

Saint Anthony of Padua Church

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St. Anthony ng Padua Katoliko Iglesia
Iglesia de San Antonio de Padua

Sunday, January 21, 2024—Third Sunday in Ordinary Time & Sunday of the Word of God
Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, Jan. 18-25

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For Viaticum, Communion to the Sick, Anointing of the Sick, Marriage, Baptism, RCIA (process for becoming Catholic) and funeral arrangements, please call the parish office.

Weekly Schedule

Saturday, Mass 4:30pm

Sunday, 10:30 am

Tuesday & Thursday, 11:00 am

Wed. & Friday, Mass 9 am

First Saturday Mass of Viaticum, 10 am

Morning Prayer: Wed. & Fri., 8:30 am

Confession: 3:45 pm on Saturday
or by appointment

January 21, 2024

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mark 1:14-20

Jesus said to Simon and Andrew, "Come after me, and I will make you fishers of men." The two brothers followed Jesus. James and John, who were also fishermen, also followed Jesus.

What do you think it means to "fish for people?"

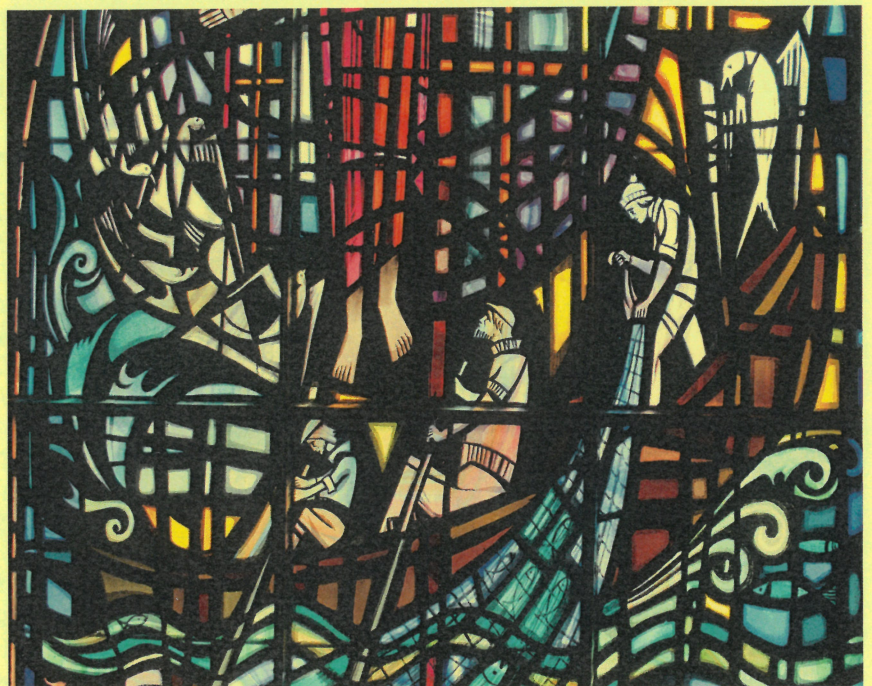
How can we "fish" for people?

What kind of "bait" would you use to fish for people?

(This Sunday's readings are Jonah 3:1-5, 10; Psalm 25:4-9, 1 Cor 7:29-31 and Mark 1:14-20).

**The Altar Society Meeting will be held on
Tuesday, January 30, at 12 noon
in the Parish Hall.**

Pray for peace!



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Jan 23—28, 2024

Tues, Jan 23	11:00 am	Kathy Warner +
Wed, Jan 24	9:00 am	Marcella Casey +
Thurs, Jan 25	11:00 am	All Souls
Friday, Jan 26	9:00 am	Martha +
Sat, Jan 27	4:30 pm	Tung Joseph Doan
Sun, Jan 28	10:30 am	Pro Populo

If a funeral is scheduled for the same time as your Mass intention, your intention will be moved to the next available date.

