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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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FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—B

January 28, 2024

The Gospel of Mark makes it clear that, from the very first day of Christ's public ministry, his messianic power began to be manifested to those who saw and heard him. The Jews of Capernaum were "astonished" at his teaching and "amazed" at his power over the evil spirits. But they were still a long way from recognizing him for what he was, the Messiah and Son of God. This is as might be expected; the incarnation's great mystery was way beyond human expectation or human imagination. And our Lord planned to reveal this mystery, slowly and gradually, so that when his resurrection had completed the chain of evidence, his followers could look back and see each link in that chain.

IV DOMENICA DEL TEMPO ORDINARIO

I Vangelo di Marco chiarisce che, fin dal primo giorno del ministero pubblico di Cristo, il suo potere messianico cominciò a manifestarsi a coloro che lo vedevano e lo ascoltavano. I Giudei di Cafarnao erano "stupiti" del suo insegnamento e "meravigliati" del suo potere sugli spiriti maligni. Ma erano ancora lontani dal riconoscerlo per quello che era, il Messia e il Figlio di Dio. Questo è quanto ci si poteva aspettare; il grande mistero dell'incarnazione era ben al di là delle aspettative e dell'immaginazione umana. E nostro Signore aveva pianificato di rivelare questo mistero, lentamente e gradualmente, in modo che quando la sua risurrezione avesse completato la catena delle prove, i suoi seguaci avrebbero potuto guardare indietro e vedere ogni anello di quella catena.



Parish Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday & Friday 8:30am-12 noon 1:00pm- 4:30pm

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



Gesù Cristo, nuovo Adamo

Dio è Santo ed esercita il suo dominio per mezzo della potenza dello Spirito Santo; la sua unica legge è l'amore. Vive nel regno di Dio chi, nella libertà dell'amore, si sottomette all'azione potente del suo Spirito che "è Signore e dà la vita". Adamo ed Eva con il



peccato si sono ribellati a Dio sottraendosi alla sua sovranità. Gesù Cristo, nuovo Adamo, sottomesso al Padre con una obbedienza spinta fino alla morte di croce, ripieno di Spirito Santo e rivestito di potenza dall'alto al battesimo del Giordano, inizia la sua missione instaurando il regno di Dio con autorità. I demoni si sottomettono a lui, manifestando così che il loro potere sull'uomo ormai volge al termine e che il regno di Dio è entrato nel mondo. Oggi è compito della Chiesa, cioè di ogni cristiano, far arrivare il regno di Dio ad ogni uomo su questa terra.

ITALIAN HALL SPAGHETTI TAKE-OUT:

February 4, 12-5pm

COLUMBUS CENTRE UPCOMING EVENTS:

Thurs., Feb. 1—Pickerel Dinner \$22.00 Take out. Preorder by Wed., Jan. 31

SPAGHETTI & MEATBALL TAKE OUTS:

Feb. 8, 22, March 7, 21, April 4, 18, May 2, 16, 30 For more information call the Columbus Centre: 807-623-3252

CHILI SUNDAY: Sunday, Feb. 11 at St. Andrew's Parish Saunders Hall. From 11:00am-1:00pm. Beat the Winter chill and enjoy a delicious bowl of Beef, Chicken or Vegetarian Chili with French Fries & Bun for \$10.00. A take-out option is also available. All are welcome!

FUNDRAISER FOR CHILDREN HELPING CHIL-**DREN**: on the weekends of February 3 & 4 and 10 & 11, our Youth Group will be selling chocolates before and after all Masses. All proceeds will go to Children Helping Children.

