

# St. Anthony Catholic Church

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## Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 21, 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

In today's Gospel, we are given the two complementary sides of what it means to be a disciple of Jesus. We have Mary who sat at the feet of Jesus and listened to Him as He spoke. We are also presented with Martha who prepared and served the food. Neither one is better than the other. Both ways of experiencing and encountering Jesus are needed and part of our own daily lives. There are times when we are busy with the daily routines and activities that occupy our days.

This is normal and healthy. These are the times when we can look to Martha as a role model. Serving others is how we put our faith and love into action. However, there are times when we are called to be silent so that we can hear what Jesus is saying to us. Mary in the Gospel is an example of this listening attitude.

In Scripture, we are encouraged to be still and know God. If we are always busy and active, we are not allowing ourselves time to maintain our friendship with God. On the other hand, we are also called to live in the ordinary world of housework and daily activities. Through our prayer and relationship with Jesus, we can bring a deep quality of service and ministry not only to our own lives but the lives of those we serve and care for.

Perhaps two questions that are offered to us from this Gospel, do I take time to rest and pray? What is the quality of my service and care of others?

Michael Moore OMI, contributed by Mary Jo

Oh Lord, You know my heart better than I know it myself, You know my struggles and You hold each hope and fear in Your caring hands. Teach me, LORD, to be still and to know that You are God.

### **Readings for Next Week's Mass**

#### **Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

#### **FIRST READING—The Book of Genesis**

Genesis 18:20-32 (111C)

#### **SECOND READING—**

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

Colossians 2:-12-14

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

Luke 11: 1-13

### **Catholic Calendar at a Glance**

July 26—WWME Evening Prayer for Marriage on the Feast day of Saint Joachim and Saint Anne with Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Holy Cross.

August 7 - Seminarian Night Dinner and Fundraiser! Lumen Christi High School.

August 15—The Assumption of Mary—Holy Day of Obligation.

August 17—WWME Alumni Circle , Our Lady of Guadalupe Co-Cathedral. Come and celebrate Fr. Luz Flores' 40th Anniversary of priesthood.

## Parish News and Events

This 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 **\$38,931** to support ministries that serve children and adults throughout our local Church. This is **73.37%** 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)

**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 cash** and **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.

**Just a few more days to buy your tickets for the Seminarian Night Dinner and Fundraiser — August 7.** Enjoy dinner and bring your tennis shoes for the lively Dessert Dash! Be sure to consider being one of our **Black Level Sponsors, \$2,500** and enjoy the blessing of sitting with one of our Seminarans. We have other table sponsorship options available as well, and individual tickets are \$50. Join us at Lumen Christi High School to support our current Seminarans – your future Priests. **Reserve your tickets no later than July 31** by calling 297-7790 or online in the News and Events tab of [archdioceseofanchorage.org](http://archdioceseofanchorage.org).

### **Question of the Week**

Which response to God's call is more natural to you—prayer or action? Why?

The **nomination deadline** for the **2019 St. Francis Stewardship Awards** is **August 14**, less than one month away! Be sure to nominate a great steward from St. Anthony online at [archdioceseofanchorage.org](http://archdioceseofanchorage.org) under the "News & Events" tab or pick up a paper form in the foyer. Help us honor the award nominees and recipients. Winners will be announced at an **Awards Banquet on October 3**. Save the date! For more information, call 297-7790. More details on the St. Francis Stewardship Awards Banquet coming soon!

**Road Closure Update.** The project at the **intersection of San Roberto Avenue and Hoyt Street** is ongoing. The water mains have been replaced. The intersection has been closed again. The last phase, work on storm drains and 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 off of Bragaw Street. Your patience and continued attendance are appreciated!

**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 Wednesday, 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).

**Let's all respect our beautiful Church.** We are blessed by God with a wonderful place to gather and worship. We are all family at St. Anthony, Brothers and Sisters in Christ and the Church is our home. Sometimes our younger members are tempted to eat or drink in the Sanctuary where we celebrate Mass and honor God, and this is not appropriate. When this happens, bits of food and trash are left, and this does not show the respect we owe our Creator. **Please keep any food, drink and trash out of the Sanctuary**, the Parish Hall is available and the proper place for refreshments and snacks. Your cooperation and assistance are greatly appreciated.

**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'll also 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. Visit <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.

**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 McMorro, 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 - 6 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.

**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.

**Pregnancy Support and Adoption Services needs** - Diapers newborn to size 5. Thank you. Please drop off donations at Catholic Social Services at 3710 East 20th Avenue, Attention: Tami Jo.



### Question of the Week for KIDS

In the past week, when have you prayed and when have you done good things for others?  
Which could you do better?



## Liturgical Ministers — July 27/28

Lectors	Eucharistic Ministers	Altar Servers
Saturday — 5:30 PM		
Youth Mass	M. Snowball M. Latocha P. Lightner	Bella Dahl Jacob Fanene Cordilliah Fanene Nofoga Fanene Serani Tafune
Sunday — 8:30 AM		
Stephanie O'Connor	M. Pili P. Kough A. Candelaria	Ken Young Kristopher Anaruk Samantha Anaruk James Anaruk Winter Anaruk
Sunday — 10:30 AM		
Samoan Community	M. Roldan S. Foreman U. Tafune M. Alefosio Toluono J. Peters V. Afuvai	Zanoah Mafuao Zephaniah Mafuao Edward Savelio Tristan Savelio Toe Poe Jr.
Sunday — 5:30 PM		
Victoria Rahm	D. Hess A. Advincula N. VanHoey	Angelie Corcino Sebastian Corcino Rochelle Cabutotan Chester Cabutotan Elizabeth Lucas Joaquin Leal
<b>Home Eucharistic Ministry</b>	Maria Darci Smith	Pat Petrivelli

### 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>	<u>Bulletin Deadline</u> - <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, [sapbulletin@gmail.com](mailto:sapbulletin@gmail.com).

### Please Pray for our Sick and Suffering

Pacita Agron	Joyce Lightner
Vic Algoso	Teresita Lolesio
Audey Algoso	Don McDermott
Elena Aquino	Kendrick Matthews
Edward Berube	Duane Morfield
Kristin Bozarth	Christopher Nickarz
Keith Brown	Nick Nickarz
Geneva Colon	Dominador Ochoa
Ed Cordova	Elmer Pagalilauan
Agnes Coyle	Margie Quinn
Josie Duenas	Angie Ribuffo
Robert Edwards	Gabby Roberts
Jim Egan	Susan Elizabeth Singh
Father Luzvimindo Flores	Josephine Skeete
Ed Grantier	Zavier Smith
Kari Hays	Rodel Soriano
Father John Hinsvark	Onya Stein
Frank Javier	Estela Tuason
Maricel Juan	Elizabeth Varee
Jerome Karella	Richard Varee
Joshua Kutzgar	Kareem Waugh
Sam Kutzgar	Ann Whalen
Lucille LeViege & Family	Chris White

### Collection from July 13/14

Regular Collection - \$5,059  
 Building and Maintenance - \$90  
 Online Giving - \$290  
 Outreach Special Collection - \$75  
 CRS Rice Bowl - \$10

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.

