# Schedule of Masses

<u>Weekdays:</u> 7:00 & 9:00 am

Saturday: 8:00 am, 5:00 pm English Vigil 7:00 pm Spanish Vigil

Sunday:

7:00 am, 8:45 am,
10:45 am,
12:30 pm (Spanish),
6:00 pm

# Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturdays: 8:30 - 9:30 am

# Infant Baptism:

Three months notice & pre-baptismal instruction required

# Marriages:

Minimum six months preparation required

# <u>Respect Life</u> <u>Representatives:</u>

Odile Draa & Jim Thompson

Look for other ministries
In our parish on our
website:

www.st-anthonys.org

# Parish Pastoral Council

Celso Doria, Mel Picanco, Felicia Anaro, Martin Espinoza, Anna Mello, Debbie Rivas Allan Rodriguez, Alice Correia ♂ Sylvia Ranjel

# St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church



# Iglesia Católica San Antonio de Padua

November 8, 2015 Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

# Church

505 E. North St. Manteca, CA 95336 Office: 209-823-7197 Fax: 209-823-5238

# **School**

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luisana@st-anthonys.org
St. Anthony's website address is:
www.st-anthonys.org

#### Mission Statement

We covenant to give ourselves to Christ as He gives Himself to us in the Eucharist, so every person might be a full, active, & conscious participant in His Church, empowered to share & live the Gospel.

# Parish Staff

Rev. J. Patrick Walker,
Pastor

**Rev. Dante Dammay,**Parochial Vicar

**Rev. Jairo Ramirez**,
Parochial Vicar

Rev. Mr. Jeff Vierra,
Deacon

Mrs. Mary Lou Hoffman, School Principal

Sr. Ann Venita Britto, F.C., Pastoral Care & Senior Ministry

Dave Corder, Faith Formation Director

Angelique Gutierrez, Coordinator of Religious Formation

Diane Lehman,
Coordinator of Youth
Activities

Emelie Diaz
Director of Liturgical
Music

Mary Ferreira, Office Manager

Richard Sepulveda, Facilities Manager

#### **PASTORS CORNER**

## The Offertory and Our Grateful Response to God

Years ago, a parishioner sent me a letter with a generous financial gift to the parish. He wrote that the gift was a response to "God's incredible generosity to him." I was grateful for the gift but even more pleased by the reason for the gift. This parishioner understood the basis for all giving to the Church the Lord established. The basis for giving is a gracious response to a God who gives gifts to his children which exceed all expectations.

We are beginning a period of recommitment of our time, talent and treasure to St. Anthony's Parish. We are called to prayerfully discern if our present level of weekly or monthly giving to St. Anthony's truly reflects "God's incredible generosity to us." Once we have prayerfully considered our level of offertory giving, we need to place the gift in an appropriate wrap. The "wrapping" in this case is our Sunday envelope. A small number of parishioners have the amount of their monthly gift withdrawn from their checking/savings accounts. This is a convenient way to ensure that the offertory gift reaches the parish with minimal work on the part of the parishioners. Please prayerfully discern what your gift to St. Anthony's will be.

Faithfully, Fr. Pat Walker

#### Thanksgiving Mass Schedule

Wednesday, November 25, Bilingual Thanksgiving Vigil
Mass at 7:00 pm, Thursday, November
26 at 7:00 am and 9:00 am. Please

26 at 7:00 pm, Hidrsday, November 26 at 7:00 am and 9:00 am. Please bring an ítem from your Thanksgiving meal to be blessed during Mass.

Thirty-second Sunday
in Ordinary Time
November 8, 2015
The LORD keeps faith forever,
secures justice for the oppressed,
gives food to the hungry.

— Psalm 146:7

#### **Veterans Day**

The parish office will be closed on Wednesday, November 11 in observance of Veteran's Day.



