



ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC CHURCH

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MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS: 5:30PM (English)

SUNDAY MASSES: 7:30AM (English)
9:00AM (*En Español*)
11:00AM (English)
1:00PM (*En Español*)
5:30PM (English)

WEEKDAY MASSES: Monday - Friday
6:30AM & 8:00AM

SATURDAY MORNING: 8:00AM only

1ST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH:
7:00PM (Mass) Adoration until 10:00PM

1^{ER} VIERNES DEL MES:
7:00PM (Misa) Adoración hasta las 10:00PM

CONFESSIONS: Saturday 4:00PM - 5:00PM

PRAYER SERVICES

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP
Every Wednesday, 6:30PM in the Church

ROSARIO - LEGIÓN DE MARÍA (EN ESPAÑOL)
Cada Martes, 9:00AM en la Iglesia Antigua

BAPTISM/BAUTISMO

Baptisms in English: Pre-Baptismal classes are held on the 1st 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 primeros 3 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.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, January 8

11:00AM Arlene Revellame (Birthday)
 1:00PM +Henrique Silva & Maria Escobar+

Tuesday, January 9

6:30AM +Modesto Revellame Jr. Joshua Domilod & Estelita Miel+
 8:00AM +Kathleen Erengis Smith

Wednesday, January 10

6:30AM Intentions of the Lee Hoy Family
 8:00AM +Father Peter McGee+

Thursday, January 11

6:30AM +Nam Nguyen+
 8:00AM +Kenneth Lee Hoy+

Friday, January 12

6:30AM +Marc Pomerleau+
 8:00AM Maria Luisa Perez (Birthday)

Saturday, January 13

8:00AM Sasha Magnadam (Birthday)
 5:30PM Elaine Lapuz (Birthday)

Sunday, January 14

7:30AM +Maria Silva+
 9:00AM +Florencio Garcia & Ruben & Josefina Brizuela+
 11:00AM +Guillermo de la Torre+
 1:00PM
 5:30PM Iñigo Roda (Thanksgiving)



KEEP THEM IN YOUR SPECIAL PRAYERS

Our brothers and sisters who are ill, especially: Valdemira Torres, Veronique Rodier, Mariana Lozada, Hudson Koepnick, Vera Joya, Pancho Verdugo, Don Bohannon, Alfonso Andrade, Maricar DeGuzman, Patricia Flores, Karen Tankersley, Matthew Emery, Emy Marinas, Eleanor Bersano, Marco Veliz, Virginia Castillo, Raquel Bazaldua, Salvador Peralta, Adolfo Vasquez, Catherine Baker, Ana Veliz, Herb Griffitt, Angela Marino, Jeannie Okamoto, Mariano Felina, Flora Ibarra, Anita Carreras-Griffitt, Carrie Gorman, Anthony Ruiz, Catherine Dinnoo, Norma Chanman-Cordova, Joshua Ibanez, Brian Archambault, Ingrid Leggott, Laura Ponce, Alejandra Ramirez, Esther Huevo, Ethan Vargas, Jack Soltis, Robert Corona, Lupe Redondo, Martin Bravo, Maryann Sanchez, Arthur Sanchez, Yolanda Vasquez, Rene'e Harrell, Jose Ballesteros, Cesar Javier, Josette Milner,

And remember those who have recently been called from this life especially: Jim Duffy



SUNDAY HOSPITALITY

We 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, January 8th at 7pm at the home of Barbara Orozco (16820 Wilkie Ave.) For more information, please call (310) 324-5135.

Preguntas sobre las Bodas Comunitarias por favor de contactarse con Nozmi & Simon Barron (310)245-2543 or Estela & Asunción Robes (310) 293-3542

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Where on earth would you go to honor the magi? Iran or Saudi Arabia, Tarshish or the Isles come to mind, but Cologne, Germany would be a good choice. There the Shrine of the Three Kings has been the centerpiece of the city's cathedral since the fourth century. Today it is the largest reliquary in the world: a gilded and ornamented triple casket gleaming high above the altar. In the fourth century, the supposed relics of the wise men were taken from Constantinople to Milan, where they remained until the German Emperor with the unlikely name Frederick Barbarossa (Red Beard) gave them to the Archbishop of Cologne. Ever since, pilgrims have streamed into the city to honor the magi, the first of all pilgrims, and thus the heavenly patrons of all who have some holy wanderlust.

