

# 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

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## **TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**August 27, 2023**

*You are Peter, the rock on which I build my church.*

Peter is called "kefa" in Hebrew, which means "rock"; translated into Greek as "petros"; he will thus be the rock on which God's new people stand firmly, to whom is given here, for the first time, the name "Church," which in the Hebrew form means "assembly summoned" by God. To this Church Jesus assures as of now that "the powers of hell will not prevail against it." In this Church, Jesus gives Peter "the keys of the kingdom of heaven," with the power to "bind" and "loose."

### **XXI DOMENICA DEL TEMPO ORDINARIO**

Pietro viene chiamato "kefa" in ebraico, che significa "roccia"; tradotto in greco con "petros"; sarà quindi la roccia su cui poggia saldamente il nuovo popolo di Dio, al quale viene dato qui, per la prima volta, il nome di "Chiesa", che nella forma ebraica significa "assemblea convocata" da Dio. A questa Chiesa Gesù garantisce fin d'ora che "le potenze degli inferi non prevarranno su di essa". In questa Chiesa, Gesù dà a Pietro "le chiavi del regno dei cieli", con il potere di "legare" e di "sciogliere".



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



**“Who do you say I am?”**

When Jesus asked his disciples “who do you say the Son of Man is?” their answers reflected the different theories and speculations about Jesus prevalent in their culture. If the same question were asked by Jesus today, the answers would perhaps seem more cultured, but they would be very similar. Instead of evoking Elijah, John the Baptist, or Jeremiah, they would perhaps evoke speculations from the last Christology conference, or again the results of a recent survey. We can imagine that Jesus would listen politely, perhaps smiling. Then, however, comes the actual question, “who do you say that I am?”



**CATHOLIC ACTION CENTRE**

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**ST ANTHONY’S SENIOR CLUB:**

Will be starting up again on September 5, 2023.

**MUSIC MINISTRY:** Needs a projectionist for Sunday, 11:00am Mass. Please speak to one of our musicians if interested. This is an opportunity for high school students to earn volunteer hours.

**COLUMBUS CENTRE TAKE OUTS:**

August 31st Fundraiser for St. Patrick Cathedral roof restoration. Please pre-order by Tuesday August 29. Pick up 2:00pm—5:30pm. Spaghetti & meatballs, meatballs in sauce, spaghetti sauce, roasted chicken thighs, perogies, & tossed salad available!

**LUIGI ON WHEELS:**

Thank you to all participants and supporters! It was a great success!



**BISHOP’S ANNUAL  
DIOCESAN MINISTRY CAMPAIGN:**

We are off to a great start! Our goal this year is \$26,000.00.

To date we have raised \$8, 403.51.

We are at 32%. You may bring your donations to the rectory office or mail in to the Pastoral Centre.

**RCIA:**

**RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS**

Are you an adult who is exploring the possibility of becoming Catholic? Are you an adult who has not received the Sacraments of Holy Communion or Confirmation? Are you a baptized Christian in another faith wishing to become Catholic? RCIA may be for you. Classes will begin this fall in our parish. For more information or to register for the program, please see Deacon Pasquale or contact our office.

**4 SEASONS GIFT SHOP 1 DAY SALE!**

Date: Saturday, September 09, 2023

Location: 1222 Reaume St (behind the police station) Lots to see, check out our end of season sale and our new fall arrivals!

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**WEEKDAY SUMMER MASS TIMES:**

Starting Monday July 3rd to Friday, September 1st all weekday masses will be at 9:00am, Monday to Friday. Regular mass times will commence again Monday, September 4th.

**REMEMBER TO REGISTER:**

If you are new to our parish or are getting married here, please remember to register with our parish. Registration forms are available in the church lobby or at the Rectory office.

**A WARM WELCOME:**

To all tourists and visitors who come and join us for our Sunday Liturgy and take time to come celebrate and worship with us. May you enjoy the good weather and our friendship during your stay.

**LUIGI ON WHEELS:** \$7, 470.00

**SUNDAY COLLECTION:** \$2, 100.00

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**MASS INTENTIONS**  
**August 28—September 3, 2023**

**Monday, August 28**  
 Peter Grassi  
 All Parishioners  
 Giuseppe Marino  
 Giuseppina Furfaro

**9:00am English**  
 Joan  
 Pastor  
 Figli  
 Mr & Mrs. Rocky Scali

**Tuesday, August 29**  
 All Parishioners

**9:00am Italian**  
 Pastor

**Wednesday, August 30**  
 Consolata Maria Rosa Tino

**9:00am English**  
 Family

**Thursday, August 31**  
 Noemi & Giovanni Marson

**9:00am Italian**  
 Family

**Friday, September 1**  
 All Parishioners

**9:00am English**  
 Pastor

**Saturday, September 2**  
**5:00pm**  
 Giovanni Chiarelli  
 Antonio Berti  
 Nicola Tucci  
 Liisa Zanandrea  
 Luigi Fragale  
 Francesco & Maria Rose Tassone  
 Filomena Misasi-Turco

**M. & R. Stefanile & Family**  
**B. & E. Melchiorre**  
 Wife  
**Dino & Family**  
**R. & R. Larizza**  
**Lucia & Joe Tassone**  
**Maria Turco & Family**


**Sunday, September 3** **XXII Sunday in ordinary time**  
**9:00am Mass**  
 Giuseppina Rizzo Papa  
 Carmine & Antonietta DeGrazia  
 Ercole & Antonietta D'Angelo  
 Giuseppe Arella  
 Mario Amendola

**B. & G. Papa**  
**P. & F. Bloskie & Mario D.**  
**Italia & Family**  
**Wife Maria**  
**T. & L. Filice**

**11:00am Mass**  
 Guilio Scocchia  
 In honour of St. Joseph  
 Luigi Carobelli  
 Kyle & Andrea Mulligan  
 Salvator Migliazza

**G. & S. Tolone**  
**I. DaCosta**  
**Sal & Ida Vetere**  
**Mom and Dad**  
**J. & T. Frisky & Family**

Our 11:00am Mass can be viewed by live stream  
 With the link being found on the church website:  
[www.stanthonysparish.ca](http://www.stanthonysparish.ca)

 Roman Elliott DeLuca was baptrized in the Lord.  
 Congratulations & blessings to their families.

† Let us pray for the repose of the souls of Maria Pia Maccadanza and Christopher Uvanile who recently passed away.

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