

3720 SE 79th Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97206  
OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Thursday, 9:00 am-3:30 pm

MEMORIAL FLOWERS

No flowers until March 22, then Easter

Finance Council  
Diane Marcoe & Mark Whitman

RCIA/Liturgy/Music  
Fr. Pat Donoghue

Ministry to Sick & Homebound  
Fr. Pat Donoghue (503.771.6039)

Religious Ed/Youth Ministry  
Glenn Rymsza (503-771-6039)

Prayer Tree  
Val Stach (503.775.8021)

Pastoral Council  
Paula Lang

Altar Society  
Diane Marcoe

St. Vincent de Paul Society  
Linda Drewieske (503.698.2987)

Maintenance - Marsha Creswell-Jackson  
(503.771.6039)

MEMORIAL FLOWERS - Your purchase of memorial flowers is a way to honor someone and to support the church. Check the binder in the entrance of the church for available dates. You may consider partnering with someone to share the \$50.00 cost. (Questions? Please call Anna at the parish office at 503.771.6039.)

MASS INTENTIONS - Suggested donation is \$10.00 for each intention. Note: If a funeral is scheduled for the same time as your Mass intention, your intention will be moved to the next available date.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION - Saturday at 3:45 pm or by appointment

MORNING PRAYER - Monday through Friday at 8:30 am

St. VINCENT de PAUL needs your help. Among other things St. Vincent de Paul brings food to the hungry. St. Vincent de Paul especially needs people who have backs strong enough to carry the food boxes, and also some drivers to help deliver them. If you are able to help, contact the parish office or one of the members of St. Vincent de Paul.

LEARN MORE ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH:

If you are not Catholic and would like to learn more about the Catholic faith, or if you know someone who is not Catholic who would like to learn more about the Catholic faith, please contact Fr. Pat. This is a great opportunity for those who are not Catholic and wish to ask their questions about the Catholic Church. In the months ahead this could become an opportunity to join the Catholic Church.

INFANT BAPTISM PREPARATION

Infant Baptisms (up to age 7): If you have a child in need of baptism, contact Fr. Pat at the parish office so we can complete the necessary paperwork and the preparation class. The Church recommends baptizing your child within a few months of your child's birth and when the health of the child and mother permit.

**A Warm Welcome To All!**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

New Parishioner

New Phone Number

New Address

Moving (Please remove from parish list)

Please have Fr. Pat Donoghue call me

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# Saint Anthony of Padua Church

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Nhà thờ Công giáo Saint Anthony  
St. Anthony ng Padua Katoliko Iglesia

Sunday, March 8, 2020

Second Sunday of Lent (The Transfiguration)

March 8 is also "National Oregon Day" (and Daylight Saving Time Day)

TELEPHONE NUMBERS

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STAFF

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MASS TIMES

1st Saturday, 10 am & Saturday, 4:30 pm  
Sunday, 8:00 am & 10:30 am  
Tuesday & Thursday, 11:00 am  
Wednesday & Friday, 9:00 am

*We are Saint Anthony of Padua Catholic Church,  
a Eucharistic family sharing the love of our Lord Jesus Christ with kindness and compassion.*

For Viaticum, Communion to the Sick, Anointing of the Sick, Marriage, Baptism, RCIA (process for becoming Catholic) and funeral arrangements, please call the parish office.

March 8

Second Sunday of Lent

Matthew 17:1-9

In today's Gospel, Jesus' physical appearance is changed and again we hear God's voice from a cloud state; "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased." We too are sons and daughters of God with whom He is well pleased. Do I realize that I am beloved?

*Take time to reflect on this thought and how it has come to be.*

*Through our baptism we are invited by Jesus to follow him to the mountain where we, too, can be transformed. How will I change this Lenten season?*

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE:

*Palm Sunday: Saturday 4:30 pm in Hall  
Palm Sunday: Sun. 8:00 & 10:30 am in Hall  
Chrism Mass: Monday, April 6, 7:00 pm  
Holy Thursday Mass: April 9, 7:00 pm  
Good Friday Passion Service: April 10, 3:00 pm  
No 4:30 pm Mass on Saturday, April 11  
Easter Vigil: Saturday, April 12, 8:30 pm  
Easter Sunday: April 12, 8:00 & 10:30 am*



**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

**March 10-15, 2020**

Tues., Mar. 10, 11:00 am Joseph Nguyen  
 Wed., Mar. 11, 9:00 am grandkids baptism, benefactors  
 Thu., Mar. 12, 11:00 am Souls in purgatory/sinners to God  
 Fri., Mar. 13, 11:00 am Funeral, Grace Boyden+  
 Sat., Mar. 14, 4:30 pm Adele Sheehan  
 Sun., Mar. 15, 8:00 am Pro Populo  
 Sun., Mar. 15, 10:30 am Cooke Family

A Mass intention could be pre-empted by a funeral. If so, the intention is rescheduled for the next available date.

