

ST. ANTHONY CATHOLIC CHURCH

AND MISSION OF OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Thank you for celebrating with us today.
Let us always gather as a community to
celebrate the blessings that surround us.

WEEKEND MASSES

St. Anthony

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 8:00 am & 10:00 am

Sunday: 1:30 pm (Español)

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Sunday: 11:30 am

Confession - St. Anthony

Saturday: 4:00 - 4:45 am

WEEKDAY MASSES & SERVICES

St. Anthony

Monday: 8:00 am

Communion Service

Tuesday - Friday: 8:00 am - Mass

First Friday Devotion - After Mass

NOVENAS

- St. Anthony Novena
Tuesdays after Mass
- Our Lady of Perpetual Help
Novena Wednesdays after Mass

ADORATION

Thursdays - after 8 am Mass

Tuesdays: 2nd and 4th of month
6:30 pm:- 7:30 pm

PARISH OFFICE STAFF

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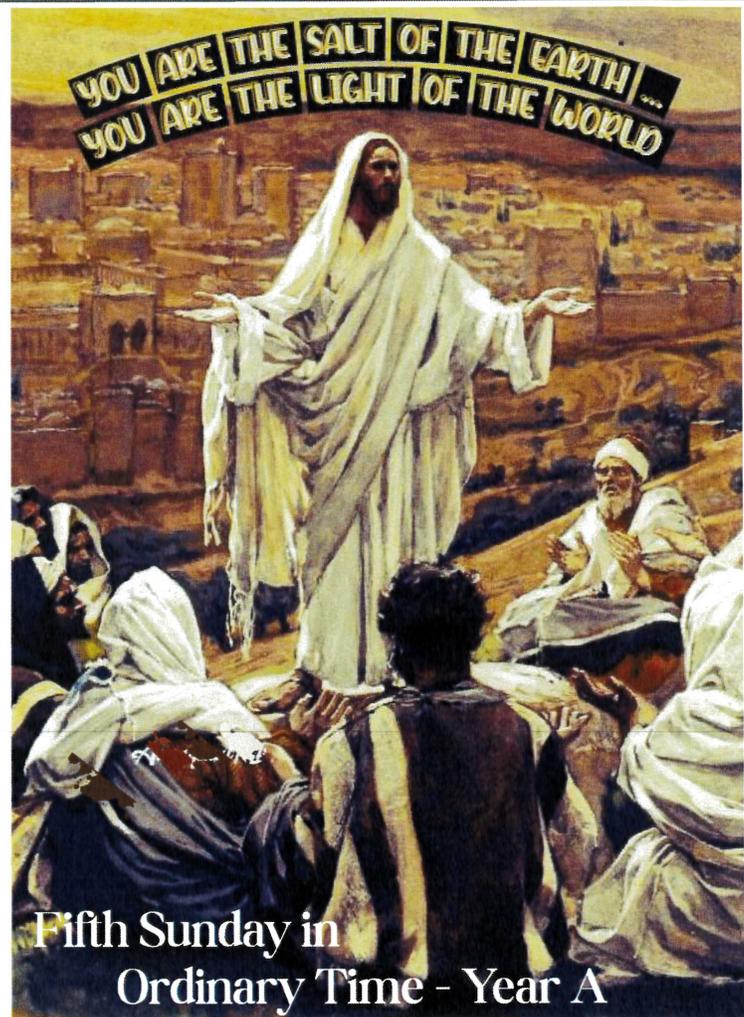
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**Fifth Sunday in
Ordinary Time - Year A**

The just man is a light in the darkness to the upright.
Psalm 112

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Office Hours - Monday - Thursday: 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Friday: 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

**Our Stewardship Offering to God and His Church
January 31st and February 1st, 2026**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!	OFFERTORY	BLDG. FUND	MINISTRY OF POOR
SAINT ANTHONY	\$ 3334.80	\$1,359.03	\$0.00
ONLINE GIVING	\$ 4,064.63	\$400.00	\$15.00
OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP	\$ 951.35	\$ 346.00	\$ 0.00
ONLINE GIVING	\$ 125.00	\$10.05	\$ 0.00
TOTAL	\$ 8475.78	\$ 2,115.03	\$ 15.00

Scheduled Second Collections

Feb 8th: Parish Bulletin
 Feb 15th: Ministry of the Poor
 Feb 18th : Arch: Catholic Charities - Ash Wednesday
 Feb 22nd: Arch: Black & Native American Catholic Missions

Mass Attendance: Jan. 31st & Feb. 1st

<u>St. Anthony</u>		<u>Our Lady of Perpetual Help</u>	
5 pm	100	11:30 am	107
8 am	132		
10 am	107		
1:30 pm	56		



