

Saint Anthony of Padua Church

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Nhà thờ Công giáo Saint Anthony
San Antonio Simbahang Katoliko
Iglesia de San Antonio de Padua

Sunday, October 12, 2025

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Anniversary of the locally famous **Columbus Day Storm in 1962**

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

Weekly Schedule

Saturday, Mass 4:30 pm
Sunday, 10:30 am
Tuesday & Thursday, 11:00 am
Wed. & Friday, Mass 9 am
First Saturday Mass of Viaticum, 10 am

Morning Prayer: Wed. & Fri., 8:30 am
Confession: 3:45 pm on Saturday
or by appointment

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

October 12: 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time Luke 17:11-19

Today's Gospel reading tells the story of Jesus healing ten lepers. Leprosy is a disease that affects the skin on the hands, feet, and often the nose and face. Eventually it causes skin to fall off, and is terribly disfiguring. In Jesus' time, people were afraid of lepers. They were not allowed to live in towns or villages; they gathered in groups and wandered the countryside, begging for food. Jesus meets one of these groups, takes pity on them, and heals them all. But only one comes back to Jesus to thank him!

**Has God ever given you something really wonderful and you have forgotten to thank Him? Share what that was.*

**What are some common, everyday things that God gives you? Do you ever thank Him for them?*

**What are some ways that you can show your gratitude to God for the blessings in your life?*

Today's Scriptures are 2 Kings 5:14-17; Ps 98:1-4; 2 Tim 2:8-13; Luke 17:11-19.

Last Sunday, the apostles said to Jesus: "Increase our faith."

A famous scriptural definition of Faith can be found at Hebrews 11:1ff



Pope Leo encourages everyone to pray for Peace. During October he particularly recommends praying the Rosary for peace.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK
October 14 - October 19, 2025

Tues Oct. 14	11:00 am	Doug Nolan+
Wed, Oct. 15	9 am	Maria Mai Su
Wed, Oct. 15	10 am	Phyllis Olsta, Village Mass
Thurs, Oct. 16	11:00 am	Joseph+
Fri, Oct. 17	9:00 am	Fr. Cann Duc+
Sat., Oct. 18	4:30 pm	Lolita Atienza
Sun, Oct. 19	10:30 am	Paulo

If a funeral is scheduled for the same time as your Mass intention, your intention will be moved to the next available date.

This Coming Week - October 13-October 19, 2025

Office Open: M-Th 9 am-2 pm

Mon., Oct. 13 Anniversary of the Fatima Miracle
Our Lady of Ghisallo, Patroness of cyclists
Indigenous Peoples' Day

Tues., Oct. 14 St. Callistus, Pope, Martyr

Wed., Oct. 15 Morning Prayer 8:30 am, Mass 9 am,
Village Mass 10 am
St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin and Doctor
of the Church

Thurs., Oct. 16 Mass at 11 am
St. Hedwig, Religious and
St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin
National Boss's Day—please.

Fri., Oct. 17 Mass 9 am
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
until 4:00 pm
St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop, Martyr

Sat., Oct. 18 Feast of St. Luke, Evangelist - pray for
health care workers
Confessions at 3:45 pm
Mass at 4:30 pm

Sun., Oct. 19 Mass 10:30 am, 29th Sunday in OT
Poor and Needy Collection
Coffee and Donuts

Weekly Collection Needed: \$3,302.37

Week of October 1 - October 7, 2025

	Regular	myEoffering	Total
Collection	\$4,726	NA	\$4,726
Maintenance	\$143	NA	\$143
Candles	\$22	NA	\$22
P&N	\$28	NA	\$28
Total	\$4,955	NA	\$4,955

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

**So precious is poverty that God's only
begotten Son came on earth in search of it.**
—St. Anthony of Padua

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Lectors

Oct. 18 4:30 pm Rosemary (3rd Saturday)
Oct. 19 10:30 am L or J Newsom (3rd Sunday)

Eucharistic Ministers

Oct. 19 10:30 am Jackie (3rd Sunday)

Thank you Lectors for your time and talents as ministers. If you become unavailable after you've been scheduled, please find a replacement for yourself, then let Fr. Pat know of the schedule change.

