



# Saint Athanasius Church

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## MASS SCHEDULE/Horario de Misas

**Vigil (Saturday): 5:00p.m.** (English)

**-Outdoors- 7:00p.m.** (Español)

**Sunday (Domingo): 11:00a.m.** (English)

**-Livestream Indoors- 1:00p.m.** (Español)

Please follow the link in our Website:

<https://www.stathanasiusparish.com>

or go directly to our YouTube channel:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCCu7PQRO-cK5P9LUXAONWAq>

**Daily Masses/Misas Diarias: (solo en Inglés)**

Monday - Friday: **9:00 a.m.** (English)

**-Indoors-**

**RECONCILIATION / CONFESIONES**

by appointment with the Priest / *Por cita.*

## Thirteenth Sunday

*in Ordinary Time*

Whoever gives only a cup  
of cold water to one of these  
little ones to drink because  
the little one is a disciple —  
amen, I say to you,  
he will surely not lose his reward.

Matthew 10:42



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## SCRIPTURE READINGS

2 Kings 4:8–11, 14–16a

Psalms 89:2–3, 16–17, 18–19

Romans 6:3–4, 8–11

Matthew 10:37–42

June 28, 2020

# SAINT ATHANASIUS

## Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Our readings today could be seen as a simple recipe for right living. In the Hebrew Bible, hospitality is regarded as one of the highest virtues. Conditions were harsh, and when people received guests or strangers, they washed their feet, provided a meal, and offered shelter if they could. In Second Kings, a woman's generosity is rewarded with the prospect of a child. In Romans we are called to recognize our baptism in Christ. We are called to be "dead to sin, and living in Christ Jesus." In the Gospel passage from Saint Luke, Jesus bids us to take up our cross, and to receive others as if we were receiving Christ. Put them together, and all of them are a call to see the holy, to see God in others, and to live our lives in Christ.

### THE MESSAGE SEEMS HARSH

On first reading, our Gospel seems very harsh. The idea of taking up our cross can be fearful or have negative connotations, as if it were something only a few can do. It is also confusing. Scripture tells us to honor our father and mother, and yet here are told we must love Jesus more than our parents or children, or we are not worthy. The message that Jesus intends to convey, however, is not to give up these people, but rather to choose Christ first.

Sometimes this means being countercultural. For a family, how do we make choices to keep Christ in the picture? It could mean that when you make plans to take the family to that water park for the weekend, you should also locate the local church so you can attend Mass. Or maybe it means not placing your child on the soccer team with 10 a.m. Sunday games, or re-scheduling another part of your life to keep Christ foremost. Perhaps it is something as simple as locking yourself in the bathroom for five minutes so that you have time to pray. Maybe it means listening to an audiobook of scriptures on your commute to work. All we do is for naught if we do not include Christ.

### THERE ARE MANY "CUPS OF WATER"

Don't get caught up in taking this scripture literally. Yes, you may give someone a glass of water, invite the staff of your parish for a meal, hand an apple or a dollar bill to a homeless person, or take a shift in a shelter. But sometimes, what is being asked for is simply a kind word or a helping hand. Seeing an elderly person having trouble and helping them through the crosswalk, calming someone's toddler in the grocery store while they pay their bill. Offer a smile, a compliment, or a word of encouragement. Say hello to a stranger. We do not know who is parched with loneliness or feeling overwhelmed. Look for the Christ in others and respond with simple kindness and hospitality.

Today's Readings: 2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a; Ps 89:2-3, 16-17, 18-19; Rom 6:3-4, 8-11; Mt 10:37-42

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## Mass Intentions For The Week



**Sat (27) 5:00** Toribio Asido -- Deceased (†)  
Jerome Sicard -- Deceased (†)  
In Thanksgiving to Our Lady of Perpetual Help (T)

**7:00**

**Sun (28) 11:00** Mimilyn V. Carolino -- Birthday (B)  
Ajay Fernandez -- Birthday (b)  
Maria Merlitti -- Deceased (†)  
Tina Koza -- Deceased (†)  
Carlos Amaral -- Deceased (†)

