October 27, 2019
Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Liturical Schedule

Weekdays
Monday-Friday
7am and 9am

Saturday
8am

Weekends
Saturday Vigils
5pm English
7pm Spanish

Sunday
7am English
8:45am English
10:45am English
12:30pm Spanish
6pm English
(youth mass)

Reconciliation
Saturday 8:30am

St. Anthony
of Padua
Catholic Church

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(209) 823-7197
Hours: Mon-Thurs 8:30am-5pm
Friday: 8:30am-4pm
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(209) 823-4513
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MISSION STATEMENT
We covenant to give ourselves to Christ as He gives Himself to us in the Eucharist, so every person might be a full, active, & conscious participant in His Church, empowered to share & live the Gospel.

CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED
Halloween
Question: Is Halloween a pagan holiday or a Catholic one?
Answer: The short answer: nowadays, a little bit of both. But it wasn’t always that way. Halloween and All Saints’ Day are closely connected. In the 800s, the Catholic Church began celebrating All Saints’ Day. It was originally called All Hallow’s Day or Hallowmas. The celebration began early on All Hallows’ Eve. But if Halloween is really about the saints in all their victorious glory, where do we get haunted houses, costumes, and pranks?

All Saints’ Day became associated with the other deceased rather quickly. November 2nd is All Souls Day, where we pray for the souls in purgatory. Throughout the European world, especially with the Celtic and Germanic peoples, the dead were honored in the autumn months. The Celtic pagan celebration of Samhain had its own folk rituals and occurred around the same time as these Catholic feast days. Within the last few hundred years, this included dressing in disguise and going door to door, asking for food in exchange for a rhyme or poem. Some people masqueraded as “dark” spirits and pulled pranks on others. Today’s celebration of Halloween tends to take on these later practices, rather than the original meaning of celebrating the saints. But remember … this feast was Catholic first!

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Friday, November 1st
Holy Day of Obligation
Mass Schedules:
7am, 9am & 6pm (English)
8pm (Spanish)
### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Sunday, October 27**

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**SUNDAY’S READINGS**

**First Reading:**
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**Psalm:**
The Lord hears the cry of the poor. (Ps 34)

**Gospel:**
“For whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and the one who humbles himself will be exalted.” (Lk 18:14b)

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**MASS INTENTION**

**Monday, October 28**

7:00 am – Fr. Chad

† Domingo Gallardo

9:00 am – Fr. Gilbert

† Marcela R. Gutierrez (Nancy Salonga)

† Jose Moreno Sandoval (Antonia Alvarez De Moreno)

† Doris Silva (Daughter & Family)

**Tuesday, October 29**

7:00 am – Fr. Gilbert

† Russell Fadeff (Diana Fadeff)

9:00 am – Fr. Chris

† Robert Hansen (Herb & Marian Rawlins)

† Jose Moreno Sandoval (Antonia Alvarez De Moreno)

† Eduardo Medrano & Felicia Muñoz (Miriam Muñoz Ulloa)

† Dante Felipe Jr. (Melissa Felipe)

**Wednesday, October 30**

7:00 am – Fr. Chris

† Rose Mary Lewis

9:00 am – Fr. Gilbert

† Jose Moreno Sandoval (Antonia Alvarez De Moreno)

† Kevin Irwin (Rosas Irwin)

(Special Intention) Monica García (Guadalupe García)

**Thursday, October 31**

7:00 am – Fr. Chris

† Celedonio & Celia Zermeho (Raquel Alcantar)

9:00 am – Fr. Chris

† Jose Moreno Sandoval (Antonia Alvarez De Moreno)

† Kevin Johnson (Barbara Pintchoate)

(Special Intention) Monica García (Guadalupe García)

**Friday, November 1**

7:00 am – Fr. Chris

† Tommy Sablan (Belinda Jacob)

† Juana Garcia (Germana Sampayan)

† Efren Ledya (Germana Sampayan)

9:00 am – Fr. Gilbert

† Robert Wahl

† Parents Pinto/Choate (Barbara Pinto-Choate)

† Nelia Corder (Barbara Pinto-Choate)

6:00 pm – Fr. Chris

† Marcela R. Gutierrez (Nancy Salonga)

† Edward & Frances Graviel (Family)