We have a Eucharistic Minister Schedule! We have a rotation for Sunday Masses. If you are interested in being on the schedule or would like to become a Eucharistic Minister for Sunday Mass, contact the parish office. Thanks!

Ushers: Please let Father know you are available to serve when you come to Mass. Thank you for your time and talent as ministers. Background check needed.

Lector, Eucharistic Ministers, and Ushers: Interested in volunteering for one or more of these ministries? Contact the office for more information.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE PEOPLE: Lizzie Albert, Prince Bangoy, Glenda & Bob Beagle, Donald Caldwell+, Carol Cook, John Childress+, Leo Custer, Josh Daniels, Judy Denison+, Linda Drewieske, Elaine+, Dick & Patti Falaschetti, Emil Garschina, Elizabeth Goschinski, Ann Henderson, Maria Ishmael, Jeffrey Jennings, Linda Johnson+, Cliff Juntunen, Audrey Larson, Diane Latham, Allen Lee, Mihai Leta, Daniel Mack, Dave Mathie, Mario & Maria Marziano+, Anthony McPherson, Barbara Mirasol+, Kelly Morse, Natalie Moser, Roselyn Mulkey+, Comella Nelson, Marie O'Leary, Phyllis Olsta+, Laura Ramirez, Kelsea Ramirez, Linda Reynolds, Lori Rohlin+, Glenn Rymsza, Carolyn Scopacasa, Debbie & Linda Struckmeier, Barbara Stuva, Lucy Swisher+, Bernie Tavender, Ann Thomas+, Sherrill & Dale Toman, Mary Lou Vuylsteke. All our deceased parishioners+ Thank you for praying for those in need. Please call the office to add or remove people to the list.

Please continue to pray for the family of Ms. Ysam who died tragically on July 19. Consider giving assistance to the four young children she left behind. If you wish to donate to help the children you can donate through the Parish by making a check out to St. Anthony and putting "Ysam Fund" in the Memo line. You can also give a check to me (made out to Lisa Uehara) or you can give cash to me (put in an envelope) and I will make sure the family gets the donation.

Feast day for St. Carlo Acutis is October 12. He died Oct. 12, 2006



Join us for coffee and donuts and fellowship after the 10:30 am Mass next Sunday, Oct. 19th.

FROM FR. PAT'S PEN

*The latest format of the Parish Website has been restored. Now the information on it needs to be updated.. It contains links for Sunday Mass viewing, myEoffering, the Sunday Bulletin and a link to our Facebook page.

*In his Apostolic Exhortation, *Laudate Deum*, Pope Francis gives an urgent call to tackle the climate crisis recognizing that time is running out. Irreversible damage has already been done. In this letter Pope Francis states that the climate crisis is real and cannot be denied. It is caused by human activity.

*Are you interested in learning about the Catholic Church? Contact Father Pat if you are interested. This is a class for people who are not Catholic.

Read the opening two paragraphs of Pope Leo XIV's first apostolic exhortation, *Dilexi Te*: **"I Have Loved You"**

1. "I HAVE LOVED YOU" (Rev 3:9). The Lord speaks these words to a Christian community that, unlike some others, had no influence or resources, and was treated instead with violence and contempt: "You have but little power... I will make them come and bow down before your feet" (Rev 3:8-9). This text reminds us of the words of the canticle of Mary: "He has cast down the mighty from their thrones, and lifted up the lowly; he has filled the hungry with good things, and sent the rich away empty (Lk 1:52-53).

