



Saint Athanasius Church

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(Office is closed on Monday/ La oficina está cerrada los lunes)

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 www.stathanasiusparish.com
 www.youtube.com/saintathanasiuscatholicchurch
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Weekend Mass Reservations
English Masses :

www.attendmass.eventbrite.com



Reservaciones para las Misas del fin de semana
Misas en español:

www.sanatanasio.eventbrite.com

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

PARISH STAFF / PERSONAL

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For Maintenance Issues Please Contact Our Parish Office

MASS SCHEDULE/Horario de Misas

(All Masses are indoors for up to 100 people)

Vigil

Saturday (Sábado): 4:00p.m. (English)
6:00p.m. (Español)

Sunday (Domingo): 9:00a.m. (Bilingual)
11:00a.m. (English-Livestream)
1:00p.m. (Español-Transmisión en vivo)

Daily Masses/Misas Diarias: (Bilingüe)

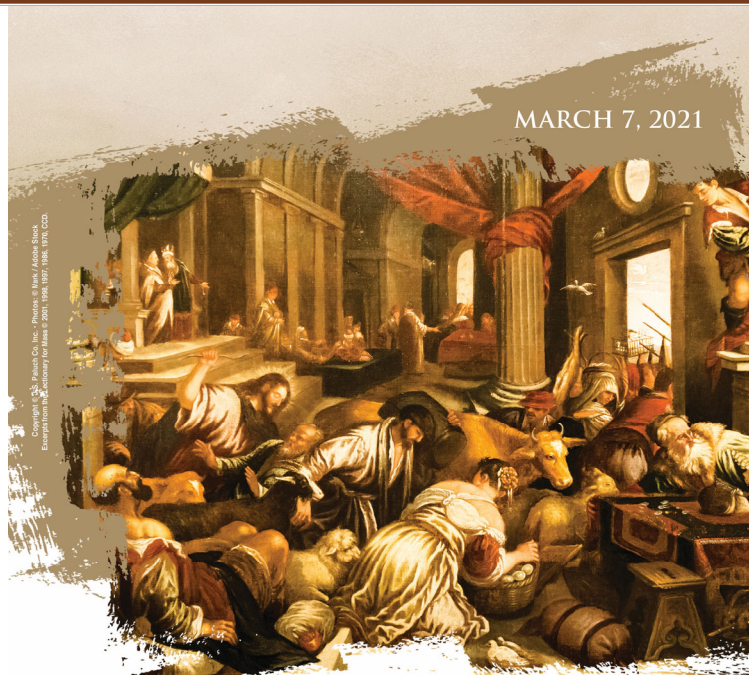
Monday - Friday: **9:00a.m.** (Bilingual)

-Indoors

RECONCILIATION / CONFESIONES (indoors)

Wednesdays/ miércoles: **after the 9:00am Mass**
(Bilingual - during Lent)

Saturdays/sábados: **5:00p.m.** (Bilingual)
or by appointment with the Priest / Por cita.



THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

Jesus found in the temple area those who sold oxen, sheep, and doves, as well as the money changers seated there. He made a whip of cords and drove them all out.

John 2:14-15

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Exodus 20:1-17 or 1-3, 7-8, 12-17
Psalm 19:8, 9, 10, 11
1 Corinthians 1:22-25
John 2:13-25

SAINT ATHANASIUS

Let's Welcome our New Pastoral Associate!



My name is Michelle Agreda, I am a native of the Bay Area. I spent my whole educational career here in the Bay Area; I recently graduated from SJSU with a Bachelor's degree in Psychology.

I have two wonderful children, I spend my time working in education and trying my best to be a mentor for the youth. In my spare time I am a soccer mom, I am always running around and cheering on my children. I like spending time outdoors and looking at the wonders of God's creation. When I was 13, my parents began their journey as devout Catholics, therefore I look up to them.

I have been a member of Saint Athanasius Church since 2017. I have visited and participated in the different prayer groups at our parish and I am currently in my 4th year as a catechist for First Communion recipients.



This Weekend's 2nd Collection is for our
PARISH MAINTENANCE FUND
Thank you for your generosity and support!

