



5th Sunday of Lent Third Scrutiny

St. Antoninus Church

April 6, 2025

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

Spanish Mass 1:30PM

(Sunday Eucharistic Adoration & Confessions 9-10AM)

Confession Available: Sundays 9-9:45AM (in church) Also available after daily noon Mass.
1st Friday 2-5PM, 1st Sat. 2-3PM

Daily Mass: Tues. thru Sat. noon (Guadalupe Chapel)

RCIA now OCIA: Sundays after the 10AM Mass in the Rectory.

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

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

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

First Saturday: 2PM Adoration & Immaculate Heart Devotions. 3PM Chaplet & Healing Mass

Divine Adoration Prayer Group: Saturdays at 3-6PM except 1st Sat. in person & live-streamed.
Wednesday Prayer for Revival 6-7PM in the Guadalupe Chapel.

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

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

Adoration: Our Lady of Guadalupe Chapel Tues. through Sat. 9AM-8PM. Contact for code.

Bereavement Ministry: Contact Evelyn Matos at 201-213-2421 for any needed assistance.

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For Baptism & Marriage Preparation: contact Office at 973-623-0258.

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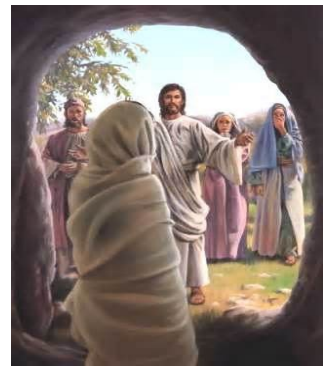
Bulletin, Church Décor : Eileen O'Hara



Mass Intentions & Readings



Note: Mass Stipends are \$10



Sunday: 4/6/2025	Parishioners & Friends of St. A's	Ez 37:12-14, Rom 8:8-11, Jn 11:1-45
Monday 4/7/2025	St. John Baptist de la Salle	Dn 13:1-62, Jn 8:12-20
Tuesday: 4/8/2025	Eugene & Chika Igwilloh & Family	Nm 21:4-9, Jn 8:21-30
Wednesday 4/9/2025	Fr. Joseph Meagher	Dn 3:14-95, Jn 8:31-42
Thursday 4/10/2025	Akinyeme & Akinwuntan Families	Gn 17:3-9, Jn 8:51-59
Friday 4/11/2025	St. Stanislaus Joan Porteous	Jer 20:10-13, Jn 10:31-42
Saturday 4/12/2025	Blanchard Yao	Ez 37:21-28, Jn 11:45-56

Pray for healing for: Alice Murray, John Paul Meagher, Rosemary Joseph, Marie-Jo Anatus, Georgina & Norbert Aminzia, Botolere Vertil, Horace Victor, Fr. Louis, Teresa Disla, Rebecca Faith Lupetkin, Mary Ann & George McGehrin, Richard Ikwuegbu, Rupert & Christabel Joseph, Veronica Enechukwu, Carmen Weiner, JoAnn & John Aliotta, Charlene Okafor, Darwin Rigel, Femi & Steven Kuye, Lina Dienhoue, Chimenzie Igwe, Patricia Nnanabu, Caden Frazier, Eric Augustus, Sonie Paillere, Cameron Julien, John Carney, Christine McSpedon, Jack Scullen, Craig Anderson, Mariette Baspin, Patrick Ikemi, Gabriel Ndinechi, Jean Claude & Marie Jean Bart, Cecil Joseph, Myra Zapata, Andrina Sorhaindo, Pat Bershak, Vicenta Izquierdo, Cassilda Boyd, John Carney, Jerry Misa

THIRD SCRUTINY for our catechumens today as they prepare for Baptism & who will be admitted to the Sacraments of Christian Initiation at the Easter Vigil.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: Fridays of Lent after the noon Mass, Mass at 7PM followed by Stations of the Cross. Reminder: Fridays of Lent are days of abstinence.

SPANISH Stations of the Cross 6PM on Fridays during Lent in the lower church.

BLD MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER! May17 & 18 Divine Mercy Parish Rahway. Register using the flier QR. It is not an overnight. Do you realize how marriages are being attacked specifically by the evil one? Protect your marriage & your children for those are the prime targets in the war for souls.

SPANISH HEALING MASS: This Friday 7:30PM in lower church.

HELP WITH EASTER FLOWERS: Let's make the church burst with floral beauty. Flowers have been ordered. If you want to be part of the beautification, please give donations to Eileen.

Tithe: Mar. 30, 2025: \$2826.00 Building Fund \$1358.00 Harvest: \$.00

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 : Tues. Wed. Thurs. Fri. Sat.: Noon in the Guadalupe Chapel. 1st Fri: noon in the rectory.

SCRIPTURE STUDY : Tuesday 8PM. In person & Zoom. In rectory. [https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82383869993?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82383869993?pwd=UWxIQUlLRnI1cE9mZk4yZTZlFQWxoZz09)
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ROSARY: Daily 7PM Zoom same link as above.