Daily Mass Readings : Feb. 8th - Feb. 14th

Sun., 8th: FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
 1s 58:7-10/1 Cor 2:1-5/Mt 5:13-16

Mon., 9th: Weekday
 1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13/Mk 6:53-56

Tue., 10th: Saint Scholastica, Virgin *Memorial*
 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30/Mk 7:1-13

Wed., 11th: Our Lady of Lourdes
 1 Kgs 10:1-10/Mk 7:14-23

Thur., 12th: Weekday
 1 Kgs 11:4-13/Mk 7:24-30

Fri., 13th: Weekday
 1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19/Mk 7:31-37

Sat., 14th: Saints Cyril, Monk, and Methodius, Bishop *Memorial*
 1Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34/Mk 8:1-10



MASS INTENTIONS

SAINT ANTHONY

Saturday, February 7

5:00 pm: †Secundino Garcia. Sr.
 †Leonard T. Garcia
 35th Wedding Anniversary:
 Larry & Norma Titzman
 Birthday Blessings: Janie Casanova

8:00 am: †Gilbert & †Usdela Seguin
 †Dave & †Josie Flores
 †Edward & †Alma Marie Skloss
 †Severin & †Regina Keller
 †Louis Tarin
 †Annie Krawietz
 †Larry Preiss

Catholic Daughters & Knights of Columbus
 Members: Living & †Deceased

10:00am: †Rolando Sifuentes
 †Tadeo & †Estela Arciniega
 †Joe Tejada

1:30pm: †Jesus & †Hortencia Medrano

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

11:30 am: The Community of Our Lady of Perpetual Help

SAINT ANTHONY - 8 a.m. WEEKDAY MASS

Mon., Feb 9: Communion Service
 Tue., Feb 10: †Rusty Grohman
 Wed., Feb. 11: †Pedro E. Martinez
 †Ira B. Nowlin
 Thur., Feb. 12: †Deacon John (Jack) K. Miller
 Fri., Feb. 13: The Community of St. Anthony

SAINT ANTHONY

Saturday, February 14

5:00 pm: The Community of San Anthony

Sunday, February 15

8:00 am: †Robert Heimer
 †Alfred & †Helen Meyer
 †Julia Moczygamba
 †Larry Preiss
 Guadalupeana Society Members:
 Living & †Deceased

10:00am: Birthday Blessings:
 Aurora Medrano
 Health & Well Being: Patricia Dorsett
 Blessings: A.C.T.S. Community of Sisters
 & Brothers in Christ

1:30pm: †La Comunidad de San Antonio

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

11:30 am: †Mary Gonzales

**From the desk of
Father Fidele O. Dikete....**



Dear Parishioners and Friends,

I have some wonderful news to share with our parish family. As you know, our community here in Elmendorf and our mission in Sasparamco are growing. We have a deep history, but we also look toward the future. For a long time, we have needed a place where our entire family—from both churches—can come together, stay informed, and grow in faith, even when we aren't sitting in the pews. Today, I am very proud to officially launch our new 'Digital Plaza'—the brand new St. Anthony & OLPH website. It is a beautiful digital home that reflects the beauty of our physical churches. Thanks to our Sister Grace Steeler who has worked diligently to create this website from scratch and amené operational for the good of both communities. Grace will walk you through the functionality and the beauty of our website at the 5 pm Mass of February 7th.

ACTS Retreat stands for Adoration, Community, Theology and Service. Our ACTS Retreat Board and team of ladies have been working diligently to ensure a successful retreat scheduled from Thursday, February 12 thru Sunday, February 15th. I invite you to take this unique opportunity and register for this encounter with the Lord. It is an experience that you will not regret. Retreat includes daily mass, reflections, adoration, confessions and personal time with the Lord. As for now, we have 11 new retreatants registered. We ask for more ladies to make a commitment. Financial assistance is available for those in need. Please register after each mass or stop by the office during office hours to register.

Please join me in congratulating Mildred Moczygamba representative of St. Anthony, and Cecilia (Cecy) Hernandez representative of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, upon receiving the Lumen Gentium award for 2026. The parish Lumen Gentium award is bestowed yearly upon Catholic lay people from each parish who have demonstrated participation in the Catholic Church's mission to bring Christ's light to all.

Mildred is married to Deacon "Zeke" Moczygamba and Cecy is married to Reggie Hernandez. Mildred and Cecy are both members of the Liturgy Committee, Christmas Celebration Committee and are ACTS Retreat Board members. Mildred is the president of the Altar Society at St. Anthony and Cecy is also the president of the Altar Society at Our Lady of Perpetual Help. Mildred is a coordinator of the Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Communion. Cecy is a member of the money counters. They both volunteer their time at several church functions.