**1:00**

**Mon (29) 9:00** Jim McClain -- Special Int. (S.I.)

**Tue (30) 9:00** Joel Villareal -- Birthday (B)

**Wed (1) 9:00** Isaac Chan. -- 5th Birthday (B)

**Thu (2) 9:00** Kelli Underhill -- Special Intentions (S.I.)

**Fri (3) 9:00** Jim McClain -- Special Intentions (S.I.)

†—Deceased; T—Thanksgiving;  
S.I.—Special Intention; B—Birthday; S—Sick

### Death Anniversary Remembrance Week of June 28

Frieda Reilly	Ricardo Reyes de Guzman
Maria D. Merlitti	Egidio Tomei
Lucy Trujillo	Charles Robert Hirsher
Joseph Cappelletti	Margaret Phelan Taylor
Scott James Dumo	

### REST IN PEACE



### Please Pray for the Sick

Julie Hidalgo, Gloria Ramirez, Ellen Poso, Soledad Jara, Danilo Fidel, JoAnne Arnold, Lucile Bianco, Isaura Aguilar, Romulo Prieto, Bernie Barron, Josephine Sierras, Richard Sanchez, Henry Sanchez, Michael Fernandez, Mark Del Secco, Joan Del Secco, Beth Sukimoto and Joel Villareal.

### STAY CONNECTED!

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<http://stathanasiusparish.com>



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<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCCu7PQRO-cK5P9LUXAONWAg>

# 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 28, 2020

*“Give to the Most High as he has given to you, generously, according to your means. For the Lord is one who always repays, and he will give back to you sevenfold” (Sirach)*

Daily Masses June 15-19	
9:00 AM	\$81.00
Saturday/Sábado June 20	
5:00 PM	\$940.00
7:00 PM	\$298.00
Sunday / Domingo June 21	
11:00AM	\$1.00
1:00 PM	\$20.00
Mail In / Por Correo	\$866.00
Online Giving	\$495.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2,701.00</b>
Goal / Meta	\$7,600
Variance/ Diferencia	<\$4,899.00>

### WE APPRECIATE YOUR SUPPORT!

Thank you for your continued support during this tough period for many. You can continue to contribute to the parish in several ways:

1) By using the on-line donation link on our parish website, as 88 of you are already doing.

<https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/athanasius>

2) By dropping off your check or your cash donation to the parish office anytime via the mail slot in the front door of the Rectory or mailing in your personal check or money order.

4) By donating using your smartphone, via text. Follow the instructions: Text the word **GIVE** to **(650) 590 5031** and follow the instructions to “Register for an Account.”



### Virtual Concert at Saint Athanasius July 11 and 12, 2020

You are invited to a virtual performance by Jerry Pintar and Gabrielle Rosenberg (pianist and singer from our 11:00 am choir)  
More information coming up in our next bulletin.



### DRIVE THRU FOOD DISTRIBUTION

Saint Athanasius Church  
Saturday, June 27th  
from 10 am to 12pm

No Registration Needed Beforehand - Registration will be done on-site.

If you would like to volunteer, please contact the Parish Office at [Athanasius@comcast.net](mailto:Athanasius@comcast.net).

Free Groceries!!

### How to make reservations to attend Mass?

- To make a reservation you need to call the Parish Office on Wednesday from 9 am to 1 pm at **(650) 961 8600 Ext. 100** and speak to the receptionist.
- Voice Messages or e-mails are not accepted
- In consideration to fellow parishioners we encourage you to limit your reservations to twice a month to give other parishioners the opportunity to attend Mass.
- PLEASE do not come to Mass if you have flu or cold symptoms.

**The reservations for the following Masses will be available beginning on Wednesday, June 24th after 9:00 a.m.**

- Daily Indoor Masses (M-F) from June 29th-July3 (9 am English)
- Saturday Outdoor Mass for July 4th (5 pm English and 7 pm Spanish)
- Sunday Livestream Indoor Masses for July 5th (11am English and 1 pm Spanish)

**No walk-ins will be allowed at any of our in-person Masses**

### ST. ATHANASIUS – DAILY NOONTIME PRAYER SERVICE

Until we can once again come together and celebrate the Weekday Mass as a community, please come and join us via a ZOOM video conference for a short (about 20 minutes) daily prayer service starting at 12 Noon, Monday thru Saturday.

We'll be praying the Regina Caeli (during the Easter Season), a COVID-19 prayer and the Chaplet of Divine Mercy each day.

To join the prayer service, please click on the Zoom link below on your PC, Mac or iPad, or enter the Meeting ID listed below on your iPhone or Android Zoom app.

