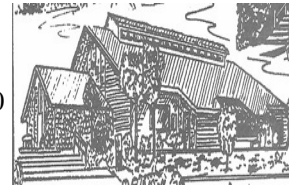




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# Saint Anthony Catholic Church

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*"Where the Spirit of the Lord is,  
there is freedom"*

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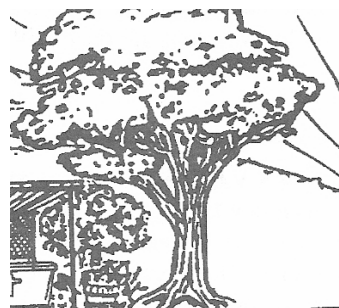
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commitment of  
faith and  
extending our  
hearts and hands  
to reach out to  
those in spiritual  
or temporal need.*



## SACRAMENT CELEBRATIONS

### MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Celebrations:

Saturday - 4:00 PM Little Church

Sunday - 8:30 AM, 10:30 AM &

5:30 PM Big Church

Tues. - Friday, Mass - 8:15 AM Big Church

### RECONCILIATION

Anytime by Appointment

Communal Celebrations during Advent & Lent

### CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Annually at the Easter Vigil.

Adults or children aged seven or older  
interested in discerning the Catholic faith or  
completing the Sacraments of Initiation, please  
call the Catechetical Ministry Office or  
e-mail: [createdre@aol.com](mailto:createdre@aol.com)

### BAPTISM OF INFANTS

Ordinarily Baptism is celebrated on the  
Third Sunday of the month at Mass. New or  
expectant parents should contact the parish  
office to schedule an appointment with the  
pastor. Infant Baptism is celebrated  
following a Baptism preparation session.

### CONFIRMATION FOR TEENS

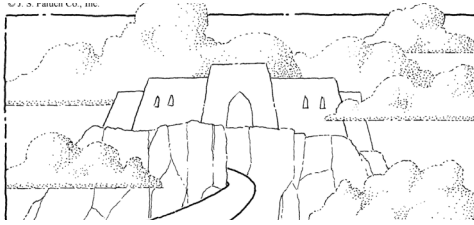
Celebrated every other year in the Easter Season.  
Candidates for this Sacrament should call the  
Catechetical Office at 997-4808

### ANOINTING & CARE OF THE SICK

If you or someone you know is preparing for  
surgery, received a recent serious medical  
diagnosis, or is experiencing the burden of  
years, please call the parish office for Anointing  
of the Sick. Communion can be brought to  
anyone who is ill or homebound through our  
Pastoral Care Ministers. A communal anointing  
occurs at Mass annually on/or near the  
Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes, Feb. 11.

### MARRIAGE

Couples should contact the parish upon their  
Engagement and usually 6 months prior to the  
desired date of the Wedding Ceremony.



## Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time August 28, 2016

You have approached Mount Zion and  
the city of the living God.

— Hebrews 12:22a

### Mass Intentions For The Week

AUGUST 27th & 28th, 2016

Saturday	4:00 PM	Parishioners
Sunday	8:30 AM	Pat & Theresa Tozzi (RIP)
Sunday	10:30 AM	Parishioners
Sunday	5:30 PM	Parishioners

SEPTEMBER 3rd & 4th, 2016

Saturday	4:00 PM	Suzanne Jaquez (RIP)
Sunday	8:30 AM	Jose Luis Garcia (RIP)
Sunday	10:30 AM	Parishioners
Sunday	5:30 PM	Parishioners

*Welcome*  
to Our New Parishioners ...

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**Rodrigo, Maria,  
Ximena, Rodrigo Jr. & Aranzazu  
De La Parra**

#### NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

**First Reading:** Wisdom 9:13-18b

**Second Reading:** Philemon 9-10, 12-17

**Gospel:** Luke 14:25-33

### Sunday Stewardship

Trackable Donations for: 8/21/16 = 69

Stewardship (includes online giving) - 8/21/16.....\$6,481.00

Pastoral Solidarity for the  
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YTD Stewardship.....\$48,148.00



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Please note that due to the Labor Day holiday, the **Parish office will be closed** on Monday, Sept. 5th. There is **No Mass** on Monday, Sept. 5th or Tuesday Sept. 6th.

