



# SAINT ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH

## EL SEGUNDO, CALIFORNIA

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 13, 2019

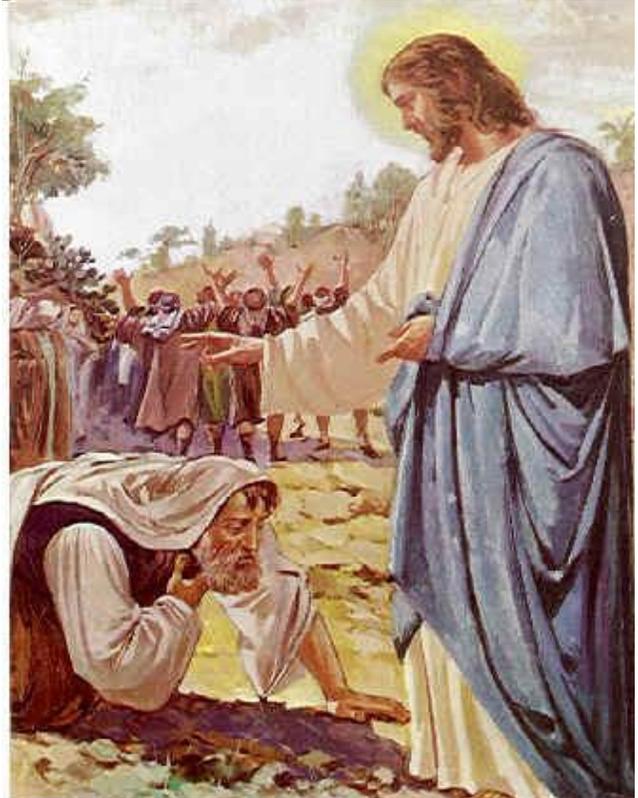
### Reflection Corner

Last week, the disciples asked the Lord to increase their faith. Today we have a beautiful illustration of how he does just that in the lives of these ten lepers. But the sad part is that only one returns to give thanks. All ten begged for mercy; all ten received a precious gift; but only one acknowledges the giver of that gift.

This familiar story of healing ten lepers is often remembered because of the gratitude of one leper and the ingratitude of the other nine. Leprosy has been greatly misunderstood across the centuries. In the time of Jesus, lepers were forced to live in the countryside away from villages and people generally. In a culture that placed heavy emphasis on ritual cleanliness, a leper was someone to avoid at all costs. Lepers generally gathered together in small groups with the common denominator being their disease rather than their ethnicity - hence the inclusion of a Samaritan with a group of Jews. Generally, Samaritans were ostracized because they had syncretized their beliefs (i.e. taken what they wanted from the religious philosophies of the time, including Judaism and paganism) and developed their own religion. Jews saw this as a rejection of the one true God and so as an ethnic group, Samaritans were marginalized.

Jesus is making his way to Jerusalem, when he encounters these lepers. The lepers cry out to Jesus for mercy and are told to go and show themselves to the priest - the healing happens as they were going. The nine healed Jewish lepers will retake their place in society and do not return to give thanks. The one on the margins, doubly so because of his ethnicity and his disease is the one who recognizes that God is present in this healing. This good Samaritan has overcome the syncretization of his forebears and recognizes that he has found his salvation through Jesus. This once broken and unhealthy man has met the epitome of human wholeness in Jesus.

Jesus came to exercise a ministry of healing, to enable people to live in a harmonious relationship with



their God and with each other; and we, through Baptism, have succeeded to that ministry.

Today, there is great need for healing the attitudes in our society. Many Christians today do not attend Sunday worship. More than anything, this is a sign that we have become an ungrateful people. This is so because the main reason why Christians come together on Sunday is to give thanks to God. The word "Eucharist" comes from the Greek word meaning "thanksgiving." If we count our blessing, if we realize that all is from above, then we shall be more likely to act like the Samaritan leper when he realized he was healed, to return with joy and give God thanks, and praise Him every day of our lives and especially every Sunday.

