

# 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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<b>Seniors</b>	<b>Maria Floreancig</b>	<b>Youth Ministry</b>	<b>Pasquale &amp; Sandra Coccimiglio</b>

**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



## XXII Sunday in Ordinary Time Sept. 2, 2018

*O Lord, you are good and forgiving,  
full of love for all who call to you.*



If we read today's Gospel carefully, we will see a pattern in Jesus' teaching method that will be repeated in the weeks ahead. Jesus' first teaching is directed to the Pharisees who questioned him. Jesus' words are then directed to the crowd, teaching that a person is defiled by his or her words and actions, not by the food that he or she eats. In verses omitted in today's reading, we learn that Je-

sus returned home with his disciples, who in turn questioned him about what he had taught. With the disciples, who often misunderstand Jesus' words, further explanation is offered about his message and its meaning. Jesus' words challenge us as well. In our desire to show that we are holy, we might also give too much credence to externals, following rules without thinking about the intention behind them. Jesus reminds us that we do not make ourselves holy by our actions. Rather, we become holy when we allow God's Spirit to transform us. Our actions should be an expression of the conversion of our heart to God and to God's ways.

**OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED:** Monday, September 3rd. Regular Mass at 9:00am.

**Have a safe & enjoyable Labour Day Weekend!**

**MASS TIMES:** As of Tuesday, September 4th we will return to our regular weekly mass times: 7:00pm Tuesday-Friday and 9:00am Monday mornings.

**FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH:** Friday, September 7 there will be adoration with exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 6:00pm-7:00pm.

**NEW ALTAR SERVERS:** children who received First Communion & older children are eligible to serve at Mass. This is a meaningful way for children in our parish to actively participate in the Mass. Anyone interested are asked to contact the rectory 768-1878. A training session will be arranged in the fall.

**ST. ANTHONY'S SENIOR CLUB:** Activities will resume on **Tuesday, September 4th.** V.O.N. exercise will begin at 12:00noon until 12:30pm. **BINGO** will follow from 1pm-4pm.

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***Q: Why does the priest say "Let us pray" at the beginning of the mass?***

***A: "Let us pray that we may practice in our lives the faith we profess." "Ever-living God, help us to celebrate our joy in the resurrection of the Lord and to express in our lives the love we celebrate".***



## BISHOP'S DIOCESAN MINISTRY CAMPAIGN

Our goal this year is **\$29, 000.00**

This campaign will run from September until mid December.

Cheques can be made out to  
**St. Anthony's Church**

All donations are tax- deductible.

A letter with a pamphlet and pledge card will be available in the church lobby. Please pick up your assigned envelope in **September.**

Thank you for your continued generosity.

May God bless us all on our journey as a community of believers.

*If you do not find your envelope in our lobby or are a new donor, please contact the office.*

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY** classes will commence Sunday, September 16th during the 11:00am Mass. Children ages 4 & 5 must be accompanied by an adult.

**C.W.L. MEETING:** Tuesday, September 11 at 7:30pm in our church hall following the 7:00pm Mass. There will be a guest speaker.

**PARISH COUNCIL MEETING:** Wednesday, September 12 at 7:35pm in church meeting room.

**YOUTH CHOIR:** Do you love music? Do you sing or play an instrument? Come out and join our Youth Choir as we begin our new season under the direction of Alana Valente & Leah Nadin. Our first rehearsal will be Thursday, September 13 at 7:30pm in our church, with a brief informative meeting for parents/guardians and interested members. Everyone welcome - ages 7 & up. For more info contact [alanavalente87@gmail.com](mailto:alanavalente87@gmail.com) Hope to see you there!

**HOLY NAME SOCIETY MEETING:** Sunday, September 16th following the 9:00am Mass.

**R.C.I.A PROGRAM:** Attention all adults wishing to join the Catholic Church. The Rite of Christian Initiation Program for Adults is for adults who have never been baptized or belong to another faith. For more information please call Fr. Luigi at the church rectory.

**Thank you to all our Parishioners and visiting friends for your continued generosity and support for our Church. May God Bless you.**

## XXII Domenica del Tempo Ordinario / B



"Anche l'occhio vuole la sua parte". E' una frase che si dice per dare la dovuta importanza all'esteriorità, sempre che questa non pretenda di avere il predominio su ciò che essenziale. Ed effettivamente la compostezza, l'eleganza e la buona presenza sono prerogative bene accette, perché possono essere rivelatrici di buoni atteggiamenti e di

disposizioni intime di veri cristiani. Lodare Dio con le labbra non serve e non da' meriti se si omette di riverire la sua grandezza nel nostro cuore, entusiasti noi stessi dei benefici che lui ci ha dato e anche le più esaltanti organizzazioni di preghiera e di liturgia rischiano di trasformarsi in presuntuosa vanagloria quando vi è la superba lontananza del cuore dal vero culto a Dio ed è proprio vero quanto Gesù ammonisce: "non ciò che entra nell'uomo lo contamina, ma ciò che vi esce." Per il semplice fatto che quanto esce dall'uomo ha una scaturigine interiore e tutto dipende se essa sia buona o maliziosa. Trasparenza e sincerità sono il vero motto di chi ha il passaporto per amare.