This largest Gothic cathedral in Europe today was begun in the mid-1200s to house the relics. In medieval times, the relics in a city's possession were often the key to a sound international economy. The reliquary was last opened in 1864, and the remains of three men were indeed discovered. The cathedral is well worth a visit, with enormous twin spires forming the largest façade of any church in the world (it is the model for St. Patrick's in New York). Construction began in 1248 and ended in 1880, a six-hundred-year project. Today, it is a World Heritage Site, described by the U.N. as "an exceptional work of human creative genius." This great treasure of our tradition suffered fourteen direct bomb hits in World War II but did not collapse. It survived while the city burned around it, preserved, the townspeople say, by three heavenly patrons.

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TRADICIONES DE NUESTRA FE

Melchor, Gaspar y Baltasar son los nombres que la tradición ha dado a los tres reyes magos. Pero ¿quién dijo que eran tres? Según San Mateo (Mt 2:1-12) fueron sabios del oriente que trajeron oro, incienso y mirra a Jesús. La imaginación cristiana decidió que cada regalo requería alguien que lo regalara. Se fija así el número de sabios en tres. Por ser astrólogos del oriente, tenían que ser magos. Venían buscando al nuevo rey de Israel y fue así que se les da el papel de reyes que representaban los tres continentes conocidos en la época medieval: Asia, África y Europa.

Ellos también representan tres edades humanas: juventud, madurez y vejez. Melchor (rey de la luz), fue un anciano europeo que obsequió oro al Rey Jesús; Gaspar (tesorero) fue un joven asiático que regaló incienso al Niño Dios y Baltasar (dios proteja al rey) fue un hombre africano que donó mirra al Hijo del Hombre. Hoy día habría que incluir una niña americana y una adolescente australiana a la lista de reyes magos.

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

GOD'S PROMISE TO ALL PEOPLE

Today Isaiah reminds the people of God that the land shall be restored to their possession, they shall rejoice to see their people return from the bondage of exile, and that they shall be a light to the nations. In other words, through the people of Israel, the Savior shall come to all people who seek God with a sincere heart. This brings joy and the radiance of God's glory to all the world and to all people everywhere. Through the fidelity of the people of God, and through God's fidelity to them, all people shall become God's children and rejoice in the fulfillment of God's promise to Israel.

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LA PROMESA DE DIOS A TODOS

Hoy Isaías le recuerda al pueblo de Dios que recuperará su tierra, que se alegrará al ver que las personas regresan del cautiverio del exilio y que será una luz para todos los pueblos. En otras palabras, por medio del pueblo de Israel, el Salvador llegará a todos los pueblos que buscan a Dios con un corazón sincero. Esto traerá la alegría y el resplandor de la gloria de Dios a todo el mundo y a todos los pueblos. Gracias a la fidelidad del pueblo de Dios y, gracias a la fidelidad de Dios con ellos, todos serán sus hijos y se alegrarán con el cumplimiento de su promesa a Israel.

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**Benefit Dinner -
Dance**

Saturday, February 24, 2018

Building Fund for the Poor Clare
Missionary Sisters' Housing for Sick
and Elderly Sisters.

Event at: St. Anthony of Padua's
Parish Hall.

Hours: 6:00 P.M. to 10:00 P.M.

Tickets: \$20.00 per person

**COME! HAVE FUN! HELP THE
SISTERS!**

Sábado, 24 Febrero, 2018

*Ayudará a la construcción de Casa
de Convalecencia para las Hnas.
Religiosas enfermas y ancianas de
las Misioneras Clarisas*

Evento en: *Salón Parroquial de la
Iglesia de
San Antonio de Padua.*

Horas: 6:00 P.M. to 10:00 P.M.

Boleto: \$20.00

**VENGAN! DIVIERTANSE! AYUDEN A
LAS HERMANAS!**



The Epiphany of the Lord
January 7, 2018

All kings shall pay him homage,
all nations shall serve him.

—Psalm 72:11

Gardena Valley Lions Club

*cordially requests your presence at their
36th Community Recognition Luncheon
to honor*

Former Miss America

Principal Angela Grey
of St. Anthony of Padua School

and Lions Club's

94th Anniversary

Sat., January 27, 2018

11:30 a.m.-Social Hour: No Host Bar

12:30 p.m.-Lunch

Entertainment: Accordionist John Dynice

Holiday Inn LA Gateway - Torrance

19800 S. Vermont Ave., Torrance

\$ 55.00 per person - RSVP by January 20, 2018

Business Attire

Please make check payable to:

Gardena Valley Lions

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To RSVP or for information call:

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