### **Collection Totals:**

November 1, 2015: \$19,722

Parish Goal: \$21,365

Next Week's Goal: \$19,493

# Thank you for your continued support of St. Anthony's Parish! God bless you!

Are you new to the parish? To <u>request a registration form</u> , please complete and drop in the offertory basket. Have you moved? Had an information change? Let us know by completing and returning. We respect your privacy! This information is for St. Anthony's Parish use only.				
Name:	Phone #			
Address: Send Me A Registration	City:Zip: Form □ Change of Address □ Moving out of Parish □			
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## SU PALABRA EN ESPAÑOL

## El Ofertorio y Nuestra Respuesta Agradecida a Dios

Hace años, un feligrés me envió una carta con una contribución monetaria generosa a la parroquia. Escribió que el regalo era una respuesta a la "increíble generosidad de Dios para él." Yo estaba agradecido por el regalo, pero aún más contento por el motive por el regalo. Este feligrés entiende la base de todo dando a la Iglesia del Señor establecida. La base para dar es una respuesta graciosa a un Dios que da regalos a sus hijos que superan todas las expectativas.

Estamos comenzado un período de reafirmación de nuestro tiempo, talento y tesoro de la parroquia de San Antonio. Estamos llamados a discernir en oración si nuestro nivel actual de las donaciones mensuales a San Antonio de verdad refleja "increíble generosidad de Dios para nosotros. Una vez que hemos considerado en oración su nivel de entrega de ofrendas, tenemos que colocar el regalo en un envoltorio adecuado. El "envoltorio" en este caso es nuestro sobre del Domingo. Un pequeño número de feligreses tienen la cantidad de su regalo mensual retirado de su cuenta de cheques/cuentas de ahorro. Esta es una forma conveniente para asegurar que el don del ofertorio llega a la parroquia con el mínimo esfuerzo por parte de los feligreses. Por favor, póngase en oración en cuanto cuál será su regalo para la parroquia de San Antonio.

Con Fe, Fr. Pat Walker

#### **Nuevo Anuncio-Formacion De Fe**

Juntas de Padres-5 y 12 de Noviembre están Canceladas. Nuevas fechas serán enviadas por correo. No habrá clases en las fechas siguientes: 11 de Noviembre, 22, 24, 25 y 29 de Noviembre.

## Día de los Veteranos

La oficina estará cerrada el miércoles 11 de noviembre 2015 en honor de Día de los Veteranos.



#### Campaña Católica para el Desarrollo Humano

Muy pronto nuestra parroquia realizará la colecta para la Campaña Católica para el Desarrollo Humano (CCHD). Los programas que proveen dinero para CCHD cambian la vida de los 46.2 millones de personas que viven en la pobreza aquí en los Estados Unidos. Sus donativos ayudara a comunidades locales y fortalecerán a familias que viven al margen. Las personas con discapacidades encontrarán viviendas asequibles y propicias, los hombres y mujeres que reingresan a la sociedad después de su encarcelamiento tendrán la oportunidad de aprender nuevas habilidades y los proyectos agrícolas comunitarios recibirán subvenciones para que puedan sostenerse a sí mismos. Por favor, avúdenos a continuar con esta buena labor apoyando la colecta para CCHD.

#### **LECTURAS DE HOY**

**Primera lectura** — El profeta Elías pide a una viuda pobre que le dé algo de beber y un poco de pan. Cuando ella compartió, su escasez fue saciada (1 Reyes 17:10-16). Salmo — El Señor siempre es fiel a su palabra

(Psalm 146 [145]).

Segunda lectura — Cristo se sacrificó una sola vez para borrar todos los pecados de los hombres (Hebreos 9:24-28). Evangelio — El óbolo de la viuda de unos cuántos centavos es mucho más grande que todas las otras donaciones porque en su pobreza, ha dado todo lo que tenía para vivir (Marcos 12:38-44 [41-44]).

#### LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

Domingo: Trigésimo Segundo Domingo del Tiempo

Ordinario

Dedicación de la Basílica de San Juan de Lunes:

Letrán

Martes: San León Magno

Miércoles: San Martín de Tours; Día de los Veteranos

Jueves: San Josafat

Viernes: Santa Francisca Xavier Cabrini

Sábado: Santa María Virgen



## Respect Life

# Quotation from Laudato Si'

"At times we see an obsession with denying any preeminence to the human person; more zeal is shown in protecting other species than in defending the dignity which all human beings share in equal measure."



