

Saint Anthony's Church Founded in 1909

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday: 1:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday to Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. & 1:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

MONDAY MORNINGS, SATURDAY & SUNDAY: CLOSED

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS:

St. Anthony's School 416-393-5210

St. Sebastian's School 416-393-5354

St. Mary Catholic Academy 416-393-5528

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday Evening: 6:00 p.m. Portuguese

Sunday:

9:00 a.m. Portuguese

10:30 a.m. English

12:00 p.m. Spanish

6:30 p.m. Portuguese

WEEKDAY MASSES

7:00 p.m. - Portuguese on Monday, Wednesday, Friday &

8:30 a.m. on Thursday

7:00 p.m. - English on Tuesday

SHARING FAITH

Monday: 6:00 p.m. Baby Jesus of Prague - Portuguese

Tuesday: 7:30 p.m. St. Anthony's Novena - English

Wednesday: 6:00 p.m. Prayer for Vocations & Rosary - Portuguese

7:00 p.m. Young Adults Group 25+ (Grupo de Oración) - Spanish

Thursday: 7:30 p.m. Charismatic Prayer Group - Spanish

7:00 p.m. Rosary (Last Thursday Only) - Spanish

Friday: 3:00 p.m. Adoration (1st Friday Only)

7:30 p.m. Adoration (Every Friday) - Portuguese

Saturday: 5:30 p.m. Rosary - Portuguese

7:00 p.m. 1st Saturday Only - Rosary - Portuguese

Sunday: 1:00 p.m. Rosary - Spanish (Marian Group)

5:00 p.m. Youth & Young Adults Groups - Portuguese

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

We are a community of cultures who pray and worship together in a variety of ways. We endeavor to grow in union with God and with one another.

(WORSHIP)

We are a community who aim to be of service to others through various activities

and as individuals. We welcome everyone, e.g., migrants and newcomers and respond to the needs of others.

(SERVICE)

We are a community who proclaim the Word of God through our involvement in various activities, and by preaching and sharing of relationships. We strive with the help of the Holy Spirit to ground our lives in the gospel of Jesus Christ.

(PROCLAMATION)

BAPTISM: Speak with Priest after Sunday Mass

Documents Required: Child's Birth Certificate

Baptism Certificate of Father or Mother

Confirmation Certificate of Godparents

Baptism Preparation Course (Parents & Godparents)

MARRIAGE: By Appointment - 1 Year Notice

& Marriage Preparation Course Required

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Saturday from 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK:

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generosity to the parish is
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Saturday, February 7th, 2026

- Our Lady's Saturday
6:00 pm † Paulo Bettencourt

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time, February 8th

- 9:00 am † 22° Anv.: Antonieta Teves
- 10:30 am † Filomena & Franco Garisto & Family
- 12:00 pm † Familias Arias Avril y Avril Avril
- 6:30 pm Pro Populo

Monday, February 9th

- 7:00 pm † Maria De Deus, Victor De Deus,
Pais e Sogros

Tuesday, February 10th

- St. Scholastica, Virgin
7:00 pm Community Mass (ENGLISH)

Wednesday, February 11th

- Our Lady of Lourdes
7:00 pm Community Mass (PORTUGUESE)

Thursday, February 12th

- 8:30 am † Francisco Martins, Francisco Agnelo e
Família

Friday, February 13th

- 7:00 pm N.Sra. de Fátima,
Membros Vivos e Falecidos da Irmandade

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

TAX RECEIPTS FOR 2025 DONATIONS

Tax receipts for donations made in 2025 are now available at the parish office during the week but ask that you kindly call ahead to schedule a pickup time. For those unable to come in person, the tax receipt can be sent by email or mail; simply contact the office. We sincerely thank you and appreciate your continued generosity and support, which are essential to the upkeep of our parish.

BAPTISM – Saturday, February 7th, 2026

The faith community of St. Anthony's welcomes this new member: Justin Said Macedo Vidal. May he always walk in the footsteps of the Lord.

SEMI-ANNUAL PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT

We inform our parishioners that the Semi-Annual Parish Financial Report covering July 1st, 2025, to December 31st, 2025, has been posted on the bulletin board in the church lobby and copies are available for those who would like to have their own copy.

