# 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.

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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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#### **SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER**

April 7, 2024

You believed, Thomas because you have seen me; blessed are those who have not seen and yet believe.

The Crucified is the Risen One, the Risen One is the Crucified One. This identity is the essence of faith. The truth of God and man is in this unity of cross and resurrection. The Lamb sacrificed is the Living One, the Lord, This truth is the hermeneutic principle of St. John's Revelation: As soon as I saw him, I fell at his feet as if dead. But he, laying his right hand upon me, said, "Fear not! I am the First and the Last, and the Living One. I was dead, but now I live forever and have the keys of death and the underworld." (Rev. 1:17-18).

## II DOMENICA DI PASQUA

Il Crocifisso è il Risorto, il Risorto è il Crocifisso. Questa identità è essenza della fede. La verità di Dio e dell'uomo è in questa unità di croce e di risurrezione. L'Agnello immolato è il Vivente, il Signore, Questa verità è il principio ermeneutico dell'Apocalisse di San Giovanni: Appena lo vidi, caddi ai suoi piedi come morto. Ma egli, posando su di me la sua destra, disse: «Non temere! lo sono il Primo e l'Ultimo, e il Vivente. Ero morto, ma ora vivo per sempre e ho le chiavi della morte e degli inferi (Ap 1,17-18).



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



#### PEACE IS EVERLASTING JOY

The prophets called the Messiah "prince of peace" (Is 9:5); they affirmed that endless peace would characterize his reign (Is 9:6; 11:6). On Christ's birth, angels from heaven proclaimed peace on earth to men whom He loves (Lk 2:14). Jesus himself says, "I leave you peace, I give you, my peace. Peace is the gift."



brought by the Redeemer. Jesus is our peace. When he showed himself to the disciples after the resurrection, he said, "Peace be with you!" Jesus wanted to give this precious gift of redemption-peace-and he did so, not only to the apostles but also to all who believed and would believe in him. That is why he sent the apostles to proclaim the gospel of redemption in all the countries of the world. Blessed are those who believe in God without ever having seen him with their own eyes. Faith raises us from material life to spiritual existence and thus fills us with eternal joy.

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# **COLUMBUS CENTRE UPCOMING EVENTS:**

**SPAGHETTI SUPPERS**: April 18th, May 2nd, 16th, 30th. For more info call: 807-623-3252

# **ITALIAN SOCIETY OF P.A.:**

**SPAGHETTI TAKE OUT:** Sundays, April 14th & 28th from 12:00-5:00pm. Contact the office for more info 345-5511.

# **LE STELLE ALPINE ITALIAN DANCERS:**

**Spaghetti Take Out Fundraiser** Sunday, April 14 at the Italian Cultural Centre. Pick up time: 12:00pm-5:00pm. For tickets please see any Board Member at Legacy Dance Studio between 12:30 & 2:30pm on Sunday, April 7 or email

mailto:info@italiandancers.com

LADIES OF ITALIAN SOCIETY OF P.A.: The April 8th GENERAL MEETING is CANCELLED and has been RESCHEDULED for Monday, April 15th at 7:30pm at the Italian Cultural Centre in the Garibaldi Hall. Final planning for the upcoming TEA on April 21 will be the main focus. Looking for approximately 30 members to help serve coffee & sandwiches from 1:00-3:30pm. Final details will be discussed at the meeting.

**EXECUTIVE MEETING**: on April 15th at 6:30pm. All executives please attend.

**SPRING CANCER TEA** on **Sunday, April 21 from 1:00pm-3:30pm**. Tickets are \$10. each., call Michele 807-344-6893 or get them at the door. All funds are donated to the Northern Cancer Fund.

FIRST COMMUNION Reconciliation Classes (in hall, during 11:00am Mass): Sunday, April 7 & Sunday, April 14

FIRST RECONCILIATION: Sun., 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: Confirmation will be celebrated as a school-faith community allowing students to celebrate with their classmates. The Northside (Bishop Gallagher & Bishop E.Q.Jennings) celebration will take place on May 3, 2024 at 12:30pm in St. Patrick's Cathedral. The Southside (Pope John Paul II) celebration will take place on May 24, 2024 at 12:30pm in St. Patrick's Cathedral. This comes with the blessing of Bishop Colli. His Excellency has also added in a third celebration to take place on Pentecost Sunday, May 19, 2024 for all other candidates in our Diocese.

YOUTH GROUP: The next youth meeting will be on Sunday, April 14th from 7:00pm-8:30pm in the church meeting room. We are ALWAYS welcoming new members. All youth gr. 7 and up are welcome to come. If you are interested in attending the meeting, please RSVP to cccolist@lakeheadu.ca

### C.W.L. NEWS: 2024:

**MEMBERSHIP DUES:** may be paid for at the office. (\$35.00)

**APRIL SHOWER**: Tuesday, April 9th after the 7:00pm Mass. In support of struggling women who are in transition.

# **NEXT C.W.L. MEETINGS**:

May 7th—presenter local horticulturalist June 4th—Service awards (pins)

 GOOD FRIDAY:
 \$ 1,550.00

 EASTER:
 \$ 4,750.00

 SUNDAY COLLECTION:
 \$ 4,840.00

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## MASS INTENTIONS April 8—14th, 2024

#### Monday, April 8

All Parishioners Aurelio Sabaz

#### Tuesday, April 9

Diletta Scocchia Giulio Scocchia Orlando Coccimiglio

#### Wednesday, April 10

Emilio & Maria Caputo Amelia & Crawford Greer Vincenzo Muzzi

#### Thursday, April 11

Maria & Francesco Naccarato

### Friday, April 12

Emma Rucchatto Dorothy Furioso Maria Rosa Consolata Tino Paolo Notarbartolo

# Saturday, April 13

Carmine Caruso

### 5:00pm

Vito Bertucci
Franca Donato
Rocco, Leta & Elena D'Angelo
Antonio & Maria Figuera
Francesco DiBiagio
Rocco, Leta & Elena D'Angelo
Mario Bruno

A. D'Angelo
Argentina
Family
Charlton & DiBiagio Families
B. & E. Melchiorre
N. & D. Malette & Family

9:00am English

7:00pm Italian

J. & B. Charlton

G. & S. Tolone

N. Cuglietta

R. Furioso

Nella, children & grandchildren

C. & M. Turco & Family

7:00pm English

7:00pm Italian

Francesca & Family

7:00pm English

Paolo & Emily & Family

Julie & Family

Rick & Family

Caruso Family

P. & F. Bloskie

Family

Pastor

M. Bradizza

sorella Angelina Carina & Family
Figli

# Sunday, April 14

#### 9:00am Mass Vincenzo Rizzo

Giuseppe Marino

Lina Princi

Carmelina Casoria
Giovanni & Teresa DeStefano
Carmine & Antonietta DeGrazia
Jerry Sottile
In onore di San Franco
Deceased of Sacchetti Family

Costantino Dante DiGiuseppe Raffaela Marino

# 11:00am Mass

Antonio Arruda Antonio Figueira Amalia Gigliotti Helen Martin Neil Simpson Nicola Pilat

# THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

# R. & E. Massei

B. Larizza & Family figlia Immacolata Tassone

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Wife Family

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† Let us pray for the repose of the souls of Assunta Campigotto, Vittorio Cacciatore and Jean Sharkey who have recently passed away.

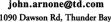
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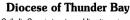
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