Weekly Collection Needed: \$3,302.37

This Coming Week –January 22-28, 2024

Office Open: M-Th 9 am-2pm

Mon., Jan 22, Day of Prayer & Penance for Legal Protection of Unborn Children

Tues., Jan 23, Mass 11a, St. Vincent, St. Marianne Cope

Wed., Jan 24., Mass 9 am—St. Francis de Sales

Thurs., Jan 25, Mass 11 am, Conversion of St. Paul

End of week of Prayer for Christian Unity

Fri., Jan 26, Mass 9 am, Sts. Timothy and Titus

Eucharistic Adoration until 12:30 pm

Funeral for Benita Sailas at 1 pm on Friday, Jan. 26

Sat., Jan 27—St Angela Merici

3:45 Confessions

Sunday Mass on Saturday, 4:30pm

Catholic Communications Collection

Sun., Jan 28—4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:30 am Mass

Religious Education

(St. Thomas Aquinas)

Friday, February 2—Presentation of the Lord

Mass and Blessing of Candles at 9 am.

January 10—January 16, 2024

Collection *SNOW and ICE*

My E-offering *Very small collection*

Flowers *Collection not counted*

Votive Candles *Will be counted this week*

Spec. Maintenance

Total

Work on replacing the Dishwasher in the Kitchen is very close to completion. Projected cost is about \$15,000.00 Thank you David and Harold for all your work on it.

Thank you for the continuing support of your parish through the gifts of your time, your talent, and your financial offerings.

Please remember St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church in your will and in your other contributions. We rely upon your generosity to fund our ministries and pay our expenses

So precious is poverty that God's only begotten Son came on earth in search of it.

—St. Anthony of Padua

MINISTRY SCHEDULE —Jan. 27/28

Lectors:

4:30 pm Rosemary C (4th Saturday)

10:30 am Paula Lang (4th Sunday)

Ushers: Please let Father know you are available to serve when you come to Mass. Thank you for your time and talent as ministers. Volunteer Ushers need to have background checks. Contact Fr. Pat to complete the process.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity begins Thursday, January 18 and continues until the Feast of the Conversion of St. Paul on Thursday, Jan. 25. Pray and act for Christian Unity.

Scriptures for 4th Sunday in OT: Dt 18:15-20; Ps 95: 1-2, 6-9; 1 Cor 7:32-35; Mark 1:21-28

Holy Father's Intention for January, 2024

For the gift of diversity in the Church— We pray that the Holy Spirit may help us to recognize the gift of different charisms within the Christian community & to discover the richness of different traditions and rituals in the Catholic Church.

The Parish Hall Kitchen has a new Dishwasher. A big Thank You to Harold, David, Troy, Rick & Colleen and those who made it possible to purchase and install the dishwasher.

The weather, as you know, has been very cold, windy and icy/snowy. By the time you read this, I hope that is a distant memory.

In addition to myself there was one person in attendance at the 4:30 pm Mass last Saturday and there were 8 people in attendance at the 10:30 am Mass last Sunday morning.

The weather isn't the only news. Elaine Falaschetti turned 105 last week and Joyce Lowry turned 98 last week. Because of the cold weather a pipe burst in the Parish Hall and one burst in the Child Development building.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THESE PEOPLE:

Lizzie Albert, The family of Naomi Albert+, Prince Bangoy, Glenda & Bob Beagle, Donald Caldwell, Bill, Bob & Ed Cooke, Josh Daniels, Judy Dennison, Linda Drewieske, Elaine, Dick & Patti Falaschetti, Sarah Harrison, Ann Henderson, Maria Ishmael, Jeffrey Jennings, Cliff Juntunen, Audrey Larson, Diane Latham, Allen Lee, Mihai Leta, Annette Levy, Dave Mathie, Anthony McPherson, Barbara Mirasol, Kelly Morse, Natalie Moser, Comella Nelson, Novella, Laura Ramirez, Kelsea Ramirez, Tionna Ritthaler, Glenn Rymsza, Stella Romaine+, Carolyn Scopacasa, Pat Scherzinger+, Debbie & Linda Struckmeier, Barbara Stuva, Bernie Tavender, Ann Thomas, Sherrill & Dale Toman, Mary Lou Vuylsteke. All our deceased parishioners+

Thank you for praying for those in need.

