



Sixth Sunday of Easter

St. Antoninus Church

May 25, 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. Starts in Oct.

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.

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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Mass Intentions & Readings



Note: Mass Stipends are \$10



Sunday 5/25/2025	Parishioners & Friends of St. A's	Acts 15:1-19, Rv 21:10-23, Jn 14:23-29
Monday 5/26/2025	St. Philip Neri	Acts 16:11-15, Jn 15:26-16:4
Tuesday: 5/27/2025	St. Augustine of Canterbury	Acts 16:22-34, Jn 16:5-11
Wednesday 5/28/2025	Junior & Lys Vertil Blanchard Yao	Acts 17:15-18:1:1-6, Jn 16:12-15
Thursday 5/29/2025	St. Paul VI Chad Cebedo	Acts 18:1-8, Jn 16:16-20
Friday 5/30/2025	Jean Joseph Motinat	Acts 18:9-18, Jn 16:20-23
Saturday 5/31/2025	Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary	Zep 3:14-18, Lk 1:39-56

Pray for the souls of: Anthony Akinwuntan, Felicidad Ruaya, Blanchard Yao, John Barkley, Hyginus Ikechukwu Egbeji, Pope Francis, Sal Toddeo, Patience Isekenegbe, Thierry Kouashi, Lontsi Francoise

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, 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, Michael, Boris Bah, Elijah John, Antoinette & Busby Nestfield, Barbara Taddeo

DON'T MISS DIVINE ADORATION LET'S GIVE THANKS TO GOD DAY! May 31 in the lower church at 2pm-6pm. What better way to get out of the doldrums of the world we are living in & focus on the world we are striving for.

LET US NOT JUST MAKE MERRY TOMORROW but let us remember & give thanks for all those who made the supreme sacrifice of laying down their lives for this country & for all those currently serving & protecting us from communism & aggression on our shores. Blessed Memorial Day & rejoice in the country God planned for us.

THIS WEEK ORDINATION ANNIVERSARIES: Pray especially for our pastors here who were ordained in May: Fr. Louis AuMaitre, Fr. Joseph Meagher, Fr. Jim Ferry, Fr. Paul Lehman & for all the new priests being ordained everywhere for protection, fidelity, orthodoxy & courage.

Tithe: May 18, 2025: \$2109.00 Building Fund \$1164.00 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?> Pwd: =UWxIQUILRnI1cE9mZk4yZTZFQWxoZz09 Meeting ID: 82383869993 Pass Code: Rosary One tap mobile:+13126266799,,8283869993#US

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://realoveministries.org/>

START PENTECOST NOVENA : May 30-June 7. This is the Church's first novena usually started the day after Ascension Thursday.

NOT AS THE WORLD GIVES PEACE DO I GIVE IT.

Everyone yearns for peace & in this corrupt world we are not surrounded with anything resembling peace as the world knows it...cessation of hostilities, law & order in the streets, honesty & integrity in political & church leaders, civility in our relationships with the people we meet in daily life, harmony in our homes, etc.

The peace He gives is far deeper. It is a soul peace that heeds the admonitions of Jesus & His successors to be not afraid in the midst of the turmoil & the mess that the world is in. It is the soul courage that enabled martyrs to go to their deaths with the assurance of where they were headed. It is the peace that conquered the fear of the apostles when they huddled in the Upper Room until the Holy Spirit emboldened them with His power. His peace & His power invade the souls of seeking believers & change them into fearless warriors of the Lord no matter what circumstances they find themselves in. They are truly born again as are we through that same power in the sacraments.

Visibly through the ministry of priests, the font gives symbolic birth to our visible bodies. Invisibly, through the ministry of angels, the Spirit of God, Whom even the mind's eye cannot see, baptizes into Himself both our souls & bodies, giving them a new birth. As John the Baptist informs us of Christ: "He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit & with fire." Since we are only vessels of clay, we must first be cleansed in water & then hardened by spiritual fire for God is a consuming fire. We need the Holy Spirit to perfect & renew us, for spiritual fire can cleanse us, & spiritual water can recast us in a furnace & make us into new men. (Didymus of Alexandria)

As we are racing toward Pentecost, it is hard to stop & realize where we are in His time. He seems to be speeding up time in these dire days as He knows how desperately we need both the power & the peace of the Holy Spirit to enable us to do our part in the spiritual war that is raging in the heavenlies & on this earth over souls. Our Lady has warned us on so many occasions. We know what we need to do. Pray, Fast, Repent, Receive Him worthily daily if possible, Reconcile with our brothers & sisters where needed & just don't wear it or hang it on a car mirror but Pray the Rosary as many times as you can daily & sacrifice for souls.

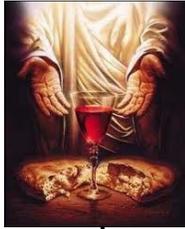
AND DO WE EVER NEED HIS PEACE IN THIS VALLEY OF TEARS.

