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 Fr. Luigi Filippini Deacon Rev. Dave Cattani

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Rite Christian Initiation Adults — R.C.I.A. Call the office at 768-1878

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

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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.

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



XXXIII Sunday in Ordinary Time Nov. 18/18

Be alert at all times, praying that you may be able to stand before the Son of Man.



In today's Gospel, Jesus continues teaching his disciples about signs to look for that will indicate that the coming of the Son of Man is near. His words and images draw upon Old Testament imagery, especially images found in the Book of Daniel. Next, Jesus offers the lesson of the fig tree, a parable that teaches that if one knows how to read the signs, one can be prepared for the end times. Jesus also teaches, however, that no one knows when the end

time will come, except the Father. In the verses that follow this reading in Mark's Gospel, Jesus continues to warn his disciples to be on watch for this end time. Jesus' words are not spoken to frighten his disciples, nor should they frighten us. Rather, they are offered to prepare us for the changes we will experience during our lifetimes and at the end times. Our consolation and hope is found in the lasting nature of Jesus' words and God's never-ending love for us

NOVEMBER—ALL SOULS MONTH: envelopes available in the lobby. Write the names of the loved ones that you would like to be remembered. Please leave envelopes in a basket that will be placed in front of the altar for our Mass celebrations during November.

BEST YOUTH ON HILLS: meeting Sunday, November 25, from 7:00pm-8:30pm. All youth, gr. 7 & up, including Confirmation candidates are welcome. Youth Mass will be on Sunday, November 25 at 11:00am.

GIVING TREE: The Best Youth On Hills are excited to offer the Giving Tree, beginning the weekend of Nov. 24/25, to support children in need. This year, the Giving Tree will support students at Our Lady of Charity School. Parishioners are invited to select an ornament and purchase a Christmas gift for the student specified on the ornament.

POINSETTIA ORDERS: The Best Youth will be taking orders for memorial poinsettias which will be displayed in our church during the Christmas season. Poinsettias will be sold for \$15 at all Mass times during the weekends of November 24 & 25 and December 1 & 2.

Why does the Deacon read the Gospel?

The designation of a special minister for reading the Gospel goes all the way back to the third century. Cyprian (+258) ordained Aurelian for this purpose. A century later Sozomen said a Bishop read the

Gospel at Easter in Constantinople and an archdeacon read it in Alexandria, and in many other churches it was proclaimed by a deacon or a presbyter, which is a Priest.

BISHOP'S DIOCESAN MINISTRY CAMPAIGN

Our goal is **\$29,000.00** and to date we have reached 78% having raised \$22,622.13 so far. This campaign runs until mid December 15. Cheques can be made out to **St. Anthony's Church** Donations are tax— deductible. Thank you for your continued generosity.

CHOIR HELP: Our 5:00pm & 11:00am
Mass Choir is looking for help with putting overheads on the projector during Mass. This can go
towards your Volunteer Hours. Contact Laura Daniele, Jasmine Petch or anyone in the choir.

11:00am MASS CHOIR: Next practice is Monday, November 26 at 7:00pm. If you are interested in singing in our 11:00am Choir, join us!

YOUTH CHOIR: practice is Thursday, November 22 from 7:30pm-8:30pm. Ages 7 & up. For more info contact alanavalente87@gmail.com

CONFIRMATION 1st MEETING: Thursday, November 22 at 7:30pm. For parents, candidates & sponsors. If your child does not attend a Catholic School, please pick up a registration form at our rectory. Registration forms must be in by Nov. 19. Further information on upcoming meetings will be announced in our Sunday Bulletin & on our Website www.stanthonysparish.ca

FIRST COMMUNION 1st MEETING: For parents & children on Thursday, December 6 at 7:30pm in our church hall.

CWL CHRISTMAS BAKE SALE: Order your baking by Nov. 25, with payment. Make cheques payable to St. Anthony's C.W.L. Order forms can be picked up before & after masses or on our Website & returned to CWL before/after mass or the office by Nov. 25. Pick up is Sat., Dec. 8 from noon to 5:00pm. Proceeds go to St. Anthony's.

ST. ANTHONY'S FAMILY TREE: A wonderful way to remember a special person in your family. Please call the office if you wish to purchase a spot on our wall.

SUNDAY MISSALS: available in the lobby. Cost is \$5. Please leave money in the envelope available.

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

God Bless!



XXXIII Domenica del Tempo Ordinario / B



L'accento alla guerra, alla battaglia, alla lotta futura è il modo apocalittico di descrivere la situazione presente. Anche oggi proviamo il dolore e lo sconvolgimento interiore e sociale del nostro mondo. Quando il sole, che è sorto la mattina per illuminare e rendere chiari i passi dell'uomo, viene adombrato dalla violenza e dal sopruso, ci sembra di essere entrati in un buio esistenziale profondo. Lo scoraggiamento e la delusione per la tribolazione possono avere due soluzioni: affidarsi a Dio con fiducia da figli o disperarsi. Il richiamo di Gesù alla figura del figlio

dell'Uomo (titolo che lui si attribuisce spesso, evitando accuratamente altri titoli regali) rivela il segno vero della salvezza. "Figlio dell'uomo" è l'uomo stesso, l'uomo per eccellenza, l'uomo chiamato a servire Dio e gli uomini. L'incarnazione e la risurrezione sono il momento della gloria del figlio dell'uomo, sono l'evento capitale da contemplare per vedere la salvezza.

