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FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY (OT 4) – 30 JANUARY 2022

OUR CLERGY

MOST REV. STEVEN J. LOPES, Bishop

REV. FATHER MARK W. LEWIS, Pastor

REV. FATHER JON JENKINS, Parochial Vicar

REV. MR. MICHAEL D'AGOSTINO, Deacon

REV. MR. DAVID DELANEY, Deacon

REV. MR. RANDALL KING, Deacon



READINGS & INTENTIONS

Sun, Jan 30, Fourth Sunday After the Epiphany (OT 4)

Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19 / Psalms 71:1-5, 14, 16 /

1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13 / Luke 4:21-30

DWSM: Propers & Readings: p. 221,

Order of the Mass: pp. 663-706

5 p.m. Alfonso Martinez, Jr., Departed

7 a.m. Intention for Fr. Jeffrey Moore

9 a.m. Intention for the Delaney Family

11 a.m. Intention for the People of the Parish

5 p.m. Intention for the Henriquez Family

Pastoral Emergency Support

Emergency Pastoral Care Hot Line: Please call (210) 370-7838. Emergency calls only including last rites, anointing, and imminent death. For anything else please call the number below.

Sacraments for the Homebound: Please call and leave message at (210) 695-2944 ext 126.

Mon, Jan 31, St. John Bosco, Priest

2 Samuel 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13a / Mark 5:1-20

7 a.m. All Souls In Purgatory

Tue, Feb 1, Feria

2 Samuel 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30-19:3 /

Mark 5:21-43

7 a.m. Wallace Fountain, Departed

Wed, Feb 2, Presentation of the Lord

Malachi 3:1-4 / Psalms 24:7-10 / Hebrews 2:14-18 /

Luke 2:22-40

7 a.m. Jerome Anthony School, Departed

Thu, Feb 3, St. Blaise, Bishop & Martyr

Romans 5:1-5 / Mark 16:15-20

7 a.m. Mass for God's Children

Fri, Feb 4, St. Gilbert of Sempringham, Religious

Sirach 47:2-11 / Mark 6:14-29

7 a.m.. All Souls in Purgatory

Sat, Feb 5, St. Agatha, Virgin & Martyr

1 Kings 3:4-13 / Mark 6:30-34

7 a.m. Intention for the Unborn

Vigil Mass - Fifth Sunday after Epiphany (OT 5)

5 p.m. Intention for Fr. Christopher C. Stainbrook



Mass Schedule

Saturday 5 p.m. Vigil Mass (Read Mass)

Sunday 7 a.m. (Read Mass)

9 a.m. (Solemn Mass)

11 a.m. (Solemn Mass)

5 p.m. (Read Mass)

Monday through Saturday 7 a.m. (Read Mass)



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Sunday 8:30 a.m. to 9 a.m., and 10:30 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Wednesday 3 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Thursday 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Saturday 7:45 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.

For appointment contact the parish office at (210) 695-2944



Gospel Meditation - January 30, 2022 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

St. Oscar Romero (1917-1980) was a “Salvadoran Roman Catholic archbishop who was a vocal critic of the violent activities of government armed forces, right-wing groups, and leftist guerrillas involved in El Salvador’s civil conflict (Encyclopedia Britannica).” As a voice of the voiceless, he was an outspoken champion of the poor who were the ones most affected by the civil unrest and violence. His advocacy provoked several attempts on his life. Nonetheless, St. Oscar Romero was convinced that before all else his faith in the resurrected Christ and the values of the Gospel trumped any earthly concern or worry. He walked with complete confidence and trust. On March 24, 1980, St. Oscar Romero was assassinated while celebrating Mass. Such is often the fate of those who challenge the socio-political agendas of the day.

We may look at the example of witness of St. Oscar Romero as something extraordinary. In one sense it is. Through the power of God, an ordinary human being did extraordinary things. But, in and of himself, St. Oscar Romero was simply a humble, loving servant of God. Oscar knew not only the power of love but the risk that comes when loving unconditionally. The beauty of God’s message was able to shine in and through him because he was able to step out of the way and be a vessel. One can assume that for St. Oscar Romero, one’s earthly life has no merit when faith, integrity, conviction, zeal and love are jettisoned. Fear and apprehension had no grip on this man who not only saw but spoke the truth.

Do we speak the truth? It makes us feel good to speak of God as love. But have we ever considered the ramifications of this radical message? There are assaults on human life occurring daily. More and more the value and worth of a human being is being reduced and minimalized. We are becoming widgets in the production of life. In our whole simple humble ways, we too are called to be prophets. Knowing who you are and what is within your means to do, how can you make God’s love real, stand up for what is right, and give witness to the sacredness of all that is around you? ©LPi



Dear Brothers and Sisters,

In today’s Old Testament reading we hear the powerful words spoken by God to the prophet Jeremiah, “Before I formed you in the womb I knew you.” These few words have great theological impact.

