



St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church

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P a r i s h M i s s i o n S t a t e m e n t

"We are a bilingual community, who walk together to meet the Lord through the sacraments. We are guided by the holy spirit and by the doctrine of the church, towards the love of God the Father through Jesus, his only son."

Mass Schedule

Weekdays: Monday - Thursday at 9:30 a.m.
Sunday at 10:00 a.m., English, & 12:30 pm, Spanish
Latin Mass every 2nd Sunday of the month at 3:00 pm

Adoration of Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday from 10 :00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.
First Saturday of Month 7:00 p.m.—10:00 p.m.

Reconciliation

Sundays 11:45 a.m.—12:15 p.m.
Or by appointment

RCIA

Sundays at 11:15 a.m.—12:30 p.m.

Baptism

Speak with Priest or Deacon three months in anticipation of the proposed date. Copy of Birth Certificate is required.

Marriage

Arrangements should be made six months in advance.

Faith Formation

Sundays at 11:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m. Contact Deacon Steven Mancuso for more information.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

June 26	10:00 AM For the Parishioners 12:30 PM +Marcial Contreras
June 27	+Stella Rosero de Santa Cruz
June 28	+Julio Cesar Rodriguez Diaz
June 29	Success of the Latin Mass & Thanksgiving For Father Juan Carlos
June 30	+Pablo & Maria Garcia

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

O God, who through the grace of adoption chose us to be children of light, grant, we pray, that we may not be wrapped in the darkness of error but always be seen to stand in the bright light of truth. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.



CALLED BY GOD

We return to Ordinary Time this Sunday, and with this new season we focus on what it means to be a person who is called by God for some definite purpose. Elisha recognized God's call in Elijah's greeting and prepared immediately to follow. The people who came to Jesus seemed ready to follow, yet each had reasons to linger behind. As people who are given the freedom to follow or to stay behind, we must ask ourselves what we are ready to do for the sake of Christ and the call of the gospel. What are you called to do at this time in your life? Are you prepared to leave behind the things that get in the way of living as a Christian?

FOLLOW

What does it mean to follow Jesus? The Gospels show us that Jesus called each person individually, recognizing the things that stood in the way for each. He looked into the person's heart and saw the true desires of the person standing before him. Each of us experiences Christ's call uniquely as the persons we are. For some, following requires us to take stock of our lives and let go of the obstacles that keep us from the way of true discipleship. For others, the call may lead us to deepen the way that faith directs our lives, with more intentional time in prayer, regular participation in Mass, renewed attention to family, involvement in our parish, or new acts of service.

BE READY

It is easy to say we want to follow Jesus, yet most of us feel competing desires that stand in the way of discipleship. We may be distracted by the constant swirl of activity so prevalent in our surrounding culture; we might be lured by worldly wealth and the status that often accompanies it; we may simply be comfortable with the way things are and find it difficult to risk changing anything. In today's Gospel, Jesus makes it clear that we must stop putting off making the changes that will bring us closer to him and to God's way of life. We must trust in the Lord, knowing that what he most deeply desires is that we be close to him. If you encountered Jesus today and said you were ready to follow him, what would he see in your heart, what obstacles or hesitations would he perceive? Go to Jesus in prayer this day. Listen to him say, "Follow me." Prayerfully place your life in the Lord's hands and be ready to follow.

TODAY'S READINGS

1 Kings 19:16b, 19-21
Psalm 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11
Galatians 5:1, 13-18
Luke 9:51-62

OFFERTORY—Week of June 19th

Regular Offertory	\$1,697.00
Building Fund	\$1,380.00

Food Sunday	\$1,337.00
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ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL 2022

WE ARE ONE HOLY-CATHOLIC-APOSTOLIC CHURCH

Our goal this year:
\$15,081.00

Week of June 19th:	\$ 250.00
Total ACA PAID TO DATE	\$6,371.50
BALANCE DUE	\$8,709.50