Please give Sulie a call to add or remove people to the list.



Join us on Sunday, January 21 for Coffee and Donuts in the Parish Hall after 10:30 Mass!

FROM FR. PAT'S PEN

*Our website is remodeled. It contains links for Sunday Mass viewing, myEoffering, the Sunday Bulletin and a link to our Facebook page.

*Baptism for young children: If you have an infant or young child to be baptized, please contact Fr. Pat to set up a time to meet with him and to schedule the baptism.

*In his Apostolic Exhortation, *Laudete Deum*, Pope Francis gives an urgent call to tackle the climate crisis recognizing that time is running out. Irreversible damage has already been done. In this letter Pope Francis states that the climate crisis is real and cannot be denied. It is caused by human activity.

*Are you interested in learning about the Catholic Church? Father Pat is leading a weekly RCIA/Inquiry class. Tuesdays at 7 pm in the Parish Hall. This is a class for non-Catholics

Glenn is continuing treatment in Chicago. You can email him, send texts, or send cards and letters to Glenn Rymza at:

3018 N Huntington Dr., Arlington Heights, IL 60004

Bonnie and her husband, Leo, have safely made the drive to their home in Phoenix, AZ. Their new address is: 1102 W Clarendon Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85013

Remember to put your life in rhythm with the Liturgical Year and not with the rhythm of secular society.

Barbara Mirasol lost her struggle with life in this world, but she passed on to eternal life on Tues, January 9. She will be laid to rest next to her husband in Hawaii. We hope to have a ceremony here before she goes to Hawaii. Remember Barbara and her family in your prayers. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her.

Benita Sailas, a member of Saint Anthony for the last 15 years and a member of the Micronesian Community, passed on to eternal life on Christmas Eve, December 24. Her funeral is this Friday, January 26 at 1 pm here at St. Anthony. Please keep Benita and her family in your prayers. Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her. May she rest in peace. And may her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

January 17 was the feast of St. Anthony, Abbot. He is considered an early founder of religious life. He died in 365 at the age of 105. He lived in Egypt. He chose his "religious life" in response to "If you would be perfect, go, sell what you have, give to the poor, and follow me." Mt 19:21 St Anthony of Padua chose his name from this St. Anthony.

Religious Education and Sacramental Preparation began September 24, 2023. Registration forms are available in the entrance of the church. Our archdiocese has a policy that children are expected to have one year of Religious Education before preparing for First Reconciliation and First Eucharist. If you have a child in the first grade or another grade and you wish your child to receive First Reconciliation and First Communion next year, your child should be attending First Grade Religious Education this year. Be sure to sign up. Archbishop Sample lowered the age of Confirmation to include 7th graders through high school. Contact Fr. Pat or Bonnie if you have any questions.

We keep hearing the meteorologists forecasting that the ice and cold will disappear. I suppose one of these times they will get it right.

Catholic Communication Collection

Next week, January 27-28, our special collection supports the Catholic Communication Campaign. This campaign connects Catholics with Christ in the United States & developing countries using the internet, television, radio, & print media. Half of the money collected remains here in the Archdiocese of Portland to fund local communications efforts. Your support helps spread the gospel message! In this bulletin you will find a flyer with an envelope attached available for your convenience. Learn more at: www.usccb.org/cc