**THIS COMING WEEK: March 9-15, 2020**

**Monday, Mar. 9, Morning prayer - 8:30 am**  
**Tuesday, Mar. 10, Mass - 11:00 am**  
 Morning prayer - 8:30 am  
**Wed., Mar. 11, Mass - 9:00 am**  
 Morning prayer - 8:30 am  
 Lenten Videos - "The Pivotal Players" - 6:00 pm  
**Thurs, Mar. 12, Mass - 11:00 am**  
 Morning prayer - 8:30 am  
**Friday, Mar. 13, Funeral Mass - 11 am, Grace Boyden**  
 Morning prayer - 8:30 am  
 Adoration until 4:00 pm  
 Soup Supper - 6:00 pm  
 Way of the Cross - 7:00 pm  
**Saturday, Mar. 14, Mass - 4:30 pm**  
 Confessions - 3:45 pm  
 Pi (pie) day  
**Sunday, Mar. 15, Third Sunday of Lent**  
 Mass at 8:00 am & 10:30 am  
 RE classes - 9:15 am & 12:00 pm

**Scripture readings for the Third Sunday of Lent:** Exodus 17:3-7; Psalm 95:1-2, 6-9; Romans 5:1-2, 5-8; John 4:5-42.

**Please remember** Saint Anthony of Padua Catholic Church in **your will** and in your other contributions. We rely upon your generosity to fund our ministries and pay our expenses.

**YOUR FINANCIAL GIFTS LAST WEEK**

**February 25 - March 1, 2020**

Weekend collections	\$ 2,373.80
Candles/Donuts	\$ 64.10
Church in Cent & East Euro.	\$ 345.00
Special Maintenance	\$ 235.00
Weekly collection needed	\$ 3,302.37
Last week's EFT donations	\$ 205.95
Pancake Supper, Soup Supper	\$ 142.00

*Thank you for the continuing support of your parish through the gifts of your time, your talent, and your financial offerings.*

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR MARCH 14-15**

Lectors:

4:30 pm: Ann Henderson

8:00 am: Chris McKeever

10:30 am: Lynnette Newsom

Eucharistic Ministers:

4:30 pm: Joan Currier, The Nolans

8:00 am: Millie Braghero, Nicole Carillo

10:30 am: Paula Lang, Mark Whitman, Jenny Marcoe

Greeters/Ushers:

4:30 pm: Comella Nelson, Richard Pairan

8:00 am: Dave Fletcher, John Webster

10:30 am: Annette Pullen, Natividad Snaer

Altar Servers:

4:30 pm: Needed

8:00 am: Chelsea Nares Carillo

10:30 am: Justin D. Joseph, Nick Knight

**Ministers: The March/April schedules have been emailed and hard copies are out for pickup.** Thank you for your time and talents as ministers. If you become unavailable after you've been scheduled, please try to find a replacement for yourself first, then contact Anna at the parish office at 503.771.6039 to advise her of the change.

**Papal intention for March:** We pray that the Church in China may persevere in its faithfulness to the Gospel and grow in unity.

**Thank you** to the Finance Council for hosting the Soup Supper last week. Religious Ed is hosting this coming Friday.

**Parish Penance Service on Wednesday, April 1 at 1:30 pm**

We are having **faith sharing groups for Lent**, based on Bishop Robert Barron's "Letter to a Suffering Church." Sign up sheets are available. Please consider signing up, join a group.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE PEOPLE:** Prince Bangoy, Elizabeth Bastiani, Molly Benson, Ingo Braker, Marlene Cheney, Mary Christman, Bill, Bob, Ed, & Tricia Cooke, Joan Currier, Amelina Defang, Peggy Dennis, Baby Dillon, Don, Elmore Duncan, Colleen Eiesland, Dick & Patti Falaschetti, Elaine Falaschetti, Mary Franney, Bill Franzke, Taylor Groener, Pat Hartmann, Bernadette Hathaway, Sr. Mary Immaculate, Carrol Jackson, Eric Janson, Mary Jenkins, Cindy Jones, Tino & Michael Kanelis, Diane Latham, Allen Lee, Mihai Leta, Jessica Mattison, Barbara Mirasol, Natalie Moser, Barbara & Mike O'Day, Robert Phipps, Jan Pipher, Anna Post, Ruth Reberger, Meg Rydell, Ken Schrock, Paddo & Pat Sheehan, Sincavage family, Val Stach, Debbie Struckmeier, Linda Struckmeier, Barbara Stuva, Dale & Sherrill Toman, Cesar Torres, Amy van Parys, Sherry Varnes, Mary Lou Vuylsteke, Anna Wilson, Jan Young.

Please call the office to add someone.

Thank you for praying for those with health concerns and other needs.