Of course this passage is used to defend life, from the time of conception. But these words speak even more deeply about God’s intimate knowledge of each of us, and therefore His love for us.

I want to invite you to ponder the words of God as spoken to Jeremiah, particularly the words, “I knew you.” What does it mean to know another? Certainly we can say, I know many people. We even know some people better than we do others and perhaps even intimately. But what does God mean when speaking these words? Does He know us more intimately, or more deeply than we know ourselves?

If that is the case, and it is, then it means God knows all of our character flaws, defects, and sins-he knows them better than we do ourselves-and yet, He still loves us and came among us to free us from the bondage of sin.

To this end, we all need to be healed: spiritually, emotionally, psychologically, or even physically. We are in need of being made whole in Jesus Christ.

Therefore, I am pleased to announce a quarterly Mass for Healing. Our first Mass for Healing will be held on Friday evening, February 19, 7 p.m.

Jesus said, “The thief comes to steal and kill and destroy. I have come that they may have life, and have it abundantly (John 10:10.)

God created us with a purpose in mind, namely to love Him and know Him intimately. May we be healed, and set free to become the person He created us to be.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Baby Bottles
Change
Lives



Grab it! Fill it! Bring it Back!

BABY BOTTLE DISTRIBUTION DAYS: January 29/30. Masses

BABY BOTTLE RETURNS: February 5th & 6th

Empty baby bottles will be distributed after Masses on January 29/30. When you return them full of coins, bills and checks, your gifts will help the sidewalk advocates of the San Antonio Coalition for Life, working to save lives from abortion.
Contact: Tricia Delaney OLOA Culture of Life Ministry. 210.861.3888



Registrations for CYO Baseball and Softball is now open. Teams will begin to form soon, so please register now. Registration closes on Sunday, February 20, 2022 and practices will start on February 21st with the first regular season games on March 25th. Players must register online by visiting our webpage or scan the QR code above to go directly to Sports Pilot, the official registration site for the CYO.

If you have any questions, or wish to volunteer (coaches, assistant coaches, team ministers, and site coordinators are always needed), you may contact us at cyopresident@atonementonline.com or cyoregistrar@atonementonline.com.

Bioethics For Everyone

Bioethics for Everyone is an adult education series exploring principles of bioethics and their application to common situations. This will be a seven week series, held on Sunday mornings in St. Anthony's Hall, from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. starting **February 13, 2022**, and will follow the children's religious education schedule. This series is free and registration is not required. For more information please contact David Hegedusich at david.hegedusich@gmail.com



Join us on **Sunday, February 20th, 2022, at 4 p.m.** for Solemn Evensong, the sung order of Evening Prayer. All our parish choirs, as well as the Chamber Choir from the Atonement Catholic Academy, will rotate through providing music for Evensong. The choir this day will be the Parish St. Cecilia Choir. Our next scheduled Solemn Choral Evensong will be on Sunday, March 6th, 2022, featuring the Atonement Catholic Academy Chamber Choir. If you would like to join one of our choirs, please send an email to the Director of Music at music@ourladyoftheatonement.org.



Catholic Men's Conference is coming to San Antonio on Saturday, February 26, 2022, at St. Matthew's Athletic Center, 10703 Wurzbach Rd., San Antonio, TX 78230. Guest speakers will be The Most Reverend Gary Janak, Auxiliary Bishop, San Antonio; John Sablan, Co-founder and President of World Ablaze; and Mark Houck, Founder and President of The King's Men. You are invited to attend morning Mass at 8:15 a.m. at St. Matthew's Church before beginning your Catholic Men's Conference experience. For more information visit pilgrimcenterofhope.org

Do you have an event you need to advertise?

Please send the particulars, via email, to elizama@ourladyoftheatonement.org



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - Sacred Heart Chapel - Friday 7:45 a.m. to Sunday 6:15 a.m.

Parish Family Adoration Hour - First Wednesday of the month—7 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament - First Saturday after the 7 a.m. Mass

Morning and Evening Prayer - Mon—Sun, 6:30 a.m. & 4:30 p.m.

Parish Rosary - Saturday after the 7 a.m. Mass

Healing Mass - Quarterly - First Mass to be held on Friday, February 19th at 7 p.m.



The Altar Guild is in need of two more volunteers for this year, in particular, we need to fill the **April and August** slots. We will train you. If interested, please contact Jessica Coleman at (210) 479-5863.



The Atonement Catholic Academy is accepting applications for the 2022-2023 school year!

Enrollment priority offered to parishioners through January 30, 2022.

If you would like to schedule a tour or would like more information, please contact Mrs. Yolanda Joiner, Admissions Director, via email at yjoiner@atonementonline.com.



The Atonement Catholic Academy

The Admission Office invites you to come tour our school!