#### Meetings This Week:

Sunday, Aug. 28 <sup>th</sup> :	6:30 p.m., X-StATiC Kick-Off (McKean Church)
Monday, Aug. 29 <sup>th</sup> :	6:30 p.m., X-StATiC SALT Mtg. (Holy Family Room)
Tuesday, Aug. 30 <sup>th</sup> :	8:15 a.m., Morning Prayer (McKean Church) 9:30 a.m., Scripture Study (Saint Joseph Room) 5:15 p.m., Children's Choir (McKean Church) 7:00 p.m., 8:30 Choir Practice (McKean Church)
Wednesday, Aug. 31 <sup>st</sup> :	8:15 a.m., Morning Prayer (McKean Church) 6:30 p.m., 5:30 Choir Practice (Guardian Angels Room) 7:00 p.m., Scripture Study (McKean Church) 7:00 p.m., Confirmation Meeting (McKean Church)
Thursday, Sept. 1 <sup>st</sup> :	8:15 a.m., Morning Prayer (McKean Church) 7:00 p.m., Bunco (Saint Joseph Room) 7:00 p.m., Pastoral Care Meeting (Our Lady of Guadalupe Room) 7:00 p.m., 10:30 Choir Practice (McKean Church)
Friday, Sept. 2 <sup>nd</sup> :	<b>OFFICE CLOSED</b> 8:15 a.m., Morning Prayer (McKean Church)

#### Upcoming Events:

**Sunday, September 4<sup>th</sup> – Canonization of Mother Teresa**

**Sunday, September 11<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of 9/11**

**Sunday, September 18<sup>th</sup> – Catechetical Sunday**

#### NO SURPRISES

We are told by all spiritual writers that one important point to bear in mind, as we seek to attain humility, is not to be surprised by our own faults and failures.

—François Fénelon, archbishop of Cambrai

## CATECHETICAL MINISTRY AND UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS



Do you have children in elementary or middle school? Have you signed them up for the CREATE (Community Religious Education Appealing To Everyone) classes we have here at Saint Anthony Parish? Faith formation helps all of us to grow in our relationship with God for our whole life.

If you did not register for our CREATE Classes and are interested, please call Joann Maier at (408) 997-4808.

Classes begin on Tuesday, September 6<sup>th</sup> at 4 p.m.



We would like to begin our Sunday Children's Liturgy of the Word on Sunday, September 11<sup>th</sup> at the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

Volunteers are needed for this meaningful ministry with the children of our parish.

If interested, please contact Joann Maier at 997-4808 or send an e-mail to [createdre@aol.com](mailto:createdre@aol.com). Thank you for your support!

### Catholic Charities' Continuum of Care

Finding compassionate care for the people you love can be a challenge. Dealing with the issues of Alzheimer's, dementia, and other aging issues is difficult enough.

Day Break Cares can help. We offer services to give you some peace-of-mind for your loved ones. We provide non-medical Homecare, Senior Activity Centers and Behavioral Health Care. Call our Elder Care Line to learn more about these services, and also receive connections, counseling and advice for seniors and their families. Our Senior Care Specialists can be reached at (408) 831-0441.

Let's Get Together!

### **Saint Anthony Neighborhood Socials**

Invitations have gone out to the last three neighborhood socials. These gatherings provide a fun environment and an opportunity for parishioners to meet others, get better acquainted, pray briefly together and share the value of being part of the Saint Anthony community.

The host(s) will send parishioners on their list an invitation to their event. If you are unable to attend the get-together to which you are invited, you are welcome to attend a get-together that works better for you. Please RSVP directly to the host whose event you will be attending. Food and beverages will be served by each host(s). You may be asked to provide a beverage, small side dish or appetizer depending on the type of event.

#### **Event Dates:**

September 23rd

Sandy & Ken McMaster 408-832-3415 [mcmaster6@yahoo.com](mailto:mcmaster6@yahoo.com)

October 1st

Bertha & Mark Minnihan 408-832-8131  
[bertha.minnihan@mossadams.com](mailto:bertha.minnihan@mossadams.com)



eXtreme Saint Anthony Teens in Christ  
(Open to all High School students)

Join us for the 5:30 p.m. Mass  
this evening...

**X-Static Kick-Off is TONIGHT!!!**

*Hint: It will be a colorful time.....*



The Fearless Band is looking for a drummer for the 5:30 p.m. Sunday Mass. This is a fun contemporary group! If interested, contact Barb Schroeder at (408) 568-0816 or [b.schroed2@gmail.com](mailto:b.schroed2@gmail.com)



### **Inquiring About Becoming Catholic**

The RCIA, Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, is beginning its Period of Inquiry. During this period, teaching is given to people who are interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith. The sessions cover basic information about the Faith and fundamentally communicate the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

If you are interested in looking at the Catholic Faith and how the RCIA process can assist you in this endeavor, please contact Jean Rummelhoff at [jeanrummelhoff@mac.com](mailto:jeanrummelhoff@mac.com) or call her at (408) 569-6894



### **Thank you from the Doris Dillon School in Cambodia**

Thank you, to our wonderful Saint Anthony Community! Due to your extraordinary generosity, we were able to raise over \$1,000 this past weekend. This translates into year long scholarships for 8 returning girls at the Doris Dillon School in Cambodia. If you were unable to attend, but would still like to purchase black peppercorns (the best pepper in the world!), please contact either Denise or Jim DeLong at: [denise\\_delong@yahoo.com](mailto:denise_delong@yahoo.com). Three ounce packages are \$5. You won't be disappointed! If you need a pepper grinder, we have some we bought from Bed, Bath & Beyond for \$8, that we'll offer at our cost. While we wish every one of you could visit the school in person, you can make a virtual trip by visiting the school's Facebook page: **Doris Dillon School in Cambodia**. Thank you once again for your continuing prayers, support and generosity. You are surely making a difference in these girls' lives. God bless you!

