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.

Pastor:	Rev. Luigi Filippini
Deacons:	Rev. Dave Cattani & Rev. Pasquale Coccimiglio
Office Admin:	Mary Stefanile - Custodian: Raffaele Stefanile
Rite Christian Initiation Adults — R.C.I.A. call office	

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER - C

Jesus said to his disciples: Come and eat. And he took the bread, and he gave it to them.

The challenge which Christ presented to Peter, 'Simon, son of John, do you love me more than these others do?' is the same challenge facing us. We are to plunge into the waters of life and find the way to follow the Lord. The miraculous catch of fish symbolizes the bringing of all people into the reach of God's mercy. The church will gather, into one unbroken net, men and women of every race, color and nationality. Our life's work is meant to be one of living service for the glory of God. We are presented with daily opportunities to be good news in our world, to help the elderly, to listen to bereaved neighbors and to help in many human situations ... In doing this we respond like Peter to the question Jesus asked him.

Dopo la risurrezione la comitiva dei discepoli sembra essere ritornata al proprio mestiere e alla terra di origine. Da Gerusalemme si è tornati alla terra di Nazareth; da pescatori di uomini a pescatori di pesci. E' qui che Gesu' si manifesta ai suoi discepoli. Non esiste ambito di vita e situazione esistenziale in cui "il Signore" esiti a rivelarsi ancora anche a noi. Simon Pietro, si tuffa in mare senza paura alcuna poiché riconosce in Gesù il Signore. Un'affermazione di grande importanza che giunge al culmine del vangelo e soprattutto come frutto maturo della risurrezione. Questo e' anche un invito per tutti noi. Il mangiare insieme pane e pesci - simboli del Cristo - e' un invito a celebrare l'Eucarestia dove noi riconosciamo ed incontriamo il Signore risorto.



May 5, 2019

Parish Of	fice Hours: Monday to Friday 9:00am-12 noon 1:00pm- 4:00pm
	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.
<u>Baptism:</u>	Parish Membership & Baptism class required. Please contact the Office.
<u>Marriage:</u>	Parish Membership & Preparation required. Call Office 6 months in advance.
Reconciliation - Confession:	Saturday 4:00pm & 30 min. before each 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 & Washroom Facilities available. Hall: 768-9368



CATHOLIC EDUCATION WEEK: May 5th—May 10th. The theme of this week is: "Living as Joyful Disciples". Ontario Catholic schools go back to the 1600's and the formal system was established in 1841. The Scott Act in 1863 gave the Catholic community the right to establish and operate publicly funded Catholic schools. Catholic schools have made a tremendous contribution to the vitality and success of Ontario's education system, which ranks among the best in the world.

BEST YOUTH ON HILLS NEWS: next youth meeting will be Sunday, May 5, 7:00pm-8:30pm.

SHOE DRIVE: organized by the **Best Youth On Hills** to support the campaign by BioPed Footcare & Orthotics to collect gently used shoes to send to underdeveloped countries. A collection box will be available in the church lobby for the month of May. Please donate gently used footwear. For more information, contact Michael or Carly.

11:00am Mass CHOIR PRACTICE: Join us at 11:00am Mass. <u>Next practices are: May 13 & 27</u> and June 10 all at 7:00pm.

PORTOGUESE CHOIR PRACTICE: Tuesdays, May 7, 14, 21,28, June 4 at 7:30pm, in our church.

YOUTH CHOIR PRACTICE: Wednesday, May 8th in the church from 7:30pm-8:30pm. For more info please contact: alanavalente87@gmail.com

<u>C.W.L. MEETING</u>: Tuesday, May 7 following the 7:00pm Mass.

ROSE SUNDAY: The Knights of Columbus will be distributing miniature, artificial lapel roses at the entrance to the church at all Masses on May 11 &



12 in support of pro-life organizations. A small donation would be gratefully appreciated.



WHAT IS "EPICLESIS"?

The epiclesis, in which, by means of particular invocations, the Church implores the power of the Holy Spirit that the gifts offered by human hands be consecrated, that is, become Christ's Body and Blood, and that the unblemished sacrificial Victim to be consumed in Communion may be for the salvation of those who will partake of it.

