

MAY 10, 2020



5<sup>th</sup>

SUNDAY OF EASTER

"In my Father's house there are many dwelling places. If there were not, would I have told you that I am going to prepare a place for you?" - Jn 14:2

**Weekend Mass:**

Saturday, 5:00 pm Vigil

Sunday, 8:00 am, 9:30 am, 11:15 am

**Daily Mass:**

Monday - Saturday, 8:00 am

**Rosary:**

Monday - Saturday, 7:20 a.m.

**Holy Day of Obligation:**

8:00 am, Noon, and 6:00 pm

**Confessions:**

4:00-4:45 pm Every Saturday

**Exposition of the**

**Blessed Sacrament:**

First Friday from 5:00-7:00 pm

**Pastoral Staff**

**Fr. Mieczyslaw "Mitch" Maleszyk**

Pastor

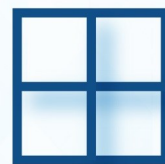
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**Deacon David Cabrera, Jr.**

**Deacon Patrick Kearns**



# SAINT ANTHONY PARISH

*"The life of the body  
is the soul; the life of  
the soul is God." -  
St. Anthony of Padua*





# WELCOME

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### Office Hours

Monday: 9:00 AM-5:00 PM

Tuesday: 9:00 AM-5:00 PM

Wednesday: 9:00 AM-5:00 PM

Thursday: 9:00 AM-5:00 PM

Friday: 9:00 AM-5:00 PM

Saturday: Closed

Sunday: Closed

## MISSION

*"The people of St. Anthony Catholic Parish are called by Christ and guided by the Holy Spirit, to live a life of holiness by doing good works through faith, worship, service and hospitality for the glory of God."*



## UPDATE REGARDING PARISH ACTIVITIES

*In light of the recent directive from Bishop Soto, these are the steps that St. Anthony Parish is taking effective immediately:*

- All parish Mass celebrations, activities, classes and events have been cancelled until further notice. The church will be open during regular Mass times for private prayer and worship.
- The parish office will be closed until further notice.

*We will continue to livestream Mass on Sundays at 9:00 a.m. We will also have a daily Mass on Wednesdays at 9:00 a.m.*

*You will find our videos on the YOUTUBE platform. You will find the link for the Mass on our website.*

*All previously livestreamed Masses can be accessed through this link: <https://stasac.org/video>.*

## PRAYER FOR MOTHERS

*Heavenly Father,  
from the beginning you  
have chosen to entrust  
the human person to  
mothers in a special way.  
We thank and praise you  
for the gift of mothers;  
for their tenderness, care,  
and compassion,  
for their intuition  
and encouragement,  
for commitment  
and sacrifice.  
Bless all mothers this day.  
Keep, strengthen, and  
refresh them in your  
loving care.  
May they be blessed by  
our open-hearted  
love and gratitude.  
Amen.*





## MASS INTENTIONS

Monday,	May 11	8:00 am	Joan Healy †
Tuesday,	May 12	8:00 am	Carlos Perez Partida †
Wednesday,	May 13	8:00 am	Our Lady of Fatima
Thursday,	May 14	8:00 am	Serafim & Idalina Mendes †
Friday,	May 15	8:00 am	Souls of Purgatory †
Saturday,	May 16	8:00 am	John Hernandez †
		5:00 pm	Eleanor Perry Woolnough †
Sunday,	May 17	8:00 am	For the People
		9:30 am	Nelida DiNinni †
		11:15 am	Eldon Koob †

### ACTS OF THE APOSTLES

*It's always wonderful to hear many readings from The Acts of the Apostles every year after Easter. What do you know about the who, what, when, where and why of this sometimes called "5<sup>th</sup> Gospel."*

**WHO:** *It was probably written by Luke, a Gentile physician and travel associate of Paul. The author was an eye-witness to several of the events recounted. In the second half of the book there are several "we" passages that include him as part of Paul's missionary team.*

**WHAT:** *The book tells the story of the church as it continues to unfold in Luke's own generation and much of the focus is on the Holy Spirit. Chapters 1-12 narrate the leadership role of Peter in establishing the Church and chapters 13-28 reveal the missionary efforts of Paul in expanding the Church. The book ends with Paul's first imprisonment.*