# DIOCESAN NEWS, CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING & MORE PARISH EVENTS



We welcome the return of BUNCO to the calendar. Starting **Thursday, Sept. 1st** at **7:00 p.m.** (and then the

first Thursday of every month) join us for the fun dice game of Bunco. We look forward to welcoming new members, and the old, at **McKean Road**, this Thursday.



## Pope Saint Gregory the Great

Saint Gregory the Great was born in Rome around 540

AD. His family was very wealthy, owning property throughout Italy. He was a good student, studying law and becoming the Prefect of Rome at the young age of 33. He then became a monk and in 590 AD, became Pope - although he did not want the job. But, as a 'servant of God,' he accepted. Gregorian Chant was thought to be created by Saint Gregory. He died in 604 AD and was proclaimed a saint, immediately. We celebrate his feast day on September 3rd. He is the patron saint of musicians, singers, students and teachers.



Catholic Professionals Speaker Event  
Thursday, September 8, 2016

7:00 a.m. Mass - Bishop McGrath presiding  
7:35 a.m. - Speaker Program  
Location: Three Flames Restaurant Banquet Room  
1547 Meridian Avenue  
San Jose (just north of Hamilton Ave.)

**SPEAKER:** Bishop McGrath, Diocese of San Jose

**TOPIC:** The State of the Catholic Church: Locally, Nationally and Worldwide

*"Hear what Bishop McGrath is saying about our Church"*

RSVP: **408-491-9229** or [www.sjcatholicprofessionals.com](http://www.sjcatholicprofessionals.com) or [cpbcinfo@gmail.com](mailto:cpbcinfo@gmail.com)

# August



## Backpack Report 2016

**Thank you, thank you, thank you** for your fantastic generosity. You all are filled with the spirit of "Solidarity," just as Pope Francis calls us to be. We delivered **126 backpacks filled with school supplies plus 2 empty backpacks and five boxes/bags filled with an assortment of extra supplies.** In addition to the many donated backpacks and supplies, the cash donations of \$3,500 (which includes the 2015 balance of \$800) helped us purchase backpacks and supplies for 65 children. We now have a **balance of \$1,900 in our Backpack account.**

A special thank you to **Karen Pelosi, Bill Zillman, Sheryl Hydorn, Joann Macaluso, Ann Borges and Mary Victorine** who helped, assembled and deliver the backpacks.

You have made so many children happy and ready to start the new school year. And, we more than doubled our donations from last year. God bless you all!



## Arise Together in Christ!

Plan now to sign-up for a small faith-sharing group! On September 10/11 and September 17/18, registration envelopes will be available for all parishioners to select a date and time that works for their schedule. Small faith-sharing groups will begin the week of October 2nd and run for 6 weeks, ending the week of November 6th. Cost is \$20.00 per person.

We hope everyone makes the effort to attend. Groups meet for 1.5 hours, once a week — so just 6 times! It's a wonderful way to expand your knowledge of the Catholic faith, deepen your prayer life and connect with other Saint Anthony parishioners. Invite a friend to join you too!

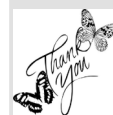
Sunday	11:45 a.m.	Tobias Residence
Monday	7:00 p.m.	Georgiou Residence
Tuesday	9:30 a.m.	McKean Church
Tuesday	4:00 p.m.	McKean Church
Wednesday	7:15 p.m.	McKean Church
Thursday	7:00 p.m.	Wells Residence
Thursday	7:00 p.m.	Votaw Residence
Friday	6:15 a.m.	McKean Church



*If you would like to add the name of your loved ones to the Prayer List, please contact the Parish Office. We will publish them here in the Bulletin for a month from the date of the request, and pass their names onto the Parish Prayer group.*

*Thank you and God Bless!*

**Douglas Bentz, Hsien Chang (RIP)  
Dennis Ryan, Josh Sanhaus,  
Grant Show, Jessica Votaw,  
Bob Walsh**



*The people and families of those on the Prayer Request List would like to give a big "Thank You" to those who continuously lift them up in prayer. They greatly appreciate all of your thoughts. The power of prayer does great things!*



## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK:

The Rio Olympics came to a close last Sunday night with the usual pageantry and ceremony, stunning costumes, and the passing of the Olympic flag to the next host city, Tokyo, Japan for the 2020 games.