Mass Intentions For The Week

- Sat (06) 4:00** _____
6:00 _____
- Sun (07) 9:00** _____
11:00 John Rosa -- Deceased (†)
Alessandra Preciado -- Birthday (B)
Daisy Preciado -- Birthday (B)
Zenaida Alvarez de Preciado -- Death Anniv (†)
1:00 Pablo Ruelas & Aurelia Rodriguez -- Deceased (†)
Cristina A. Rosario de Irasques -- Death Anniv. (†)
Francisco Barragan, II -- Deceased (†)
- Mon (08) 9:00** _____
- Tue (09) 9:00** David Lim -- Birthday (B)
- Wed (10) 9:00** _____
- Thu (11) 9:00** Tina Reyes -- Deceased (†)
- Fri (12) 9:00** Danilo Fidel -- Birthday/Thanksgiving (B)

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

Death Anniversary Remembrance Week of March 7

John "Jack" Healy	Lucia Bangot
Otto Thormities	Dolores T. Fazzino
Diane Truesdell	Thomas Kesterson
Matilde Aponte	Theresa Lopez
Elsie Ronan	Verna Olival
Irene Collingham	Juanito Abalo Andres
Amado C. Orgaya	Jean R. Carpeneti
Anthony Guglielmelli	Jose Jorquia
Cyriaco Rapanut	Charlotte A. Santana
Frances Wedel	

REST IN PEACE

Please Pray for the Sick



Theresa and Clyde Thirbenny, Kevin O'Leary,
Julie Hidalgo, Gloria Ramirez, Ellen Poso,
Soledad Jara, Danilo Fidel, JoAnne Arnold,
Isaura Aguilar, Romulo Prieto, Bernie Barron,
Josephine Sierras, Vi Brietich, Michael
Fernandez, Stacy Goodman and Joel Villareal.

STAY CONNECTED!

If you would like to receive weekly newsletters from us via e-mail, please send us your e-mail address to:



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3rd Sunday of Lent

March 7, 2021



Next Weekend's 2nd Collection will be for the **Catholic Relief Services**

"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 February 22-26	
9:00 AM	\$360.00
Saturday/Sábado February 27	
4:00 PM	\$221.16
6:00 PM	\$385.00
Sunday / Domingo February 28	
9:00 AM	\$209.00
11:00AM	\$181.00
1:00 PM	\$438.00
Mail In / Por Correo	\$2,181.00
Online Giving	\$260.00
Total	\$4,235.16
Goal / Meta	\$6,000
Variance/ Diferencia	<\$1,764.84>



Thank you for your continued support during this tough period. If you are not able to join us in-person, please make your Sunday offering online, scan the QR code with your smart phone or visit:

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



Journeying Together in Hope
Total ADA 2021 Goal: \$118,582
Week 6

Thank you to the **87 families** that have given to the 2021 Annual Diocesan Appeal on behalf of our parish. We have reached **\$75,530.52** of our goal of \$118,582. Your generosity is gratefully accepted and respectfully used. If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, please prayerfully consider what you can do to help. Every gift makes a difference.

THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR SACRIFICIAL OFFERING THIS YEAR!



DRIVE-THRU FOOD DISTRIBUTION
Saint Athanasius Church
from 10am to 12pm
Saturday, March 13th

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



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Will be held on the Fridays of Lent
9:30 AM (English)
after the 9 am Mass

ST. ATHANASIUS – DAILY LENTEN NOONTIME PRAYER SERVICE

Lent is our opportunity to prepare ourselves and to grow deeper in our relationship with God in preparation for the celebration of the Paschal mystery of Christ – His passion, death and resurrection. During these 40 days, beginning Ash Wednesday through the Saturday before Easter, we are given an opportunity to reflect and transform our connection with Christ.

We invite you to join us via a ZOOM video conference for a short (about 20 minutes) Lenten daily prayer service starting at 11:55 am, Monday thru Saturday.

To join the Lenten prayer service, please log onto the Zoom website or app on your PC, Mac, smart phone or iPad, and enter the Meeting ID and Password listed below.

Meeting ID: 832 5853 9150
Password: 94043

ST. ATHANASIUS CONFESSION SCHEDULE DURING LENT

Lent is a great time to experience God's spiritual healing power in our lives. Through the sacrament of Penance, we are healed, restored and free to be in right relationship again with our God, our family, our world, our Church. If it has been a long time since your last confession, **welcome back!**

Day	Time	Location	Language
Wednesdays	After the 9 am Mass	Vestibule in the church	Bilingual
Saturdays	5 pm	Vestibule in the church	Bilingual



Novena in Thanksgiving to Saint Joseph March 10th - 18th

We will start a Novena to Saint Joseph on March 10th; we will pray the novena at the end of the Mass before the final blessing. There will be booklets of the novena available in the church for you to take home.