**WHEN:** *The writing was probably done around A.D. 63 and that is based on some of the events that are NOT mentioned.*

**WHERE:** *The book takes us from the holy city of Jerusalem in the east to the imperial city of Rome in the west.*

**WHY:** *The book of Acts shows that the events were truly fulfillments of scripture. The people were 40-50 years out from the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus and needed the testimony of eye-witnesses and preachers to learn about those events and how the events had relevance in their lives. The Acts of the Apostles makes an appropriate bridge from the stories about Jesus in the four Gospels to the letters of Paul.*

## READINGS OF THE WEEK

Monday, May 11:	Acts 14:5-18/ Jn 14:21-26
Tuesday, May 12:	Acts 14:19-28/ Jn 14:27-31a
Wednesday, May 13:	Acts 15:1-6/ Jn 15:1-8
Thursday, May 14:	Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/ Jn 15:9-17
Friday, May 15:	Acts 15:22-31/ Jn 15:12-17
Saturday, May 16:	Acts 16:1-10/ Jn 15:18-21
Sunday, May 17:	<b>Sixth Sunday of Easter</b> Acts 8:5-8, 14-17/ 1 Pt 3:15-18/ Jn 14:15-21



*Please pray for the repose of the soul of parishioner, Gladys Naake who died recently, and for Raul Torres (brother-in-law of parishioner Gloria Balderas) who also died recently.*

### PRAYER LIST

*To add a person's name to the prayer list, please contact Kathy Reynolds at 916-212-9949 or [kathy@stasac.org](mailto:kathy@stasac.org). To keep the list current, names will remain on the list for six weeks.*

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 Al Castronovo  
 John Darling  
 Jorge Delgadillo  
 Minda Dominguez  
 Larry Dun  
 Piedad Flores de Solis  
 Frank Gonzales  
 Karen Gonzales  
 Emery Haugseth  
 Olivia Hernandez  
 Jeffrey Hill  
 Celedonio Solis Martinez  
 Consuela Miranda  
 Michael McCullough  
 Loretta Miller  
 John O'Connor  
 Alicia Perez  
 Jeanette Raimundo  
 Jeff Raimundo  
 Alfonso Ramirez  
 Sheri Ray  
 Randy Rojas  
 Larry Seaton  
 Hector Fernando Barraza Solis  
 Anh Vu  
 Ray & Barbara Ward  
 Howard Yenor



## WEEK AT A GLANCE

### Monday, May 11

Yoga - 8:00 a.m. in the Gym-CANCELLED

Senior Fitness - 9:45 a.m. in the Gym-CANCELLED

### Tuesday, May 12

RCIA - 7:00 p.m. in the St. Mary Room-CANCELLED

### Wednesday, May 13

Yoga - 8:00 a.m. in the Gym-CANCELLED

Senior Fitness - 9:45 a.m. in the Gym-CANCELLED

Children's Choir - 4:00 p.m. in the Church-CANCELLED

Adult Choir - 6:45 p.m. in the Church-CANCELLED

Yoga - 7:45 p.m. in the Gym-CANCELLED

### Thursday, May 14

Men's Basketball - 6:30 p.m. in the Gym-CANCELLED

### Friday, May 15

Yoga - 8:00 a.m. in the Gym-CANCELLED

Senior Fitness - 9:45 a.m. in the Gym-CANCELLED

### Saturday, May 16

Confessions - 4:00 p.m. in the Church

### Sunday, May 17

Men's Basketball - 1:30 p.m. in the Gym-CANCELLED

## EXERCISE CLASSES

### SENIOR FITNESS - CANCELLED (UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE)

With Paula, meets M-W-F at 9:45 a.m. Cost is \$3 per class. This class incorporates dyna bands, small hand weights, balls and rubber bands, plus cardio. Chair and standing exercises for flexibility, strength and balance accompanied by music of "the good ol' days." Equipment supplied if needed.

### YOGA - CANCELLED (UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE)

Classes with different instructors are M-W-F mornings at 8:00 a.m. and Wednesday evenings at 7:45 p.m. Cost is \$5 per class. Please bring your own mat and wear comfortable clothing.

