# 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 768-1878	

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - C

September 22, 2019



Your words, Lord, are spirit and life, you have the words of everlasting life.

Experience teaches that the longing for happiness and security is not satisfied by any created thing. Our life is not made secure by material wealth because we have a heavenly destiny. We are here today and gone tomorrow, but we are here for a purpose. The closer we come to eternity the more material possessions lose their value. When life draws to an end, riches prove worthless and have got to be left behind. We can take nothing with us from this life except the good we have done. The gospel message is summed up in the quote, 'Money is an instrument that can buy everything but happiness, and purchases a ticket to every place but heaven.'

### XXV DOMENICA DEL TEMPO ORDINARIO

**E se non siete stati fedeli nella ricchezza altrui, chi vi darà la vostra?** Sembra un gioco di parole e di interessi; la parabola che troviamo nel vangelo ha unito diversi frasi di Gesù che, pur originate in contesti diversi, ci aiutano a comprendere il senso della parabola ed ancor più l'uso della ricchezza; non dobbiamo neppure dimenticare che i destinatari sono i discepoli, coloro che hanno preso la decisione di seguire il Maestro. La richiesta di fedeltà alla ricchezza altrui è quella nostra che arriverà in futuro. Si potrebbe dire che quello che possediamo dalla terra alla casa, dalla finanza alla produzione, tutto quello che crediamo di possedere di fatto non è nostro ma ci è solo affidato: la nostra ricchezza, quella vera è quanto abbiamo messo presso Dio, nelle "tende eterne". Dio e' la nostra ricchezza, Dio è il nostro Amen.



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.
Baptism:	Parish Membership & Baptism class required. Please contact the Office.
Marriage:	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

## BISHOP'S DIOCESAN MINISTRY CAMPAIGN

Goal

\$29 000

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\$2,858

Raised

Our goal this year is **\$29, 000.00** and to date we have reached 10% This Campaign will run from **September until mid December**. Cheques can be made out to

St. Anthony's Church.

All donations are tax-deductible. Please pick up your assigned envelope in the lobby. Thank you for your continued generosity. May God bless us all on our journey as a community of believers.

If you are a new donor, please contact the office.

**YOUTH CHOIR:** Do you love to sing or play an instrument? Come & join our youth choir as we begin our new season under the direction of Alana Valente. Everyone welcome ages 7 & up. For more info contact alanavalente@gmail.com.

**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 is asked to contact the Rectory 768-1878. A training session will be arranged in the fall.

# YOUTH GROUP NEWS:

**YOUTH MASS**: Sun., September 29 at 11:00am. Volunteers can let Michael and Carly know. **YOUTH MEETING**: Sept. 29 from 7:00pm-8:30pm.

**BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASS:** Tues., Oct. 1 at 7:30pm in the church meeting room. If you are planning to baptize your child in the month of October, please call the office to register for this class.

# WHY WE SING DURING COMMUNION:

While the Priest is receiving the Sacrament, the Communion Chant is begun, its purpose being to



express the spiritual union of the communicants by means of the unity of their voices, to show gladness of heart, and to bring out more clearly the "communitarian" character of the procession to receive the Eucharist.

## BLESSING OF THE PETS IN HONOUR OF ST. FRANCIS:

Saturday, October 5 at 11:00am outside the front doors of our church.



# FIRST COMMUNION & CONFIR-

**MATION:** Registration forms have been given out at all Catholic Schools. Please complete and return to your child's school as soon as possible. If your child attends Public School, please call our church rectory for more information. Thank you.

**R.C.I.A. PROGRAM:** The Rite of Christian Initiation Program for Adults is for those who have never been baptized or belong to another faith. For more information call Fr. Luigi at the rectory.

**ALPINI MASS**: The Alpini and their choir members will be joining our Mass on <u>Sunday, October</u> <u>6 at 9:00am</u> as they will be remembering their deceased members.

**PLEASE REGISTER:** Please remember to register with us if you are new to our parish or have been recently been married. Contact the office during office hours 768-1878. If you have moved please **<u>call</u>** the office with any changes.