8:00 pm – Fr. Gilbert

† Ofelia Anaya

**Saturday, November 2**

8:00 am – Fr. Chad

† Souls of the Faithful Departed

5:00 pm – Fr. Chris

† Souls of the Faithful Departed

7:00 pm – Fr. Gilbert

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**Sunday, November 3**

7:00 am – Fr. Gilbert

† Memorial Mass Members

8:45 am – Fr. Chris

† Monica D. Surait (Virginia S. Ferrer)

† Mary Mendes (Joe & Kathleen Gomes)

† Dorothy Picanco (Mel Picanco & Family)

10:45am – Fr. Chad

For the People of the Parish

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**Mass Intention Continue**

**Sunday, November 3**

12:30 pm – Fr. Gilbert

† Mary Carillo, Natividad Gutierrez, & Margarita Virrueta (Legion de Maria)

† Maribel Gonzalez (Angelica Borajas)

† Marcelino Gonzalez (Martha Ornelas)

6:00 pm – Fr. Chad

† Marcela R. Gutierrez (Nancy Salonga)

† Jose & Luis Contreras Avalos (Susana Angele)

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**Thank you**

October 13, 2019

Total: $ 22,147

Compared to last year: $ 18,504

October 20, 2019

Total: $ 23,616

Compared to last year: $ 19,142
If you are ill or in the hospital, please call 823-7197 to let us know, we can arrange a visit from a Priest or a Deacon.

**PARISH OFFERTORY RENEWAL**

All are being asked to support our parish based upon returning a fair measure of the gifts God has given to each of us. If you have not already done so, we ask that each family complete an Offertory Commitment of Treasure Card where you will indicate your weekly commitment to the Sunday Offertory (not including 2nd Collections). This information will be used to help us budget our expenses for the next fiscal year. Those of you who do not use envelopes: you are asked to begin to do so. Please contact the Parish Office to request weekly envelopes. You may also contribute electronically at st-anthonys.org.
“Defend the cause of the weak and fatherless; maintain the rights of the poor and oppressed. Rescue the weak and needy; Deliver them from the hand of the wicked.”

Psalm 82:3-4

Please join the Legion of Mary and Respect Life Ministry to pray the Rosary for the unborn every Wednesday, in October at 10am Planned Parenthood, 965 E. Yosemite Ave., Manteca, Ca

CYO is looking for a volunteer 4th Grade head coach for the Saint Anthony CYO Boys’ Basketball program. Please contact, Boys’ Athletic Director, Glenn Hernandez, via e-mail at cyo@sasmanteca.org for any additional information.

CYO is also looking for volunteers to help at the upcoming Girls Basketball game and playoffs. Game days are on Sunday, November 3rd and Saturday, November 23rd. Volunteer work will vary from set-up or tear down of gym or cafe, run the cafe, keep score or time, door cashiers, etc. The hours worked will count towards SAS parent participation or towards a student’s Christian/Community service requirement. Please contact Parish Athletic Director for Girls - Belle Estrada via email at cyo@sasmanteca.org for questions.

CALLING ALL TABLE HOSTESSES
St. Anthony’s School Education Foundation is holding their Annual Table Setting Event on November 16 in the school gym. We are in need of table hosts that will decorate a unique table for 8-10 of their closest friends. Tickets for the event are $25 each or a table of 8 for $150. Please contact Mrs. K in the school office if interested - 209-823-4513 or pam.kelechenyi@sasmanteca.org.

Are you new to the parish? To request a registration form, please complete and drop in the offertory basket. Have you moved? Had an information change? Let us know by completing and returning. We respect your privacy! This information is for St. Anthony’s Parish use only.

Name: _______________________________ Phone # __________________

Address: ______________________________ City: __________ Zip: __________

Send Me A Registration Form □ Change of Address □ Moving out of Parish □ Update Family □
PERPETUAL ADORATION

St. Anthony's adoration chapel is open daily, Monday through Friday from 9:30AM to 5 PM. After hours adoration is available to committed adorers.

