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TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY (OT 29) – 17 OCTOBER 2021

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(210) 695-2944 ext 126.



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

Sunday 7 a.m. (Read Mass), 9 a.m. (Solemn Mass), 11 a.m. (Solemn Mass), and 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.



READINGS & INTENTIONS

Sun, Oct 17 Twentieth Sunday After Trinity (OT 29)

Isaiah 53:10-11 / Hebrews 4:14-16 / Mark 10:35-45

DWSM: Propers: p. 1064, Readings: p. 905, Order of the Mass: pp. 663-706

5 p.m. Intention for Frances Sheehan

7 a.m. Intention for Joshua Pottinger

9 a.m. Darrell & Noree Sikes, Departed

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

5 p.m. Intention for Emelia Pottinger

Mon, Oct 18 St Luke, Evangelist

2 Timothy 4:10-17ab / Luke 10:1-9

7 a.m. Sean Markey, Departed

Tue, Oct 19 Sts Jean de Brebeuf & Isaac Jogues, Priests & Companions, Martyrs

Romans 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21 / Luke 12:35-38

7 a.m. Brian Michael O'Connell, Departed

Wed, Oct 20 St Paul of the Cross, Priest

Romans 6:12-18 / Luke 12:39-48

7 a.m. Esteban Alejo, Departed

Thu, Oct 21 Feria

Romans 6:19-23 / Luke 12:49-53

7 a.m. Sean Markey, Departed

Fri, Oct 22 St John Paul II, Pope

Romans 7:18-25a / Luke 12:54-59

7 a.m. Anwar Djayasukma, Departed

Sat, Oct 23 St John of Capistrano, Priest

Romans 8:1-11 / Luke 13:1-9

7 a.m. Michael J. Byczynski & Helen M. Coleman, Departed

Vigil Mass Twenty-First Sunday After Trinity (OT 30)

5 p.m. Intention for Jess Avila



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



Brothers & Sisters,

We ask that you keep the following members in your prayers.

- **Peggy Whiteside**
- **Claire Jenkins**
- **The Knapick Family**
- **All men and women discerning a vocation to the religious life**

If you would like to add someone to this list, please send an email, with that person's full name, to joliveros@atonementonline.com.



PLEASE JOIN US!

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Sacred Heart Chapel—Friday 7:45 a.m. to Sunday 7:15 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



Our Lady of the Atonement Catholic Church gifted every parishioner a **free subscription** to FORMED.ORG, giving us access to over 4,000 titles and several hundred hours of authentic Catholic video and audio programming.

To help unwrap this gift, **you are invited to attend a 30-minute session** to learn how FORMED.ORG can lead you, your family, and our parish to a joyful relationship with Jesus.

This Sunday, October 17, at 10:30 a.m. at St. Anthony Hall, **is the last opportunity to receive an in-person FORMED.ORG orientation.**

You may also just go to FORMED.ORG to register and sign up.

Contact OLOAEvangelism@gmail.com for more information.



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 www.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.

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



GOSPEL MEDITATION

October 17, 2021 - 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“What do you wish me to do for you?” Whether we realize it, this is a question God is always asking. It’s an important question because the answer we provide will reveal a great deal about where our hearts lie. Our requests of God can often appear very noble and altruistic. They consist of requests for healing for someone in need of prayers, successful resolution of a personal conflict, assistance in overcoming a disease and myriad other desires for both ourselves and others. We are especially concerned about those we love and can easily find ourselves bringing their struggles to God for a hearing in our prayer.

Is that really all that prayer is about? The woman in today’s Gospel, having been put in her place by Jesus, was only looking out for the wellbeing of her sons. She was doing what mothers do, protecting and securing the livelihood of her children. But she was sadly mistaken, her request was not granted. We all make this same misguided mistake from time to time. The goal of prayer is not to convince God of the worthiness of our agenda or to gain a hearing. Sometimes we believe that the more we multiply our prayers or discover the right combination of supplications that we will receive more of God’s attention. That’s not how it works. Even though God desires to hear, know, and be an intimate part of what is on our minds, it goes much deeper.