As we embark on the journey of life & come to seek its meaning in Christ, we are directed to the rocky thorny path of suffering that leads us to the Kingdom where ultimately there is no suffering. We have come to know how desperately we need salvation & you cannot separate suffering from salvation any more than you can separate the fragrance from a blooming flower. That is the road He trod to show us the way & we are pledged to follow Him as we have come to know He is the only way out of the mess of a world betrayed by sin, the sin of our first parents.

The soul yearns to return from whence it came, the womb of the Father Who conceived it in His will long before He called our soul to take on our human life. It's a war from the get go but we need to be tested as He tests everything to see if we are faithful to His love for us & reciprocate it back to Him as best we can. He provisioned us with the power of the sacraments & His Eucharistic Presence & heeds the pleas from His Mother whom He made our mother to have mercy on His & Her children. So we press on; sometimes we can only plod on but we keep moving to the goal we so desire, union with Him in the Celestial Fatherland. As we approach the end of this age, purification is needed to make us worthy of the new age of glory He wants to bestow on us & free us from the wiles of this battle of this earthly domain which is satan's turf. The battle is fierce & he knows his time is short so he is unleashing all the salvos to steal souls. Let us steep ourselves in the fragrance of holiness that the Holy Spirit bestows & let us sing on the journey along with fellow strivers. As the song goes:

*Soon & very soon, we are going to see the King,
Son & very soon we are going to see the King.
No more crying there, we are going to see the King.
No more dying there we are going to see the King.
Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!*

WE ARE GOING TO SEE THE KING!!!



ST. ANTONINUS CHURCH CALENDAR

MAY, 2025

JESUS IS LORD TO THE GLORY OF GOD THE FATHER

Sunday	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">27</p> <p>Divine Mercy Sunday 8AM Mass 9AM Adoration 10AM Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 10px;">1:30 Sp. Mass 7PM Rosary</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">28</p> <p style="margin-top: 10px;">7PM Rosary</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">29</p> <p>Noon Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7PM Rosary</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">8PM Scripture Study</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">30</p> <p>Noon Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7PM Rosary</p> <p style="margin-top: 10px;">7:45 Prayer Meet-</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">1</p> <p>Noon Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7PM Rosary</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">2</p> <p>1ST FRIDAY Mass in <u>lower church</u> at noon. Dawn Eden giving talk at 1PM after the Mass.</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">3</p> <p>8AM Men's Min. Noon Mass 2PM 1st Sat. Devotion 3PM Healing Mass</p>
<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">4</p> <p>3rd Sunday of Easter 8AM Mass 9AM Adoration 10AM Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 10px;">1:30 PM Spanish Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7PM Rosary</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">5</p> <p style="margin-top: 10px;">7PM Rosary</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">6</p> <p>Noon Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7PM Rosary</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">8PM Scripture Study</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">7</p> <p>Noon Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7PM Rosary</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">8PM Prayer Meeting</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">8</p> <p>Noon Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7PM Rosary</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">9</p> <p>Noon Mass 7PM Mass &</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">10</p> <p>8AM Men's Min. Feast of St. Antoninus Noon Mass Div. Adoration 3-6PM</p>
<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">11</p> <p>4th Sunday of Easter 8AM Mass 9AM Adoration 10 AM Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">1:30PM Spanish Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px; color: red;">Mother's Day</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7PM Rosary</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">12</p> <p style="margin-top: 10px;">7PM Rosary</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">13</p> <p>Noon Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7PM Rosary</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">8PM Scripture Study</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">14</p> <p>Noon Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7PM Rosary</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7:45 Prayer Meeting</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">15</p> <p>Noon Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7PM Rosary</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">16</p> <p>Noon Mass 150th Ann. Of founding of St. A's 1875 Sp. Healing Mass 7PM</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7PM Rosary</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">17</p> <p>8AM Men's Min. Noon Mass Div. Adoration 3-6PM</p>
<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">18</p> <p>5th Sunday of Easter 8AM Mass 9AM Adoration 10AM Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">1st Holy Communion & Procession</p> <p style="margin-top: 10px;">1:30PM Spanish Mass</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">19</p> <p style="margin-top: 10px;">7PM Rosary</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">20</p> <p>Noon Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7PM Rosary</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">8PM Scripture Study</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">21</p> <p>Noon Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7PM Rosary</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7:45 Prayer Meeting</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">22</p> <p>Noon Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7 PM Rosary</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">23</p> <p>Noon Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7PM Rosary</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">24</p> <p>8AM Men's Min. Noon Mass Div. Adoration 3-6PM</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7PM Rosary</p>
<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">25</p> <p>6th Sunday of Easter 8AM Mass 9AM Adoration 10AM Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7PM Rosary</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7Pm</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">26</p> <p style="margin-top: 10px;">7PM Rosary</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">27</p> <p>Noon Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7PM Rosary</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">8PM Scripture Study</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">28</p> <p>Noon Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7PM Rosary</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">29</p> <p>Noon Mass 7PM Rosary</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">30</p> <p>Noon Mass Start Pentecost Novena</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">7PM Rosary</p>	<p style="text-align: right; margin: 0;">31</p> <p>8AM Men's Min. Noon Mass</p> <p style="margin-top: 5px;">Div. Adoration: Thanks to the Lord Festival 3-6PM</p>

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.