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*St. Anthony's Parish
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Our Mission is

*to foster spiritual growth in our community
by actively living our Faith throughout our daily lives.*

*We do this through
celebrating the Liturgy
and following the example of Christ by
serving others*

Pastor:

Rev. Luigi Filippini

Deacons: Rev. Dave Cattani & Rev. Pasquale Coccimiglio

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TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

October 19, 2025

The Son of Man came to give his life as a ransom for many.

Jesus urges us to pray continually and never to grow discouraged. He encourages us with the assurance that our prayer will be answered and that we will not be disappointed. The widow, with her dogged determination to gain justice from the careless judge, is put before us as an example of perseverance in prayer. Persistence is her strong point, and she exercises it relentlessly without losing heart. Despite the odds, she keeps up her petition and wears the judge down until he eventually grants her justice.

XXIX DOMENICA DEL TEMPO ORDINARIO

Come la vedova nel vangelo, anche noi: quante pre-ghiere sono volate via senza portare una risposta! Ma al-lora, Dio esaudisce o no le nostre preghiere? «Dio esau-disce sempre: non le nostre richieste, le sue promesse». Dice Gesù: "sono venuto per-ché abbiate la vita in pienez-za, non vi lascerò orfani, sarò con voi tutti i giorni fino al-la fine del tempo, il Padre sa di cosa avete bisogno". La preghiera è il respiro del-la fede: pregare è una necessità, per-ché se smetto di respirare smetto di vivere. La preghiera è il respiro della vita.



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:

Only Saturday 4:15pm & 30 min. before each Mass during the week or on request

Anointing of the sick:

Every First Friday of the Month during the Mass & on request.

Church & Hall at one level:

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Is there still faith on earth?

Christ defines himself in front of a world divided in two: that of the oppressors without God and without heart, and that of the oppressed without protection. Social sin, stronger than ever, as old as man himself, is analyzed in depth by Jesus because God is the Father of orphans and the comforter of widows. On the other hand, Jesus himself takes a stand, rebelling as a transforming force of man on this earth devoid of all pity. His only strength comes from the power of acceptance, certain but prophetic, denunciatory. He asks us, from his cross: when I return to you, will I still find faith on earth?



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SPAGHETTI & MEATBALLS TAKE OUT:

October 23, November 6, 20, December 4, 18.
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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: offers men the opportunity to grow in their faith while helping others and supporting the Church & to become better Catholics, husbands & fathers. Join this great organization of fellowship. There will be a table on Sun., Oct. 19th in our church lobby, to talk to current Knights of Columbus. There will also be a Knights of Columbus COR meeting for all current Knights Oct. 18 at 9:00am at the Columbus Centre.

DEW DROP INN FOOD DRIVE: Saturday, October 25 from 9am-5pm. The Six Councils of the Knights of Columbus in Thunder Bay have teamed up and have organized this Food Drive. They will be at **Metro**—Arthur St. & River St., **Safeway**—Dawson Rd., **Safeway**—Arthur St. & **Freshco**—Court St. N.

HOMEMADE MILD ITALIAN SAUSAGE: St. Andrew's Parish. Cost is \$15/ kilo. Call office to order 345-5202 or email standrewrc@tbaytel.net by Sun., Oct. 19. Orders will be ready for pick up in Saunders Hall on Fri., Oct. 24 from 2pm-6pm.

AUTUMNBURST BAZAAR: St. Dominic's Church Hall, Sunday, October 19 from 12:30-3:00pm. Tickets Adults \$10. & \$3 for child (5-12yrs.)

ST. PETER'S C.W.L. LIVING ROSARY: Sunday, October 26 at 2:00pm. (700 McIntosh St.) for more info contact Bernice Reguly 807-355-1073

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE works closely with affected communities in the Global South, to help them assert their rights. To find out more check out the video at devp.org/videoPeru

FELLOWSHIP COFFEE WEEKEND: October 18th & 19th after each mass. Our fellowship team will be offering coffee / tea. Everyone welcome!

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING SESSION: Would you like to participate at Mass in a special way, while learning more about the Mass? Training for new altar servers will be held **Sat., October 25 from 11:00am-12:30pm**, ending with a pizza lunch. Interested children and youth, who have received First Communion, are invited along with existing altar servers. For further information please email Sandra at cocci5@tbaytel.net.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY MEMORIAL MASS: for all deceased members on **Saturday, October 25th at 5:00pm**. Following the Mass, the Holy Name invites all parishioners & visitors to our hall for beef on a bun, salad & refreshments.

ALPINI MASS: for all deceased members, **Sunday, October 26th at 11:00am**. Everyone welcome.

PRAYER SERVICE AT SUNSET MEMORIAL GARDENS: for all deceased. **Sunday, November 2nd at 2:00pm**. Everyone welcome.

SENIORS MEMORIAL MASS: **Tuesday, November 4th at 11:00am** in our church, followed by lunch in our hall.

BISHOP'S DIOCESAN MINISTRY CAMPAIGN: Our goal for this year is **\$23,050.00** Donations can be brought to our Rectory office or the Pastoral Office. **Remember to include pink & yellow pledge slips with donation.** To date we have reached \$9,589.13 and are at 42%

SUNDAY COLLECTION: \$ 3,195.00 
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MASS INTENTIONS
October 20—26, 2025

Monday, October 20

All Parishioners **9:00am**
Pastor

Tuesday, October 21

Bobby Carvalho, Maria deLuz, Josina Carreiro Dina
Paulo DaCosta I. DaCosta

Wednesday, October 22

Dorothy Furioso **7:00pm**
Rick

Thursday, October 23

Pina Ferrari **7:00pm**
Filippo, Emilia & Giovanni Arella, Carmela & Giovanni Guerico Fam.

Friday, October 24

Vincenzo Romeo & Deceased Buzzese & Romeo Family
Marianna, Giovanni, Agostino & Joe DeAgazio Family

Saturday, October 25

5:00pm
Angelo & Livia Nardari & Kerry Murphy Family
Sam Larizza Family

Deceased of Wright & Harris Family S. & M. Harris

Maria Antonia, Luciano, Agnese, Giorgio & Filomena Comito Tucci Fam

All Saints & All Deceased of Tucci Family Tucci Family

Angelo & Teresa Tucci, Raffaela, Domenico, Nicola Zaffino Tucci Fam
Deceased members of St. Anthony Holy Name Society Members

Sunday, October 26 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00am

Carmine & Antonietta DeGrazia P. & F. Bloskie & M. DeGrazia
Marianna DeAgazio Brizzi Family

Gino Perri Matilda & Family

Angelina Gollino M. Menis

Vincenzo DeStefano & Vincenzo Rachiele I. & C. Tassone

Rosario Sacco M. & F. Bava

11:00am

Nazzareno & Marietta Larizza & Rosina Caruso Family

Caterina & Vincenzo Giorgio P. Magisano

Marianna DeAgazio Brizzi Family

Peter Legacy B. Wood & Family

Anton Vatamanelu Family

Angelina Figliuzzi M. Stefanile

Raffaele Mauro Rita & Family

Grant Metzler J. & R. Rizzo

Deceased of Alpini Group Members

Deceased of Giorgio & Bahlieda Families Giorgio Family

Our 11:00 am Mass can be viewed by live stream
With the link being found on the church website:

www.stanthonysparish.ca

† Let us pray for the repose of the soul of Maria Pugliese. May God bless her and welcome her into His Kingdom.



Congratulations to Maria Muzzi & Cosimo Tucci on their marriage. May God continue to bless them in their journey of family life.



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