

# St. Anthony Catholic Church

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## Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 14, 2019

Our mission:  
To express faith in action,  
welcome and celebrate diversity, and  
be alive in prayer and worship!

### All are welcome!



### Mass Schedule

Monday-Friday—9:00 AM  
Saturday—5:30 PM  
Sunday—8:30 AM—10:30 AM—5:30 PM

Healing Mass—First Friday  
Native Mass—Third Saturday—5:30 PM  
Filipino Mass—Second Sunday—5:30 PM  
Samoan Mass—Last Sunday—10:30 AM  
Youth Mass—Fourth Saturday—5:30 PM

### Adoration

Friday—7:00—8:00 PM

### Reconciliation

Saturday—4:00—5:00 PM

### Baptism

Baptism Parents' Class — First Sunday of each month  
9:45 AM in the Parish Office Building

### Marriage

Meet with Pastor at least six (6) months  
prior to wedding

### Funerals

Contact the Parish Office immediately  
after a death

### Office Hours

Monday — Friday 8:00 AM — 4:00 PM

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## Reflection for the Week

### The Parable of the Good Samaritan

Jesus responds to the lawyer's question with a parable that illustrates how keeping the law isn't a matter of focusing on details regarding right or wrong or personal gain, but it is a matter of right relationships with one's neighbor, as exhibited by acting with compassion and mercy.

The Samaritan in the parable is not moved to help the stricken traveler because of the law, but because he was a person of compassion and mercy. This is the law written within our hearts, not details about keeping specific laws, but a general regard for the other that arises out of genuine care for the other.

The Vincentian Reflections (Living Liturgy, p.172)

There are scripture scholars who say that there is a very subtle twist to the end of the parable. Jesus asks the lawyer: "Which of these three, in your opinion, was neighbor to the man who fell in with robbers?" The answer came—"The one who treated him with mercy."

It seems that asking the lawyer that question, Jesus was saying equivalently to him, "You asked Me 'who was my neighbor?' That was not a good question. The question you should have asked me was: "To whom can I **BE** neighbor? And the answer to that question is, 'the first poor person you meet on the road.'"

The Vincentian Reflections  
(McCullen, Deep Down Things, p. 141)

### Readings for Next Week's Mass

#### Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### FIRST READING—The Book of Genesis

Genesis 18:1-10a (108C)

#### SECOND READING—

#### Letter of St. Paul to the Colossians

Colossians 1:24-28

#### GOSPEL—The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke

Luke 10: 38-42

### Question of the Week

When have you gone out of your way to help a stranger in need?

### Question of the Week for KIDS

Would you help a new student who needed help?  
Why or why not?

## Parish News and Events

Next weekend, we will take up the annual **Outreach Collection**, which **supports the Catholic Communications Campaign, the Archdiocese's newspaper, the Catholic Anchor and the Catholic University of America**. The Outreach Collection enables the Church to embrace innovative communication efforts while also educating Catholics about their universal faith. Please consider giving generously.

**THANK YOU** for your generous support of the **2019 One Bread, One Body Annual Catholic Appeal**. Members of St. Anthony have shared **\$37,831** to support Ministries that serve children and adults throughout our local Church. This is **71.29%** of our **goal of \$53,062.98**. If you have not yet pledged your support, it's not too late! Please join your fellow Parishioners in helping to make possible the vital work of your Archdiocesan Ministries. Pledges and donations are accepted until December 31 and will count toward the Parish goal. Make your pledge securely online at [www.archdioceseofanchorage.org/donate](http://www.archdioceseofanchorage.org/donate).

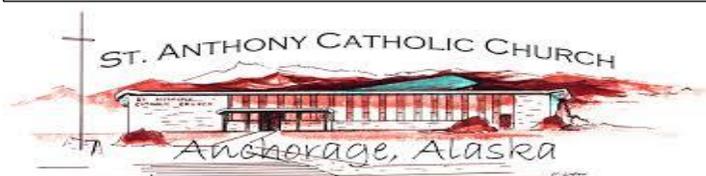
The **St. Anthony Parish Council** will meet **Sunday, July 14, 12:00 Noon** in the Parish Hall. All are welcome to attend. If you have questions or items for the meeting agenda, please contact Katie Berry or the Parish Office.

