



ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC CHURCH

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ST. ANTHONY DAY NURSERY

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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 15

6:30AM +Nam Nguyen+

8:00AM +Zachary Ponciano+

Tuesday, January 16

6:30AM Consolacion Revellame (Birthday)

8:00AM +Antonio Jacob+ (Birthday)

Wednesday, January 17

6:30AM Odnalor Revellame (Birthday)

8:00AM +Jason Rosenfeld+

Thursday, January 18

6:30AM +Maria Lolita Portilla+

8:00AM +Marcos Langarica+

Friday, January 19

6:30AM +Lamberto Rosario+

8:00AM Intentions of Reagan Mittal

Saturday, January 20

8:00AM Intentions of Jesus Portal & Levin Denaga

5:30PM +Antonia Elicio+

Sunday, January 21

7:30AM +Vilma Diaz & Jufe Anzano+

9:00AM +Luis Lupercio & Maria Melendez+

11:00AM Santo Nino (Hedy Williams)

1:00PM +Elsa Arias+

5:30PM +Teresa James+



KEEP THEM IN YOUR SPECIAL PRAYERS

Our brothers and sisters who are ill, especially: Cecelia Engels, Judson Engles, Raquel Gracia, Charles Capati, 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 Huezo, 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

Knights of Columbus

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 15th 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 & Asuncion Robes (310) 293-3542

CATHOLIC CO-ED SOFTBALL PLAYERS WANTED!

Greater South Bay Catholic Co-ed Adult (Ages 18+) Softball League Seeks Players for their Exciting 2018 Season! Games are held on Sunday Afternoons from February thru June in Torrance. Singles & Couples welcome; Female Players especially needed! If interested, please contact Fred @ (714) 369-9516 (Cell) or fredlawler@hotmail.com.

HAWAIIAN RAFFLE WINNERS

Many thanks to all of those who supported the Hawaiian Raffle by purchasing tickets for this St. Anthony of Padua School Fundraiser! Please see the list of winners below:

- 1st Place - NANCY FRANCO**
- 2nd Place - ANTUAN BROWN**
- 3rd Place - MARIA MARTINEZ**

THE LAMB OF GOD

"Behold the Lamb of God!" We hear this phrase every Sunday at Mass, but there's a good chance that many Roman Catholics do not know who in the Bible originally spoke it. The phrase appears only in the Gospel of John, on the lips of John the Baptist, who utters it twice. In today's Gospel reading, John proclaims Jesus as the Lamb of God, and two of John's own disciples then follow Christ. A little bit later Andrew, who heard John and then followed Jesus, brings his brother Simon to be re-named Cephas, or Peter. A careful look at these Bible verses shows us the mission of everyone baptized into the Body of Christ: we must always proclaim our faith in Christ, so that others will follow him. We may not know how the will of God might work through those we bring to Christ; that is not the point. The point is that our ongoing mission as a church is to bring others to Christ, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world.

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In observance of the Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday, the Parish Office will be closed on Monday, January 15th.



DID YOU KNOW?

Teach children how to handle bullies
 Many schools have started initiatives focused on eliminating bullying, and teaching kids how to be kind to each other. At home, you can teach your children how to defend themselves and stand up for friends and classmates using firm, polite statements. Talk with your kids about bullying – what’s happening, who’s doing it, and how to stop it with the help of a trusted adult. For more information on bullying and in-school conflicts, visit <http://kidshealth.org/parent/emotions/feelings/bullies.html>.

¿SABÍA USTED?

Enseña a sus hijos como defenderse contra los acosadores o “bullies”
 Muchas escuelas han comenzado iniciativas para eliminar el acoso o “bullying” y a enseñar a los niños cómo ser amables unos con otros y aprender juntos. Usted también puede enseñar a sus hijos cómo defenderse contra los acosadores y cómo usar palabras para comunicar en vez de la violencia. Hable con su hijo acerca de “bullying”. Pregúntales qué es lo que está pasando, quién lo está haciendo y hablen sobre cómo prevenir el acoso con la ayuda de un adulto de confianza. Para obtener más información sobre el acoso o “bullying”, visite el sitio <http://espanol.stopbullying.gov/>.



***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!**



All ladies have been invited by American Martyrs to come to an enlightening day at their parish at 624--15th street Manhattan Beach. The occasion is the next meeting of the Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women on Tuesday, January 23, 2018. The day includes a speaker, Mr. Louis Velasquez telling about laity in the Vicar of Clergy office, Mass and lunch. We are invited to Continental breakfast at 9:30 AM to start the day and will conclude about 1:30PM. \$12.00 prepaid and a check made payable to Judy Parnin, 1911 Perry Ave. Redondo Beach 90278 or locally contact Gen Gorciak at 310-327-4138 for reservations.

Every Catholic Woman is automatically a member of ACCW, and there are no dues.

**THE GARDENA VALLEY LION’S CLUB WILL BE HONORING
 PRINCIPAL ANGELA GREY AS CITIZEN OF THE YEAR
 2018.**

The Gardena Valley Lion’s Club is celebrating its 94th year and cordially invites St. Anthony of Padua parishioners to a special event where we will honor Principal Angela Grey with our 36th Community Recognition Award: Citizen of the Year. Please mark your calendars for Saturday January 27, 2018. It is not too early to reserve a seat for the event at the Holiday Inn L.A. Gateway Hotel: 19800 S. Vermont Ave., Torrance 90502. We are proud to honor such an amazing woman: Miss Hawai’i 2000 and Miss America 2001; your Principal of St. Anthony of Padua Catholic School; motivational speaker; published author, etc. 11:30: Social Hour: No Host Bar; 12:30: Luncheon followed by Lion’s Program. Entertainment will be provided by popular Accordionist John Dynce. Please reserve before January 20, 2018. Donation: \$55.00 per person. Business attire recommended. Please mail checks, with names of those attending, to Lion Chair Frank Onderka at 1036 W. Gardena Blvd. #5, Gardena, CA 90247. To RSVP or for more info: Please phone Lion Frank: (310) 753-1891. **Any questions: Please contact GV Lions Elaine or Eleanor Bersano: 1-323-756-0534 or rainbowfour@peoplepc.com.**