**The NEW Meeting ID: 832 5853 9150**

**The NEW Password: 94043**

### ST. PAUL DISCIPLESHIP GROUP IS STILL MEETING

If you have missed connecting and praying with your fellow parishioners, we invite you to visit the St. Paul Discipleship Group virtual meeting **Tuesday nights from 8:30pm-10pm**. The meetings consist of prayer, reflection on our faith journeys in general and on evangelization in particular, and the daily readings.

Email the parish office at [Athanasius@comcast.net](mailto:Athanasius@comcast.net) for the Zoom meeting details.

### A Prayer for our Church

God, our Heavenly Father, we humbly ask you to make the doors of our Church wide enough to receive all who need human love and fellowship, and a Father's care; narrow enough to shut out all envy, pride and un-charitableness. Make its threshold smooth enough to be no stumbling block to children, or to weak or straying feet; but rugged and strong enough to turn back the tempter's power.

Please send to us those whom You would have be part of Your work here at our Church, and many we ask continue to be Yours, forever; daily increasing in Your Holy Spirit of love and in service to others. We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

Decimotercer Domingo  
del Tiempo Ordinario

Quien diere, aunque no sea más que un vaso de agua fría a uno de estos pequeños, por ser discípulo mío, yo les aseguro que no perderá su recompensa.

Mateo 10:42



28 de junio de 2020

**Décimo Tercer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario**

**EL MENSAJE PARECE RIGUROSO**

La lectura del Evangelio parece muy rigurosa. La idea de tomar nuestra cruz puede dar temor o tener connotaciones negativas, como si fuera algo que solo algunos pueden hacer. También es confuso. Las Escrituras nos dicen que debemos honrar a nuestro padre y madre, e incluso aquí se nos dice que debemos amar a Jesús más que a nuestros padres o hijos, sino no somos dignos. Sin embargo, la intención del mensaje que Jesús quiere transmitir no es la de abandonar a las personas, sino al contrario, primero elegir a Cristo.

Algunas veces esto significa ser contracultural. Para una familia, ¿cómo tomamos decisiones para mantener a Cristo en la foto? Podría significar que cuando haces planes para llevar a la familia a un parque de diversiones el fin de semana, deberías encontrar una parroquia cercana para ir a Misa. O quizá significa no poner al hijo en el equipo de futbol en el mismo horario de los juegos dominicales de las 10 de la mañana, o cambiar del calendario una fiesta para mantener a Cristo como lo primero. Quizá es algo tan sencillo como encerrarse en el baño por cinco minutos para dedicar un tiempo para rezar. Tal vez significa escuchar un audio de la Escrituras durante el camino al trabajo. Todo lo que hacemos es nada si no incluimos a Cristo.

**HAY MUCHAS “COPAS DE AGUA”**

No tomes tan apecho esta frase. Sí, puedes ofrecer a alguien un vaso de agua, invitar una comida a los trabajadores de la parroquia, ofrecer una manzana o un billete de dólar a una persona desamparada, o ser voluntario en un refugio. Pero algunas veces, lo que a veces solo se pide y es necesario es una palabra amable u ofrecer ayuda a alguien. Ver a una persona anciana teniendo dificultad y ayudarlo a cruzar la calle, calmar a un niño inquieto en la fila del supermercado. Ofrecer una sonrisa, una felicitación o una palabra de ánimo. Decir hola a un desconocido. No sabemos quién está pasando un momento triste o está solo o se siente agobiado. Busca a Cristo en los demás y responde con una amabilidad sencilla y con cordialidad.

Lecturas de hoy: 2 Re 4:8-11, 14-16a; Sal 89 (88):2-3, 16-17, 18-19; Rom 6:3-4, 8-11; Mt 10:37-42

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**¿Cómo hacer una reservación para asistir a una Misa Pública en San Atanasio?**

1. Para hacer una reservación favor de llamar a la oficina el miércoles después de las 9 am al teléfono (650) 961 8600 Ext. 100 y hable con la recepcionista.
2. Mensajes de voz o correos electrónicos no serán aceptados para hacer una reservación.
3. En consideración a todos los parroquianos le pedimos limitar sus reservaciones a **dos veces por mes** para dar la oportunidad a los demás parroquianos de asistir a la Misa. **POR FAVOR** no venga a Misa si tiene síntomas de influenza o resfriado.