Here is the latest count for the Valentine Celebration: As of now, February 4th, 2026, we have 67 couples registered for the renewal of their wedding vows and among which 60 will be attending dinner, music and dance in the parish hall. We have also 11 singles and 11 children registered to attend the mass and celebration after mass.

God bless you always,

Fr. Fidele Dikete
Pastor



**In Our Thoughts and Prayers
"Lord, Hear our Prayer."**

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| Baby Mark Santos | Jose Herrera | David Owen |
| Robert Acree | Barbara Hoelscher | Richard Palomo |
| Richard Bauer | Fr. Andrew Kafara | Darlene Parker |
| Janie Casanova | Kayla Kindred | Gianna Pesina |
| Norma Casanova | Larry Kendall | Margaret Ramos |
| Richard Castillo | Francis Kotara | Mari Luz Reséndiz |
| Gladys De La O | Jaime Macias III | John Robichaux |
| Elizabeth Dziuk | Marilyn Magaro | Antonia Santos |
| Wilbert Felux | Sylvia Martinez | Vanessa M. Santos |
| Fred Flores | Fr. William McNamara | Olivia Seguin |
| Grant Frederick | Arnold Medellin | Estella Segura |
| Melanie Frederick | Cheryl Medellin | Irene Sibley |
| Joseph Z. García | Frances Miller | Miguel Silva |
| Stephanie García | Christina Moreno | Noah Spaulding |
| María Garza | Samantha Moreno | Pedro Solís |
| Rubén Guerra | Santos Moreno | Juan Trevino |
| | | Jacob Warschak |

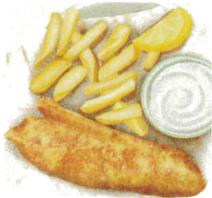
LENTEN FISH Fry **SERVING ON: Friday, February 20th!**
4:30pm to 7:00 pm

DINE IN OR DRIVE THRU

MENU
Delicious Fish Plate
Fish, Fries, Cole Slaw, Hush Puppies, Condiments, Water
New Process...Tastier Fish

Volunteers are Welcomed!
Contacts:
Dennis Winkler 210-445-0861
Dennis Migl 210-275-1566

MEN'S CLUB Annual Fundraiser



Movie Knight! **Join Us for a delicious Spaghetti Dinner & Movie Night!**

Join us in the parish hall for a night of saucy spaghetti and a blockbuster movie, all for the unbeatable price of free!

Now Showing: Man of God

Free Event Details
Date: Saturday, February 21st
Time: Following the 5:00 PM Mass
Contact: David Martinez (210)790-3365

SACRAMENTS



Baptism serves as the first Sacrament one receives when entering the Catholic Faith.

You only receive it one time as your Sacrament of Initiation.

To schedule a Baptism, please call the parish office to begin the process.

- **First Communion and Confirmation:** Students must be enrolled in Religious Education classes for two consecutive years. First Communion normally takes place during the 2nd grade year and Confirmation during the 10th grade year, exceptions may be arranged. Baptism is a prerequisite! Call the office to get your child baptized before classes begin.
- **Marriage:** By Appointment - Six Months in Advance! Call the parish office to register, turn in necessary documents and arrange appointments with the Pastor.
- **Sacrament of the Sick or Holy Communion for the Homebound:** Call to arrange the time and location. Office: (210) 635-8539
- **Funerals:**
 1. First contact should be the funeral home, they will contact the parish office to schedule the services.
 2. After meeting with the funeral home, call the office to schedule a family meeting with the Pastor.

CEMETERY BUSINESS - By Appointment

St. Anthony Cemetery

For Records and Plot Sales call: (210) 635-8539

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Cemetery

For Records and Plot Sales call:

Albert Gamez, Jr.: (830) 391-0451

2026 Women’s Retreat: We kindly request your prayers as we embark on our retreat this coming week. Your blessings and support are greatly appreciated in advance. We ask our community to keep us in their thoughts during this time of reflection and renewal. Sign up on the Prayer Board at church entrance!

Ladies, it’s not too late to register so just call one of the directors listed below to expedite your “YES”.



“Happy are those who seek Him with their Whole Heart.”

Psalm 119:2

Women’s 2026 A.C.T.S. Retreat

Dates: February 12-15

Location: Moye Retreat Center, Castroville, Texas

Director: Gloria C De Baca: (505) 860-8167

Co-Directors: Patricia Orozco: (210) 831-9412

Sylvia Martinez: (210) 912-6506

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2026 Car Raffle!
2026 Mercedes-Benz
GLB 250

Drawing Date: February 20, 2026
Ticket Prices: \$25 each or 5 tickets for \$100
For Raffle Tickets call:
Maria Herrera at (210)771-7606