Roshelle McCrae, Beatriz Agudelo, Bubba Knight, Myriam Roa, Nestor Beroch, Francis Zubricky, Paul Hamilton, Sheila Maxwell, Saul Muñoz, Mary Malehorn, Angi Christiano, Brittany Felts, Frank Hunter, Linnet Crump, Lois Adkins, Rene Lopez,

Eugene Faborito, Julisa Aguilar, Francisco Mayorga, Carroll Waters, Juana Perez, Edgardo Arias, Maria Gallegos, Judy Plantier, Shawn Murphy, Fran LaRock, Bill Raczkowski, Consuelo Borrero, Jim Murphy, Carolene Johnson, Melissa Green, Estela de Santacruz, Rufina Fernandez, Kevin Ward, Baby Robert Wesley, and All the Faithful Departed.



Raul Alvarez, Katelyn Hernandez,

Abelardo Lopez Hernandez, Meta Fairall



**Sanctuary Light: In Reverence and petition,
Pray this week for the special intention:**

For the Special Intentions of Mike & Mary Knowles.

Ray O'Keefe, Eva de Angel, Dick Ruth, Jesus Cordova Duarte, David Sands, Tricia Johnson, Tony Christiano, Esther Lopez, Ann Carter, Jackie Shierling, Valerie Vargas, Renee Cassity, Robert Beier, Don Christiano, Manuel Arias, Brenda



Diefanderfer, Sandy Chaput, Michael Kunai, Erika Lloyd, Nayar Prado, Shawn Costello, Kathryn Giddens, Nina Waters, Phyllis Fletcher, Chad & Kelsi Bullard, Lisa Salomon, Jeanne Han, Josefina Di Domenico, Steve Register, Deb Ruth, Grace Mack, Segrid Mack, Barkeia McBride, Mary Diefanderfer, Barry White, Manuel Garcia, Patricia Hunter, Tripp Lasseter, Pat Murphy, Skyler Deyarmin, Manuel Gar-

UPCOMING EVENTS

Jul 10	Giving Sunday Collection for the Church in Africa
Jul 10	Knights of Columbus Roundtable Meeting
Jul 10	Latin Mass
Jul 16	Rosary Makers Meeting

CERTIFICATES TO BE PICKED UP : Mishael Navarro Estrada, Johann Alamilla Mejia, Sarah Grace Puckett, Giovanni Jesus Beltran, Javier David Beltran, Katelyn Guadalupe Hernandez, Erick Vargas, Estefani Manuela Perez Moreno, Celeste Isabel Hernandez, Alan Llanos, Perla Llanos, Jennifer Salinas, Josie Preciado, Sophia Arelis Vargas, Fidel Cortez, Jr., Daniel Hernandez, Kaden Neal Miller, Josef Lee Rivera, Victoria Ann Varn, Nayib Julian Rodriguez, Bryan Omar Lopez, Mario Rodriguez, Gael Rodriguez, Mibzar Nicholas Rodriguez, Georgina Sofia Zarco, Jose Xochicale.

Our **Rosary Makers** meet every 3rd Saturday of the month at 11:30am. For more information please contact Kathryn Giddens at (229)482-2364
Next Meeting July 16th



Knights of Columbus
Round table meeting
Parish Hall
Second Sunday
of the month.
Next Meeting
July 10th
at 11:15AM



EL MOVIMIENTO DE RETIROS PARROQUIALES JUAN XXIII

Te invita:

Fechas de Retiros
Retiro para mujeres: 12 y 13 de Abril.
Retiro para hombres: 20, 21 y 22 de Mayo
Retiro para mujeres: 12, 13 y 14 de Agosto
Retiro para hombres: 23, 24 y 25 de Sept.
Retiro para mujeres: 18, 19 y 20 de Nov.

Día Familiar:
Sábado 16 de Julio a las 11am.
Misa a las 11am por Obispo Stephen Parks
Camp Echeverree
637 Mount Paran Rd, Lizella, GA 31052
Celebración Día del Carmen, Patrona del Movimiento

Para mayor información o para registrarse a un retiro contacte a Martin Noriega al 478 972 0502.