**Las reservaciones de las siguientes Misas estarán disponibles a partir del miércoles 24 de junio después de las 9 am.**

- Misa diaria de las 9 am en inglés (dentro de la Iglesia) del 29 de junio al 5 de julio.
- Misa de Vigilia en el patio de la escuela el sábado 4 de julio (5pm en inglés y 7pm en español).
- Misa de transmisión en vivo dentro de la Iglesia el domingo 5 de julio (11 am en inglés y 1 pm en español).

**SIGUIENDO EL LIMITE DE PERSONAS ESTABLECIDO POR EL CONDADO DESANTA CLARA, NO SE PERMITIRA LA ENTRADA A PERSONAS SIN RESERVACION**



**DISTRIBUCION DE COMIDA POR AUTO**

Iglesia de San Atanasio  
Sabado 27 de junio  
de las 10 am a las 12pm

NO necesita registracion previa. Las registraciones se haran el dia de la distribucion de comida.

Si le gustaria ser voluntario, favor de contactar la oficina parroquial a Athanasius@comcast.net.



**¡LE AGRADECEMOS SU APOYO!**

Aún puede seguir apoyando a nuestra Iglesia haciendo su donación semanal los domingos, aquí le ofrecemos las siguientes alternativas; puede enviar su cheque por correo, traer su donación en efectivo en un sobre con su nombre y dejarlo a través de la ranura de correo de la puerta de la oficina, también puede donar en línea a través de nuestro sitio web de nuestra parroquia:

**<https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/athanasius>**

También puede mandar un mensaje de texto con la palabra **GIVE** al número (650) 590 5031 y seguir las instrucciones para registrar una cuenta.

Use el Código QR en la esquina superior izquierda de este recuadro para ir directamente a nuestra página de Online Giving. ¡Gracias por su apoyo y generosidad en estos momentos!

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**Mission Statement for St. Athanasius Parish --“St. Athanasius Church’s mission is to build disciples of Jesus Christ and assist them in responding to God’s call to love and to serve”**

**Misión de la Parroquia de San Atanasio -- "La Misión de la Iglesia de San Atanasio es construir discípulos de Jesucristo y ayudarles a responder el llamado de Dios a amar y servir"**

**JUNTOS COMO HERMANOS** Lunes - 7:00 PM

**FAMILY PRAYER HOUR** Tuesdays - 7:00 PM  
We need only to look around to see the tremendous pressures facing our families and how those pressures pull our families apart. There’s little doubt that we live in a society of instant everything, one of the major contributions to family deterioration. Family Prayer Night is a response. It is a way for families to set aside an hour a week to be together in the presence of God, to pray and appreciate the most important people in our lives. Join us every Tuesday in church, 7-8 pm for Adoration, Benediction and Prayer.

**OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP MASS**  
Wednesdays - 6:30 PM

**HIJOS DE MARIA SANTISIMA** Jueves - 7:00 PM

**JOVENES PARA CRISTO**

Viernes a las 7 de la noche se reúne el grupo de Jóvenes para Cristo en el salón parroquial. Mayores de 18 años únicamente.

**ST. ATHANASIUS BEREAVEMENT, COMFORT AND SUPPORT GROUP**

Meets every 4th Friday of the month at the Rectory at 7PM. For details, please call (650) 961-8600

**FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION**

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament All Day the First Friday of the month starting after 9:00 AM Mass. Please sign-up for an hour of adoration on the sign-up sheet in the back of church. Benediction at 12 PM.

**SENIORS LUNCH**

Meet the second Tuesday of the Month (October-April) in the Parish Hall at 11:30 AM. For more information please call the Rectory (650) 961 8600.

**RESPECT LIFE GROUP**

Supports the sacredness of all human life through direct service to women in crisis pregnancies, education, advocacy and direct action on behalf of human life. Meets every first Saturday at 10 AM in the Marian Rm. Children welcome. For more information please call Carmel Caligaris at (650) 967-3807.

**ST. PAUL DISCIPLESHIP GROUP**

The St. Paul Discipleship Group is a group of parishioners that walk together in their spiritual journey. **We meet most Tuesday nights (8:30-10:00 pm)** to praise God, pray together, discuss various topics about our faith, and reflect on Scripture. Contact the Parish Office at (650) 961 8600 for more information.

