

**THOUGHTS ON STEWARDSHIP**

“Because there is one bread, we who are many are one body, for we all partake of the one bread.” 1 CORINTHIANS 10:17  
 As disciples of Jesus, we are called to lead holy lives and invite others to join us. Living a stewardship lifestyle, being grateful and generous with our gifts, serves a twofold purpose. One, it helps build God’s kingdom here on earth. Two, it is a road map to Heaven. Let’s help each other get there!

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Also, when you have set up your donation online, even when you’re on vacation, your weekly donation to the parish is taken care of. Call Deacon Al Llenos, our Operations Manager at (530) 795-2230 if you need help setting up your online account OR go to our parish website [www.sa-sm.org](http://www.sa-sm.org). Thank you.

**OUTREACH SERVICES**

St. Anthony—St. Vincent de Paul Society:  
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Contact the parish office, 530-795-2230, or email [admin@sa-sm.org](mailto:admin@sa-sm.org) for further information on placing an ad in our bulletin.

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**Stay connected with our Parish**

Our parish communicates events, schedules and parish activities through the following media:

1. Parish Website: [www.sa-sm.org](http://www.sa-sm.org)
2. Facebook: **Anthony Martin**
3. myParishApp: **Saint Anthony’s Winters**

If you prefer to receive parish communications through email and/or text messages, provide us your information by sending it to email [pastor@sa-sm.org](mailto:pastor@sa-sm.org). You may also drop this form on the collection basket.

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Manténgase conectado con nuestra Parroquia**

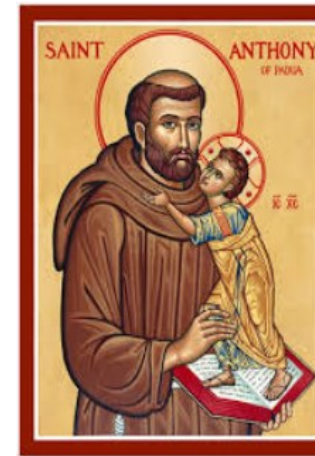
Nuestra parroquia comunica eventos, horarios y actividades parroquiales a través de los siguientes medios:

1. Sitio web de la parroquia: [www.sa-sm.org](http://www.sa-sm.org)
2. Facebook: **Anthony Martin**
3. myParishApp: **Saint Anthony’s Winters**

Si prefiere recibir comunicaciones de la parroquia por correo electrónico o mensajes de texto, proporciónenos su información al correo de [pastor@sa-sm.org](mailto:pastor@sa-sm.org). Puede dejar este formulario en la canasta de colectas.

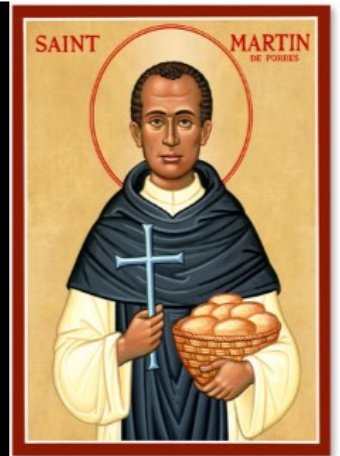
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**St. Anthony Parish**  
 Winters, CA

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**St. Martin Mission**  
 Esparto, CA



**TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – AUGUST 17, 2025**

**LITURGICAL SCHEDULE**

**Weekend Masses:**

Saturday 5:00 p.m. SA; 7:00 p.m. SM  
 Sunday 8:30 a.m. SM  
 10:30 a.m. & 12:30 pm SA

**Weekday Masses:**

Tue, Thu & Fri 8:30 a.m. SA  
 Wednesday 6:00 p.m. SM

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

1st Friday of the month 6 - 9 p.m. SA

**Holy Hours**

Every Wednesday 6:30-7:30 p.m. SM

**SACRAMENTS:**

**Reconciliation/Confessions -**

1st, 2nd & 4th Friday of the month  
 6:00—7:00 p.m. SA

3rd Friday of the month 6-7 p.m. SM

**Baptism -**

Please call the office at (530) 795-2230 to obtain information, preparation of necessary documents before the date of baptism can be scheduled.

**Marriage -**

Engaged couples must contact the office to setup an appointment with the priest to begin preparation of necessary documents at least 6 months prior to the wedding date.

