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MASS TIMES

Monday - Saturday: 7:00 am

Saturday Anticipated Mass: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 7:00 am, 9:30 am & 5:00 pm

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 3:30 pm to 4:30 pm

1st & 3rd Friday of the month:

5:00pm - 7:00pm (during Adoration)

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday: 9:00 am-4:30 pm

BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL

Open 7 days a week:

6:00 am to 6:00 pm

ADORATION

1st & 3rd Friday: 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

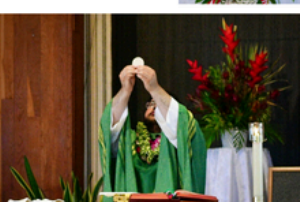
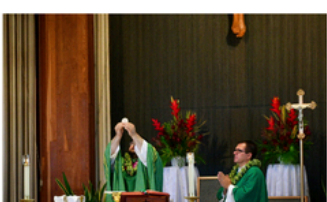
2nd & 4th Wednesday:

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

September 27, 2026 Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Happy Priesthood Sunday, Fr. Larry & Fr. Taylor!



Monday

September 28

Weekday

Jb 1:6-22

Lk 9:46-50

Tuesday

September 29

Sts. Michael,

Gabriel, and Raphael,

Archangels

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14

or Rv 12:7-12ab

Jn 1:47-51

Wednesday

September 30

St. Jerome, Priest

and Doctor of the

Church

Jb 9:1-12, 14-16

Lk 9:57-62

Thursday

October 1

St. Thérèse of the

Child Jesus, Virgin

and Doctor of the

Church

Jb 19:21-27

Lk 10:1-12

Friday

October 2

The Holy Guardian

Angels

Jb 38:1, 12-21;

40:3-5

Mt 18:1-5, 10

Saturday

October 3

Weekday

Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17

Lk 10:17-24

Sunday

October 4

Twenty-seventh

Sunday in Ordinary

Time

Is 5:1-7

Phil 4:6-9

Mt 21:33-43

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Stats: Week ending 9/20/26

Prayers Completed: 1,100

Minutes Prayed: 11,877

Total Members: 371



MASS COUNTS September 19 & 20, 2026

Mass

Sat. 5:00 pm

Sun. 7:00 am

Sun. 9:30 am

Sun. 5:00 pm

TOTAL

Count

182

237

227

298

944

SPONSOR A Pilgrim

KNOWN. SEEN. LOVED.

Our St Anthony Youth are going to the National Catholic Youth Conference (NCYC!)

NCYC gathers thousands of Catholic young people from across the country to encounter Christ through prayer, the Sacraments, inspiring speakers, music, fellowship, and the experience of the larger Catholic Church.



Our young people are **KNOWN. SEEN. LOVED.**

Will you help send them?

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

	\$25	FRIEND OF A PILGRIM
	\$50	PILGRIM SUPPORTER
	\$100	PILGRIM SPONSOR
	\$250	JOURNEY PARTNER
	\$500	MAJOR SPONSOR
	\$1,000	LEADERSHIP SPONSOR
	\$1,600	FULLY SPONSOR A PILGRIM

The estimated cost to send each pilgrim to NCYC is approximately **\$1,600**.

Your gift helps with airfare, conference registration, transportation, meals, and other pilgrimage expenses.



SCAN TO GIVE ONLINE!

Use the QR code to give safely and securely. All gifts support the St. Anthony NCYC Pilgrimage Fund.



Our goal is to be
FULLY FUNDED BY NOVEMBER 1!
Thank you for investing in our young Church!

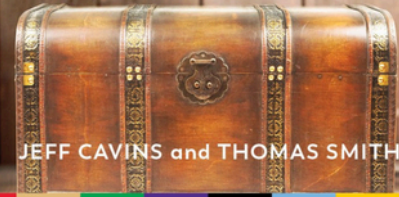
Save the Date/ Upcoming Events:

Every Mass in October	Rosary 30 mins. before Mass
Thursday, 10/1 - Sunday, 10/4	Maui County Fair - Our School & Church will have Beverage Booths
Friday, 10/2, 7:30am - Saturday, 10/3	24 Hours of Adoration, Blessed Sacrament Chapel (Confessions from 5PM - 7PM)
Sunday, 10/4 - 11:00AM	Blessings of Animals - Church Courtyard
Saturday, 10/10 - 8:30AM - 3:00PM	St. Faustina Festival, Kula. Contact office to sign up for our bus. NO 7AM MASS!
Saturday, 10/24 - 7:00AM - 10:00AM	Cleaning of our Church Cemetery (Brunch provided)
Saturday, 10/24 - 6:00PM	Hallow App Potluck & Talk on Developing a Habit of Prayer, Cafeteria
Monday, 11/2 - 4:00PM	Blessing of the Graves - Our Cemetery & Columbarium; All Souls Mass @ 6pm
Saturday, 11/7 - 8:00AM	Youth Ministry Retreat
Saturday, 11/21 - Sunday, 11/22	Craft Fair after all Masses - Courtyard & Joe Borges Room
Saturday, 12/5, 10:00AM - 1:00PM	Altar Server Appreciation Party @ Maui Golf & Sports Park
Sunday, 12/6, 11:00AM	Kupuna Bingo, Cafeteria



Ephesians

Discover Your Inheritance



JEFF CAVINS and THOMAS SMITH

Bible Study Sign-up

DATES - TIMES - LOCATION

An 8 - Week Course from October 6th - November 24th
Every Tuesday at 8:30 AM or 6:00 PM
at St. Anthony Catholic Church

COST - REGISTRATION

Cost for materials is \$30.00.
Sign up after all Masses on September 26 & 27

For more information, contact Martha Haleakala
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LED Screens

Please see September 13's bulletin on our website for important information regarding the LED Screen Project. If you would like your contributions returned, you **may contact the Business Office at 808-867-6229 no later than THIS WEDNESDAY, September 30, 2026**. If we do not hear from you by September 30, your donation will be used for the parish needs described in last weekend's bulletin. Mahalo.

Blessing of Animals

To celebrate St. Francis' Feast Day, please bring your pets to be blessed by Fr. Larry & Fr. Taylor.
Sunday, October 4, 2026
11:00am, Courtyard outside of the Church



Youth Night w/ Joe Melendrez - This Tuesday!

Youth are invited to a special night with Catholic musician and speaker Joe Melendrez! Join us in the Cafeteria for an evening of faith, music, and fellowship.

A WORD FROM POPE LEO XIV

Jesus taught us that in discerning how to help our neighbor, we must imitate the example of the Good Samaritan, who selflessly gave of his time and resources to someone whom he had never previously met.... When we help those in need, especially those who cannot repay us, we become the Lord's instruments.

MESSAGE TO FADICA NETWORK, ROME, FEBRUARY 27, 2026

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THIS WEEK'S PARISH CALENDAR

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2026 - Second Collection:

Debt Reduction

7:00 am Mass
8:00 am **Sacramental Preparation** - Cafeteria
9:30 am Mass
11:00 am **Filipino Catholic Club** - Cafeteria
11:00 am **Lector Training** - Church
3:00 pm **Divine Mercy Prayer Group** - Chapel
5:00 pm Mass

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2026

6:30 am **Rosary** - Church
7:00 am **Mass** - Church
4:00 pm **Sacred Gestures Women Practice** - Church
6:00 pm **Women's Retreat Planning Meeting** - Borges Room

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2026

6:30 am **Rosary** - Church
7:00 am **Mass** - Church
6:00 pm **Youth Nite Grades 6-12** - Cafeteria
6:00 pm **PPAC (Parish Pastoral Advisory Council)** - Hale Ho'okipa

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2026

6:30 am **Rosary** - Church
7:00 am **Mass** - Church
9:00 am **Breaking Open the Word** - Borges Room
5:00 pm **Sun. 5pm Choir Practice** - Church

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2026

6:30 am **Rosary** - Church
7:00 am **Mass** - Church
8:15 am **SAS Mass - St. Therese of the Child Jesus**
9:00 am **Kahili Crafters** - Borges Room
6:30 pm **Sat. 5pm & Sun. 7am Choir Practice** - Church

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2026

6:30 am **Rosary** - Church
7:00 am **Mass / Communion Service** - Church
7:30 am **24 Hours of Adoration Begins** - Chapel
9:00 am **Craft Group** - Borges Room
9:00 am **Prayer Group Team Mtg** - Hale Ho'okipa
5:00 pm **Confession during Adoration** - Church

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2026 Second Collection:

St. Anthony Catholic School

Food Awareness Weekend

12:00 am **24 Hours of Adoration (till 6:30 am)** - Chapel
6:30 am **Rosary** - Church
7:00 am **Mass** - Church
2:30 pm **Wedding Rehearsal** - Church
3:30 pm **Confessions**
4:30 pm **Rosary** - Church
5:00 pm **Mass**

UPCOMING ADORATION

24 Hours of Adoration

Friday, October 2nd
7:30am - Saturday,
October 3rd

**Confessions Available
5-7pm in the Chapel**

**Wednesday,
October 7th**

6:00pm - 7:00pm



Announcements

- **Lector Training** for new & current
Lectors will be this Sunday, Sept.
27th at **11:00am** in the Church.
- Pre-sale drink tickets for the **County Fair** are on sale in the Church Office.
- Sign up for our **24 Hours of Adoration**
October 3-4 at the Church Entrance or
with our Church Office.
- We will have a bus to go to **Kula** on
Saturday, October 10th for their
festivities. See flyer on page 2.
Call the Church Office to sign up.
- Please plan on joining us on Saturday,
**October 24th for a potluck dinner and
talk at 6pm by our Hallow App Rep
Marco.** His talk will be on
"Developing a Habit of Prayer."

Parish Finances September 14 - 20, 2026

Sunday Offerings	\$11,168.00
Candles	\$524.00
Second Collection: Repair & Maintenance Fund	\$1,879.00
Online Offerings	\$1,272.80
School Donations	\$130.00
Other Income	\$9,484.00
Total Income	\$24,457.80

TipTap Give

Use your Credit Card or
Smartphone's wallet to give with one
small tap in the offering bowl, at the
Kiosk in Church, or in the Chapel!



SCAN TO REQUEST
TAX RECEIPT

Never Too Late to Change

This Week's Readings at Mass

- Ezekiel 18:25-28 • Personal responsibility
- Philippians 2:1-11 • Imitating the humility of Christ
- Matthew 21:28-32 • Parable of the two sons

All three readings today give advice and encouragement for every person to live an upstanding life. The first reading from Ezekiel does this by way of a threat that was in keeping with how the ancient Jews thought of life and death. The idea of everlasting heaven and hell hadn't developed yet, so they didn't believe in the afterlife as we do. They thought that if you don't live a just and virtuous life, your punishment would be an early death. On the flip side, if you lived well, you would earn yourself a longer life. It's not hard to imagine how that thinking developed into the Christian understanding that how we live on earth will determine our fate for the afterlife. Jesus, and later St. Paul, expanded on this idea by stressing that God's mercy and grace reach beyond human behavior. We don't earn our salvation—God grants it.

Jesus' parable today seems straight-forward. It's better for a child ultimately to do what he or she was asked, even if they didn't agree to it initially. The chief priests and elders knew right away that is the preferred outcome compared to a son who promises something but doesn't follow through. So what is the point of the parable? It seems so obvious.

The kicker comes when we think about who Jesus is addressing here. He is talking to the chief priests and elders, the ones who thought they were the good ones, the righteous ones, the virtuous, chosen ones who deserved to be handed the Kingdom of Heaven because of their good behavior. Yet he points out that when John the Baptist came preaching repentance, inclu-



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"Humbly regard others as more important than yourselves."

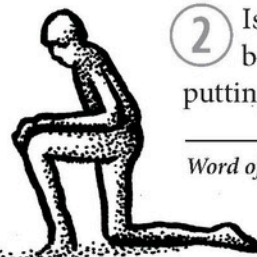
Sheepish Question:

When have I been humbled by serving someone in need? How?

sion, and economic and social justice, they dismissed him and ignored his message. On the other hand, the tax collectors and prostitutes (people looked down upon and ridiculed by the chief priest and elders) listened and heeded John the Baptist. They had the humility to recognize they needed to ask forgiveness and change their ways, and they did. Suddenly, Jesus' point becomes clear—it's never too late to change our ways, ask for forgiveness, and be welcomed into the Kingdom. On the other hand, if we say we want to do God's will, but never get around to it, we are no better than the hypocritical chief priests and elders.

Questions of the Week

- 1 Who do you usually relate most to—the first or second son? Why?
- 2 Is there something God might be asking you to do that you are putting off or resisting?



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