2. This declaration of love, taken from the Book of Revelation, reflects the inexhaustible mystery that Pope Francis reflected upon in the Encyclical *Dilexit Nos* on the human and divine love of the heart of Jesus Christ. There we saw how Jesus identified himself "with the lowest ranks of society" and how, with his love poured out to the end, he confirms the dignity of every human being, especially when "they are weak, scorned, or suffering."[1] As we contemplate Christ's love, "we too are inspired to be more attentive to the sufferings and needs of others, and confirmed in our efforts to share in his work of liberation as instruments for the spread of his love." [2] 3. For this reason, in continuity with the Encyclical *Dilexit Nos*, Pope Francis was preparing in the last months of his life an Apostolic Exhortation on the Church's care for the poor, to which he gave the title *Dilexi Te*, as if Christ speaks those words to each of them, saying: "You have but little power," yet "I have loved you" (Rev 3:9). I am happy to make this document my own — adding some reflections — and to issue it at the beginning of my own pontificate, since I share the desire of my beloved predecessor that all Christians come to appreciate the close connection between Christ's love and his summons to care for the poor. I too consider it essential to insist on this path to holiness, for "in this call to recognize him in the poor and the suffering, we see revealed the very heart of Christ, his deepest feelings and choices, which every saint seeks to imitate." [3]

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Please pray for the repose of the soul of Phyllis Olsta who recently died & for consolation to her family and loved ones.

Dates to Remember:

October is dedicated to Our Lady of the Rosary

Rachel Vineyard Retreat

If you are suffering after abortion, experience a Rachel's Vineyard™ healing retreat in Oregon sponsored by Project Aurora. The retreats are for women, men, and anyone impacted by abortion regardless of faith background. The Eugene Retreat is Tuesday, October 14 at 2 pm to Thursday, October 16 at 5 pm. ((541-350-7859) These retreats are also held in the Portland and Medford areas. Participation at the retreats is strictly confidential and offers a beautiful opportunity to experience God's love, forgiveness, and compassion. Cost: If you have a financial burden, assistance is available! For more information or registration contact: Project Aurora at 541-942-2861 or info@project-aurora.org

Saint Vincent de Paul—You can always donate food items to St. Vincent de Paul. Their donation hamper is located in the entrance of the Church, across from the Rest Room.

Archbishop's Catholic Appeal (ACA) One or more of you recently gave money to ACA so that we are now over 50% of our goal. (50.08%). Our goal is \$12,000. When you give to the ACA, identify yourself as a parishioner of St. Anthony. Thank You.

EVANGELIZATION—Pope Paul VI, whose message "Evangelii Nuntiandi (On Evangelization in the Modern World) says that evangelizing means bringing the Good News of Jesus into every human situation and seeking to convert individuals and society by the divine power of the Gospel itself. At its essence are the proclamation of salvation in Jesus Christ and the response of a person in faith, which are both works of the Spirit of God.

Role of Laity—Laypeople in particular, play a crucial role in evangelization, as they are often the Church's presence in the world, especially in secular settings.

Role of Clergy—While the laity has the primary responsibility for evangelization, ordained clergy play a vital role in equipping and guiding the laity in their evangelizing efforts.

Interested in getting involved in social justice?

Check out <https://ignatiansolidarity.net/>

Ignatian Solidarity Network's mission is to network, educate, & form advocates for social justice animated by the spirituality of St. Ignatius of Loyola & the witness of the Jesuit martyrs of El Salvador and their companions.

"The Church cannot and must not remain on the sidelines in the fight for justice." — Pope Benedict XVI

Wish list for St. Anthony: The price of U.S. Stamps for first class postage (Forever stamps) increased recently to 78 cents. You may have gone to the P.O. to buy stamps before the price increase. If you bought extra stamps, you may wish to donate stamps to St. Anthony. The gesture would be greatly appreciated. Thank you for your time and generosity. *Thank you Cathy Howard for your donation of stamps.*

Pope's Monthly Intention for October

For collaboration between different religious traditions: Let us pray that believers in different religious traditions might work together to defend and promote peace, justice, and human fraternity.

3720 SE 79th Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97206

MEMORIAL FLOWERS

October 19—Gene DiLoreto +

Finance Council

Mark Whitman

OCIA/Liturgy/Music

Fr. Pat Donoghue

Ministry to Sick & Homebound

Fr. Pat Donoghue (503.771.6039)

Religious Ed/Youth Ministry

Stella Armstrong

Prayer Tree

Sharon Stevenson (503.774.8738)

Pastoral Council

Ryan Dehart

Altar Society

Rosemary Childress

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Ryan Dehart

Maintenance-

Colleen Dehart (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 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.*

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 needs some drivers to help deliver the food. 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 paper work 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