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*St. Anthony's Parish
is a Catholic Faith Community rich in Cultural Diversity.*

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
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THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

October 26, 2025

Christ loved us and gave himself up for us as a fragrant offering to God.

Prayer must come from a sincere and humble heart if it is to be heard. Today's gospel warns all churchgoers about the danger of becoming spiritually smug and presenting ourselves as deserving of God's mercy because of our good works. We have not earned our salvation, for grace is the gift of Jesus from the cross. When we compare ourselves to the life of Jesus and the holiness of God, all that is left to say is: 'O Lord, be merciful to me, a sinner.'

XXX DOMENICA DEL TEMPO ORDINARIO

L'elenco che il fariseo fa, di fronte a Dio, è corretto: per zelo il fariseo paga la decima parte dei suoi introiti, non soltanto come tutti, dello stipendio, ma anche delle erbe da tisana e delle spezie da cucina! Qual è allora, il problema del fariseo? Sempre, dice Gesù, è talmente pieno della sua nuova e scintillante identità spirituale, talmente pieno di sé stesso che Dio non sa proprio dove mettersi. Forse anche noi siamo ricchi a tal punto che non riusciamo più a fare spazio al Signore nella nostra 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:

Wheelchair & Washroom Facilities available. Hall: (807) 768-9368



A GLASS OF HUMILITY

The word of the Lord that invited us last Sunday to persevere in prayer we must certainly pray, and pray insistently. But this is not enough; we must pray more and more. And the first adornment of prayer is the quality of humility: being convinced of one's own poverty. God, as the reading from Sirach reminds us, hears the prayer of the poor, especially the poor in spirit, like the tax collector in the parable. The prayer of the tax collector, which Jesus approves, does not start from his merits or his perfection, but from the saving justice of God, who, in his love, can compensate for the lack of personal merits: and it is this divine justice that allows the tax collector, without any merits to his credit, to return home "made righteous," "justified.



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SPAGHETTI & MEATBALLS TAKE OUT:

November 6, 20, December 4, 18.

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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

PANCAKE BREAKFAST: St. Andrew's Parish, Sun., November 9th from 10:30am-12:30pm in Saunders Hall. Cost \$20 for adults, \$10 for children (ages 6-12) & children under 5yrs eat for free. Proceeds in support of boiler replacement project.

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

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 \$11,689.13 and are at 51%

YOUTH MINISTRY:

Many young people lose their faith in God by the time they leave high school. Since 1994, NET Canada has sent teams of young adult missionaries across Canada so young people can be transformed and reengaged in the Catholic Faith. NET is a nonprofit organization.



A NET team will be coming to St. Anthony's Church to facilitate a no-cost NET Retreat on Saturday, November 1st from am—4:00pm.

This NET Retreat is an engaging event for grades 9-12, discussing themes like: the Sacraments, Peace and Anxiety, Suffering, Self Image and Living for Greatness. NET Retreats include games, activities, testimonials, short talks, dramas, skits, social time, discussion groups and a time of prayerful reflection. Pizza and refreshments will be provided. If you require a specialty lunch, feel free to bring one-nut free only please. Backed by a professional staff team and training program, NET facilitates day retreats, weekend retreats and classroom presentations across the country.

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, Sun, October 26th at 11:00am. Everyone welcome.

PRAAYER 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.

C.W.L. NEWS: next meeting, Wednesday, November 5th with Mass at 7:00pm for our deceased members followed by "Slip and Fall" presentation. Wear or bring something "red".

SUNDAY COLLECTION: \$ 2,670.00

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MASS INTENTIONS

October 27—November 2, 2025

Monday, October 27

9:00am
Pastor
wife Iolanda
Frank Paladino

Tuesday, October 28

7:00pm
Maria & Family
Emilio Caputo & Deceased Family

Wednesday, October 29

7:00pm
Family
Maria & Eugenio Sacchetti

Thursday, October 30

7:00pm
Gigliotti Family
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Giovanna Chiarelli
Deceased Ferraro Family
Deceased Gigliotti

Friday, October 31

7:00pm
Parishioner
All Souls

Saturday, November 1

5:00pm
Nicola Tucci
Maria Rosa & Francesco Tassone
All Souls in Purgatory & All Saints
Bruna & Frank Rizzo
Bruno & Caterina Lacaria
Deceased Mauro & Degli Angeli
Gilda Fabiano
Ada Fidalic
Deceased of Wright & Harris Families
Henry Darosa
Wife
Family
E. Bonazza
R. & D. Lacaria
R. & D. Lacaria
Family
S. & L. Guadagnolo
M. MacLeod & L. Fedell
M. & S. Harris
daughters

Sunday, November 2 ALL SOULS DAY

9:00am
FOR ALL DECEASED PARISHIONERS

11:00am
FOR ALL DECEASED PARISHIONERS



Our 11:00 am Mass can be viewed by live stream
With the link being found on the church website:
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Beau Samuel Byzewski was baptized in the
Lord. Congratulations & blessings to the
family



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