### MEN'S BASKETBALL - CANCELLED (UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE)

Provides the men of our parish (primarily over age 30) the opportunity to enjoy friendly competition, exercise together, and support each other. They generally play on Thursday evenings at 6:30 p.m. and Sundays at 1:30 p.m.

## NEWS & EVENTS

### GET ON THE BUS

The Get on the Bus event for families is postponed due to COVID-19. There are discussions of a possible event in the fall, but we do not have a confirmed date yet. Please stay tuned. Your prayers and support are always appreciated.

### DO YOU NEED ASSISTANCE?

You should have received an email from the St. Anthony's Social Justice Ministry Team indicating that a parish team is being established to provide support for parishioners who may need an errand or a helping hand. More than fifteen wonderful volunteers responded with willingness to help. To date we have not received any requests for assistance. That is great, but we want to make sure you all know that we are available to collect and deliver groceries, prescriptions, other items needed from stores, or to check in by phone or text every other day or so. If you can use any of these "services," please send your request to [StAnthonyCares@gmail.com](mailto:StAnthonyCares@gmail.com) with your name and how we can contact you. We will respond as soon as possible.

### SSIP FOOD CLOSET NEEDS DRIVERS

The Food Closet has remained open to meet the increased need for emergency food distribution during this challenging time. While the demand for assistance has increased, so have the requests from our grocery store partners to pick up donated food everyday. Many of our regular volunteers are not able to help at this time. We need drivers for our vans or you may use your own van or truck. Time commitment is up to two hours, usually 8:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. (twice a month, once a week, flexible). You will need a clean DMV record and possess a valid driver's license. Must be able to lift 25-50 pounds.

Please contact Simon Yeh at (916) 428-5290 or email: [ssipfc1@att.net](mailto:ssipfc1@att.net). Thank you.





## YOUTH MINISTRY

## CATHOLIC FAITH FORMATION

**HAPPY EASTER! WE CELEBRATE EASTER FOR 50 DAYS!**

*All CFF classes and activities have been suspended for this school year.*

*Please join us for livestreamed Mass each Sunday at 9:00 a.m.*

*We miss you all and keep you all in prayer as we await the time we can gather together again.*

**LOTS OF CFF PACKETS HAVE BEEN SENT HOME! DID YOU FIND YOURS?****PRESCHOOL, PRE SACRAMENTS YEAR 1 & 2:**

**(MS. KRYSTLE, MS. WENDY, MS. JAIME & MELISSA, MS. DONA & MS. KATE CLASSES)**

*Packets were sent home. Keep working on your prayers! Watch Father Mitch celebrate Mass on Sundays at 9:00 a.m.!*

**PREPARATION FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION:**

*Continues so we will be ready to celebrate when we can!*

**Ms. Christine will send out ZOOM instructions via your email.**

- Ø Sunday, May 17 at 10:15 a.m.: Zoom Gathering on Chapter 4
- Ø Sunday, May 31 at 10:15 a.m.: Zoom Gathering on Chapter 5

**POST SACRAMENT 1 & 2 (4<sup>TH</sup> AND 5<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS):**

*Post Sac 1 (Ms. Lisa & Ms. Teresa's classes): Packets were sent home. Students will be offered altar serving training this summer.*

*Post Sac 2 (Mr. Alejandro & Ms. Linda's classes): Plan on altar server training this summer! (And altar server refresher training if you want/need!)*

**PRECONFIRMATION (MR. KUHL'S CLASS):**

*Packets were sent to your home. Mr. Kuhl will send a weekly email with a Bible reading and his weekly quiz.*

**BASIC CATECHESIS/RCIA YEAR 1 (MS. LINDA'S CLASS):**

*Once the health restrictions are lifted, we will have one 90 minute FAMILY SESSION to review our year and to discuss what comes next in this process. Stay tuned!*

**RCIA YEAR 2 (MS. VICKY'S CLASS):**

*We will continue our Zooming on Sunday afternoons. Stay tuned!*

**CONFIRMATION YEAR 1:**

*We had a parent/student session scheduled for April 29---It's moved it to another month! For now, make sure you are completing your Saint page and have returned your sponsor sheet. The retreat scheduled for May 29 will most likely need to be postponed. Stay tuned!*

**CONFIRMATION YEAR 2:**

*One day we will have our wonderful celebration! The Diocese has mandated they be postponed until Fall. We are still Zooming Wednesday Youth Ministry. Make sure you are in attendance.*

