

**ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CATHOLIC CHURCH**

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**Monday – Thursday**  
**9:00 a.m. – 12 noon**  
**1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

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**Finance Council:** Isidro Castanon, Chairman  
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**MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday	September	7	6:30 p.m.	+Alfred Garcia by Family
Tuesday	September	8	8:00 a.m.	Father Dan Morales in thanksgiving for his Ordination
Wednesday	September	9	8:00 a.m.	+Louis Martin by John & Diane Connor
Thursday	September	10	8:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	+Alfredo Alvarez Jr. by Brian & Lynn Bowers Holy Hour - Adoration
Friday	September	11	8:00 a.m.	+Antonio Orozco by Dora Saldierna
Saturday	September	12	6:00 p.m.	Anita Perez in thanksgiving for her Birthday by Family
Sunday	September	13	9:30 a.m.	Parish Family
Domingo	Septiembre	13	11:00 a.m.	+Rolando Contreras by Family

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**MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

**Saturday, September 12<sup>th</sup>, 2015**  
**6:00 P.M.**

**Sunday, September 13<sup>th</sup>, 2015**  
**9:30 A.M.    11:00 A.M.**

<b>Sacristan:</b>	Debbie B.	Yen Tran	Graciela Padron
<b>EMHC:</b>	Carl F./Angie F.	Deacon V./Bryan & Yen Tran	Julia G./Graciela P. /Mati M.
<b>Lector:</b>	Virginia S./Jeanette A.	Sabrina G./Brandi W.	G. Guerrero/C. Acosta
<b>Altar Servers:</b>	Dax & Trey J./Xavier P.	Cesar/Jasmine/Dominic J./Casey H.	Teresita & Abraham L./Emily & Juliette P./Jose Luis C./A. Elizondo

**PARISH MISSION STATEMENT**

Prayerful reading and study of the Bible

- Deeper understanding and appreciation of the Holy Eucharist

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:** Holy Hour Thursday: 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

**BAPTISM:** Third Saturday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in English and  
Third Sunday of each month at 12 noon in Spanish **ONE MONTH NECESSARY.**

**SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:** Six months notice necessary.

**RECONCILIATION (Confession):** Saturday 5:00 p.m. – 5:40 p.m. and by appointment

**QUINCEAÑERA:** Five months notice necessary.

**ANOINTING & COMMUNION TO THE SICK:** Call the RECTORY when a family member is sick and would like a visit or would like to receive Holy Communion, Reconciliation and Anointing of the Sick. If any family has a relative at the nursing home, homebound or admitted to the Hospital, **Please let Father know.**

**PRAY FOR OUR SICK:** Mary Rosa, Kadence Durgin, Adela Farley, Maria Garcia, Miguel Zamora, Rebecca Collins, Joe Drastata, Fr. Dan Morales, Hellon Holder, Amanda Hasselo, Teresa Blackwell, Leonel & Dominga Gonzalez, Douglas Hlavaty, Eve & Evangelina Hdz., Hortencia Cambry, Katie White, Viola Duran, Gerardo Flores, Jackie Acosta, Edward Serna III, Chris Walker, Daryl Hunter, Esthela Alamia, Lidia Martinez, Kien Leck, Jay Guerrero, Lupita Rodriguez, Yolanda Segovia Oliveres, Becky Buckley, Margaret Vargas, Debbi Pustejovsky, Marjorie Planks, Helen LittleField, Tom Navarro, Dorothy Baros, Joe Kana, Brenda Broussard, Edith Hickl.

**PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY:** Lee Cink, Sharon Lamorie Jones, Steven Page, Adrian Garcia, Darron May, Vincent Garcia Jr., Jorge Gonzalez, Ryan Malek, Esteban Jimenez, Angel Zamora, Noah Seaman, Ariel Robins.

### CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS

The Catholic Daughter will hold their September Meeting on September 14<sup>th</sup> in the CCD building after the 6:30pm Daily Mass. Members are encouraged to attend Mass before the meeting

**The Church Office will be closed on Monday, September 7<sup>th</sup> 2015, due to the Labor Day Holiday.**

### 2<sup>nd</sup>. Collection

We will have a 2<sup>nd</sup>. Collection the weekend of September 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>, for the Black and Indian Missions, Catholic Communication Campaign and The Catholic University of America.

### CCD NEWS

CCD has started, last day to register is September 16<sup>th</sup>.  
Registration is closed for 1<sup>st</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup>.

### Shrimp Etouffe and Gumbo Meal

Sunday, Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>, 11:00am-?  
St. Peter's Catholic Church Parish Hall  
Blessing, Tx.  
LIVE AUCTION DURING THE DAY

### ATTENTION ST. ANTHONY YOUTH!!!

We are having our Teen L.Y.F.E. meeting  
JH: 2:00PM-3:30PM  
HS: 3:30PM-5PM

**Sunday, September 6<sup>th</sup>  
In the Family Center**

### Area Festivals

Holy Cross – Yolktown, Tx. - September 13<sup>th</sup>.  
Our Lady of Gdpe – Bay City, Tx. - September 13<sup>th</sup>.

Church Support for 8/30/2015.....\$ 4,120.48

*Thank you for your generosity! May God bless you.  
Gracias por su generosidad! Que Dios los bendiga*

### *From the Pastor's Desk*

*Thus says the LORD:*

*Say to those whose hearts are frightened:*

*Be strong, fear not!*

*Here is your God,*

*he comes with vindication;*

*with divine recompense*

*he comes to save you.*

We hear these words from the prophet Isaiah this Sunday and they are words that we must take to heart. So many things in our lives both from within and without invoke much fear. The hateful rhetoric and violence in society, the rejection of peoples because of their immigration status, the marginalization of the faithful from the public discourse, and also the self-deprecation of our abilities in faith contribute to this fear. It makes us like the deaf mute in the gospel. We can't hear and we won't speak. The words of Isaiah are echoed in the Pope's message during his live video conference with three locations in the U.S. this past week including a parish in McAllen Texas, a group of homeless people in Los Angeles and a Catholic high school in Chicago. He asked a young girl to sing and she was afraid to do so. She was afraid because of embarrassment in front of her peers and maybe even of bullies. But the pope encouraged her, "Be courageous!" and she was and she sang. Let us all be courageous and take the Lord's word as our instruction for our lives of faith "Ephphatha!"—that is 'Be opened!'"

### **KOLACHE BAKING CLASS**

EVERYONE is invited... The KJZT will hold a baking class Saturday, September 12<sup>th</sup> at St. Anthony's Family Center in Palacios. The class will learn to bake kolaches and will have a chance to share ideas in a swap-shop style setting! Class will cost \$25 and proceeds will go to local charities. Come for lots of fun and fellowship! Class will start at 8 am and last until around lunch. Call for questions Debbie Barnett 361-972-0669.

### RCIA

September 27<sup>th</sup>, 6:00pm

St. Anthony's will be having RCIA classes for all people seeking to become Catholic or people who maybe lacking any of the Sacraments of Initiation (Eucharist or Confirmation). If you are interested in becoming Catholic or finishing your sacraments or know someone who does, please contact the parish office to sign up.

### ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Father Bryan will be teaching a class every Wednesday starting September 2<sup>nd</sup>, at 5:15 pm. Come and learn more about our Faith. The first class will be in the Church.