### Mass Times

Monday, Wednesday & Friday	8:00 am
Tuesday & Thursday	12:10 pm
Saturday	8:00 am & 5:00 pm
Sunday	8:00 am, 10:00 am & 5:00 pm
Sunday (Spanish)	12 Noon

### Latin Mass

Sunday	1:30pm
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### Eucharistic Adoration Chapel

Monday - Thursday	9:00 am - 6:30 pm
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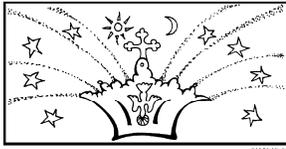
### Parish Center Office Hours

Monday - Thursday	8:30 am - 6:30 pm
Friday, Saturday, Sunday	By appointment only

### Confessions

Saturday	8:30 am & 3:30 pm
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**Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**October 13, 2019**



If we have died with Christ Jesus we shall also live with him; if we persevere we shall also reign with him.  
*2 Timothy 2:11-12a*

**World Mission Sunday- October 20th 2019**

Next weekend our parish will celebrate World Mission Sunday. Every day, faithful missionaries are reaching out in the name of Christ, offering practical, emotional and spiritual care to communities, children and families in desperate need, bringing the light of Christ to the darkest of circumstances. For more information visit: [www.missionsla.org](http://www.missionsla.org). Envelopes for this donation are available at the entrances of the church. As always thank you for your generosity.

**A pilgrimage to the Holy Land**  
**November 29-December 8, 2019**



*\$3,299 Roundtrip from LAX*  
*All airport taxes included*

Join Fr. Robert on a pilgrimage and retreat to the Holy Land, walking in the footsteps of Jesus, our Blessed Mother and the first disciples. Pilgrimage covers Jerusalem, Capernaum and Galilee. Daily Mass and reflection on the Gospel text of the place we visit. It is a pilgrimage of a lifetime and it will enhance your understanding of the Bible. We will visit Ein Karem, the village where St. John the Baptist was born, the Church of Visitation, Tiberias, Nazareth, Cana, Galilee and many more. Brochures and registration forms are available in the parish center, gift shop, and the church entrance. Register now to reserve your seat in the airline.

**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

**Sunday, October 13th**

**Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:30am Religious Education Classes - School  
 11:30am Confirmation I - Parish Center  
 1:30pm High Latin Mass - Missa Cantata

**Monday, October 14th**

**Parish Center and Adoration Chapel Open**

7:00pm Bible Study-Parish Center

**Tuesday, October 15th**

**Parish Center and Adoration Chapel Open**

12:10pm Mass  
 6:00pm Rehearsal - Quinceanera  
 6:30pm Legion of Mary  
 7:00pm Fatima Rosary Group - Chapel

**Wednesday, October 16th**

**Parish Office and Adoration Chapel Open**

6:00pm Lectio Divina - Parish Center

**Thursday, October 17th**

**Parish Center and Adoration Chapel Open**

12:10pm Mid-Day Mass  
 6:30pm Holy Hour for Priests-Church  
 7:00pm RCIA-Parish Center  
 7:00pm Grupo Hispano de Oración

**Friday, October 18th**

**Parish Center and Adoration Chapel Closed**

8:00 am Mass

**Saturday, October 19th**

8:30 am Confessions  
 11:00am Private Baptism - Natalie Bailey  
 12:00pm Quinceanera - Lupita Aldava  
 3:30pm Confessions

I need nothing but God, and to lose myself in the heart of God.  
 - St. Margaret Mary Alacoque

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**St. Anthony Church Mission Statement:**

We the St. Anthony community, blessed with diversity in culture and traditions, unite ourselves to the Real Presence of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist. We commit ourselves to live out the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ through prayer, service, and actions.

**Eucharistic Adoration for Priests**  
**Every Thursday 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm**  
 (bilingual prayers are provided)

**Why We Must Pray for Priests?**

When people want to destroy religion they begin by attacking the priest; for when there is no priest, there is no sacrifice: and when there is no sacrifice, there is no religion.

St. John Vianney explaining to his parishioners the importance of the sacraments, he said: "Without the Sacrament of Holy Orders, we would not have the Lord. Who put him there in that tabernacle? The priest. Who welcomed your soul at the beginning of your life? The priest. Who feeds your soul and gives it strength for its journey? The priest. Who will prepare it to appear before God, bathing it one last time in the blood of Jesus Christ? The priest, always the priest. And if this soul should happen to die [as a result of sin], who will raise it up, who will restore its calm and peace? Again, the priest... After God, the priest is everything! ... Only in heaven will he fully realize what he is".