In his motu proprio of 19 September 2019, *Aperuit illis*, Pope Francis declared that "the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time is to be devoted to the celebration, study and dissemination of the word of God. This Sunday of the Word of God will thus be a fitting part of that time of year when we are encouraged to strengthen our bonds with the Jewish people and to pray for Christian unity...Various communities will find their own ways to mark this Sunday with a certain solemnity (3)...A day devoted to the Bible should not be seen as a yearly event by rather a year-long event, for we urgently need to grow in our knowledge and love of the Scriptures and of the risen Lord, who continues to speak his word and to break bread in the community of believers"(8)

Friday, Feb 2 is the feast of the Presentation of the Lord, also known as Candlemas Day. We bless candles at the 9:00 am Mass on this day. You are welcome to bring your own candles to Mass to have them blessed. These would be candles you intend to use for religious/spiritual purposes.

On January 18, daylight is increasing by 2 minutes per day. On January 20 the sun sets at 5 pm.

Ash Wednesday is a month away. It is on Saint Valentine Day, Wednesday, February 14.

FYI, as long as I can make it to the Church, Mass is not canceled. In over 18 years, I've never canceled a Church Mass.

January 20 is the feast of Sts Fabian and Sebastian. St Fabian was a married layman and a farmer outside of Rome. He happened to be in Rome at the time of the election of a new Pope. The conclave was not able to reach a decision. When Fabian entered the room, a dove landed on his shoulder. He was unanimously chosen to be Pope.

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MEMORIAL FLOWERS

Please support "Memorial Flowers" by purchasing a weekend for flowers

Finance Council

Mark Whitman

RCIA/Liturgy/Music

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Fr. Pat Donoghue (503.771.6039)

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Altar Society

Rosemary Childress

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Ryan Dehart

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Colleen Dehart

MEMORIAL FLOWERS—Your purchase of Memorial Flowers is a way to honor someone and to support the church. Check the binder in the entrance of the church for available dates. You may consider partnering with someone to share the \$50.00 cost. *(Questions? Please call parish office at 503.771.6039.)*

MASS INTENTIONS—Suggested donation is **\$10.00** for each intention. *Note: If a funeral is scheduled for the same time as your Mass intention, your intention will be moved to the next available date.*

VIRTUAL TOUR OF THE CHURCH—Glenn Rymza has been working on a Tour of the Church for our parish website: <http://stanthonypdx.com/tour-of-the-church> . You will learn the stories & symbolism built into our lovely church.

St. VINCENT de PAUL needs your help. Among other things St. Vincent de Paul brings food to the hungry. St. Vincent de Paul especially needs people who have backs strong enough to carry the food boxes and also needs some drivers to help deliver the food. If you are able to help, contact the parish office or one of the members of St. Vincent de Paul.

LEARN MORE ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH:

If you are not Catholic and would like to learn more about the Catholic faith, or if you know someone who is not Catholic who would like to learn more about the Catholic faith, please contact Fr. Pat. This is a great opportunity for those who are not Catholic and wish to ask their questions about the Catholic Church. In the months ahead this could become an opportunity to join the Catholic Church.

INFANT BAPTISM PREPARATION

Infant Baptisms (up to age 7): If you have a child in need of baptism contact Fr. Pat at the parish office so we can complete the necessary paper work and the preparation class. The Church recommends baptizing your child within a few months of your child's birth and when the health of the child and mother permit.

A Warm Welcome To All!

Name: _____ Phone: () _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

☐ New Parishioner

☐ New Phone Number

☐ New Address

☐ Moving (Please remove from parish list)

☐ Please have Fr. Pat Donoghue call me



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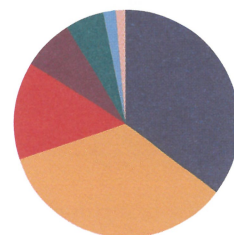
—Pope Francis, World Communications Day, 2023

Reading and meditating on the Word of God is a devotion that opens our hearts to the promptings of the Holy Spirit and draws us closer into communion with the whole Church, especially when we meditate on the Scripture passages used in the Mass. For more than 15 years, thousands of people across the United States have viewed the daily reflection videos found on the website of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops. Presented by a diverse group of clergy, consecrated religious, and lay volunteers, this popular feature helps viewers grow in faith each day by engaging with the texts of the daily Mass readings. These treasured, high-quality videos are among the faith-enriching programs made possible with your support of the Catholic Communication Campaign.