MASS TIME ON FAMILY DAY

Due to the Family Day holiday on Monday, February 16th, the **Portuguese Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 a.m. and not at 7:00 p.m.**

LENT IS FAST APPROACHING

Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, February 18th, and the **Mass times will be as follows: 6:00 p.m. in English and 7:30 p.m. in Portuguese.**

► FAST & ABSTINENCE DURING LENT

People frequently ask about the discipline of penance at this time of the year. It is important to remember that all Christ's faithful are invited by divine law to do penance, but on certain days the Church prescribes that to be done. Abstinence and Fasting are to be observed on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. **Abstinence** is to be observed on all Fridays throughout the Lenten season. The law of abstinence forbids meat, but Catholics may substitute this practice with special acts of charity or piety. The law of **fasting** prescribes that only one meal is taken in a day; but it does not forbid taking some nourishment in the morning and evening. The obligation to fast binds those between 18 and 59 years of age. The law of abstinence pertains to everyone over 14. Individual cases, for just reason (e.g., the sick), may receive dispensation from the obligation. **Eucharistic Fasting:** No eating 1 hour prior to receiving communion.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS
IN ENGLISH, PORTUGUESE & SPANISH**

We invite the community to participate in the Stations of the Cross every Friday during Lent at 6:00 p.m., followed by Portuguese Mass at 7:00 p.m., starting Friday, February 20th.

► LIVE STATIONS OF THE CROSS ON GOOD FRIDAY

Join St. Anthony's Parish community on Good Friday, April 3rd, at 8:00 p.m. for a Live Presentation of the Stations of the Cross. Parishioners who would like to take part in the presentation are required to attend rehearsals on Saturdays at 7:00 p.m., starting on February 28th. The dress rehearsal will be held on Friday, April 3rd, at 9:00 a.m. All are welcome!



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ANÚNCIOS PAROQUIAIS

RECIBOS DAS DOAÇÕES DE 2025

Os recibos de doações feitas em 2025 já estão disponíveis no escritório paroquial durante a semana, mas pedimos que ligue com antecedência para agendar um horário antes de vir buscá-lo. Para aqueles que não puderem vir pessoalmente, o recibo pode ser enviado por e-mail ou correio; basta entrar em contato com o escritório. Agradecemos sinceramente a sua generosidade e apoio contínuos, que são essenciais para a manutenção da nossa paróquia.

RELATÓRIO FINANCEIRO PAROQUIAL

Informamos aos nossos paroquianos que o Relatório Financeiro Paroquial (1º de Julho, 2025 a 31 de Dezembro, 2025), foi afixado no quadro de avisos à entrada da igreja e cópias estão disponíveis para aqueles que desejam ter sua própria cópia.

HORÁRIO DA MISSA NO FERIADO "FAMILY DAY"

Informamos que devido ao feriado do "Family Day" na segunda-feira, 16 de Fevereiro, a **Missa em português será celebrada às 9:00 a.m. e não às 7:00 p.m.**

A QUARESMA ESTÁ SE APROXIMANDO

A Quaresma começa na Quarta-Feira de Cinzas, 18 de Fevereiro, e os horários das **Misas** serão os seguintes: **6:00 p.m. em Inglês e 7:30 p.m. em Português.**

► JEJUM E ABSTINÊNCIA NA QUARESMA

As pessoas frequentemente perguntam sobre a disciplina da penitência nesta época do ano. É importante lembrar que todos os fiéis de Cristo são convidados pela lei divina a fazer penitência, mas em certos dias a Igreja prescreve que isso seja feito. A abstinência e o jejum devem ser observados na Quarta-feira de Cinzas e na Sexta-feira Santa. A abstinência deve ser observada em todas as sextas-feiras durante a Quaresma. A lei da **abstinência** proíbe a carne, mas os católicos podem substituir esta prática por atos especiais de caridade ou piedade. A lei do **jejum** prescreve que apenas uma refeição seja feita por dia; mas não proíbe tomar algum alimento pela manhã e à noite. A obrigação de jejuar obriga os maiores de 18 a 59 anos. A lei de abstinência se aplica a todos os maiores de 14 anos. Casos individuais, por justa causa (por exemplo, doentes), podem ser dispensados da obrigação. **Jejum Eucarístico:** Não comer 1 hora antes de receber a comunhão.

VIA SACRA EM PORTUGUÊS, INGLÊS E ESPANHOL

Convidamos a comunidade a participar da Via Sacra todas as sextas-feiras durante a quaresma às 6:00 p.m., seguido de Missa em português às 7:00 p.m., iniciando na sexta-feira, dia 20 de Fevereiro.