**Welcoming the Pilgrim Images of Our Lady of Guadalupe and St. Juan Diego**



St. Anthony Church will host the Pilgrim images of Our Lady of Guadalupe and St. Juan Diego on **Saturday, November 16th and Sunday, November 17th**. We welcome the images with a bilingual mass at 12pm on Saturday, November 16th. "Our Lady of Guadalupe: **Ark of Salvation,**" this year's theme compares

Our Lady of Guadalupe to the Ark of the Covenant in the Old Testament, a sign of God's loving presence. The Virgen Mary is a sign of the New Covenant because She carried in her womb Jesus, our Savior, High Priest, the Bread of Life from Heaven, and Author of the law of love. Just like the ancient Hebrew people who paraded, sang and danced before the Ark of the Covenant, many will be inspired to do the same before the holy icon of Our Lady of Guadalupe, the image of Mary, The Ark of the New Covenant.



**Remember Our Dead**

Please remember in your prayers the soul of **Betty Domschot**, a long time parishioner. May her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.



- SATURDAY**      **October 12**  
**8:00 am**        **Benjamin & Patty Perez (PI)**  
**5:00pm**        **Corinne Wise (D) & Therese Tong (D)**
- SUNDAY**        **October 13**  
**8:00 am**        **Souls in Purgatory & Coronacion Ahumada (D)**  
**10:00 am**      **Angela Palovo (D) & Kathy Dutchess (D)**  
**12:00 pm**      **Almas Benditas del Purgatorio**  
**1:30 pm**        **For all Parishioners**  
**5:00pm**        **Holy Souls in Purgatory**
- MONDAY**        **October 14**  
**8:00 am**        **Kathy Dutchess (D) & John Gutt (D)**
- TUESDAY**       **October 15**  
**12:10pm**      **Holy Souls in Purgatory**
- WEDNESDAY**   **October 16**  
**8:00 am**        **Lisa Garasec (PI)**
- THURSDAY**     **October 17**  
**12:10pm**      **Raquel Escárrega (PI) & Marie Gutierrez (PI)**
- FRIDAY**         **October 18**  
**8:00 am**        **Kathy Dutchess (D) & Roger Heroux (D)**
- SATURDAY**      **October 19**  
**8:00 am**        **Julio Tello (PI) & Marie Gutierrez (PI)**  
**5:00pm**        **Thomas Brady (D) & Therese Tong (D)**



**Please Pray**

Bassam & Zaina Alwan, Jacqueline Anastasi, Soledad Barba, Eileen Barrett, Darlene Barth, Phillip Berretta, Joyce Bohline, Norma Bolin, Alma Bonnar, Teresa Calderon, Eva & Roberto Canales, David & Samuel Castellanos, Teresita Clemente, Gertrudes Dacquel, Adoracion de Jesus, Dylan and Dorothy Doukakis, Juan Antonio Duran, Cora & Howard Fausto, Lisa Garasec, Maria N. Garcia, Lizet Garro, Rose Garcia, Rose Gibilterra, Lucille Goodreau, Pauline Grasso, Marian Goyette, Marie Gutierrez, Joe Guzman, Michael Hawkins, Mary Ellen Hilkne, Sandy Holt, Meryl Kari, Zolzislaw, Stanislaw, Czeslaw & Michalina Kubek, Celine Luper, Marie Magdaleno, Willie Maldonado, Susan McGarry, Michelle McManus, Grace Mercado Ouano, Margaret Moran, Clara & Rebecca Moshenko, Michael Mouzakis, Edwin Perey, Gloria Perez, Don Riley, Josefina Rigalva, Joe Rosenbury, Maria Salazar, Maria Serrano, Cecilia Sizighaney, John Snyder, Allan Schwartz, Anne Schuman, Maralyn Swenson, Keith Storm, Jeanne Thomas, Jerry Tomic, Elena Victoria, Carol Voorhes, Christopher Wheeler, Penny Wilder, Norm Wood.

## Ongoing CASE Collection



St. Anthony Church continues its ongoing CASE Drive for all those families in need in our community. Some families receive a small monetary aid to help with utilities bills. CASE's hope is to keep these families in their home and not become homeless.

**Items needed in their food pantry include:** canned meat foods, canned soups, spaghetti sauce, pasta, canned fruits, cookies, crackers, fruit juices, toilet paper, shampoo, toothpaste, soap, tissues/Kleenex, and cleaning supplies, dish soaps, laundry detergent, Comet, Lysol, etc....A bin for your donated items can be found at the entrance of the Church. Thanks for your continue support for these families in need.