**BULLETIN EMAILS**

Did you know that you can receive the weekly bulletin in your email inbox weekly for free? Sign up for the automatic bulletin email at <https://www.jspaluch.com/bulletinsubscribe.aspx>

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**Sacrament Preparation for Children & Teens**

Preparation for the sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Eucharist (Grades 2-12) and for Confirmation (Grades 9-12) is a one year process. For more information please contact the Catechetical Office at (650) 961-8600 Ext 103.

**Faith Formation for Children, Teens and Adults**

Our Faith Formation program seeks to empower our most important Catechists—our parents—to guide the faith formation of their children. We deepen our faith in Jesus through Scripture stories, reflection, prayer and seasonal celebrations in large and small groups. For more information, please contact our Catechetical Office at (650) 961-8600 Ext 103.



**Saint Athanasius Leaders in Training S.A.L.T.**  
Youth Group for teenagers (13-18). Group activities include apologetics, Bible study, outdoor activities, and more. Meetings are twice a month on Sundays starting with Mass at 11:15 AM and activities afterwards from 12:30 - 2:00 pm. Registration is FREE! For more information contact Alice Lee at [joy268@hotmail.com](mailto:joy268@hotmail.com).

**Baptism of Children**

(English & Spanish)

Parents are invited to contact our parish office at (650) 961 8600 to set up an appointment for an initial interview with one of our priests. Parents and Godparents are required to attend a Baptismal preparation session prior to the Baptism. No Baptism date can be set until the interview with the priest. Children age 7 or above are required to participate in our Children’s Faith Formation program to prepare for this sacrament.

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**

Parish volunteers serve the needy of our area through our Food Pantry and Emergency Assistance program. Interested Parishioners are welcome to join us at our board meetings held on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7:30 pm, to see how we carry out our mission.

**ALTERNATIVES TO ABORTIONS**

BIRTH AND BEYOND (331) 444-5433  
12 N White Rd #5, San Jose, CA 95127

**CATHOLIC CEMETERIES**

For burial information and pre-planning assistance, please call **888-715-2150**. We help you meet eternal life with faith, hope, and love.



**Office for the Protection of Children and Vulnerable Adults / Oficina de Protección de Niños y Adultos Vulnerables**

Diocese of San Jose– Anthony Gonzalez (408) 983-0113  
**Emergency Line:** (408) 983-0144.  
<https://opcva.ethicspoint.com>.

# FOOD DRIVE

## DISTRIBUCIÓN DE COMIDA



**10:00 A.M. TO 12:00 P.M.**

Each Second and Fourth  
Saturday of the Month

Cada Segundo y Cuarto  
Sábado del Mes



Catholic Charities  
of Santa Clara County



SECOND HARVEST  
of SILICON VALLEY

**SAINT ATHANASIUS CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
**160 N RENGSTORFF AVE, MOUNTAIN VIEW, CA 94043**



# RESUMPTION OF MASSES AT SAINT ATHANASIUS

(Limited Attendance, by reservation only)



Day	Time	Language	Location	
Saturday / sábado (Vigil / Vigilia)	5:00 pm	English	Outdoor (School Courtyard North side of school)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Facemask and social distancing required</li> <li>• Bring your own chair, hat, sun-screen, etc.</li> </ul>
	7:00 pm	Español	Afuera, en el patio de la escuela	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cubre boca y distanciamiento social requerido</li> <li>• Traiga su propia silla y suéter por si hace frio.</li> </ul>
Sunday / do- mingo (Livestream)	*11:00 am (New Time)	English	Indoor (Church)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Facemask and social distancing required</li> </ul>
	*1:00 pm	Spanish	Adentro de la Igle- sia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cubre boca y distanciamiento social requerido</li> </ul>
* We will take reservations for both Sunday Masses, 11 am and 1 pm.				
Daily Masses / Misas diarias	9:00 am	English	Indoor (Church)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Facemask and social distancing required</li> </ul>
M-F / Lunes a Viernes				

To reach a priest after office hours in an EMERGENCY situation, such as a death or the need for the  
Last Rites call: (408) 444-0257

*Para hablarle a un sacerdote después de las horas de oficina en una situación de emergencia, ya sea de muerte o necesidad del  
sacramento de la unción de los enfermos llamar al: (408) 444-0257*