#### **Faith Formation**

No sessions on the upcoming dates: November 11, 22,

#### The Mercy of God Welcomes You! You're never late for a Sacrament. The Holy Spirit is always right on time.

Are you (or someone you know) interested in receiving Baptism, Confirmation, or Communion but you think it's too late? Or maybe you're curious about what RCIA is all about.

If this sounds like something you'd like to explore, join us for The Mercy of God and Christian Initiation

Monday, November 23 7:00 pm -8:00 pm

**Rec Hall** (attached to the gym)

Questions? -- contact Dave Corder at 209-823-7197

#### **Anthony's Angels Winter Drive**

As the cold weather draws near, and we bundle up, especially at night, Anthony's Angels would like to remind you about the less fortunate that will be cold tonight. Please help us provide new and gently used sheets and blankets to those among us in need. We will be in the Church parking lot in front of St. Vincent de Paul on Saturday, November 21st from 9-12. Drive through and share some WARMTH this season.

Thank you in advance for your kindness and generosity.

# Sister Ann's Corner

## Please pray for those who need the support of this community of faith:

Marie Nunes

Julissa Rizo Peter Mazzoni Maria Jackson Lolita Rilicopiro Grace Roe Rita Encina Wayne Waterbury Fr. Ignacius De Marilyn DeLeon Youmans Family Jackie Deleon Paz Rice Tara Cardoza Cindi Ball

Rose Rosa Reva Tempra Herminia Gomes Larna Eckhardt Anguiano Family Carol Jimenez Groot

Leilani Chaparro Mike Maduena Mario Gonzales Jonathan Perlin Joe Navarro Nellie Navarro Nina Bagnasco Nicholas Bush Winters Jesus Aceves David Ratto Susan Barut Jake Ratto Bernadette Harter Feliciana Paz Pamela Barnes Ida Teicheira

Guadalupe Saldi-Josephina Teano Nanette Beaman Cindy Louie Marty Anderson William Streinhorst Charanjit Grewal Indejit Grewal Cathy Silva-Gottschall

## **Prayer Shawl Ministry**

If someone would like to request a shawl (for ladies) or lap robe (for men), please contact Kathleen Gomes at prayer.shawls@comcast.net. Shawls and lap robes are not just for those who are ill; they are also given out to celebrate a special occasion such as an anniversary. A message of love and caring comes with each shawl or lap robe and the giving of the shawl or lap robe enriches the giver as well as the recipient.

#### **Great Adventure Catholic Bible Study**

The Great Adventure Catholic Bible Study is Beginning. Acts: The Spread of the Gospel If you've ever wondered what Acts is really about, how the early Church relates to our Church today or about your role in the kingdom of God, then join us. Acts: the Spread of the Kingdom is a Bible study which explores the story of the early Church in light of the Holy Spirit and demonstrates how this story is important for all disciples of Christ.

> This Study is offered at four different times. Tuesday Mornings 10:00 am—12:00 pm Wednesday Evenings 7:00 pm—9:00 pm Thursday Mornings 10:00 am—12:00 pm Thursday Evenings 7:00 pm—9:00 pm

If you have ever wanted to read the Bible, but stopped in frustration or confusion then the Great Adventure Catholic Bible Study is for you!

Cost is \$30.00 for the Study Guide. To register or for more information contact Dave Corder at (209) 823-7197 or email dave@st-anthonys.org

#### **Attention Parishioners**

Are you grieving the loss of a love one? Do you know someone who is grieving? Grieving people need time and space to honor their grief. To help you cope with the upcoming holidays—Thanksgiving and Christmas. Sr. Ann Venita and the Grief Support Team are offering a one day evening session on Friday. November 13 from 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm in the parish conference room. Please call Sr. Ann at (209) 823-7197 ext. 227 to register by phone.

#### **Healing Prayer Service**

The Healing Prayer Ministry invites you to their first Healing Prayer Service on Sunday, November 8, 2015 at 2:30 p.m. at St. Anthony's Church. Come to experience God's presence and seek God's healing through Scripture, prayers and healing meditation. For more information, contact Ha Nguyen or Jasmine Pham at (209) 824-9428.