### Our Lady's 15 Promises to those who pray the Holy Rosary

The Blessed Virgin Mary promised to St. Dominic and to all who follow that "Whatever you ask in the Rosary will be granted." She left for all Christians Fifteen Promises to those who recite the Holy Rosary. Imparted to Saint Dominic and Blessed Alan:

1. Whoever shall faithfully serve me by the recitation of the Rosary, shall **receive signal graces.**
2. I promise my **special protection** and the **greatest graces** to all those who shall recite the Rosary.
3. The Rosary shall be a **powerful armor against hell**, it will **destroy vice, decrease sin, and defeat heresies.**
4. The Rosary will **cause virtue** and good works to flourish; it will obtain for souls the **abundant mercy of God**; it will **withdraw the hearts of men from the love of the world and its vanities**, and will **lift them to the desire for eternal things.** Oh, that souls would sanctify themselves by this means.
5. The soul which recommends itself to me by the recitation of the Rosary, **shall not perish.**
6. Whoever shall recite the Rosary devoutly, applying himself to the consideration of its sacred mysteries shall **never be conquered by misfortune.** God will not chastise him in His justice, he shall not perish by an unprovided death; if he be just **he shall remain in the grace of God**, and become **worthy of eternal life.**
7. Whoever shall have a true devotion for the Rosary **shall not die without the sacraments** of the Church.
8. Those who are faithful to recite the Rosary shall have **during their life and at their death the light of God** and the **plentitude of His graces**; at the moment of death they **shall participate in the merits of the saints** in paradise.
9. I shall **deliver from Purgatory** those **who have been devoted to the Rosary.**
10. The faithful children of the Rosary shall **merit a high degree of glory in Heaven.**
11. You shall **obtain all you ask of me by the recitation of the Rosary.**
12. All those who **propagate the Holy Rosary** shall be **aided by me in their necessities.**
13. I have obtained from my Divine Son that all the **advocates of the Rosary shall have for intercessors the entire celestial court during their life and at the hour of death.**
14. All **who recite the Rosary** are my sons and daughters, and brothers and sisters of my only Son Jesus Christ.
15. Devotion of my Rosary is a **great sign of predestination.**



## News from the Office of Respect Life

### Pregnancy Help Center

*"In a time when I was scared and confused, you made me feel cared about. I don't know what I would have done without you. This child is such a blessing."*

**Pregnancy Help Center**  
(310) 787-4357 - 24-hour help line

### October - Respect Life Month

During the month of October we are called to reflect on our call to uphold all life, from conception to death. There are different activities that you will be invited to participate in this month. Hopefully you will respond in order to increase your knowledge and faith of this very important concern of our Church.

**Spiritual Adoption** - praying daily for an unborn baby that is in danger of abortion. Parishioners can name the child they "adopted", thereby giving the baby the humanity he/she deserves and pray daily for this child and his parents.

Jesus, Mary and Joseph, we love you very much  
I beg you save the life of the unborn baby  
I have spiritually adopted,  
who is in danger of abortion. Amen.

### Annual Baby Shower

Our annual baby Shower for mothers that cannot provide for their newborns will be held on **Sunday, October 20th at all the Masses.** A crib will be placed at the entrance of the Church in which to place your baby gifts. All the baby gifts will be distributed to the Harbor Pregnancy Help Center, La Casa de los Angelitos and Missionaries of Charities. Newborn infant clothes and disposable diapers are especially needed. Gently used and clean baby clothes, blankets etc. are also appreciated.

### Safeguard the Children

#### Did you know?

#### Risky behavior that doesn't rise to abuse

Sometimes adults will exhibit behavior that, although not at the level of sexual abuse, is risky or inappropriate towards children in their care. In these cases, it's difficult, but important, to talk to the adult in question directly. Describe the behavior you witnessed, and why it made you feel uncomfortable. Be specific without generalizing or overdramatizing. Let the person know that you are concerned about how these actions could be seen by others, and what suspicions could arise. Stress the importance of role modeling for children in the person's care. For more tips on talking about risky behavior, get a copy of the VIRTUS® article "What if the Risky Behavior Doesn't Rise to the Level of Sex Abuse?" at <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx>.



## Mensaje para Reflexionar

El Evangelio de San Lucas nos relata un samaritano, que no pertenecía al pueblo de Israel y que encuentra la fe después de su curación, como premio a su agradecimiento.