Please contact Mrs. Yolanda Joiner
yjoiner@atonementonline.com
to schedule a tour

Reverend Mark W. Lewis, Pastor

Mr. Matthew D. Watson, Head of School

The Atonement Catholic Academy

strives for excellence in the physical, the intellectual, and the spiritual virtues through a challenging course of classical and Catholic education.

It provides an accredited classical education and unparalleled Catholic culture to boys and girls in an environment that inspires development of both faith and reason.

Contact us at (210) 695-2240, stop by, or send email to yjoiner@atonementonline.com.

URGENT NEED FOR WEEKEND ADORATION



COVID continues to impact the ranks of our weekend adorers, either by direct illness or precaution against getting ill. Please prayerfully consider committing to a **regular weekly hour**. Each time slot below is down to only **one** adorer. We need a minimum of **two** for each hour. Please send text to (210) 275-5104 or email to schoolcat@att.net.

Friday: 1 to 2 p.m., 4 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 8 p.m. and Saturday: 7 to 8 p.m.

Matthew 26: 40-41 "And he came to the disciples and found them sleeping and he said to Peter, "So, could you not watch with me one hour?"

Watch and pray that you may not enter into temptation; the spirit indeed is willing but the flesh is weak."



Brothers & Sisters, we ask that you keep the following members in your prayers.

- > Pope Francis
- > Our Priests, Deacons, & Acolytes
- > All our Parish Volunteers
- > For the Unborn
- > For the Leaders of the World
- > For Peace among Nations

If you would like to add someone to this list, please send an email, to joliveros@atonementonline.com.



Want something published in the bulletin?
Send it via email to elizama@ourladyoftheatonement.org,
no later than the Sunday
prior to requested publication date.





MINISTRIES & ORGANIZATIONS

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Catherine School - schoolcat@att.net, (210) 275-5104

Adult Inquiry Class

Alan Becker- inquiry@ourladyoftheatonement.org, (210) 273-9426

American Heritage Girls

Veronica Tovar, AHG Coordinator, or
Catherine Henriquez, AHG Vice Coordinator
Email: ahgtroop0814@gmail.com, (210) 695-2240 ext. 109

Atonement Moms Group

<https://OurLadyofAtonement.flocknote/AtonementMoms>

Culture of Life Ministry

Phil Sevilla- philsevilla@att.net, (210) 784-0518

Catholic Youth Organization (CYO) Athletics

Send email to cyopresident@atonementonline.com

Educating on Nature & Dignity of Women (ENDOW)

Glorian Roman-Ashby - EndowatAtonement@gmail.com

Fr. Paul of Graymoor Knights of Columbus Council #16730

Grand Knight Phil Tait, (210) 382-7842

Fulton Sheen Catechism

Thomas Dum, (361) 571-5541

God's Comfort in Loss (after miscarriage)

Marcela Elsner, Renee Keller, & Claire Jenkins
Send email to Godscomfortinloss@gmail.com

Nonnatus New Moms Ministry

Rebecca Gisla - nonnatusmeals@gmail.com, (210) 278-4242

Rosary Guild

Catherine School - schoolcat@att.net, (210) 275-5104
Grace Howard, (210) 887-8562

Sacraments for the Homebound

Please call & leave a message, (210) 695-2944 ext. 126

St. Cuthbert Home Visitation Ministry

Dr. Jesus Garcia Gallegos - jgarcia.gallegos@gmail.com,
(210) 993-2127

St. Joseph the Worker Prayer Group

Bill Vogt, (913) 961-2981

St. Stephen's Guild for Altar Servers, Ushers, & Greeters

John Weems - jweems@atonementonline.com

St. Vincent de Paul Society

(210) 695-2944 ext.160

The Altar Guild

Jessica Coleman, (210) 479-5863

The Troops of St. George

Robert Wallace - tsg815.org

Women of Grace

Diana Marie Salsman, (210) 865-5627

Volunteers needed. Contact the ministry or organization directly.



MEET OUR STAFF

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Pastoral Council

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Ademola Elliotte, & Clare McDonough
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We continue to be grateful to those of you who have so generously contributed to our Parish. Your sacrifice and support have enabled us to remain financially sound during these difficult & uncertain times.

Have you considered simplifying your giving through our online giving portal? You can automatically send your tithe from your checking account or debit/credit card – just as you may do now with your bills. You can enroll by going to the offertory link on our website at ourladyoftheatonement.org. You can continue to support us in the following ways:

Online Giving-Go to our website and click on the "Offertory" link, select "Offertory Collections" in the fund box, and then fill in the amount of your tithe. Please consider making your tithe recurring.

At Mass-Bring your tithe to Mass **OR**

Mail Your Check-Attn: Business Office, Our Lady of the Atonement Catholic Church, 15415 Red Robin Rd, San Antonio, TX 78255.



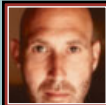
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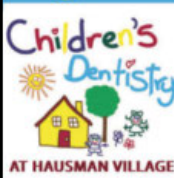
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