If you are interested in committing to one hour of adoration, please contact in English, Francine Miller (209) 601-8440 or email: marxmillers@yahoo.com in Spanish, Javier Elias (209) 603-4570 or email: jazzyelias@yahoo.com

We are currently in need of adorers during these times:
- Monday 4-5AM
- Saturday 12am-1am

"Could you not watch one hour with me?"
-MT. 26:40

Ministries and Activities

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

If someone would like to request a shawl (for ladies) or lap robe (for men), please send an e-mail to prayer.shawls@yahoo.com. Shawls and lap robes are not just for those who are ill; they are also given out to celebrate a special occasion such as an anniversary. A message of love and caring comes with each shawl or lap robe and the giving of the shawl or lap robe enriches the giver as well as the recipient.

Christmas time is coming soon and we are preparing for our annual giving tree. Thanks to your generous donations, last year we distributed gifts to 1,182 needy children in our community, local shelters and in surrounding areas. We are in need of adult volunteers that can commit to helping on various days starting December 2 thru December 21. If you are interested and want more information please contact: Carol Jimenez at (209) 518-8059.

St. Anthony’s Catholic Church Ministries and Activities

Legion of Mary would like to bring Blessed Mother to visit your home and say the Rosary. Blessed Mother will stay at your home for two weeks. You will get many blessings and graces. Contact: Esmeralda at (209) 629-8995.

A women’s retreat will be on November 15 thru 17 at The Christ King Passionist Center, 6520 Van Maren Lane, Citrus heights, Ca 95621. Jesus is looking at you, His beautiful daughter and inviting you to come and receive His gift of love and mercy. He is asking us, “Be Still And Know I am God”. Psalm 46:10

For any questions call: Mary Ann Silva, M.C. (209) 823-4040 or The King of Passionist Christ (916) 725-4720
### St. Anthony’s Weekly Events

#### Monday, October 28
- **9:30 am** Legion of Mary, Mary’s Room
- **1:30 pm** Ministry of Caring, Mary’s Room
- **6:30 pm** Adult Formation, Mary’s Rm., Church Room 1,2,3,4,5,7 & 8
- **6:30 pm** Youth Ministry, Rec. Hall
- **7:00 pm** Santo Nino Ministry, Cry Room
- **7:00 pm** Knights of Columbus Cafeteria

#### Tuesday, October 29
- **10:00 am** Bible Study, Conf. Room
- **4:30 pm** Faith Formation, Gym, Church, Cafeteria, Mary’s Rm., Room 1,2,3,4,5,7 & 8
- **6:00 pm** Hora Santa, Church
- **7:00 pm** Bible Study, Conference Room

#### Wednesday, October 30
- **10:00 am** Bible Study, Conference Hall
- **10:00 am** Legion of Mary, Mary’s Room
- **4:30 pm** Faith Formation, Gym, Church, Cafeteria, Mary’s Rm., Room 1,2,3,4,5,7 & 8
- **6:30 pm** Music Ministry, Church
- **7:30 pm** Music Ministry, Church

#### Thursday, October 31
- **9:30 am** Legion of Mary, Mary’s Room
- **10:00 am** Bible Study, Conf. Room
- **6:00 pm** Catholic Charities, Classroom 5
- **7:00 pm** Bible Study, Conf. Room
- **7:00 pm** School of Ministry, Classroom 8
- **7:30 pm** Grupo Alabare, Cafeteria

#### Friday, November 1
- **6:00 pm** Youth Ministry, Rec. Hall
- **6:00 pm** Choir Rehearsal, Classroom 4

#### Saturday, November 2
- **12:00 pm** Remembrance Reception, Cafeteria

#### Sunday, November 3
- **7:00 pm** Youth Ministry, Rec. Hall

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### THE 177 PROJECT | COME ADORE HIM
The 177 Project, a nationwide Eucharistic adoration tour taking place in all 177 dioceses in the U.S. will be at St. Stanislaus Church (1200 Maze Blvd. in Modesto) at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, Oct. 28th. Everyone is welcome to join us for a night of adoration and a FREE praise and worship concert featuring Catholic recording artist Lee Roessler. Church doors open at 6 p.m. so don't wait, reserve your FREE seats online at [177project.eventbrite.com](http://177project.eventbrite.com) today!