#### Joseph of Nazareth

"Joseph of Nazareth: The Story of the Man Closest to Christ". November 1st and 15th at St. Patrick's, Ripon, Parish Hall. Showtime: 2:00 pm (doors open at 1:00 pm). A free will offering will be taken and proceeds go toward future events.

# St. Anthony's Weekly Events

## Monday, November 9

9:30 am Legion de Maria, Mary's Room 10:00 am Salesian Spirituality, Rec. Hall 6:00 pm Christian Initiation, Rec. Hall 7:00 pm Grupo Guadalupano, Conf. Room

7:00 pm: Santo Nino, Cry Room 7:00 pm Coro Espanol, Room 5

#### **Tuesday, November 10**

10:00 am Bible Study, Conf. Room
6:00 pm Matachines Practice, Rec. Hall
7:00 pm Remembrance Mass, Church

#### Wednesday, November 11

Parish Office Closed

8:00 am I.C.F., Cafeteria

9:30 am Legion of Mary, Mary's Room 6:45 pm Teen Music Ministry, Church

#### Thursday, November 12

9:30 am
Legion of Mary, Mary's Room
10:00 am
Bible Study, Conf. Room
5:30 pm
Legion of Mary, Mary's Room
Legion of Mary, Mary's Room
St. Anthony School, Cafeteria

6:30 pm Alabare, Cry Room 7:00 pm Bible Study, Conf. Room

7:00 pm Voces para Cristo, Mary's Room 7:00 pm Harvest Festival Committee, Rec. Hall

#### Friday, November 13

6:00 pm Hispanic Youth Group, Room 7 7:00 pm Grief Support, Conf. Room

8:00 am St. Anthony School, Cafeteria, Gym,

Rec. Hall

#### Saturday, November 14

7:00 am St. Anthony School, Cafeteria, Gym,

Rec. Hall

9:30 am Altar Server Training, Church

#### Sunday, November 15

8:45 am Coffee & Donuts, Cafeteria

7:00 pm J.A.M., Rec. Hall

#### **Volunteers Needed**

St. Vincent de Paul Society is seeking volunteers to help with our food bank and clothes closet. We are open Monday through Friday from 1pm to 3:45pm. Our duties are to assist clients in need of food and clothing and to prepare food bags and keep clothing closet in order. Our schedule for our volunteers is usually one day a week. Any amount of time that you can donate to this worthy cause is most appreciated. Thank you. If interested, please call Margaret at (209) 823-2659.

#### St. Anthony Memorial Mass Association

Enroll your deceased loved one in this association and he/she will be remembered in a special mass celebrated on the first Sunday of each month.



# Spend an hour with Jesus in the Most Blessed Sacrament.

#### **Vacant Hours:**

Tuesday 12 am (midnight) - Wednesday 1 am Wednesday 11 am to 12 pm (noon) (Partner)

Wednesday 1 pm to 2 pm (Partner)

Wednesday 5 pm to 6 pm
Thursday 1 am - 2 am
Thursday 3 pm to 4 pm
Saturday 12 pm (noon) - 1 pm

Saturday 12 am (midnight) - Sunday 1 am

#### **Adoration partner hours needed:**

There are a number of available hours. Please contact Mark Lilly for information on available hours.

If you would like to sign up for a Holy Hour,

please email **Mark Lilly** at stanthonyadoration@comcast.net or call 239-5732.

The Blessed Sacrament is located in the Chapel which is right behind the Church altar.

#### **Remembrance Mass**

St. Anthony's Remembrance Mass is scheduled for November 10, 2015 at 7:00pm. For more information, or to include the name of someone to be honored during the Mass, please contact Diane Lehman at the Parish Office.

#### St. Anthony's School Table Setting & Craft Fair

Please join us for St. Anthony's School Table Setting Luncheon and Craft Fair on Saturday, November 14 from 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.in the school gymnasium. Enjoy appetizers as you view beautifully decorated themed tables and then, sit down to an elegant lunch. Get a head start on your Christmas shopping with local vendors and crafters. Tickets are \$25. For more information and to purchase tickets, please call the school office at: 823-4513.