**SACRAMENTO LIFE CENTER**

*One of their biggest fundraisers is the Lenten Baby Bottle Project. Clearly, this pandemic will affect this project. We are hoping at a minimum to return their bottles so they do not need to re-invest in them. Bottles can be returned anytime to the church. The main parish office (by the back parking lot) has a night-time mail slot that bottles will fit in. The office will make sure your bottle gets to us and we will forward it, and any contents, to the Life Center. Thank you!*

**YOUTH MINISTRY UPDATE:**

*A big THANK YOU to the youth of our community for their efforts to gather virtually. The junior high and high school ministries have been meeting on Zoom since March 18 and have been gathering at least two to three times a week for Youth Nights, Sunday Evening Prayer, and group check-ins. This strange time of self-quarantining and staying at home has proven for many youth throughout the world to feel lonely, overwhelmed, stressed, bored, confused, complacent, detached and more. Gathering from afar and on a screen, hopefully, offers a breakaway from an abnormal routine, gently turning our attention to the hope, peace and joy that our risen Lord brings. We are missing our parish community and praying for the day we can be together again. Holding all families, communities, and the world in heart and prayer... from St. Anthony Youth Ministry.*



## OUR COMMUNITY



### ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE MINISTRY:

- Did you know that 2020 marks the 50th Anniversary of Earth Day and 5th Anniversary of Laudato Si'?
- Did you miss Earth Day this year? It is okay, Earth Day (and caring for our Common Home) is everyday! Take a moment to celebrate, reflect and pray for all God's creation.

If you would like to join others at St. Anthony to further explore environmental justice, just drop a quick e-mail to: [kim-son.ziegler@usa.net](mailto:kim-son.ziegler@usa.net)



### CALLING ALL SEWING SUPERSTARS

Would you like a meaningful way to contribute to the COVID-19 containment effort?

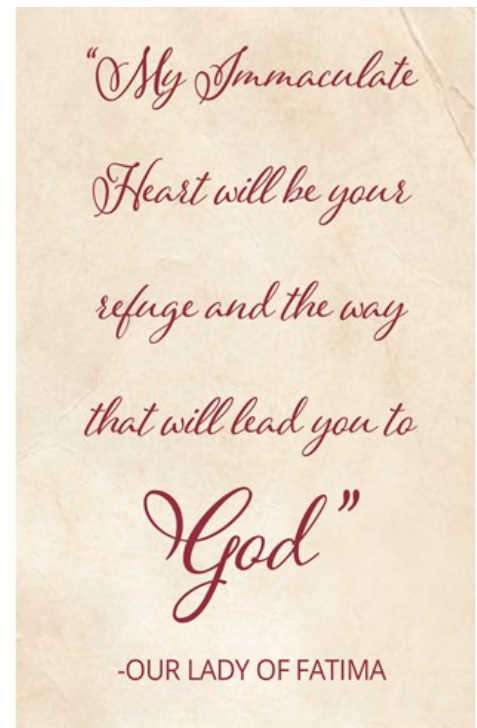
If so, your local hospital needs your talent! **Methodist Hospital** could use several hundred cloth masks to share with our office staff and visitors. The more quickly we are able to fill this need, the greater our ability to extend the supply of our surgical masks far into the future... a critical resource for us to continue to respond effectively needs of our community while keeping our caregivers safe.

If you or your sewing group is able to respond, please bring any masks to the Methodist Hospital main lobby.

With an abundance of gratitude for the human kindness you share through your sewing talents, Dignity Health thanks you!

Here is a website link to learn how to make masks:

<https://www.wfla.com/community/health/coronavirus/how-to-make-a-homemade-face-mask-with-or-without-sewing/amp/>







# *Easter Blessings*

as we joyfully rejoice in His Resurrection.

During this time of social distancing due to the coronavirus, we depend on online donations to continue our ministry. We prayerfully invite you to use eGiving from your computer, smartphone or tablet to set up a recurring donation or make a one-time gift.

**If you would like to give online, you may visit our website (<https://stasac.org/online-giving-faith-direct>). We are also still checking the mail, so you may still send in your envelope or drop it in the mail slot!**

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