### COMMUNITY EVENTS



#### LE STELLE AL- PINE ITALIAN

**DANCERS:** Help keep Italian culture alive in Thunder Bay by learning traditional Italian folk dancing. Please register for the 2018-2019 dance year by September 6. If you are interested and have any questions, you can send an email to: [info@italiandancers.com](mailto:info@italiandancers.com).

**SPAGHETTI SUPPER:** The Italian Hall will be having a spaghetti supper in support of MS on Sunday, September 9th. Take-out from 2:00-5:30 (\$11) and sit-down at 5:30 (\$14/person). For more info or tickets contact Italian Hall at 345-5511 or Frances 767-5469.

**LADIES OF ITAL. SOC. OF P.A.** General meeting Mon., Sept. 10 at 7:30pm at the Italian Cultural Centre. Elections for Nominations will be held.

#### CATHOLIC PASTORAL CENTRE "OPEN HOUSE":

Thurs., Sept. 20, 7:00pm-9:00pm (1222 Reaume St.—behind the police station). Visit the Ministry Offices. Staff will be available to answer any questions regarding the ministries that are supported by the Diocese of Thunder Bay. The Chapel will be open for anyone wishing to stop in. Browse through their selection of books, gifts & religious articles. Bishop Colli will be available to bless any articles towards which a donation is made. Enter a draw for 2 door prizes. Coffee & Sweets will be available for your enjoyment!

**Macie Emily Violet Kartanson** was baptized in the Lord. Congratulations and blessings to her family.



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## MASS INTENTIONS September 3 - September 9, 2018

### Monday, September 3

All Parishioners  
Giuseppe Arella  
Donato Filice

### 9:00am English

Pastor  
M. Arella  
wife & children

### Tuesday, September 4

Domenico & Marcello Donato  
Franco & Tony DeVuono  
Carmela & Bruno Perri  
Casimiro DiCasmirro  
Giovanni Niccoli  
Antonio Scalzo  
Domenica Mancuso

### 7:00pm English

Family  
Gilda  
G. & M. Perri  
B. & E. Melchiorre  
E. Cassano

R. Scalzo & children, grandchildren  
children

### Wednesday, September 5

Antonio Figueira  
Claudio Bruno  
Ciro & Marianna Frattaroli  
Marianna, Giovanni, Luisa & Antonio Princi  
Giovanni Eleuterio Chiarelli

### 7:00pm English

Family & Friends  
G. Benincasa  
Family  
A. Carina & Family  
Giovanna

### Thursday, September 6

Mike Ferrari  
Rocco D'Angelo & Defunti D'Angelo  
Maria Perrier & Giulio Rizzetto  
Anna Ruberto  
Rosina Bossio

### 7:00pm English

brother Carmine & Fam.  
Argentina  
B. & E. Melchiorre  
G. & S. Salerno  
P. & N. Bruno Bossio

### Friday, September 7

Paolo DaCosta  
Anton Kolic  
Antonio Chiarelli  
Mario Cupello  
Luigi Succo  
Pina Curci  
Maria Fiume

### 7:00pm English

I. DaCosta  
A. Arella & Family  
L. Nucci & Family  
L. Iachetta  
A & F. Topatigh  
L. & G. D'Angelo  
M. & M. Bennardo

### Saturday, September 8

**5:00pm**  
Jose Cabral  
Umberto & Peter Paul Pascuzzo  
Francesco Tassone  
Nicola Tucci  
Raffaele Mauro  
Luigi Fabiano  
Pasquale Casoria  
Silvio Tesolin  
Monika Bon  
Maria Bennardo Ciddio  
Tullio & Maria Cenedese  
Bruno & Maria Mauro  
Arlene Gatto

Maria & Family  
Maria  
wife  
wife  
V. & P. Bossio  
G. Fabiano  
M. Agostino  
Laura, Victor & Families  
Family  
R. Manning  
M. Veneruz & Family  
Family  
Family

### Sunday, September 9

### 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

**9:00am**  
Franco Paladino  
Assunta & Ferdinando Rigato  
Carmine DeVuono  
Leta D'Angelo  
Mirko Mihaljevic  
Costantino Costanzo  
Giuseppe & Vincenza Talarico  
Attilio Izzo

wife Iolanda  
A. & J. Geravelis  
wife & children  
G. & F. Ivanetic  
Rosa & Family  
Family  
L. Fragale & Family  
L. Nucci

### **11:00am**

Mario DaRosa  
Manuel & Maria do Carmo Pimentel  
Raffaele Bonazza  
Eva Sacchetti  
Judith, Joubert & Marilyn Webb Good  
Adelina DaSilva

E. & M. Novo  
M. Pacheco  
Family  
I. D'Angelo & Fam.  
T. Rosella & Fam.  
Friend

† Let us pray for **Adelaide Zussino & Helena Graf** who recently passed away.

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