**Fresh Organic Vegetables from St. Anthony's community garden are now available** after all weekend Masses. Delicious and nutritious, these gifts from the Lord's bounty are **grown sustainably and without the use of chemical fertilizers or pesticides**. Summer is short, don't miss out!

The **Knights of Columbus** are once again selling their **Pot'O'Gold raffle tickets!** Grand prize is **\$15,000 in cash** and there are **10 prizes of \$1,000 cash** each. Only **3,500 tickets** are sold. This is a major fundraiser for the Knights and St. Anthony. Proceeds are used by our Knights' Council to support many worthy projects and causes. See one of the Knights in the back of the Church for details.

**Did you know? St. Anthony has a Clare House Meals Ministry!** One Saturday a month, a small group of dedicated St. Anthony volunteers lovingly provide a nourishing dinner meal for 40-80 child and adult residents of Clare House and they have been quietly doing it for years. If you are interested in helping with this challenging and rewarding Ministry, please contact Alice Young or the Parish Office.

**2019 St. Francis Stewardship Awards.** The St. Francis Stewardship Awards recognize the top groups or individuals who embody the engagement of great Stewards. Decisions will be made by a Selection Committee led by Bishop Bellisario. Nominations are welcome from Parishes and Missions across the Archdiocese - nominate an outstanding Steward from St. Anthony! **Nominations are due by August 14. The 2019 Awards Banquet will be held on Thursday, October 3.** Help us honor the award nominees and recipients. For more information, call 297-7790. Nomination information and forms are available online at [archdioceseofanchorage.org](http://archdioceseofanchorage.org) or just type "nomination forms" in the search box.



**Buy your tickets today for the 2019 Seminarian Night Dinner and Fundraiser!** Join us on **Wednesday, August 7** and support our current Seminarians – your future Priests. **Black Level Table Sponsors** at the **\$2,500** level enjoy the blessing of sitting with one of our Seminarians, membership to the Seminarian Circle, name/company logo on the table centerpiece and a special gift blessed by Bishop Bellisario. **Purple Table Sponsors** at the **\$1,500** level receive membership to the Seminarian Circle, name/company logo on the table centerpiece, and a special gift blessed by Bishop Bellisario. **White Table Sponsors** at the **\$400** level receive your name/company logo on the table centerpiece. **Individual tickets are \$50.** Reserve your spot by July 31 by calling 297-7790 or online in the **News and Events tab** of [archdioceseofanchorage.org](http://archdioceseofanchorage.org).

**RAIS Pop-Up Lunch.** Join us at **Grow North Farm**, 3601 Mountain View Drive, on **Friday, August 2** for our next **RAIS Pop-Up Lunch**. Visit the farm and enjoy a true farm-to-table experience. Lunches are \$15 each and must be pre-ordered. All the food is organic and locally grown by refugee farmers. They will be selling produce and cottage foods at the event. Take a tour of the farm, enjoy your lunch, and meet Mt. View's newest business owners. <https://www.cssalaska.org/get-involved/upcoming-events/rais-pop-up-lunch/>.

**Children's Summer Lunch Program.** There are several sites in the Anchorage Area offering free lunches for children under eighteen (18) during the summer. If you are interested in a list of locations, please contact the Parish Office.

**Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)** is the formation process for adults who wish to be baptized or for those already baptized in another Christian denomination to make a Profession of Faith to be in full communion with the Catholic Church. **Classes are held every Wednesdays, 7 PM. The next Program will begin in September.** For more details, please contact Jill Popoalii, 333-5287 or email [jpopoalii@stanthonyak.org](mailto:jpopoalii@stanthonyak.org)

**Road Closure Update.** The project at the **intersection of San Roberto Avenue and Hoyt Street** is proceeding. The water mains have been replaced. The intersection has been closed again. The last phase, work on storm drains and a traffic-calming circle is well underway. Detour signs are posted. It is suggested that the easiest way to get to St. Anthony is from the west on Bragaw Street. Your patience and continued attendance are appreciated!

