

ACT IN TRUE HUMILITY.

TWENTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

St. Antoninus Church

August 28, 2022

Sunday Mass: 8AM in Rectory; 10 AM in Church

(Sunday Eucharistic Adoration & Confessions 9-10AM)

Confession Available: Sundays 9-9:45AM (in church) Also available after daily noon Mass.

1st Friday after Noon Mass, 1st Sat. 2-3PM (lower church)

Daily Mass & Benediction: Tues. thru Sat. noon (rectory Chapel)

Religious Education: Sunday 8:15-9:15 AM in convent basement.

RCIA: Thurs. 7:15PM (Google Meet) & in person

Bible Study: Tuesdays 8PM. (Zoom & in person)

Real Love Ministries Prayer Group: Last Saturday of month, 5-7 PM (Zoom)

First Friday Devotions: Sacred Heart Mass Noon, Alliance for 2 Hearts 2-5PM Rectory Chapel

First Saturday: 2PM Adoration & Immaculate Heart Devotions, (lower Church)

3PM Chaplet & Healing Mass (lower church in person & live-streamed)

Divine Adoration Prayer Group: Saturdays at 3-6PM in person & live-streamed.

Daily Rosary: 7PM (Zoom) 6:30 PM Fridays during Lent.

Young Adults: 2nd Thurs. 8PM. (Zoom)

Prayer Meeting: Wednesdays 7:45PM Rectory Chapel (Zoom & in person)

Adoration: Our Lady of Guadalupe Chapel Tues. through Sat. 9AM-8PM. Email office to get code

Men's Prayer Vigil: (pending) 3rd Friday, 7-9PM (lower church)

Healing Ministry: 1st & 3rd Sundays of the month after Mass.

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Mass Intentions & Readings



Note: Mass Stipends are \$10

Sunday: 8/28/2022 Parishioners & Friends of St. A's Sir 3:17-29Is 66:18-21, Heb 12:18-24. Lk 14:1-14
Monday: 8/29//2022 Passion of John the Baptist Claudia Perez 1Cor 2:1-5, Mk 6:17-29
Tuesday 8/30/2022 Claudia Perez 21 Cor 2:10-16, Lk 4:31-37
Wednesday 8/31/2022 Claudia Perez Rev 21:9-14, Jn 1:45-51
Thursday 9/1/2022 Claudia Perez 1 Cor 3:18-23, Lk 5:1-11
Friday: 9/2/2022 Norbert Sorhaindo 1 Cor 4:1-5, Lk 5:33-39
Saturday: 9/3/2022 St. Gregory the Great Bill Talbot 1 Cor 4:6-15, Lk 6:1-5

Repose of the souls of: *Benedict Okafor, Phyllis Farren, Joseph Asaa, Albert Rhodes, Colette Gnakouri, Fr. Bill O'Brien, Tony Hudak, Nikolas Szymanski, Theresa Flemming, Affoue Ouffouet, Terese Dempsey, Fr. Bill Halbing, Gnakouri Collette, Merle Lyn Friday, Louisa Thomas, Philip W. McGinn, Doriska Potter, Clement Nwoye Obiechina, Norbert Sorhaindo, Mathilda Akinyeme Oloba*

Pray for healing for: *Alice Murray, Fr. Joseph, Eric Augustus, Femi Kuye, Ebelechukwu & Kamidchukwu Emenike, Tess Reyes, Cynthia Singh, Torchia Family, Georgina & Norbert Aminzia, Botolere Vertil, Horace Victor, Fr. Louis, Marco Pineda, Ronnie Wood, Teresa Disla, Telesha Pailere, Laureen Esekenegebe, Norbert Sorhaindo, Rebecca Faith Lupetkin, Mary Ann McGehrin, Diane Pascall, Richard Ikwuegbu, Mary McGinn, Sr. Divina, Alice Burrell, Charles Ikeme, Papsy Ofodu, Solomon Agbono, Myra Zapata, Angelina Amah*

ANOTHER TEACHING OPPORTUNITY: Sept. 17, 2022: Experience the Power of Praise 9am-4pm. Speakers include: Fr. Albert Nzeh, Fr. Peter Okafor, Fr. Joseph Meagher, Ezinne Ibewuiké & Nkiru Eke Egolum. Get out of the world & into the Word & Praise & Worship as often as you can & bring others with you who need to hear words of wisdom & praise & worship of the King Who is in charge of everything. Hasten His coming. Beg Him.