Super Mario will be the Olympic Games' mascot. We live in a modern age with modern signs and figures.

Though we are not aspiring Olympic game competitors, we are often moved and inspired by the stories of those young men and women who do sacrifice so much time, give so much effort to participate in the games by spending years honing their skills in track and field, swimming, archery, weight lifting and so many other modern sports. For a few brief minutes or even a couple of hours, they spend their bodies and their hearts trying to win gold, a medal, and stand on a platform for recognition. What do we seek in life?

In preparation for this coming year's evangelization initiatives, the Pastoral Council members are reading a book, "A Church on the Move" by Joe Paprocki. There are a number of studies and books examining the current state of the church, where we are, and where we can be going.

The author quotes Pope Francis "Fearlessly proclaim the Gospel of hope, bringing the Lord's message into the brokenness of our time, tirelessly preaching forgiveness and the mercy of God" in his address to the Bishops of Zimbabwe, on February 6, 2014. More than most Pope Francis recognizes that people experience brokenness, and some recognize the need to be saved. But in our secular society other folks believe they don't need to be saved, first from themselves and/or second from the situation in which they find themselves.

In this life we are always incomplete, sometimes bored and often restless. The perfect entry point for Madison Avenue to sell us what we then believe will fill the gap, make our lives complete, less bored and satisfied. In reality we are not nor ever will be self-sufficient. We are human beings interdependent on one another, with each other and for each other. Who can make a difference in our lives?

For people of faith, for believers, for Christians, Jesus Christ is God's intervention states Paprocki. His statement is true. When we accept God's amazing grace, profound changes can take place in our lives. No one's life was dramatically changed by serving donuts, or raising money for the church or remodeling the sanctuary. We can be moved by God's Amazing Grace when we listen to the words of the song written by a slave trader long ago. "I once was lost, but now I'm found." Where does Christ find me at this stage in my life? Am I bored, experiencing incompleteness or simply restless? How do I connect with church, the parish, my faith, and most importantly with Jesus? If there was one thing you believe we should be doing as a parish, what would that one thing be? What is the one thing that would ease your brokenness, help you find meaning and purpose, and find moments of inner peace?

We are going to embark on a journey this year and see how Christ speaks to us, challenges us and at the same time is forever willing to be merciful and kind – offering us amazing grace. Let's journey together.

August Blessings,

*Father Larry Hendel, Pastor*



## ADA Update

To date, we have \$82,774 from 221 families pledged. Thank you to all those families for your support and generosity. **We have not met our Parish goal of \$76,636 paid as yet.** We have 50 families on payment plans owing a balance of \$9,027.35. If you are mailing in your checks, be sure to send them via the envelopes supplied to you, to: **Annual Diocesan Appeal**, Diocese of San Jose, 1150 North First Street, Suite 100, San Jose, CA 95112. Your check should be made payable to Annual Diocesan Appeal. Please ensure your name and that of your parish ~ Saint Anthony~ is written on the check. Thank you for your support.



## SAINT ANTHONY PARISH CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING COMMITTEE

### Quotes for Reflection

*"Nothing, how little so ever it be, if it is suffered for God's sake, can pass without merit in the sight of God."*

**Thomas a Kempis**



## Bible Study

**Tuesday morning Bible**

Study will start on **September 6th**, from **9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.** Our study will focus on the Book of Revelation.

For information call: **Faye Careway at 408-268-1043.**



## Friday Night Socials

Our last Friday Night Social for Summer, 2016 will be:

**9/30 - Open to all**

Bring and BBQ your own main course, drinks, plates and utensils and we will provide the BBQ Grill and 3 side dishes. Admission is **\$5.00 for adults with children under 12 free.** The social will run from 6 to 8 p.m. Tickets for the Sept. 30th Social will be on sale Sept. 10/11 and 17/18 after all masses.

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: 1 Cor 2:1-5; Ps 119:97-102; Mk 6:17-29
- Tuesday: 1 Cor 2:10b-16; Ps 145:8-14; Lk 4:31-37
- Wednesday: 1 Cor 3:1-9; Ps 33:12-15, 20-21; Lk 4:38-44
- Thursday: 1 Cor 3:18-23; Ps 24:1bc-4ab, 5-6; Lk 5:1-11
- Friday: 1 Cor 4:1-5; Ps 37:3-6, 27-28, 39-40; Lk 5:33-39
- Saturday: 1 Cor 4:6b-15; Ps 145:17-21; Lk 6:1-5
- Sunday: Wis 9:13-18b; Ps 90:3-6, 12-17; Phlm 9-10, 12-17; Lk 14:25-33