**Mothers' Marriage Movement meets in Anchorage, CanaVox,** an international marriage movement founded and led by mothers, has launched a group in Anchorage. The group meets monthly and provides readings on natural law, practical wisdom and science to equip women to speak effectively about the beauty of marriage. According to the website, [canavox.com](http://canavox.com), the goal is to bring people together "to engage in the art of conversation with others" as "we explore the various issues affecting the marriage culture in a calm, thoughtful setting." CanaVox groups typically read short essays, personal stories and view videos to spark discussions. For more information about local meetings, contact Karen McMorrow, 245-5270 or [kmcmorrow1@aol.com](mailto:kmcmorrow1@aol.com).

**Annual Plein Air Weekend at the Kolstad Homestead** - Saturday and Sunday, July 27 and 28, 10 AM - 60 PM. Join twenty-eight (28) local artists for this wonderful event to benefit the Catholic Social Services' Clare House for women and children! Plein Air is a French term meaning "painting outdoors on location." Prizes and Games—Free Fun for All Ages! Purchase fabulous art and enjoy the silent auction. Perfect event for your visitors! For more information contact Don at [donkolstad@gci.net](mailto:donkolstad@gci.net) or call -333-0793. To volunteer, contact Cindy Lentine at [clentine@cssalaska.org](mailto:clentine@cssalaska.org) or call 222-7309 or the main Office 222-7300.

**Project Rachel to Begin New Support Group.** Suffering, sad, or confused because of an abortion – you or a family member? Whether recently or long ago, consider grieving your loss through the Archdiocesan-supported Project Rachel Healing Group. It is free and confidential. For further information or to participate go to our website, [projectrachelalaska.com](http://projectrachelalaska.com) or phone our confidential phone line, 297-7781 or toll free 1-866-434-334.

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter (WMME)** has been serving the Church for over fifty (50) years by providing weekends and enrichments for married couples, Priests and religious. WWME is faithful to the Roman Catholic Church's teaching that marriage is a covenant that exists between one man and one woman. Any reference to marriage or couple made by WWME is in this context. WWME Alumni are invited to support marriage and Priesthood by attending monthly evenings, date nights and other fun social activities. Weekend applications and the community calendar at <http://alaskawwme.org>. Join us!

**Can you help? Clare House needs a variety of different donations,** specially toilet paper, bath towels, bar soap, toothpaste, milk and juice. Clare House provides a safe home environment for women and children in crisis, keeping the families together. Our St. Anthony Youth are collecting items in a basket in the entryway or donations can be dropped off at the shelter located at 4110 Spenard Road.

**Homeless Veterans moving into housing need the following items to help them start a new life.** Cleaning supplies—Comet, 409, Windex, sponges, broom/dustpan, mop. Bathroom supplies—towels, shower curtain/hooks, toilet paper, shampoo/conditioner, soap, toothbrush/toothpaste, razors. Kitchen—Utensils-used is fine, glasses-used is fine, pots and pans-used is fine. Please drop off donations for the veterans at Catholic Social Services, 3710 East 20 Avenue, Attention: Sarah Huntsinger. **Thank you for your donations!**

**Brother Francis Shelter** needs clothing for guests. The clothing closet is empty. Please take donations to Brother Francis Shelter, located at 1021 E. 3rd Avenue. If you have any questions, please contact Alicia Jacobs at [ajacobs@cssalaska.org](mailto:ajacobs@cssalaska.org).

**Family Disability Services** needs activity passes – movie, zoo, museum, H2Oasis, Bouncing Bears, Trampoline Park, etc. for their staff to use when assisting clients. If you are interested in donating these type of gift cards, please contact Alicia Jacobs at [ajacobs@cssalaska.org](mailto:ajacobs@cssalaska.org) or 222-7335. Thank you!

