Candelaria. Bring candles and Baby Jesus at all Masses for blessing.

Sun., Feb. 2 – Together in Mission Announcement Sunday

Sat., Feb. 8 – Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes and Annual World Day of the Sick. 11:00am Mass at the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels in downtown Los Angeles with Archbishop Gomez and the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick administered to those seriously ill.

Sun., Feb. 9 – Together in Mission in Pew Commitment Sunday

Sun., Feb. 16 – Together in Mission Follow-up Sunday

Sat., March 1, 5pm – 75th Anniversary Gala of Serra High School honoring four alumni including St. Anthony parishioner Jerry Thomas, Class of 1954. \$200 ticket. Westdrift Manhattan Beach Hotel.

Ash Wednesday, March 5 – Special Mass Schedule, Day of Fast and Abstinence

Fridays of Lent – Bilingual Stations of the Cross

Fri., March 28 – Holy Year / Jubilee 24 Hours for the Lord

Palm Sunday through Easter Sunday, April 13-20 - Holy Week

Mon., April 14 - Chrism Mass at the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels in downtown Los Angeles with Archbishop Gomez

Spy Wed., April 16 – Lenten Penance Service with Confessions and Adoration

Sat., May 3 – School First Communion Mass

Fri. – Sun., May 16-18 – Parish Fiesta

Sat., May 24 – RE First Communion Masses

June TBA – 50th Anniversary of Deacon Felix's Ordination as a Deacon by Cardinal Manning.

Fri., June 6 – School Graduation Mass and Ceremony

Fri., June 13 – Feast of St. Anthony of Padua & Blessings of the Bread

Sat., June 14, 5:30 – Confirmation Mass

Sun., June 22 – Corpus Christi Procession

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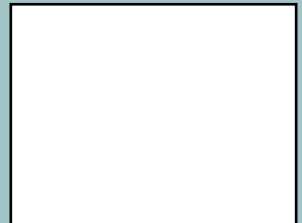
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