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### FAMILY COUNSELING SERVICES

#### PREVENTION & EARLY INTERVENTION
Catholic Charities Diocese of Stockton offers counseling services in the following:

- **General clinical counseling**: (children, individual, couples, seniors & family), bereavement counseling for family members and friends to address the impact of various kinds of loss.  
  **Marriage Counseling**: services for child/youth, support groups (as needed), substance abuse issues

For more information please contact Jose Betancourt, Counseling Coordinator San Joaquin County at (209) 340-3218 or jbetancourt@ccstockton.org

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### Diocesan Vocations Contact:
Fr. Cesar Martinez  
209-463-1305  
vocations@stocktondiocese.org

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### JESUS Heals
**Wednesday, October the 30th**  
6:00pm-9:00pm at  
Our Lady of Guadalupe, 16200 Cambridge Drive, Lathrop

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### THOUGHT RAISED TO HEAVEN IS THE MOST PERFECT PRAYER.

**G. E. LESSING**
Infant Baptism:
Minimum of three months notice & pre-baptismal instruction required.
Dave Corder, ext.230

First Holy Communion
For school age children (2nd grade or higher) this is a two year preparation.
Faith Formation: 239-4302

Confirmation
For students 7th grade or above who desire to become a fully initiated Catholic: this is a two year preparation.
Faith Formation: 239-4302

Matrimony:
Following an appointment a minimum of six months preparation is required.
Dave Corder, ext.230

Christian Initiation
This process provides Adults and children over the age of 7 the opportunity to explore their calling to Baptism, Confirmation and Communion to become a fully initiated Catholic Christian.
Dave Corder, ext.230

Anointing of the Sick
The Holy Spirit's gift of peace and courage to deal with the difficulties that accompany serious illness or the frailty of old age.
To schedule a priest please call 823-7197 or if an emergency call 688-0888

For any other question you can contact the parish office at (209) 823-7197 or email: receptionist@st-anthonys.org

WELCOME TO OUR FAITH COMMUNITY THROUGH THE WATERS OF BAPTISM ON OCTOBER 19 & 20


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Step 2: If you already have an Amazon account, simply go to https://smile.amazon.com/ch/33-1035258. If you do not have an existing Amazon account follow the steps to set one up.

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**LAS CONMEMORACIONES DE LA SEMANA**

**Lunes:** San Simón y San Judas, apóstoles

**Jueves:** Víspera de todos los Santos

**Viernes:** Día de Todos los Santos (día de precepto)

**Sábado:** Día de los Fieles Difuntos

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**MEDITACIÓN EVANGÉLICO**

Continuamos en este domingo con la insistencia de la oración. Tal parece que sin ella la vida no tiene ningún sentido. La necesidad del ser humano de estar unido a su creador es por medio del diálogo sincero que nace de lo profundo del corazón. Los místicos y místicas a través de los tiempos nos dan catedra y ejemplo con su propia vida de lo que es el proceso de oración. No es fácil, pero sí es seguro que Dios desde siempre ha escuchado las plegarias de las viudas y los huérfanos. Su respuesta es acudir con su justicia en todo momento. “Porque el Señor es el juez y no hace favoritismo. El nunca recibirá mal al pobre, escuchará la oración del oprimido. No menospreciará la súplica del huérfano y los gemidos de la viuda.” (Sirácides 35:12-14).

El Evangelio nos narra otra hermosa parábola de Jesús, la del fariseo y el publicano. El fariseo es: arrogante y va al frente del templo, habla de sí mismo, centra su oración en la perfección, olvidando que solo Dios es perfecto. El publicano, por el contrario, se sabe humilde pecador y de retirado le pide perdón a Dios. Se siente humillado y suplica por justicia. Ahora, hablando con honestidad, se debe de admitir que algunas veces se es como el fariseo y otras como el publicano. ¿Has descubierto eso cuando haces oración? ¿Cómo te sientes al descubrilo? El punto es que se reflexione en las últimas palabras del Evangelio de este domingo: “Porque el que se hace grande será humillado, y el que se humilla será enaltecido.” (Lucas 18:14).

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**ANUNCIOS DE MINISTERIOS**

**DIVINO NIÑO**

El Divino Niño está visitando los hogares. Si quieres que visite tu hogar por favor de llamar a Alma Soto para el Divino Niño del Domingo (209) 450-0095 o Consuelo Flores para Divino Niño del Sábado (510) 919-2586.