THIS FRIDAY IS FIRST FRIDAY: Noon Mass followed by First Friday Devotion to the Sacred Heart in the Rectory Mass Room

FIRST SATURDAY: Noon Mass in the rectory. Healing Mass at 3PM in the Lower Church.

MEN'S DAY: Sept. 24 at the CFR Friary 375 13th Ave. Newark, around the block from St. A's. Registration at 8:30AM. Praise & Intro at 9AM. Mass, Holy Hour, Confessions & themed talks. Day ends at 4:30PM

Aug. 21, 2022 \$2157.00 Building Fund: \$2123.00 Thanksgiving: \$0.00

NEW SCHEDULE (On-line links are available on website)

SUNDAY: Mass at 8AM in rectory. 9AM Adoration & Mass:10AM in church. For live stream go to <https://www.youtube.com/> Enter Saint Antoninus on search.

DAILY MASS & BENEDICTION : Tues. Wed. Thurs. Fri. Sat.: Noon. In person.

SCRIPTURE STUDY : Tuesday 8PM. In person & Zoom. In rectory.

ROSARY: Daily 7PM Zoom

PRAYER MEETING 7:45PM in person in Rectory & Zoom

DIVINE ADORATION MEETING: Tues. 6:30-8PM. On Line Prayer & Bible Study, Thursday: Healing Prayer 7-30PM, Sat. 3-6PM in person & live streamed. Go to <https://join.freeconferencecall.com/divineadoration> to download the app . ID: divineadoration. Or dial in at 978-990-5403 Access code: 169025#

REAL LOVE MINISTRIES : Last Saturday 5-7PM, meets in different venues & ZOOM <https://zoom.us/j/2919282319> Meeting ID: 291 928 2319 One tap mobile:+16468769923,,2919282319# To download flier for month's speaker, go to <https://realoveministries.org/>

YOUNG ADULTS: 2nd Thurs. 8PM in person & Zoom

RACHEL'S VINEYARD RETREAT: Sept. 9-11 for anyone grieving the loss of a child may attend. The loss could be from: Abortion, Miscarriage, Invitro, Stillbirth, Adoption, Conception, Working in the abortion industry. Strictly confidential. Contact the Respect Life Office at 973-497-4350 for more info & to register.

RELICS OF PADRE PIO & statue will be available for veneration at the Cathedral Basilica in Newark, Mon. Sept 12, 12PM-6:30PM & Tues. Sept. 13 8:30-6:30PM. Confessions available from 1-4PM. Mass at 7PM.

THE PEOPLE WERE OBSERVING HIM CAREFULLY.

They didn't know what to make of Him for He was totally countercultural to the way people normally comported themselves. And He didn't disappoint them. In a parable, He turned their world upside down as too often we, too, run in to get the best places for ourselves & friends. And how humiliating when we are asked to move to make room for the host's preferred guests. Pride too often reigns over humility as we tend to put our own interests first.

What deference & humility we need to train ourselves in for the ultimate banquet in the Kingdom's banquet hall. The training ground is here & now, constantly dying to self & putting the other first. And to reinforce that dynamic, He turns the tables on them again & urges them to invite to the banquet the last people on earth we would think of inviting, the poor, the lame, the indigent, the unknowns in the ways of the world. He ends with a note of encouragement that this world is only a dress rehearsal for the ultimate banquet when He will serve us & our reward for all the self effacement in serving the other first with the best, will be to dine with the resurrected righteous, many of whom will probably be the poor we served here on earth.

He was a total enigma to those carefully watching Him & posed a threat to their own prejudices & selfish proclivities.

And it is not for us to judge them. Where do we fit into this picture in circumstances of our days? Do we rush in to get the best places? Do we defer to others first? Do we observe Him to follow His ways or are we threatened by the truth of His ways?