► VIA SACRA AO VIVO NA SEXTA-FEIRA SANTA

Informamos que a Paróquia de Santo António terá uma Apresentação ao Vivo da Via Sacra na Sexta-Feira Santa, 3 de Abril, às 8:00 p.m. Os paroquianos que desejarem participar da apresentação deverão comparecer aos ensaios que serão realizados aos sábados às 7:00 p.m., iniciando no dia 28 de Fevereiro. O ensaio geral será realizado na sexta-feira, 3 de Abril, às 9:00 a.m. Todos são bem-vindos!

AVISOS PAROQUIALES

MISA DE COMPROMISO

El próximo domingo, 15 de febrero, a las 12:00 p.m., habrá Misa de compromiso para los niños en el programa de la Primera Comunión, durante la cual cada uno recibirá una cruz de madera que simboliza este compromiso.

RECIBOS DE LAS DONACIONES DE 2025

Los recibos de las donaciones realizadas en 2025 ya están disponibles en la oficina parroquial durante la semana, pero les pedimos que llamen con anticipación para programar una cita antes de venir a recogerlo. Si no puedes venir en persona, podemos enviarlo por e-mail o correo postal; simplemente póngase en contacto con la oficina. Agradecemos sinceramente su continua generosidad y apoyo, esenciales para el mantenimiento de nuestra parroquia.

INFORME FINANCIERO PAROQUIAL

Informamos a nuestros feligreses que el Informe Financiero Parroquial (1º de julio, 2025 al 31 de diciembre, 2025) ha sido publicado en el tablón de anuncios en la entrada de la iglesia y hay copias disponibles para aquellos que deseen su propia copia.

HORA SANTA EN ESPAÑOL

Habrà Hora Santa el jueves, 26 de febrero, a las 7:30 p.m., comenzando con el rosario a las 7:00 p.m. Están todos cordialmente invitados a compartir este momento de intimidad con nuestro amado Jesús. Los esperamos.

HORARIO DE MISA EN EL DÍA DE "FAMILY DAY"

Informamos que debido al feriado del "Family Day" el lunes, 16 de febrero, la **Misa en portugués será celebrada a las 9:00 a.m. y no a las 7:00 p.m.**

SE ACERCA LA CUARESMA

La Cuaresma comienza el Miércoles de Ceniza, 18 de febrero, y los horarios de las **Misas** serán los siguientes: **6:00 p.m. en inglés y 7:30 p.m. en portugués.**

► AYUNO Y ABSTINENCIA DURANTE LA CUARESMA

La gente pregunta con frecuencia sobre la disciplina de la penitencia en esta época del año. Es importante recordar que todos los fieles de Cristo están invitados por ley divina a hacer penitencia, pero en ciertos días la Iglesia prescribe que se haga. La abstinencia y el ayuno se observarán el Miércoles de Ceniza y el Viernes Santo. La **abstinencia** se debe observar todos los viernes durante la temporada de Cuaresma. La ley de abstinencia prohíbe la carne, pero los católicos pueden sustituir esta práctica con actos especiales de caridad o piedad. La ley del **ayuno** prescribe que se tome una sola comida al día; pero no prohíbe tomar algún alimento por la mañana y por la noche. La obligación de ayunar vincula a los mayores de 18 a 59 años. La ley de abstinencia se aplica a todos los mayores de 14 años. Los casos individuales, por justa razón (por ejemplo, los enfermos), pueden recibir dispensa de la obligación. **Ayuno Eucarístico:** No comer 1 hora antes de recibir la comunión.

VÍA CRUCIS EN ESPAÑOL, PORTUGUÉS E INGLÉS

Todos los viernes durante la cuaresma habrá el Vía Crucis a las 6:00 p.m., seguido de Misa en portugués a las 7:00 p.m., a partir del viernes 20 de febrero.

► VÍA CRUCIS EN VIVO EL VIERNES SANTO

Les informamos que la Parroquia de San Antonio ofrecerá una Presentación en Vivo del Vía Crucis el Viernes Santo, 3 de abril, a las 8:00 p.m. Los feligreses que deseen participar en la presentación deberán asistir a los ensayos, que se realizarán los sábados a las 7:00 p.m., a partir del 28 de febrero. El ensayo general se realizará el viernes, 3 de abril, a las 9:00 a.m. ¡Todos son bienvenidos!

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