Saint Joseph, Pray for us!



Tamale Fundraiser March 13th & 14th

The Juntos como Hermanos prayer group is having a Tamale Sale on Saturday and Sunday, March 13-14 to raise funds for the ADA campaign of this year.

To place your order please call Patty at (650) 906 1326
\$25 per dozen
\$2.50 each
Pork, Vegetarian and Chicken.

BOLETIN HISPANO

Démosle la Bienvenida a Nuestra Nueva Asociada Pastoral!



Mi nombre es Michelle Agreda, soy nativa del Área de la Bahía. He cursado toda mi carrera educativa aquí y recientemente me gradué de San Jose State University con una licenciatura en Psicología. Trabajo en el campo de educación y hago todo lo posible por ser una mentora para los jóvenes.

Tengo dos hermosos hijos, en mi tiempo libre soy una mamá de fútbol, corriendo y animando a mis hijos. Considero importante pasar tiempo al aire libre y contemplar las maravillas de la creación de Dios.

Cuando tenía 13 años, mis padres comenzaron su viaje como católicos devotos, por eso y mucho más los admiro. He sido miembro de la Iglesia de San Atanasio desde el año 2017. He visitado y participado en los grupos de oración en nuestra parroquia y actualmente estoy en mi cuarto año como catequista para los estudiantes que se están preparando para recibir la Primera Comunión.



La Segunda Colecta de este Fin de Semana es para el **Fondo de Mantenimiento de la Parroquia** ¡Gracias por su apoyo y generosidad!



Caminando juntos con esperanza
Meta total ADA para el 2021: \$ 118,582
Semana # 6

Gracias a las **87 familias** que han contribuido a la Campaña Diocesana Anual 2021 en nombre de nuestra parroquia. Hemos alcanzado **\$75,530.52** de nuestra meta de **\$118,582**. Su generosidad es aceptada con gratitud y utilizada con respeto. Si aún no ha hecho una donación o una promesa, considere con espíritu de oración lo que puede hacer para ayudar.

¡LE AGRADECEMOS DE ANTEMANO SU APOYO FINANCIERO DE ESTE AÑO!

HORARIO DE CONFESIONES DURANTE CUARESMA

La Cuaresma es el momento perfecto para experimentar el poder sanador de Dios en nuestras vidas. A través del sacramento de la Confesión, somos sanados, restaurados y liberados para tener nuevamente una relación cercana con nuestro Dios, nuestra familia, nuestro mundo, nuestra Iglesia. Si ha pasado mucho tiempo desde su última confesión, ¡le damos la bienvenida!

Día	Hora	Lugar	Idioma
Miércoles	Después de la Misa de las 9 am	Vestíbulo de la iglesia	Bilingüe
Sábados	5 pm	Vestíbulo de la iglesia	Bilingüe



Novena en Acción de Gracias a San José del 10 al 18 de marzo

Iniciaremos una Novena en acción de gracias a San José el 10 de marzo, rezaremos la oraciones de la novena al final e la Misa antes de la bendición final.

Habrà folletos disponibles en la iglesia para llevar a casa.

¡San José, Ruega por Nosotros!



BAUTIZOS

La próxima fecha para bautizar será **el 20 de marzo a las 11 AM.**

(Se requiere previa registraci3n).

Llame para una entrevista inicial (650) 961-8600.



DISTRIBUCION DE COMIDA POR AUTO

En la Iglesia de San Atanasio

Sábado 13 de marzo

de las 10am a las 12pm

No se necesita previa registraci3n - Las registraci3nes se hacen el día de la distribuci3n.

Si le gustaría ayudar, favor de contactar a la oficina parroquial a Athanasius@comcast.net o llame al (650) 961-8600.

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"

ST. ATHANASIUS BEREAVEMENT, COMFORT AND SUPPORT GROUP

Meets every 4th Friday of the month via Zoom at 7PM.