**Anointing of the Sick/Communion to the Sick & Homebound -**

Please call the office at (530) 795-2230

**MISSION STATEMENT**

*We are brothers and sisters in the Body of Christ. We come together to provide a welcoming community, in order to learn, to practice, to share, and to grow in our Catholic faith. Using our time, talent, and treasure, we serve our Lord and our community through worship, by promoting Gospel values, and through ministries that positively impact our parish and our greater community.*

*Somos hermanos y hermanas en el Cuerpo de Cristo. Nos unimos para proporcionar una comunidad acogedora, para aprender, practicar, compartir y crecer en nuestra fe católica. Usando nuestro tiempo, talento y tesoro, servimos a nuestro Señor ya nuestra comunidad a través de la adoración, promoviendo los valores del Evangelio y a través de ministerios que impactan positivamente en nuestra parroquia y nuestra comunidad en general.*

**STEWARDSHIP PRAYER**

Praised are you, O God, our loving creator and giver of all good gifts. Bless our parish, strengthen our faith, and grant us the spirit of Christian stewardship so that we may give generously of our time, talent, and treasure in worship and prayer, and in spreading Your kingdom here in our Church and throughout the world. This we ask through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, God now and forever. Amen.

**ORACIÓN DE MAYORDOMÍA**

Alabado seas, oh Dios, nuestro amoroso creador y dador de todos los buenos dones. Bendice nuestra parroquia, fortalece nuestra fe y concédenos el espíritu de mayordomía cristiana para que podamos dar generosamente de nuestro tiempo, talento y tesoro en adoración y oración, y en la difusión de Tu reino aquí en nuestra Iglesia y en todo el mundo. Te lo pedimos por Jesucristo, tu Hijo, nuestro Señor, que vive y reina contigo y el Espíritu Santo, Dios ahora y por siempre. Amén.

**Church & Office**

**St. Anthony Parish (SA)**

511 Main Street  
 Winters, CA 95694

**St. Martin Mission Church (SM)**

25633 Grafton Street  
 Esparto, CA 95627

(530) 795-2230 Tel  
 (530) 795-5470 Fax

[www.sa-sm.org](http://www.sa-sm.org)

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

**PARISH STAFF:**

**Pastor:** Fr. Perlito de la Cruz

Email: [pastor@sa-sm.org](mailto:pastor@sa-sm.org)  
 Pastor’s emergency ext. 8

**Parish Deacon:**

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[deacon@sa-sm.org](mailto:deacon@sa-sm.org)

**Administration:**

Deacon Al Llenos - Ops. Manager  
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**Administrative Assistant:**

Marisela Garcia  
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Dawn Barrera  
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**8/17/2025**

*We welcome new families to our Parish. Upon receipt of this form, we will mail you the parish registration form to complete. You may place it in the offertory basket or mail to:*

St. Anthony Parish  
 511 Main Street  
 Winters, CA 95694

Or you may fax it to  
 (530) 795-5470

**PARISH REGISTRATION AND CHANGE IN CONTACT INFO**

New to St. Anthony Catholic Church Community

Recently moved or changed phone number / email

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**I am interested / Estoy interesado:** (please check box / checan el cajon)

Online Giving  Eucharistic Minister  Lector  Catechist  Receive Envelopes

Altar Server (Write Parents name and phone number above)

**TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—AUGUST 17, 2025, MASSES FOR THE WEEK**

August 18, Monday, Weekday, *Jgs 2:11-19/Mt 19:16-22*; August 19, Weekday, *Jgs 6:11-24a/Mt 19:23-30*; August 20, Wednesday, Saint Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church, *Jgs 9:6-15/Mt 20:1-16*; August 21, Thursday, Saint Pius X, Pope, *Jgs 11:29-39a/Mt 22:1-14*; August 22, Friday, The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary, *Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22/Mt 22:34-40*; August 23, Saturday, Weekday, *Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17/Mt 23:1-12*; AUGUST 24, TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, *Is 66:18-21/Heb 12:5-7, 11-13/Lk 13:22-30*

**Mass Intentions / Intenciones**

August 16— August 22, 2025

**Praying for the Intention of the Pope, August 2025: For mutual coexistence:** Let us pray that societies where coexistence seems more difficult might not succumb to the temptation of confrontation for ethnic, political, religious, or ideological reasons.

**Orando por la Intención del Papa, August de 2025: Para la coexistencia mutua:** Oremos para que las sociedades donde la convivencia parece más difícil no sucumban a la tentación del enfrentamiento por motivos étnicos, políticos, religiosos o ideológicos.