Next coffee & donuts (and bagels & juice) is Sunday, March 15, after both morning masses!

**From Fr. Pat's Pen:**

- "My E-offering" is available for your electronic giving at <https://members.myeoffering.com/#/landing>. An email address is required.
- We are working on fixing the light switch(es) in the Church. (It won't be inexpensive.)

Four weeks ago was "commitment weekend" for the **Archbishop's Catholic Appeal (ACA)**. Perhaps you received a personalized commitment card in the mail. If you did not receive a commitment card in the mail, pledge envelopes are available.

I hope you have had a chance to read the ACA materials you received in the bulletin last weekend and prayerfully reflect on the level of commitment you will make. The ACA provides substantial financial support to essential ministries that support parishes in our Catholic Church in western Oregon, providing education and faith formation at all levels and a Catholic presence for tens of thousands of people. When we stop to count our abundant blessings, we are aware of how truly blessed we are. The ACA is an invitation to share your blessings and support for the Gospel mission here in western Oregon.

Your pledge is also a sign of your gratitude for God's generous abundance. While we can never out-do God in generosity, we are called to join in the mission of the Gospel as we put forth the gifts of life, goodness, and grace through the sharing of our own blessings from God.

Our assigned goal for the ACA is \$11,244.49

Each spring (usually in May) Archbishop Sample celebrates the **Sacrament of Confirmation for Adults** who have not yet had this Sacrament. If you are an adult (approximately 18 or older) and have not had the Sacrament of Confirmation, we will be starting classes soon to prepare for the reception of this Sacrament in May. If you would like to participate, contact Fr. Pat or Glenn.

**Legion of Mary**—is an International Catholic Organization which answers the call of evangelization and Christian renewal through Spiritual Works of Mercy. St. Anthony Parish now has an active praesidium of Legion of Mary. We have four active members and eleven auxiliary support team members. If you are interested in joining us, please contact Sarah Harrison at 503-422-8904 or sarahharrison.bsdc@yahoo.com

Funeral for **Grace Boyden** is this Friday, March 13 at 11 am.

**Alexandra "Ola" Duszynski** died on Thursday, March 5. Funeral arrangements are being made. Please remember Ola in your prayers. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. Maybe she rest in peace.

**Faith Formation for Adults and Children**

**1-12th Grade Religious Education:** Our RE classes and Sacramental Prep classes are held on Sundays. The first grade and third-fifth grade class is held before the 10:30 am Mass, and the rest of the classes are after the 10:30 am Mass. Contact Glenn for more information.

**Lenten Video Series:** Wednesdays at 6:00 pm. The Bible Study is "on sabbatical". Instead, for Lent, a series of movies with Bishop Robert Barron about some of the pivotal players in the history of the Church. These presentations are informative, beautiful and inspiring!!

**Discover the Catholic Faith:** Wednesdays at 7:30pm. An invitation to those who are not Catholic. If you would like to learn more about the Catholic faith, please contact Fr. Pat or Glenn to learn about the opportunities.

**Lent is a special time** for prayer, fasting and almsgiving and more.

The Church informs us we must fast on Ash Wednesday and on Good Friday, April 10. We need to abstain on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday and all the Fridays of Lent. The Church encourages us to maintain the fast and abstinence of Good Friday thru Holy Saturday until after the Easter Vigil.

To fast means to eat less food: approximately two meals instead of three. Abstain means to refrain from eating meat, but it is okay to eat fish, seafood, cheese, eggs, legumes, etc.

**Rachel's Vineyard**—"I feel free to be the person God has meant me to be without hiding my true self. After 39 years, I now feel that the grace to forgive myself has finally been received by me. Every part of the retreat was a gift." **Rachel's Vineyard retreats** are for women and men who have been involved in an abortion(s) in any way or are in a relationship with someone who has had an abortion. For more info contact Project Aurora at [ProjectAurora@aol.com](mailto:ProjectAurora@aol.com) or at 541-942-2861. Upcoming retreats: Medford, March 27-29.

**CYCLE A: THE YEAR OF THE GOSPEL OF MATTHEW**

Just as Moses leaves a final legacy for the people of Israel (Dt 31:1-8), the risen Jesus in Matthew gives parting instructions for his disciples (Mt 28:16-20). They are to go forth to the whole world, and make disciples of all peoples, baptizing them and instructing them to follow the teaching of Jesus. The church today is to be a "community of disciples" living and spreading the gospel, through what Pope John Paul II has called "the new evangelization" - bringing the teachings of Christ to bear on all areas of human life. When doing this, the church is to remember the final words of Jesus: "I am with you always until the end of the world." The promise that the Virgin would bring forth Emmanuel, "God with us" (Mt 1:23), has been fulfilled in the life, teaching and abiding presence of Jesus. —Rev. John R. Donahue, S.J.