Jesús, en su último viaje a Jerusalén, pasaba entre Samaría y Galilea. Y al entrar en una aldea le salieron al encuentro diez leprosos que se detuvieron a lo lejos, a cierta distancia donde se encontraba el Maestro y el grupo que le acompañaba, pues la ley prohibía a estos enfermos acercarse a las gentes. En el grupo va un samaritano, a pesar de que no había trato entre judíos y samaritanos, por una enemistad secular entre ambos pueblos. La desgracia les ha unido, como ocurre en tantas ocasiones en la vida. Y levantando la voz, pues están lejos, dirigen a Jesús una petición, llena de respeto, que llega directamente a su Corazón: "Jesús, Maestro, ten piedad de nosotros". Han acudido a su misericordia, y Cristo se compadece y les manda ir a mostrarse a los sacerdotes, como estaba preceptuado en la Ley, para que certificaran su curación. Se encaminaron donde les había indicado el Señor, como si ya estuvieran sanos; a pesar de que todavía no lo estaban, obedecieron. Y por su fe y docilidad, se vieron libres de la enfermedad.

Estos leprosos nos enseñan a pedir: acuden a la misericordia divina, que es la fuente de todas las gracias. Y nos muestran el camino de la curación, cualquiera que sea la lepra que llevemos en el alma: tener fe y ser dóciles a quienes, en nombre del Maestro, nos indican lo que debemos hacer. La voz del Señor resuena con especial fuerza y caridad en los consejos que nos dan en la dirección espiritual.

La actitud del samaritano, que regresa a dar gracias a Dios postrándose delante de Cristo, es una actitud que describen los evangelistas para significar el reconocimiento y la aceptación de Cristo como el Señor, el Salvador.

Muchos favores del Señor los recibimos a través de las personas que tratamos diariamente, y por eso, en esos casos, el agradecimiento a Dios debe pasar por esas personas que tanto nos ayudan a que la vida sea menos dura, la tierra más grata y el Cielo más próximo.

-Padre Pablo Balcazar



## **La Parroquia de San Antonio Nuestra Misión:**

Nosotros, la comunidad de San Antonio, bendecidos con diversidad en cultura y tradiciones, nos unimos a la presencia real de Jesús en la Sagrada Eucaristía. Nos comprometemos a vivir y enseñar la palabra de nuestro señor Jesucristo por medio de nuestra oración, servicio y acciones.

## **Guadalupe Radio Congreso de Hombres**

27 de Octubre, 8:00am - 5:00pm

### **Terrace Theater Long Beach Convention Center**

Guadalupe Radio te invita a asistir al Congreso de Hombres, un evento preparado para que puedas trabajar en tu desarrollo espiritual y de esta manera mejorar en cualquiera de los ambientes en que te desenvuelves: familiar, social, laboral. "Háblame, Señor" es el lema del congreso con el que se invita a los asistentes a escuchar el mensaje que Dios les tiene preparado.

El Congreso de Hombres se realizará el próximo Domingo, 27 de Octubre en el Terrace Theater del Convention Center de Long Beach. Las puertas se abren a las 7:00am.

Te esperamos!

**Donativos:** Orquesta \$35.00; Loge \$30 y Balcon \$25. No se permiten el ingreso de alimentos, hieleras, poncheras y mochilas.

**Para mas información:** Tel: (626) 444-4442

## **Protegiendo a los Niños Sabía usted?**

### **Una conducta riesgosa que no llega a ser abuso**

En ocasiones, los adultos mostrarán un comportamiento que, aunque no esté al mismo nivel de abuso sexual, es riesgoso o inapropiado mostrarlo con los niños bajo su cuidado. En estos casos, es difícil, pero importante, hablar directamente con el adulto en cuestión. Describa la conducta que usted ha visto, y porqué lo/la hizo sentir incomódo/a. Sea específico, sin generalizar o sin ser demasiado exagerado. Déjele saber a la persona que a usted le preocupan cómo esas acciones pueden ser vistas por los demás, y sobre las suspicacias que pudieran surgir. Recalque la importancia de ser modelos para los niños bajo el cuidado de la persona en cuestión. Para obtener más información sobre conductas riesgosas, busque una copia del artículo de VIRTUS® "What if the Risky Behavior Doesn't Rise to the Level of Sex Abuse?" (¿Qué ocurre si la conducta riesgosa no asciende al nivel de abuso sexual?) en <http://www.la-archdiocese.org/org/protecting/Pages/VIRTUS-Current-Online-Articles.aspx>.



# CHILDREN LITURGY OF THE WORD

**Coming Soon!**  
for all children K to 3rd Grade  
During the 10:00 am Mass



Children Liturgy of the Word provides a Christ centered, age appropriate ministry for all children K to 3rd Grade during the 10:00 am Mass. Children will be able to fully participate in the Liturgy of the Word with Scriptures and activities.

There is no fee and children will return to the Church for the Preparation of the Gifts.