Join Zoom Meeting:

<https://dsj.zoom.us/j/93448077349>

Meeting ID: 934 4807 7349

One tap mobile

+16699006833,,93448077349# US (San Jose)

Dial by location

For details, please call (650) 961-8600.

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament the First Friday of the month starting after 9:00 AM Mass inside the church. Benediction will be at 11 AM.

Exposición del Santísimo Sacramento

El primer Viernes del mes a las 7:30PM dentro de la Iglesia.

ST. PAUL DISCIPLESHIP GROUP

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 for the Zoom meeting details.

DRIVE THRU FOOD DISTRIBUTION

Saint Athanasius Church

Saturday, March 13th

from 10 am to 12 pm

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**

DISTRIBUCION DE COMIDA POR AUTO

Sábado 13 de marzo

de las 10 am a las 12 pm

NO se necesita registraci3n previa, las registraci3nes se har3n durante el evento. **Si le gustar3a ser voluntario para las distribuciones de comida, favor de enviar un correo electr3nico a la oficina a Athanasius@comcast.net**

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 Parish Office at (650) 961-8600 Ext 100.

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 Parish Office at (650) 961-8600 Ext 100.

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 an online 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.

All Baptisms are indoors the **3rd Saturday of the month.**

10 am in English

11 am en espa3ol

Favor de llamara al a oficina (650) 961 8600 Ext. 100 para hacer una cita para una entrevista inicial con uno de nuestros sacerdotes. Todos los Bautizos son dentro de la Iglesia el 3er s3bado del mes.

SOCIETY of ST. VINCENT de PAUL

Parish volunteers serve the needy of our Mountain View area through our Emergency Assistance program. The Food Pantry is closed due to Covid-19 because the room is too small for safe distancing. Interested Parishioners are welcome to join us at our virtual board meetings held on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7:30 pm, to see how we carry out our mission. Please leave your contact information on our Helpline 650-562-1000 or the Parish Office 650-961-8600.

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 Protecci3n de Ni3os y Adultos Vulnerables

Diocese of San Jose– Anthony Gonzalez (408) 983-0113

Emergency Line: (408) 983-0144.

<https://opcva.ethicspoint.com>.



**JUNTOS COMO HERMANOS PRAYER
GROUP:**

TAMALE FUNDRAISER

Proceeds to benefit the 2021 ADA.

MARCH 13 & 14 | 1:00PM-6:00PM
PARISH HALL OF THE CHURCH

Prices

\$25 per dozen \$2.50 each

Rojos - pork in chile rojo

Rajas - Vegetarian (cheese / jalapeños)

Verdes - Chicken in chile verde

To place an order call Patty @ (650) 906 1326

Confirmation Class Update.



THANK YOU

Thank you Father Walter for hosting a beautiful Youth Mass at St. Athanasius Church on Saturday, Feb 20th. And, thank you also to Father Rolando and Father Mikalonis who came to help with Reconciliations for all of our candidates following the Mass - what a great day!

For many of our students it was their First Reconciliation, so having a little extra time with the priests was an added bonus.

We are planning for a Confirmation Preparation YOUTH Retreat on Saturday, March 27th. We hope to be allowed to meet outdoors at that time. We'll have a Guest Speaker, some inspiring testimonies shared and time reserved to reflect on our own Faith journey. Confirmation will be celebrated in May - Pentecost Weekend - so please may we ask you to keep all of our students in prayer.

Carmel Caligaris

GRACIAS

Gracias Padre Walter por ser el anfitrión de una hermosa Misa juvenil en la iglesia de San Atanasio el sábado 20 de febrero. También quiero agradecer al Padre Rolando y al Padre Mikalonis que vinieron a ayudar con Confesiones para todos nuestros candidatos después de la Misa, ¡Qué gran día!

Para muchos de nuestros estudiantes fue su Primera Confesión, por lo que tener un poco de tiempo extra con los sacerdotes fue una ventaja adicional.

Estamos planeando un Retiro de JÓVENES de Preparación para la Confirmación el sábado 27 de marzo. Esperamos poder reunirnos al aire libre en ese momento. Tendremos un orador invitado, algunos testimonios inspiradores y tiempo reservado para reflexionar sobre nuestro propio viaje de fe. La Confirmación se celebrará en mayo, el fin de semana de Pentecostés, así que, por favor, le pedimos que mantenga a todos nuestros estudiantes en sus oraciones.

Carmel Caligaris