COMMUNITY EVENTS



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 will be open Saturdays until December 22 from 10am. 2pm. They will also be open Thursday evenings from 7pm-8:30pm on Nov. 15, 22 & 29. Regular office hours are Monday-Friday 8:30am-4:30pm. For more info call 343-9313.

33 DAYS TO MORNING GLORY: every Monday, until December 3rd, 7:00pm-8:30pm, at St. Patrick Cathedral Rectory. Using video teachings, group discussions & daily readings, this retreat will guide you to "open wide the doors of Christ", entrusting yourself to Christ's mother, the first who opened her life and heart to Jesus. Suggested donation of \$15 for the cost of materials. For more info call Doug McClure at 708-4143 or bumba3712@gmail.com

MISSION TO SEAFARERS: The Mission to Seafarers-Port of Thunder Bay is looking for donations for Christmas gift bags to be given to 220 seafarers in December. Donations must be in at the Seafarers' Centre by Nov. 19. Suggested donations: mittens, gloves, writing paper, candy. Call 344-8241 or visit www.missiontoseafarers.ca/thunderbay

ECUMENICAL PRAYER SERVICE: There are many forms of loss in our lives: loss of a loved one, loss of a relationship, loss of health, loss of faith, loss of employment. This prayer service will be held on Tuesday, November 27 at 7:00pm in the chapel at St. Patrick Cathedral for those who have experienced a loss in their life and wish to gather as a community for mutual support. Refreshments and fellowship will follow the service (use Donald St. entrance).

PENITENTIAL SERVICES: are scheduled for the North Ward on Thursday, December 13 at 7:00pm at St. Margaret Church, and for the South Ward on Wednesday, December 19 at 7:00pm at St. Patrick Cathedral.

MASS INTENTIONS November 19 - 25, 2018

Monday, November 19

All Parishioners Dorothy Furioso

All Souls & Deceased of the Ho Family

Tuesday, November 20

Raffaele & Sergio Iachetta & Orlando, Lidia & Mario Maio Alfonso & Irma Terlicher Peter, Luigi, Teresa Fabiano, Defunti Porto & Arabia

Giovanni Marson Giuseppe Rizzo Alessandro Aiello Francis DeAmicis

Angela & Vincenzo Clasadonte

Wednesday, November 21

Giuseppina Valente Maria Nardi Ida & Francesco Bruni

Antonio & Elena Castelli & Palmina DiGiuseppe

Marino & Doralice Sacchetti

Maria Gerace Scott Gale

Giovanni & Clotilde Serravalle

Gabriele & Francesca DiSimone

Thursday, November 22

Brunina, Cosmo & Michele Ariganello Antigio Veneruz

Mario Princi Alessandro & Angelina Vigliatore

Celina Cecon

All Souls in Purgatory

Vincenza & Joe Talarico & Sandro Fragale

Michele & Teresa Alulio

Friday, November 23

Antonio, Angelina & Giuseppina Conforti & Famiglia Mariano

Francesca DiSimone Antonio Berti Carmine DeRose

Ines & August Del Bel Belluz

Ann Felice

Francesco & Anna Garofalo & Carmelo DeZan

Saturday, November 24

Jose Cabral

Vincenzo Romeo & Deceased Romeo & Bruzzese

Domenico Donato

Settimio Fata Anna & Francesco Garofalo

Rosaria & Nicola Pucci

Salvatore & Elena Pucci

9:00am English

7:00pm Italian

Anita Lina & Fam.

Family J. & L. Tassone Family

Wife Éva & Family

Son

Pastor

M. Chies

B. & T. Ho

7:00pm English

Family Raffaela & Cosmo

M. & C. Coccimiglio

M. Sacchetti

M. Sacchetti

M. & M. Turco & Fam.

Deacon Dave & Suzanne Cattani

Family Tony & Mary

7:00pm Italian

Family M. Veneruz & Family

R. Bonfiglio

G. Benincasa & Family

Ladies of Italian Soc. of P.A.

M. Cabral

I & M Fragale

S. & I. Vetere

7:00pm English

M. Pugliese Maria

Mira

Family C. Felice

DeZan Family

R. & M. Cupélli

Maria & Family

M. & R. Stefanile

F. & L. Garofalo

Family Wife & Children

Family Maria & Vittorio

Teresa & Ettore

G. Tassone & Family

M. Marozzo & Fam.

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O. & N. Coccimiglio

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Family

Family

Wife

Wife

A. Filice Family

L. Tropea

5:00pm Marcello Donato & Maria Grazia Venuto

Frank Ruberto

Deceased of Filice Family

Peter, Umberto, Carmine & Elvira Pascuzzo

Nicola Tucci

Sunday, November 25 Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

9:00am

Bobby Carvalho & Ron Percy

Angelo Nardari Natalina Quinn

Giosino, Antonio & Antonietta Fiorito Maria, Angelina & Raffaele Tassone

Defunti Izzo & Giordano

Tony & Saverio Marozzo & Family

Mirella & Santo Pellegrino

Santo, Rachele & Michele Costanzo

11:00am

Peter & Lucia Sandri Giovanni Malench

Sam Larizza Henry DaRosa

Frank Tropea Antonietta Tropea Maria Celisia DaRosa Gina

Family

Fratello & Sorelle Wife & Family

G. Fabiano

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