

# St. Anthony Church

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**St. Anthony's Parish is a Catholic Faith community rich in cultural diversity with a strong flavor of identity.**

**Our mission is to foster a strong spiritual growth of life and faith in our families, community and society by sharing the gift of our time, treasures and talents.**

**We hope to do this with a Spirit of Christian generosity that brings us closer to the blessing of unity, peace and reconciliation.**

**Like St. Anthony called to love and to serve - we try our best in following Christ on the road of this world using God-given gifts for his glory and for the good of our brothers and sisters.**

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**St. Anthony Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9:00am-12 noon 1:00pm- 4:00pm**

**Church Groups & Ministries - Contact the office at 768-1878**

<b>Funerals</b>	<b>Contact the office</b>	<b>Altar Servers</b>	<b>Sandra Coccimiglio</b>
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**For Daily & Weekend Mass Intentions see inside**  
**SATURDAY: 5:00 PM (English) SUNDAY: 9:00 AM (Italian - English) & 11:00 AM (English)**

- Registration:** Parish Census Forms at Church entrance or call the Office.
- Baptism:** Parish Membership & Baptism class required. Please contact the Office.
- Marriage:** Parish Membership & Preparation required. Contact Office 6 months in advance.
- Reconciliation - Confession:** Saturday 4:00pm & 30 min. before each Daily Mass or on request.
- Anointing of the sick:** Every First Friday of the Month during the Mass & on request.
- Church & Hall at one level:** Wheelchair Access & Washroom Facilities available. Hall: 768-9368



## VI Sunday in Ordinary Time      Feb.12/17

*Blessed are those who walk in the law of the Lord .*



Jesus tells us in the Gospel this week that he has come not to abolish but to “fulfill” the Law of Moses and the teachings of the prophets. His Gospel reveals the deeper meaning and purpose of the Ten Commandments and the moral Law of the Old Testament. But his Gospel also transcends the Law. He demands a morality far greater than that accomplished by the most pious of Jews, the scribes and Pharisees. Outward observance of the Law is not enough. It is not enough that we do not murder, commit adultery, divorce, or lie. The law of the new covenant is a law that God writes on the heart. The heart is the seat of our motivations, the place from which our words and actions proceed. Jesus calls us to train our hearts, to master our passions and emotions. He calls us to love God with all our hearts, and to do his will from the heart.

**C.W.L.** will be collecting **membership fees** at all Saturday and Sunday Masses. You may also pay for your membership at the office during office hours. Membership fee is \$25.

### **VALENTINE'S FUNDRAISER FOR CHILDREN HELPING CHILDREN:**

On the weekend of February 11 & 12, the Children's Liturgy group along with our Youth Group will be selling chocolates. All proceeds will be going to Children Helping Children.



**BEST YOUTH ON HILLS:** next meeting is Sunday, February 19, 7:00-8:30, in the meeting room. Youth gr.7 and up, including Confirmation candidates, are invited to attend.

**FAMILY DAY:** is Monday, February 20th. The office will be closed Friday, February 17 & Monday, February 20. Regular Monday morning Mass at 9:00am.

### **CONFIRMATION PREPARATION FOR CANDIDATES:**

is held on Sundays at 10:00am in our parish hall following with Mass at 11:00am. Remaining dates of preparation are as follows: February 12, & 26. Remember to attend Mass regularly. Attendance for the preparation classes is also important in order to prepare for Confirmation. 2nd meeting for Confirmation Candidates, Parents & Sponsors will be on Thursday, March 23 with Mass at 7:00pm followed by meeting in the church hall.

**2016 PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT** is included in today's bulletin.

**FIRST COMMUNION:** We encourage parents to bring their children to Sunday Mass. Participation in the Sunday Liturgy is the best preparation for the Sacrament of the Holy Eucharist.

**C.W.L. HATS & MITTS PROJECT:** for children ages JK—Gr. 6. Please place new items in the basket in the lobby (no scarves please). Thank you.

**SUNDAY MISSALS:** are available in the church lobby. Cost is \$5.00. The Sunday Missal will help you follow the Sunday Mass. It also includes Prayers, Hymns, Saints of the month and much more.

**MUSIC MINISTRY:** Join us in our music ministry at 11:00am Mass. We are looking for more voices and musicians to fill our beautiful church with song. Next practice is Thurs., Feb. 16 at 7:30pm in the church.

**FISH & WILD GAME FEAST:** The Holy Name Society Annual Fish & Wild Game Feast - Sun., Feb. 19 at 5:30pm in the church hall. Tickets \$50, contact Barry Quarrell at #767-7795 or email at quarrellb@shaw.ca

**DIOCESAN SHARE LENT WORKSHOP:** Sat., Feb.18 at the Pastoral Centre (1222 Reaume St.) Registration forms available at the office or at the Pastoral Centre. For more info call 343-9313.

**ASH WEDNESDAY:** Ashes will be distributed Wednesday, March 1st at our 7:00pm Mass.

**JOURNEY TO EASTER:** Come & enjoy an evening of spiritual awakening every Wednesday during Lent, March 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, April 5 & 12. All parishioners & visitors are welcome to watch & discuss enlightening spiritual movies, celebrating the Lent season as a joyful journey! Movies shown will include: ***Saint Anthony, The Cure, Nine Days That Changed the World (John Paul II), White Squall, St. Therese of Lisieux, Shadrach, & Risen.***

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS:** During Lent, all parishioners are invited to meditate on the Stations of the Cross every Friday following the 7:00pm Mass. The Stations of the Cross will be bilingual so that we may be united as a parish community.