**REFUGEE FAMILY**: St. Dominic Refugee Committee is sponsoring a family of 3 from Iraq. Finances are in place but they are in need of people to help organize the new family's reception, accommodation and appointments as needed. Please call St. Dominic Parish if you are interested in helping out in some way. 577-5672

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

Congratulations to Sabrina Felice & Kevin Missere on their marriage. May God continue to bless them in their journey of family life.



# COMMUNITY EVENTS:

TRY ALPHA: at St. Agnes Parish. Alpha is open to people of all A great venue to discuss your beliefs and backgrounds. thoughts, questions and ideas. Beginning on Thurs., Sept. 26 at 7:30pm, these weekly sessions consist of gourmet appetizers, thought-provoking videos and small group discussions in a warm atmosphere. There is no obligation to participate in the discussions and there is no charge to attend. To register, call Kim Coursolle at 628-2724 or kcoursolle@tbcschools.ca

KING OF LOBSTER SUPPER: Sat., Sept. 28 at the Columbus Centre. Tickets \$60.00 and can be picked up at their office, call 623-3252

SPAGHETTI SUPPER: Sun., Sept. 29 at the Italian Cultural Centre. In support of the Victorian Order of Nurses.



# MASS INTENTIONS September 23–29, 2019

# Monday, September 23 All Parishioners

Carmine & Elvira Pascuzzo In onore di San Padre Pio Antonio Berti Doreen Mauro In onore di San Padre Pio

Tuesday, September 24 7: Marcello Donato & Deceased of Donato Family Domenico Donato Eva Sacchetti Francesca DiSimone Brunina, Michele & Cosmo Ariganello Antonio, Luisa, Emilio, Maria & Rosina Bossio In onore di San Padre Pio Vincenzo Romeo

#### Wednesday, September 25

Sam Larizza Ernesto Romito Bobby Carvalho & Ron Percy Natalina Quinn Teresa Pietrzyk Argentina DiCasmirro Luigi DiBiagio

#### Thursday, September 26

Giovanni Niccoli In onore dei Santi Medici Gildo Marinig Bruno Larizza Giuseppe Magisano Tarcisio Guidolin

# <u>9:00am English</u> Pastor

Frank & Anna E. Rucchetto Gianni & Bruno R Furioso B. Larizza & Fam.

#### 7:00pm Italian

Family J. & B. Remus G. & B. Frattaroli D, B & M Sacchettti Family P. & V. Bossio G. & G. Magisano Family

#### 7:00pm English

Rocco, Pina & Bruna E. Rómito Dina Family T. & G. Tegola E. Sacchetti Lori, Angelo, Katie & Fam.

#### 7:00pm Italian

C. Vita G. & G. Magisano Ladies Venet Society Family R. Furioso Wife & Family

#### Friday, September 27 1:00pm WEDDING Michael Armiento & Lindsay Boyd

Friday, September 27 Raffaele Bonazza, Francesco Caglioti & Caterina Catania Famil Family Moglie e Figle Edoardo Rucchin Emilio Costanzo G. & F. Biancospino Giovanni Galluccio sorella G. Chiarelli

#### Saturday, September 28

5:00pm Pasquale Casoria Mario & Cosimo Tozzo Antonio Tassone Adelina Ceci Callie Johnston Frank Tropea Sr. Deceased Members of the Wright Family Gino Filice

N. & F. Arno Family St. Margaret School F. & G. Ceci R. Johnston Wife & Family S. & M. Harris sorelle Maria & Rita

## Sunday, September 29 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am Antonio Clemenza M. Arella Angelo Nardari Wife & Family Sam Bruzzese Family Gina Ambrose R. Mihalievic Nella & Bruno Rosina & Francesco Macri & Maria & Angelo La Selva

#### 11:00am

Vincenzo Romeo Adelina DaSilva Guilherme Dacosta Renato Rigato Maria Cava Alberto Cava Maria Cava Celina Morissette Emilio Costanzo Jose Sousa



Family Freitas & Raposo Fam. C. Dacosta F. Cenedese & Fam. G. & P. Caney V. Fragale & Fam. S. Nucci & Family K. DiGiuseppe F. & H. Iorianni Family

