

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Rectory Office Hours:
Monday - Friday: 8:30AM - 1:00PM
& 2:00PM - 8:30PM
Saturday & Sunday: 8:30AM - 5:15PM

Church Hours:
Monday—Friday: 6:00AM—8:30PM
Saturday, Sunday:
6:30AM—7:00PM

Mass, Confessions Schedule

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:

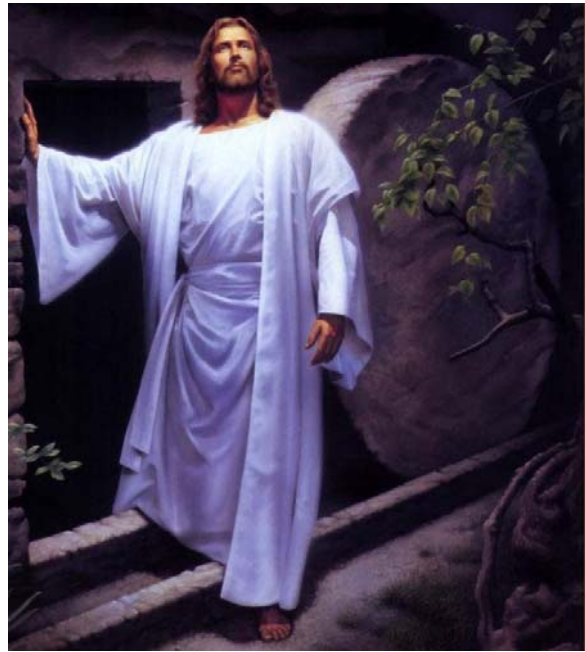
7:00PM Mass & Adoration until 10:00PM/
Misa y Adoración hasta las 10PM

Confessions: Saturday 4:00PM - 5:00PM

Daily Rosary: Monday-Friday 6:00AM
Monday-Saturday 7:30AM
First Saturday 7:00AM
Sunday 8:40AM (Español)

Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena
Wednesdays, 6:30PM (Church)

Rosario - Legión de María (Español)
Martes, 9:00AM (Iglesia Antigua)



APRIL 21, 2019
EASTER SUNDAY

Parish Contacts

Faith Formation/Religious Education

Mrs. Madonna Castro, Director (310) 323-0860

High School Confirmation Program

Mrs. Leilani Alvarado, Coordinator (310) 327-3953

St. Anthony Elementary School

Mrs. Angela Grey, Principal (310) 329-7170
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St. Anthony Day Nursery

Sister Yadira Villalobos, M.C., Director (310) 329-8654
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Baptism/Bautismo

Baptisms in English: Pre-Baptismal classes are held on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month. Parents and Godparents are required to attend. Baptisms are on the 1st and 3rd Saturday of each month. Stop by the rectory to register.

Bautismos en Español: Clases pre-bautismales se ofrecen los 1^{er} y 3^{er} lunes de cada mes. Es requisito que padres y padrinos asistan. Los Bautismos se celebran el 2^o y 4^o sábado de cada mes. Pasen a la rectoría para inscribirse.

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. Contact the parish office for details.

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.

FROM THE PASTOR

Easter greetings to you and your loved ones.

**May the Risen Lord Jesus
bring graces and blessings to you
during this Easter Season.**

**May He warm your heart
with His unconditional love.**

**May our families, communities and nation
experience spiritual renewal and conversion of
heart.**

**Be assured of a remembrance
in my Masses and prayers
at the Easter Vigil and on Easter Sunday
as an expression of my gratitude
for your friendship, love and support.**

"This is the joy of the Easter Vigil: we are free. In the resurrection of Jesus, love has been shown to be stronger than death, stronger than evil. Love made Christ descend, and love is also the power by which he ascends. The power by which he brings us with him. In union with his love, borne aloft on the wings of love, as persons of love, let us descend with him into the world's darkness, knowing that in this way we will also rise up with him. On this night, then, let us pray: Lord, show us that love is stronger than hatred, that love is stronger than death. Descend into the darkness and the abyss of our modern age, and take by the hand those who await you. Bring them to the light! In my own dark nights, be with me to bring me forth! Help me, help all of us, to descend with you into the darkness of all those people who are still waiting for you, who out of the depths cry unto you! Help us to bring them your light! Help us to say the "yes" of love, the love that makes us descend with you and, in so doing, also to rise with you. Amen!" - Pope Benedict XVI

THANK YOU! - At this time in which we celebrate with Easter joy, I want to express my sincere gratitude to all our wonderful parishioners who contributed time, talent and treasure to make our Holy Week services so beautiful and prayerful. In a special way I want to express my gratitude to those who decorated the church during Lent and Holy Week and worked so hard to ensure that the solemnity of these holy days would be well reflected in the physical environment of the church and parish hall.