2024 SUNDAY ENVELOPES: Please discard any unused envelopes of previous years. Only use your 2024 envelopes as your number changes every year. If you would like to have a box of envelopes, please call the office. Thank you.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: is an opportunity to spend time in prayer and meditation with the real presence of Jesus in the Eucharist outside of Mass. Eucharistic Adoration is held the 1st Friday of the Month. All are invited on Friday, February 2 at 6:00pm followed by Mass at 7:00pm

FIRST COMMUNION:

Reconciliation Classes (in hall, during 11:00am Mass): Sunday, April 7 & Sunday, April 14 Prayer Service: Sunday, April 21 at 2:00pm First Communion Classes: Sundays, Apr. 28, May 5 & May 26 (in hall, during 11:00am Mass) FIRST COMMUNION DAY: Saturday, June 1st at 2:00pm & 5:00pm.

CONFIRMATION 2024: A special Confirmation ceremony for registered Candidates of Bishop E.Q. Jennings & Bishop Gallagher will be held on Fri., May 3rd at St. Patrick's Cathedral.

YOUTH CHOIR: will sing on Sun., Jan. 28 at 11:00am Mass. Anyone ages 10+ are welcome to join. Contact Cassandra Colistro (807-632-4499) or Shea Niemi (sciemi@lakeheadu.ca) Thank you

C.W.L. NEWS: 2024 MEMBERSHIP DUES: may be paid at the office or to any executive member. (\$35.00)

WARM ARTICLES: CWL collecting NEW warm articles (hats, mitts, neck warmers, scarves & socks. All sized appreciated. Collection box is located in church lobby.

MEETING: There is no meeting in February but the next General Meeting is March 5, 2024 with a speaker from the Alzheimer Society.

SENIORS GROUP: General Meeting & election on Tues., Jan. 30 at 11am. Following meeting, pizza will be served. Bingo will follow. New Members welcome. Please contact Lucina 807-767-8137

MARRIAGE PREP. WEEKEND: St. Anthony's Parish will be running a two-day Marriage Prep. Feb. 9 (7pm-10pm) & Feb. 10 (9am-6pm) for all engaged couples. The cost is \$100. per couple and includes all materials & meals. Register by contacting parish office 768-1878 or reception@stanthonysparish.ca Deadline for registration is Wednesday, January 31.

SUNDAY COLLECTION: \$2,905.00 Thank you Parishioners & visiting friends for your continued generosity & support. God Bless!

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Monday, January 29

All Parishioners Conceicao & Manuel Arruda Ana Bene

Tuesday, January 30

Carlos Pinhero Giuseppina Carchidi

Wednesday, January 31

Maria Pacheco

Thursday, February 1

Gaetano Siciliano Pietro Marasco

Friday, February 2

Gennarina Vercillo Josie Vercillo Cappelli Gino Filice

Maria Stranges

9:00am English

Pastor J. DaCosta R. Skribka

7:00pm Italian

L. Nigro

St. Anthony Seniors

7:00pm English

M. Machado

7:00pm Italian

F. Romeo & Family B. & L. Barber

7:00pm English

Family

O. & N. Coccimiglio

C. Marino

Aquila & Rinaldo

Saturday, February 3 5:00pm

Carmelina Casoria St. Anthony Seniors Vincenzo & Ada Foresta & Deceased Family Angelo Tucci, Teresa Primerano, All Saints & All Souls

Paul Kassa Luigi, Carmela, Vincenzo & Fausto Maletta

Alex Facca

Deceased of Chiabai Family

Geniale Coccimiglio Fiore Coccimiglio

Tucci Family Paul, Mary & Family

F. & A. Benincasa

Lina & Family

S. Allard Romilda

nipoti Franco & Lina Coccimiglio

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Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, February 4

9:00am Mass

Giuseppe Arella

Wife Maria

Carmine & Antonietta DeGrazia

P. & F. Bloskie & M. DeGrazia

11:00am Mass

Salvatore Migliazza R. & A. Uvanile Salvatore & Lucy Migliazza Family Luciano Farno S. & I. Miceli

Umberto Chies & Deceased Chies & Marcon M. Chies Jose Raposo Jose & Family

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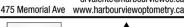
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