**Saturday, 8/16**

**5:00pm**—Nicolas Tanbrink+, Julia Certeza+

**7:00pm**—Gabriel Sanchez—agradecimiento

**Sunday, 8/17**

**8:30am**—Julia Certeza+

**10:30am**—Marylou Machado+, Joe Santos+, Julia Certeza+  
Jamie Kilkenny & Mimi Flaschner—for their health  
Aaron Boring—for spiritual healing

**12:30pm**—Angela Garcia Roque+, Jaime Dominguez+,  
Jose Santana+

**Tuesday, 8/19**

**8:30am**—No Mass

**Wednesday, 8/20**

**6:00pm**—Feligreses

**Thursday, 8/21**

**8:30am**—Maria Dolores Lopez+ y Socorro Aguirre+

**Friday, 8/22**

**8:30am**—Teresa Garcia+

**St. Anthony Parish Activities This Week**

**Tuesday, 8/19**

7:00am Alcoholics Anonymous—SA Parish Hall

9:00am—12:00pm Adoration—SA

**Wednesday, 8/20**

9:30am Senior Foundation Yoga Day—SA Parish Hall

6:00pm Parents Prayer Group—SA

**Thursday, 8/21**

6:00pm Respect for Life Rosary—SA Parish Hall

7:00pm Grupo de Oracion Sagrada Familia—SA

**Friday, 8/22**

7:00am Alcoholics Anonymous—SA Parish Hall

6:00pm—7:00pm Confessions—SA



**"Being Good Stewards of God's Blessings."**

*"You too must be patient. Make your hearts firm, because the coming of the Lord is at hand." (JAMES 5:8)*

Patience is another one of those things many of us struggle with. We want things to go according to our plan and our schedule. Any change brings anxiety and fear. Through daily prayer we better align ourselves with God's will and His plan, which is far better than anything we can come up with on our own. (Archdiocese of St. Louis Stewardship Office)

**"Ser Buenos Mayordomos de las Bendiciones de Dios".**

*"Tú también debes ser paciente. Haz que tus corazones estén firmes, porque la venida del Señor está cerca." (Santiago 5:8)*

La paciencia es otra de esas cosas con las que muchos de nosotros luchamos. Queremos que las cosas salgan de acuerdo con nuestro plan y nuestro horario. Cualquier cambio trae ansiedad y miedo. A través de la oración diaria, nos alineamos mayor con la voluntad de Dios y su plan, que es mucho mayor que cualquier cosa que podamos inventar por nuestra cuenta.



**Adult Confirmation Registration**

Adult Confirmation is for persons 18 and over who attend Mass every Sunday, have been baptized, received First Communion, but were never confirmed. The registration form is available at the Parish Office. The form and a recent copy of the person's baptism certificate must be submitted to the Parish Office by **August 21, 2025**. If you have any questions, please contact the Parish Office.

**Registro de Confirmación de Adulto**

La Confirmación de Adultos es para personas de 18 años o más que asisten a Misa todos los domingos, han sido bautizadas, recibieron la Primera Comunión, pero nunca fueron confirmadas. La forma de inscripción está disponible en la Oficina Parroquial. La forma y una copia reciente del certificado de bautismo de la persona deben entregarse a la Oficina Parroquial a más tardar el **jueves 21 de agosto de 2025**. Si tiene alguna pregunta, comuníquese con la Oficina Parroquial.

**OCIA**

If you're curious about the Catholic faith or you've even thought about becoming a Catholic or simply would like to complete your sacraments, our Order of Christian initiation for Adults (OCIA) program is just for you. Adults from all faith traditions or no religious background at all, are welcome to participate in our 24-week program of instruction designed especially for the needs and lifestyles of busy people. **Last day to register for OCIA will be August 28.**

Please contact Dawn Barrera at dbarrera@sa-sm.org or call the office at 530-795-2230 for more information. The registration form is readily available in our parish website.

*Si tiene curiosidad acerca de la fe católica o incluso ha pensado en convertirse en católico o simplemente le gustaría completar sus sacramentos, nuestro programa en Ingles de Orden de Iniciación Cristiana para Adultos (OICA) es justo para usted. Los adultos de todas las tradiciones religiosas o sin ningún trasfondo religioso son bienvenidos a participar en nuestro programa de instrucción de 24 semanas diseñado especialmente para las necesidades y estilos de vida de las personas ocupadas. El ultimo dia para registrarse para el programa RICA es 28 De agosto.*

Comuníquese con Dawn Barrera en dbarrera@sa-sm.org o llame a la oficina al 530-795-2230 para obtener más información. El formulario de registro está disponible en el sitio web de nuestra parroquia.