A word of thanks also goes out to all the members of our parish staff and all the volunteers who have helped during these busy days in preparing and carrying out the many different liturgies which we have celebrated.

Finally, together with Father Domenech, Father Campos, and Father Meyer, Deacon Huerta, as well as the Poor Clare Missionary Sisters and our Parish Staff, I wish all of you a most blessed and joyful Easter! May the Risen Lord bless you and your family!

THIS WEEK - ANNUAL WOMEN'S RETREAT

(English): Friday, April 26 through Sunday, April 28, Sacred Heart Retreat House, Alhambra, Father Will Schmid, [For information/RSVP: our parishioner, Laly Savoy @ 310-225-2553 or Yolanda Torres at 310-748-1837.](#) For fee see: <https://sacredheartretreathouse.com/retreats/rates/>

OTHER ACTIVITIES AT SACRED HEART RETREAT HOUSE, ALHAMBRA

For information/RSVP: 626-289-1353, ext. 204 or retreatcoordinator@carmelitesistersocd.com. For fee see: <https://sacredheartretreathouse.com/retreats/rates/>

Annual Men's Retreat (English): Friday, August 23 through Sunday, August 25, Sacred Heart Retreat House, Alhambra, **Father Bill Casey, CMP**

Married Couples Retreat with Fr. Bryce Sibley, May 24-26, \$395 per couple includes meals and lodging.

Retiro de Silencio de Fin de Semana para Hombres y Mujeres with Rev. Ricardo Pineda, CPM, November 15-17, 2019, different rates.

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DID YOU KNOW? - The Archdiocese continues helping survivors of sexual abuse and their families

During National Child Abuse Prevention Month, the Archdiocese would like to reiterate that we stand resolute in our commitment to report allegations of sexual misconduct to law enforcement, support victim-survivors and protect children and the vulnerable. The Archdiocese has created a new website, protect.la-archdiocese.org, to serve as a comprehensive resource that will connect you to its programs and services for protecting children and reporting abuse. If you, or someone you know, is a victim of sexual abuse by a Church employee or volunteer, please contact the Archdiocesan Victims Assistance Coordinator at (213) 637-7650 or protect.la-archdiocese.org for help and support.

Durante el Mes Nacional de la Prevención del Abuso Infantil, la Arquidiócesis desea reiterar que nos mantenemos firmes en nuestro compromiso de reportar las denuncias de conducta sexual inapropiada a las autoridades policiales, apoyar a las víctimas-sobrevivientes y proteger a los niños y personas vulnerables. La Arquidiócesis ha creado un nuevo sitio web, protect.la-archdiocese.org, que sirve como un recurso integral que lo conectará con sus programas y servicios para proteger a los niños y denunciar el abuso. Si usted o alguien que usted conoce es víctima de abuso sexual por parte de un empleado o voluntario de la Iglesia, comuníquese con la Coordinadora de Asistencia a las Víctimas de la Arquidiócesis al (213) 637-7650 o protect.la-archdiocese.org para obtener ayuda y apoyo.

CALLING ALL ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA SCHOOL ALUMNI! - Our SAP School 8th graders are graduating on **June 7, 2019**, and they will be wearing their caps and gowns to the 11am School Family Mass. If you are a former student of St. Anthony, we welcome you and your classmates back on Sunday, **June 2, 2019** for a special Mass. We would like to recognize you at the graduation Mass as well on June 7, so we can welcome you home! For former SAP School students who are heading off to college, we would love to pray for you as well, as you start a new chapter in your life.