What we need from God is a relationship. It’s a relationship that guides and immerses us in the very stuff of life and in the direction of the Gospel. This relationship sees God’s kingdom and agenda, not our own, as what is most important. It builds the strength of character necessary to bring God’s Gospel into a world that may not receive it with open arms. It may cause us discomfort and suffering. We are asked to heroically journey with God through suffering, hardship, ridicule, and even death! Ultimately, our desire from God must become our desire for God. It is only when this happens that the powerful words “thy will be done” will be found with sincerity and humility on our lips. Whatever God wishes becomes what we wish as we see this glorious union of wills. Our humble lives will then become powerful witnesses, and what happens to us in God’s eternal kingdom the result of his mercy. We become true servants and find ourselves discovering God’s definition of success. That definition has nothing at all to do with status, income, or privilege. ©LPI

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

We currently have three part-time janitorial positions available at the school.

The hours are: Monday, Wednesday, & Friday from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m.

If interested please contact Jimmie Salas via email at maintenance@atonementonline.com



Basketball registration is now open, closing on Oct 31, 2021. Registration **must** be done online. Visit the parish website for a link to **Sports Pilot** the official registration site for CYO sports.

Anyone interested in coaching or volunteering please contact us via email at cyopresident@atonementonline.com or cyoregistrar@atonementonline.com



Items for publication in the Parish Bulletin must be received no later than the Sunday prior to requested publication date.
Send via email to elizama@atonementonline.com

UPCOMING EVENTS



Pumpkin Patch is in full swing!!

Please join us in making this a successful event by coming to the patch, inviting your friends, and volunteering to help.

Sponsored by and benefiting the American Heritage Girls and the Crusader Booster Club.



Please Join us on **Wednesday, October 20, 2021** for the second annual special celebration commemorating our Blessed Mother's last apparition in Fatima in October 1917. Adoration, Benediction, Reflection, Candlelight Procession around the parish, Consecration, Offering of the roses.

Contact Bill Vogt, (913) 961-2981



Teaching our Teen Girls About Cycle & Fertility

Join us on **Thursday, October 21, 2021, from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.**, in the Academy's St. Anthony Hall, for a conversation for concerned Catholic moms. We will talk about women's cycles and holiness, how can girls take charge of their cycle, fertility, and freedom and empowerment.

For more information contact Amada Stevens at (201-695-2240)



Join us on **Sunday, November 7th, at 4 p.m. for Solemn Evensong**, the sung order of Evening Prayer. All of 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 St. Augustine Choir.

If you would like to join one of our choirs, please send an email to aoliveros@atonementonline.com.



Join us on **November 13th, 2021**, from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. for a day filled with fun, food, drinks, games, & shopping.

If interested in setting up a booth, please email Mrs. Erica Lizama at elizama@atonementonline.com



Do you have the best chili recipe in South Texas? Come show off your cooking talents at our Chili Cook-off during the Christmas Bazaar on December 11, 2021.

If you are interested in entering the cook-off, please send email to Erica Lizama at elizama@atonementonline.com



MINISTRIES & ORGANIZATIONS

You don't have to face your troubles alone.
We can help—Just call us.

Contact the ministry or organization below directly.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Catherine School, Email: schoolcat@att.net or call (210) 275-5104
Sacred Heart Chapel; every Friday at 7:45 a.m. to Sunday at 6:15 a.m.

Adult Inquiry Class

Alan Becker-Email: alanmbecker@gmail.com, (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-Email: 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-Email: EndowAtonement@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 -Email: nonnatusmeals@gmail.com, (210) 278-4242

Rosary Guild

Catherine School-Email: 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-Email: jgarcia.gallegos@gmail.com,
(210) 993-2127

St. Joseph the Worker Prayer Group

Bill Vogt, (913) 961-2981
Meets every Wednesday at 6 a.m.

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

John Weems-Email: 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-Email: tsgTroop815@gmail.com



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Do you have some free time, or have a special talent?
The parish needs you.

Our Ministries & Organizations are always looking for volunteers.
Contact the parish office or one of the ministries or organizations for more information.



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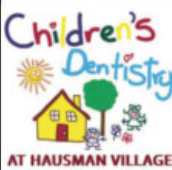
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