**UPDATING OUR CENSUS:** If you are new to our parish or have moved, please contact the office during office hours to update your information.

**INCOME TAX RECEIPTS:** Please pick up your tax receipt at the office during office hours. Thank you.

Thank you to all our Parishioners and visitors for their continued generosity and support.



L'invito di Gesu' nel vangelo di oggi e' di seguire seriamente la legge di Dio che e' scritta nel nostro cuore. Se prendiamo ad esempio tre dei dieci comandamenti: non uccidere, non commettere adulterio, non dire falsa testimonianza. Non basta non uccidere, per considerarsi osservanti del quinto comandamento; occorre non adirarsi, non insultare, non offendere, perdonare, riconciliarsi: solo così il quinto comandamento diventa

vita. Allo stesso modo, non si osserva il sesto comandamento solamente non commettendo adulterio, perché il peccato, la malizia, esce dal cuore e dalla mente; il cuore e la mente devono essere casti. E, a proposito dell'ottavo comandamento, non basta non giurare il falso: occorre essere sempre fedeli alla verità, indipendentemente dal giuramento. Insomma: i comandamenti non sono solo questione di azioni buone o cattive, ma sono scelte di vita che nascono dall'interno della persona, coinvolgendo mente e cuore.

**COMMUNITY  
EVENTS**



**LADIES OF ITAL. SOC.  
OF P.A.**

General meeting Monday, February 13, 7:30pm at the Italian Cultural Centre.

**VALENTINE DINNER & DANCE:** in support of the **MS Society.** Sat., Feb. 18 at Valhalla Inn. Tickets \$70/ person. For more info call Frances #767-5469.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** will be holding a **PICKER-EL DINNER:** on Sat., Feb. 18 at Columbus Centre. For more info call Rosie at 623-3252

**ST. DOMINIC'S VALENTINE'S TEA:** Sun., Feb. 19, 12:30pm—3:30pm in Church Hall. Adults: \$5, children (ages 5-10) \$3, children ages 4 & under enter Free.

**ST. ANDREW'S CWL SPAGHETTI DINNER:** Sun., Feb. 26 at the Italian Cultural Centre. For more info call Barbara Jarvela 345-5457. Only tickets sold in advance will be credited to St. Andrew's CWL.

**DEAR GARDENER:** In solidarity with Pope Francis' call to protect planet earth, and in solidarity with those who rely on seeds for their survival and livelihood, St. Agnes is hosting a **Vegetable Seed Exchange** after the 11:00am Mass on Sunday, February 26. Bring any extra seeds (labelled), a marker and small bags or envelopes. If you have no extra seeds, come anyway! Everyone is welcome. For more information contact Patrick at holydoodles54@gmail.com

**Monday, February 13**

All Parishioners  
Jose Pacheco  
Umberto Pascuzzo  
Nicodemo Albanese  
Deceased Members of Knights of Columbus

**9:00am English**

Pastor  
S. Pacheco  
Frank & Anna  
A. & D. Andrews  
Territory Warden

**Tuesday, February 14**

Giuseppe Marino  
Raffaella Marino  
Maria Rosa Consolata Tino  
Mario Pugliese  
Francesco, Maria & Angela Magisano  
Enzo Jr. Menei  
Vito Amato

**7:00pm Italian**

Figli  
Figli  
Giuseppe & Family  
Family  
G. & G. Magisano  
Family  
Family

**Wednesday, February 15**

Rachele Costanzo  
Maria Costanzo  
Fortunato, Chiara & Bruno Scopacasa  
Giovanni Catanzaro

**7:00pm English**

Family  
T. Belfiglio  
A. Valela  
G. Augruso & V. Catanzaro

**Thursday, February 16**

Franco Gallo  
Leonetta & Ermando Pavone  
Rosina Garofalo  
Vincenza Talarico

**7:00pm Italian**

Family  
Figli  
S. & M. Frattaroli  
E. & M. Pucci

**Friday, February 17**

Franca & Franco Daniele  
Nella Badolato & Salvatore Sanzo  
Deceased of Cuconato Family  
Nazzarena & Salvatore Pelaia  
Antonio Mauro  
Mike Ferrari

**7:00pm English**

Lucy  
Lucy  
Silvana  
Children  
Giulia & Family  
Wife & Children

**Saturday, February 18**

Francesco Bruno  
Nicola Zaffino, Maria Antonietta, Luciano & Agnese Comito  
Carmelo Mancuso

**5:00pm**

A. & M. Fabiano & Fam.  
Tucci Family  
G. Chiarelli

**Sunday, February 19 VII Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**9:00am**  
Gaetano DiGiuseppe  
Francis DeAmicis  
Paolo Galle  
Franco Paladino  
Pasquale Scalese  
Tony Borba  
Antonio Rucchetto  
Aldo Fidalic

R. Costanzo  
S. & M. Miceli  
R. & G. DiGiuseppe  
Wife Iolanda  
Maria & Family  
daughter  
A. & P. Maxted  
Wife & Family

**11:00am**

Mario Nucci  
Lucia & Peter Sandri  
Giovanni Malench  
Giuseppina & Defunti Tozzo & Nazzareno Tassone  
Francisco Pacheco  
Deceased of Ferrise Family  
Ilidio DaSilva

G. Paladino & Fam.  
Family  
Family  
Family  
Family  
A. & A. Ferrise  
Family



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