83RD ANNUAL STRAWBERRY PARK DAYS FIESTA -

 Our 83rd Annual Strawberry Park Days Fiesta is fast approaching! Mark these important dates on your calendar! You don't want to miss out on any of the FUN and HARD WORK! **Strawberry Park Days Fiesta:**

May 17, 18 & 19

Monday, April 22nd at 6 pm: Last General Fiesta Meeting; dinner at 6 pm, meeting at 7 pm

Saturday May 11th: Setup Saturday

Monday, May 20th: Teardown Monday

- **Filipino egg roll wrapping:** April 27, and May 4 & 11, 2019 in the Parish Hall from 10 am to 4 pm
- **Teriyaki stick preparation:** Saturdays 4/27/19 and 5/4/19 from 9 am to 5 pm. Location: 1031 W, 164th St. (Queen of Angels House of Formation)
- You can turn in your raffle tickets after Mass on Sunday. We are also selling pre-sale ride tickets after Mass on Sunday. Pre-sale ride ticket sales will stop on May 17th, Friday at 6 pm. Pre-sale ride tickets can also be purchased at the Rectory, the school office, RE office and the Day Care/Nursery office

If you have any questions, call Jim Torii, Fiesta Chairperson, 310.753.9429

ACCW - The Southwestern District of the Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women invites all women of the parish to a day of prayer and fellowship with other catholic women of the area. The next gathering will be on Tues, May 28 at St. Margaret Mary Church (25511 Eshelman Ave, Lomita). The day begins at 9:30am, includes a speaker, mass, lunch and concludes at 1:30pm. Charge for the day is \$15, prepaid. For information, contact Theresa Vicelja at 310-325-8957.

KEEP THEM IN YOUR SPECIAL PRAYERS — Our brothers and sisters who are ill, especially: Nilda Felina, Mercy Pizarro, Jesus Carranza, Celso Catipon Sr, Pedro Alvarado, Caroline Harding, Joshua Ibanez, Lukas Rodriguez, Arthur Vega III, Bryan Dinnoo, Teresa Quirino Linda Ruiz, Peter Publico, Alexis Lapeyrollerie, Brad Taylor, Angel Pers'a Bates, Rene'e Harrell, Pina Knapp, Arthur Guevara, Keshia Brown, Derek Serrano, Laura Luke, Joshua Ibanez, Joyce Vanderhorst, Shonari Duncan, Cindy Besler, Darius Levi, Evandas Cheesebrough, Nathaniel Chadwick, Monica Chadwick, Robert Braico, Joyce Vanderhorst, Sue Leong Poi, Shanari Duncan, Anthony de la Torre, Michael Doerschel, Cheral Sherman, Miguel Castaneda, Harvey Yuen, Donna Hayden, Dirk Bates, Wyomia Mortise, **And remember those who have recently been called from this life especially:** Prisciliano Magallanes, Joe Ferruccio & Martin Almaraz

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, April 22

6:30AM +Maria & Diego Pelea+

8:00AM +Diego & Maria Pelea+

Tuesday, April 23

6:30AM +Maria Luisa Canut+

8:00AM +Eduardo Papa+

Wednesday, April 24

6:30AM +Juventino Beltran+

8:00AM +Solomon Heredia+

Thursday, April 25

6:30AM +Domenico Costa+

8:00AM Intentions of Mark Pilato

Friday, April 26

6:30AM +Pedro Lara+ (Birthday)

8:00AM +Clementina Ramirez+

Saturday, April 27

8:00AM +Katherine Grace Pagbilao+ (Birthday)

5:30PM +Betty Barrientos+

Sunday, April 28

7:30AM +James Campa+

9:00AM +Juventino Beltran+

11:00AM Hazel Espiritu (Birthday)

1:00PM +Lourdes Gomez+

5:30PM The People of St. Anthony

SUNDAY HOSPITALITY— Sunday, April 21st: **Grupo De Oración** will be selling coffee, donuts, and other food items after masses to raise funds for their program. *Your support is appreciated!*

ROSARY CRUSADE FOR PEACE



The Rosary will be held on Monday, April 22nd at 7pm at the home of Kathy Freiburghouse (2220 Plant Ave. Redondo Beach). For more information, please call (310) 542-6825



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