**PRAYING FOR THE SICK**

**REZANDO POR LOS ENFERMOS**

Please include in your daily prayers the members of our Parish Community who are sick. If you want the names of your sick family members included in this list, please call the Parish Office.

*Incluya en sus oraciones diarias a los miembros de nuestra comunidad parroquial que estén enfermos. Si desea que los nombres de sus familiares enfermos se incluyan en esta lista, llame a la Oficina Parroquial.*

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|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| Alejandra Ibarra         | Leticia Jimenez            |
| Marlene and Nils Carlson | Javier Soria               |
| Santa Rodriguez          | Margarita Loza             |
| Tito Gloria              | Maria Ninfa Nieves         |
| Lilia Loza-Zarate        | Janine Boone               |
| Nancy Moreno             | Patty Cox                  |
| Love Faith Armenta       | Maria Concepcion Franco    |
| Ana Rosa Cruz Arnau      | Nallely Alvarado Garcia    |
| T. Hernandez             | Dewey Cope                 |
| Eddie Trujillo           | Peter Gribi                |
| Alex Chua                | Josefina Aguirre           |
| Efrain Castillo          | Leticia y Carlos Ibarra    |
| Gracie Butler            | Mike Eldridge              |
| Timothy King             | Patty Henry                |
| Arturo Caudillo          | Ana Maria y Maria D Garcia |
| Myron Naylor             | Roberto Carlos Garcia      |
| Edgar Alvarez            | Guillermo Gonzalez         |
| Adriana Sandoval         | Martin Ernst               |

“Lord Jesus, increase my hunger for you and show me the way that leads to everlasting happiness and peace. May I desire you above all else and find perfect joy in doing your will.”

**Daily Quote from the Early Church Fathers:** How often shall I forgive? by Hilary of Poitiers (315-367 AD)

"When Peter asked him whether he should forgive his brother sinning against him up to seven times, the Lord replied, 'Not up to seven times but up to seventy times seven times'" In every way he teaches us to be like him in humility and goodness. In weakening and breaking the impulses of our rampant passions he strengthens us by the example of his leniency, by granting us in faith pardon of all our sins. For the vices of our nature did not merit pardon. Therefore all pardon comes from him. In fact, he pardons even those sins that remain in one after confession. The penalty to be paid through Cain was established at sevenfold, but that sin was against a man, against his brother Abel, to the point of murder (Genesis 4:8). But in Lamech the penalty was established at seventy times seven times (Genesis 4:24), and, as we believe, the penalty was established on those responsible for the Lord's Passion. But the Lord through the confession of believers grants pardon for this crime. By the gift of baptism he grants the grace of salvation to his revilers and persecutors. How much more is it necessary, he shows, that pardon be returned by us without measure or number. And we should not think how many times we forgive, but we should cease to be angry with those who sin against us, as often as the occasion for anger exists. Pardon's frequency shows us that in our case there is never a time for anger, since God pardons us for all sins in their entirety by his gift rather than by our merit. Nor should we be excused from the requirement of giving pardon that number of times [i.e., seventy times seven], since through the grace of the gospel God has granted us pardon without measure." (excerpt from ON MATTHEW 18.10)

[dailyscripture.net](http://dailyscripture.net)

**Vincentian Meditation:**

“On the journey of life, we must make choice. Our instincts, our selfishness, our pride will Often suggest to us to follow them. It is an easier road. But Christ, His Church and our consciences suggest another way. To follow that road, we must say no to our natural instincts. It may be difficult and demand much effort, but that effort will bring with it a peace and contentment that money will not buy.” (McCullen, Deep Down Things, p. 589) [Vincentian Reflections](http://VincentianReflections)

**Mass Intentions**

If you wish to have your Mass intention listed in the bulletin, please come in to the office by Wednesday to request the intention. Any intentions received after Wednesday will not be in the bulletin.

**Intenciones de Misa**

Si desea que su intención de Misa se mencione en el boletín, venga a la oficina antes del miércoles para solicitar la intención. Cualquier intención recibida después del miércoles no estará en el boletín.