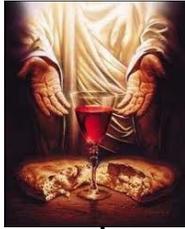
FOOD FOR THOUGHT

Let us then follow Christ's paths which He has revealed to us, above all the path of humility, which He Himself became for us. He showed us that path by His precepts & He Himself followed it by His suffering on our behalf. In order to die for us—because as God He could not die - the Word became flesh & dwelt among us. The immortal One took on mortality that He might die for us & by dying, put to death our death. This is what the Lord did, this gift He granted to us. The Mighty One was brought low, the lowly One was slain & after He was slain, He rose again & was exalted. For He did not intend to leave us dead in hell, but to exalt in Himself at the resurrection of the dead those whom He had already exalted & made just by the faith & praise they gave Him. (St. Augustine)

You can be sure those lowly ones He referred to in the parable would give Him great thanks & praise. Here are a few keys as to what we all need to do. He gave us a great gift, the possibility of eternal life with Him, in the eternal banquet of heaven. He paid the debt of our ransom & we are now free to live with Him forever sharing in His glory. The price of admission is the faith & praise we give Him for that recognition & response to His redemption for us is the core & manifestation of our belief in Him.



I HAVE MADE YOU A WATCHMAN FOR THE HOUSE. Note that a watchman that the Lord sends forth as a preacher is called a watchman. A watchman always stands on a height so that he can see from afar what is coming. Anyone appointed to be a watchman for the people must stand on a height for all his life to help them by his foresight. (St. Gregory the Great) Feast Sept. 3rd.



ST. ANTONINUS CHURCH CALENDAR SEPTEMBER, 2022

JESUS IS LORD TO THE GLORY OF GOD THE FATHER

SUNDAY	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
28 22ND Sunday in OT Mass 8AM Adoration 9AM Mass 10AM 7PM Rosary	29 7PM Rosary	30 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary 8:00PM Scripture Study	31 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary 7:45 Payer Meeting	1 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary 7:15 PM RCIA	2 Noon Mass & 1st Friday Devotion to Sa- cred Heart 7PM Rosary	3 Noon Mass 2PM Devotion to Our Lady 3PM Healing Mass Rosary 7PM
4 23rd Sunday in OT Mass 8AM Adoration 9AM Mass 10AM Healing after Mass 7PM Rosary	5 7PM Rosary	6 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary 8:00PM Scripture Study	7 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary 7:45 PM Prayer Meeting	8 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary 7:15 PM RCIA Young Adults 8PM	9 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary	10 Parish picnic 7PM Rosary
11 24th Sunday in OT Mass 8AM Adoration 9AM Mass 10AM 7PM Rosary	12 7PM Rosary	13 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary Scripture Study 8:00PM	14 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary Prayer Meeting 7:45PM Exaltation of the Cross	15 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary 7:15 PM RCIA	16 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary	17 Noon Mass Power of Praise 9AM-4PM 7PM Rosary
18 25th Sunday in OT Mass 8AM Adoration 9AM Mass 10AM Healing after Mass 7PM Rosary	19 7PM Rosary	20 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary Scripture Study 8:00PM	21 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary Prayer Meeting 7:45 PM	22 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary 7:15 RCIA	23 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary	24 Noon Mass Men's Day at the Friary 8:30AM-4:30PM Div. Adoration 3-6PM 7PM Rosary
25 26th Sunday in OT Mass 8AM Adoration 9AM Mass: 10 AM 7PM Rosary	26 7PM Rosary	27 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary Scripture Study 8PM	28 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary Prayer Meeting 7:45PM	29 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary 7:15 PM RCIA	30 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary	

The Archdiocese takes very seriously any & all complaints of sexual misconduct by members of the clergy, religious & lay staff of the Archdiocese. We encourage any one with knowledge of an act of sexual misconduct to inform the Archdiocese immediately so that we may take appropriate action to protect others & provide support to victim of sexual abuse. Although we will report all allegations of abuse immediately to the appropriate County Prosecutor, we encourage anyone with an allegation also to reach out to the Prosecutor. Individuals who report an allegation of sexual misconduct may do so by calling the Victim's Assistance Coordinator of the Archdiocesan Office of Child & Youth Protection at (201) 407-3256. The phone number for the County Prosecutors within the Archdiocese is (973) 753-1121.