PRAYER MEETING 7:45PM in person in Rectory & Zoom. Same link as above.

DIVINE ADORATION MEETING: Wed. Prayer 6PM OLG Chapel. 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://realloveministries.org/>

MEN'S MINISTRY: Every Saturday 8AM Praise & Worship, 9AM Breakfast & Fellowship in the rectory. Come & bring men with you. Time is short! Keep the fire burning from the Men's Day!!!

HOLY WEEK IS NEXT WEEK!

Palm Sunday: 9AM Holy Hour, Confessions, blessing & distribution of palms in Rectory Chapel, Procession into church. Mass starts on lawn in front of rectory.

HOLY THURSDAY: 8PM Mass of the Lord's Supper & Eucharistic Procession. Adoration until midnight. Confessions available.

GOOD FRIDAY: 1PM Stations of the Cross (church)
2:30 Divine Mercy Chaplet & Novena
3PM Celebration of the Lord's Passion
Veneration of the Cross
Holy Communion

HOLY SATURDAY: 8PM Chaplet of Divine Mercy in rectory chapel
8:30 PM Easter Vigil Mass
Easter fire on rectory front lawn
Procession in the church

EASTER SUNDAY: (April 20th)
8AM Mass (rectory)
9AM Holy Hour (church)
Divine Mercy Chaplet
10AM Mass
1:30 PM Spanish Mass (rectory)

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY (April 27th)
8AM Mass (rectory)
9AM Holy Hour (church)
Divine Mercy Chaplet
10AM Mass
1:30PM Spanish Mass (rectory)
lunch
Mercy Sunday Afternoon of Recollection

Full schedule for the holiest week of the year. The high point is the Easter Vigil Mass, the greatest Mass of the year. 3 catechumens will be initiated into the Church:

Sedric A.Coleman

David E. Archer

Jordely M. Flores

Congratulations to all three & a splendid job by Ellen Delello who guided them through the OCIA Program with love & care. Thank you!

WHOEVER BELIEVES IN ME WILL NEVER DIE.

What is the key word? Let's see in today's Gospel.

"I am glad that I was not there that you may believe."

"I am the resurrection & the life, whoever believes in Me will never die & everyone who believes in Me will never die."

"Do you believe this?"

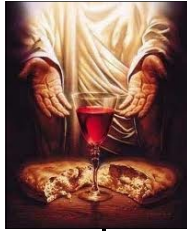
"I have come to believe that You are the Christ".

"Did I not tell you that if you believe, you will see the glory of God".

"I have said this that they might believe that You sent Me."

"And many of the Jews who had seen what He had done began to believe in Him".

It is pretty obvious. We are saved by faith explicitly by believing that He is Who He said He is. Those who will never die are not the good people who do a lot of good things but those who believe. You can't get to heaven by doing a lot of good things if you don't believe. It's amazing how many people don't seem to get that. They think that just being good is good enough when it comes to who gets into heaven. It is not. One has to believe...from the heart & order his life around that belief. That entails a personal encounter with the One you profess to believe in. Have you experienced that? Do you have a personal relationship with the One you purport to believe in? The Life in the Spirit Seminar is a very effective way of achieving that or any of the BLD Encounter weekends. Not having enough time for that or being too busy is no excuse for the most important relationship in your life. It has to be established & nurtured with the One you hope to spend eternity with. We all need a one-on-one encounter with our Creator. Sign up for one:
Marriage Encounter May 17-18 (no overnight)
Singles Encounter June 6-8
Solo Encounter June 28-29
Youth Encounter July 18-19
Adult Life in the Spirit Seminar Oct. 24-26



ST. ANTONINUS CHURCH CALENDAR

APRIL, 2025

JESUS IS LORD TO THE GLORY OF GOD THE FATHER

Sunday	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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13 PALM SUNDAY 9am Holy Hour & blessing & distribution of palms 10 AM Mass 1:30PM Spanish Mass <i>Hosanna!!!</i>	14 7PM Rosary	15 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary 8PM Scripture Study	16 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary 7:45 Prayer Meet- ing	17 HOLY Thursday 7PM Rosary 8PM Mass of the Lord's Supper Adoration till mid- night	18 Good Friday 1PM Stations of the Cross 2:30PM Divine Mercy Chaplet & Novena 3PM Passion of the Lord	19 Holy Saturday  8:30PM Easter Vigil Mass
 20 Easter Sunday 8AM Mass 9AM Adoration 10AM Mass 1:30PM Spanish Mass	21 Chrism Mass at the Basilica 7PM Rosary	22 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary 8PM Scripture Study	23 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary 7:45 Prayer Meet- ing	24 Noon Mass 7 PM Rosary	25 Noon Mass 7PM Rosary	26 8AM Men's Min. Noon Mass Div. Adoration 3- 6PM 7PM Rosary
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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.