2022 DISTRIBUTION OF GRANTS:

\$3,622,232

Media Evangelization*	\$1,282,282	35.40%
News & Information Services**	\$1,253,159	34.60%
Web-Based Communications Resources	\$507,400	14.01%
Developing Nations Grants	\$258,700	7.14%
Preserving Church History	\$202,094	5.58%
Media Training	\$75,000	2.07%
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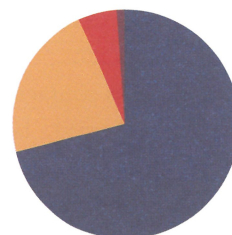


EXPENSES

Allocations-USCCB Communications Projects***	71.36%
Grants and Donations	22.20%
Promotion and Fundraising Expenses	5.40%
Program Costs	1.03%

Total Expenses

\$3,892,764



* Includes funding to support resource production and distribution of print and electronic media from the USCCB.

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WHERE DO YOUR DONATIONS GO?

Half of the collected funds remain in your diocese to support local communications projects. The other half provide grants that support the collective communication work of the bishops of the United States as well as other national projects in the United States and around the world.

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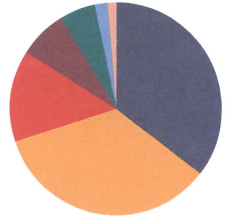
La llamada a hablar con el corazón interpela radicalmente nuestro tiempo.

—Papa Francisco, Jornada Mundial de las Comunicaciones Sociales, 2023

La lectura y la meditación sobre la Palabra de Dios es una devoción que abre nuestro corazón a los llamados del Espíritu Santo y nos acerca más a una comunión con toda la Iglesia, especialmente, cuando meditamos sobre los pasajes bíblicos utilizados en la Misa. Por más de 15 años, miles de personas en los Estados Unidos han visto videos de las reflexiones diarias en el sitio web de la Conferencia de Obispos Católicos de los Estados Unidos. Estos populares videos, presentados por un diverso grupo del clero, religiosos consagrados y voluntarios laicos, ayudan diariamente a las personas a crecer en su fe al conectarlas con los textos de las lecturas diarias de la Misa. Estos preciados videos de alta calidad forman parte de programas que enriquecen nuestra fe y que se han realizado gracias al apoyo de ustedes a la Campaña Católica de la Comunicación.

DISTRIBUCIÓN DE LAS SUBVENCIONES 2022: \$3,622,232

■ Evangelización en los medios*	\$1,282,282	35.40%
■ Servicios de noticias & información**	\$1,253,159	34.60%
■ Recursos para las comunicaciones basados en la Web	\$507,400	14.01%
■ Subvenciones para países en desarrollo	\$258,700	7.14%
■ Preservando la historia de la Iglesia	\$202,094	5.58%
■ Capacitación de los medios	\$75,000	2.07%
■ Subvenciones para el desarrollo de la capacidad de los medios	\$43,597	1.20%

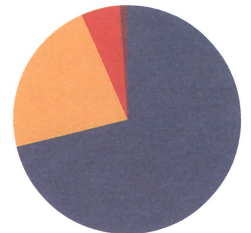


GASTOS

■ Asignaciones-Los proyectos de comunicaciones de la USCCB*	71.36%
■ Subvenciones y donaciones	22.20%
■ Gastos de promoción y recaudación de fondos	5.40%
■ Costos del programa	1.03%

Total de gastos

\$3,892,764



* Incluye los fondos para financiar la producción y la distribución de los medios impresos y electrónicos de la USCCB.

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