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA:



Thursday, May 9: - 7:00pm— Mass & Confessions, Friday, May 10 - 7:00pm— Mass & Confessions, Saturday, May 11 - 8:00pm— Solemn Mass & Candlelight Procession with the Statue of Our Lady Sunday, May 12 - Lunch at

1:00pm (\$20.00/person) Contact Manuel Neves 768-1582 or any committee member for tickets. All celebrations will be

conducted by Fr. Jorge Amaro.

<u>CONFIRMATION</u>: is Saturday, May 25. Group A: 2:00pm—Bishop E.Q. Jennings School Group B: 5:00pm—Bishop Gallagher School & other schools.

FIRST COMMUNION: Sunday, June 23 at 11:00am & 2:00pm. Please remember to attend Mass every Sunday at 11:00am, with your child.

MASS CARDS: upon receiving a mass card for your deceased, please schedule before 3 months pass. Past 3 months, we will schedule the mass intention for you. Thank you.

PONTIFICIAL MISSION SOCIETY COUNCIL: Fr. Luigi will be attending this conference in Toronto. He will be away from Mon. May 6 to Fri., May 10. Fr. Marco & Deacon Pasquale will be here to assist. All intentions will be mentioned.

PLEASEVIEWOURWEBPAGE:www.stanthonysparish.caWe now have a Do-nor Button for Electronic Donations for our Parish.We thank you in advance for your support.

Thank you to all Parishioners & visiting friends for your continued generosity & support. God Bless!

Grace Dema lola Bogensberger & Carter Philip Giesen-Racine were baptized in the Lord. Congratulations & blessings to the families.



† Let us pray for Argentina DiCasmirro& Ermenegildo Marinig who

passed away.



COMMUNITY EVENTS:

ADULT FAITH FORMATION OFFICE: located on 1222 Reaume St. (behind the police station) invites you to drop by for a cup of hot chocolate or coffee. **Browse the many gift items and the enormous selection of books available**. They are open Saturdays from 10am—2pm. Regular office hours are Monday-Friday 8:30am—4:30pm. For more info call 343-9313.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SPAGHETTI SUPPER: Sunday, May 5. <u>TAKE OUT</u>-1:00-5:00pm. <u>SIT DOWN SUPPER</u>-5:30pm. Tickets available at the office any time.

MOTHER'S DAY BREAKFAST BUFFET: Sunday, May 12 at the Columbus Centre from 9:30am—12:00noon. Adults \$12.25, Children 5-10 yrs old—\$8:50. Children under the age of 5 yrs. eat FREE. For more info call 623-3252.



MASS INTENTIONS May 6 - 12, 2019

9:00am English

M. Veneruz & Fam.

I. & W. Bogensberger

7:00pm Italian

F. & S. Roccatani

R. Costanzo & Fam.

7:00pm English

A. Tucci & R. Rosso

M. Bradizza

F. Donato

M. Bradizza

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L. & E. Caruso

7:00pm Italian

Raffaele & Fam.

Aquila & Family

7:00pm English

J. & A. Potestio

Pastor

C.W.L.

Family

Wife

Monday, May 6

All Parishioners Mike Ferrari Ron Percy Luigina & Marcello Piccinin Guerino D'Angelo

<u>Tuesday, May 7</u>

Maria Nardi Fr. Richard Veltri Pietro Chiodo Emma & Frank Iachetta

Wednesday, May 8 Luigina Piccinin

Michele Caruso Raffaele Carchidi

Thursday, May 9

Leta D'Angelo Giuseppe, Petronila & Claudio Costanzo

Friday, May 10

Maria & Giuseppe Casali Paulo DaCosta Maria Stranges

Saturday, May 11

5:00pm Pasquale Casoria A. Coppola Eva Sacchetti E. DeAmicis & Fam. Concetta & Pasquale Tassone & Bruno Marino Family Jose Cabral M. Cabral & Family Giuseppe Coppola M. Arella In honour of Madonna di Fatima G. Prete M. & R. Stefanile **Biagio Belcamino** Santo Bitonte M. Bitonte Irma Buffone Family Maria Rosa Consolata Tino J. Tino & Family Lina Talarico Family Raffaela Marino. Maria Rosa Consolata Tino R. Forte Angelina Grillo & Francesca Talarico Fiali Antonietta Coccimiglio O. & N. Coccimiglio

8:00pm MAS

MASS OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA Followed by Candlelight Procession

Sunday, May 12 Fourth Sunday of Easter 9:00am & 11:00am Masses FOR ALL PARISHIONERS

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!