#### **Catholic Campaign for Human Development**

Our parish will hold the collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) on November 22. The programs funded by CCHD change lives for the 46.2 million people living in poverty here in the United States. Your donation will empower local communities and strengthen families who are on the margins. People with disabilities will find affordable and supportive housing, men and women reentering society after incarceration will have the opportunity to learn new skills, and community agriculture projects will receive grants to become sustainable. Please help us to continue this good work by supporting the collection for CCHD.

# Mass Schedule

## MONDAY, NOVEMBER 9

7:00 am - Fr. Dante

+Descartes C. Ramos (Richard & Rosalind Dumlao)

9:00 am - Fr. Jairo

+George Leja (Knights of Columbus)

## **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 10**

7:00 am - Fr. Jairo

+John Pimentel (Manuel & Christine Pires)

9:00 am - Fr. Pat

+Terrence Thurman (Marilyn Thurman)

#### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11

7:00 am - Fr. Jairo

+Erwin Don Lopez (Melba Espanola)

9:00 am - Fr. Dante

+Legion of Mary Deceased Members (Our Lady of the Rosary Praesidium)

#### **THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12**

7:00 am - Fr. Pat

+Patricia Bandalan (Leslie Rafanen)

9:00 am - Fr. Dante

+Toni Kelly (Michael Kelly)

#### FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13

7:00 am - Fr. Dante

+Albert Cardoza (Joe & Rose Rosa)

9:00 am - Fr. Pat

+George Schaapman (Schaapman Family)

#### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14

8:00 am - Fr. Dante

+Isaac Garcia (Garcia Family)

5:00 pm - Fr. Pat

+Souls of the Faithful Departed

7:00 pm - Fr. Jairo

+Souls of the Faithful Departed

### **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15**

7:00 am - Fr. Dante

+Lillian Silveira (Georgina Teicheira)

8:45 am - Fr. Pat

+Dominic & George Mastrapasqua (Jean Mastrapasqua)

10:45 am - Fr. Dante

For the People of the Parish

12:30 pm - Fr. Jairo

+Olga Campos (Maribel Campos)

6:00 pm - Fr. Pat

+John R. Pimentel (Ana Pimentel)

# Readings & Special Observances Today's Readings

First Reading — The widow of Zarephath had only a handful of flour and a little oil, but made a little cake for Elijah (1 Kings 17:10-16).

**Psalm** — Praise the Lord, my soul! (Psalm 146).

**Second Reading** — Christ will appear a second time to bring salvation to those who eagerly await him (Hebrews 9:24-28).

**Gospel** — Beware of those who like to go around in long robes and accept greetings in the marketplaces and places of honor at banquets (Mark 12:38-44 [41-44]).

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#### **Saints & Special Observances**

Sunday: Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time Monday: The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

Tuesday: St. Leo the Great

Wednesday: St. Martin of Tours; Veterans Day

Thursday: St. Josaphat

Friday: St. Frances Xavier Cabrini Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

### **Readings for the Week**

Monday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9;

1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22

Tuesday: Wis 2:23 — 3:9; Ps 34:2-3, 16-19;

Lk 17:7-10

Wednesday: Wis 6:1-11; Ps 82:3-4, 6-7; Lk 17:11-19 Thursday: Wis 7:22b — 8:1; Ps 119:89-91, 130, 135,

175; Lk 17:20-25

Friday: Wis 13:1-9; Ps 19:2-5ab; Lk 17:26-37 Saturday: Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9; Ps 105:2-3, 36-37,

42-43; Lk 18:1-8

Sunday: Dn 12:1-3; Ps 16:5, 8-11;

Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32

#### **CCHS 8th Grade Day**

Central Catholic High School would like to invite all 8th graders in the parish to attend a special 8th Grade Day at CCHS on Friday, November 13 from 9 am to 1:30 pm. The students will participate in rally games, visit classrooms and enjoy a free pizza lunch. They will get to meet current students, meet their potential CCHS classmates and meet teachers. please call the school at 524-9611 to reserve a spot. Bring a friend.

#### DO ANYTHING

I will go anywhere and do anything in order to communicate the love of Jesus to those who do not know him or have forgotten him.

—St. Frances Xavier Cabrini