Liturgical Ministers — July 20/21		
Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
Saturday — 5:30 PM		
Melissa Melissa van Haastert	M. Snowball M. Latocha S. Foreman	Yvonne Lafaele Mary Lafaele Tanimu Mafuao Henryetta Talo
Sunday — 8:30 AM		
Pat Lizama	N. Nickarz T. VanGelderren P. Petrivelli	Ken Young Kristopher Anaruk Samantha Anaruk James Anaruk Winter Anaruk
Sunday — 10:30 AM		
Nancy Pype	L. Zavala M. Armstrong S. Lolesio T. Lolesio Sister Monique A. Bol T. Ulofoshio	Mariah Afuvai Melesete Afuvai Rjandro Parungao Lyndon Savelio Kolio Savelio Nifae Valai
Sunday — 5:30 PM		
Mimi LaFlamme	A. Reidell M. Laflamme J. Lavarias	Angelie Corcino Sebastian Corcino Rochelle Cabutotan Chester Cabutotan Elizabeth Lucas Joaquin Leal
<b>Home Eucharistic Ministry</b>	Pat Petrivelli	Brenda Bergsrud

Week at a Glance	
<b>Monday</b>	Samoan Community Youth Practice <b>7 PM</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	Creative Circle - <b>9:30 AM</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	Bulletin Deadline - <b>5 PM</b> Filipino Gospel Choir Practice - <b>6 PM</b> Samoan Choir Practice - <b>7:30 PM</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	Kateri Circle - <b>11 AM</b> Youth Night - <b>7 PM</b>
<b>Friday</b>	Adoration - <b>7 PM</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	Samoan Divine Mercy Group - <b>10 AM</b> Samoan Choir Practice - <b>12 Noon</b>

Parishioners with any concerns about child and vulnerable adult safety or who need information about safe environment compliance at St. Anthony should contact our **Safe Environment Coordinator, Jill Popoalii** - 333-5287, or via email at [jjpopoalii@stanthonyak.org](mailto:jjpopoalii@stanthonyak.org)

Prayer List for Our Sick and Suffering	
If you have a name you wish to have added to the listing, please contact the Parish Office or send it to the bulletin editor, <a href="mailto:sapbulletin@gmail.com">sapbulletin@gmail.com</a> .	
Please Pray for our Sick and Suffering	
Pacita Agron Vic Algoso Audey Algoso Elena Aquino Edward Berube Kristin Bozarth Keith Brown Geneva Colon Ed Cordova Agnes Coyle Josie Duenas Robert Edwards Father Luzvimindo Flores Ed Grantier Kari Hays Father John Hinsvark Frank Javier Maricel Juan Jerome Karella Joshua Kutzgar Sam Kutzgar Lucille LeViege & Family	Joyce Lightner Teresita Lolesio Don McDermott Kendrick Matthews Duane Morfield Christopher Nickarz Dominador Ochoa Elmer Pagalilauan Margie Quinn Angie Ribuffo Gabby Roberts Susan Elizabeth Singh Josephine Skeete Zavier Smith Rodel Soriano Estela Tuason Elizabeth Varee Richard Varee Kareem Waugh Ann Whalen Chris White

**Collection from July 6/7**  
 Regular Collection - \$5,452  
 Building and Maintenance - \$350  
 Online Giving - \$790  
 Outreach Special Collection - \$25  
 St. Anthony Parishioners donated 403 pounds of food to St. Francis House in the month of June  
 Thank you for your generosity!

**Are you new to Our Parish?**  
**Do you have questions about our Faith Community?** Have you been attending St. Anthony and you would like to register as a member of our Parish? Do you need to update your contact information? Call the Parish Office, 333-5544 or via email—[Office@stanthonyak.org](mailto:Office@stanthonyak.org)

**Would you like to receive the bulletin by email?**  
 You may not be aware that the bulletin can be emailed directly to you or anyone with an interest every week. If you would like the current bulletin in your inbox on a weekly basis, please contact the Parish Office. We will gladly add you to our mailing list.

**The St. Anthony Parish Hall and conference rooms** are available for use for Parish and Archdiocesan ministry events. Please contact the Parish Office for scheduling availability and details.

