

# St. Anthony Church

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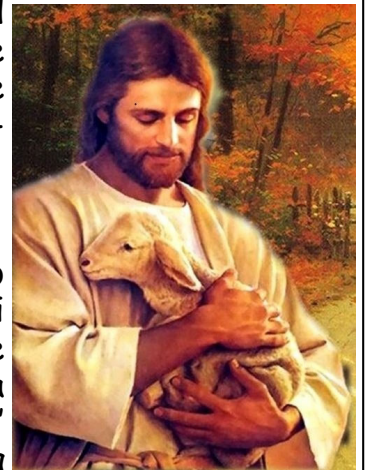
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## THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

June 7, 2026

*"I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord;  
whoever eats this bread will live forever."*

The Eucharist is given to us as a challenge and a promise. The manna in the desert was given to show them that man does not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from the mouth of God. In the Eucharist, we are made one flesh with Christ. This is what Paul means in today's Epistle when He calls the Eucharist a "participation" in Christ's body and blood. We become in this sacrament partakers of divine nature.



## SANTISSIMO CORPO E SANGUE DI CRISTO

Gesù fa del Suo Corpo cibo da mangiare: Dio, il Messia, si è fatto servo per noi. Dio si offre a noi come cibo e nutrimento. Gesu' diventa per noi cibo e bevanda e tutto questo affinché noi possiamo essere nutriti e stare bene. Lui stesso, quando ci ha consegnato il padre nostro, ha invitato i suoi discepoli a chiedergli "il pane quotidiano che è l'Eucarestia". "Chi mangia la mia carne e beve il mio sangue ha la vita eterna e io lo risusciterò nell' ultimo giorno".

Parish Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday & Friday 8:30am-12 noon 1:00pm- 4:30pm  
For Daily & Weekend Mass Intentions see inside

### 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.

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## HOLY ORDERS

(Ordination of Bishops, Priests, and Deacons): "Holy Orders is a Sacrament by which bishops, priests, and other ministers of the Church are ordained and receive the power and grace to



perform their sacred duties." (BC). **Biblical basis:** Mark 3:13-19 & par. - Jesus "calls" and "appoints" the 12 apostles; Acts 6:6; 1 Tim 4:14; 5:22; 2 Tim 1:6 - "laying on of hands" as the "ordaining" or commissioning rite of local Christian leaders. **Central formula:** A long "Prayer of Consecration." **Central action:** The bishop lays his hands on the *ordinand's* head; he also anoints his hands and performs several other symbolic gestures. **Effects:** Becoming a member of the "ordained" clergy, the church's official leadership "orders." **Ministers:** Bishops only. (L/12)

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

**SPAGHETTI SUPPERS:** June 7th & 28th. Take out from 12pm-5:00pm

**LADIES OF ITALIAN SOCIETY OF P.A.:** The new date for meeting is Mon., June 15 at 6:30pm

### **COLUMBUS CENTRE: Thursday Spaghetti Take**

**Out:** June 11 & 25, July 9 & 23, August 6 & 20. Take Out/Pick up 2pm-5:30pm

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**CONFIRMATION:** Congratulations to the 44 young people who received the sacrament of Confirmation in our parish. May they grow in their faith and be inspired by the Holy Spirit. A special thank you to Deacon Pasquale and the Confirmation team who prepared the newly confirmed, and to our C.W.L. for the gift of the prayer cards.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION:** Congratulations to the 56 children receiving First Holy Communion this weekend. May they strive to deepen their friendship with Jesus through the Eucharist. A special thank you to the catechists, Carly Colistro and Bryanna Fritshaw, & team for preparing the children. Prayer cards & rosaries were generously gifted to the children by the C.W.L. Heartfelt gratitude is extended to the class of Ms. Colistro at St. Bernard's School for assembling the rosaries.

**C.W.L. NEWS:** Thank you to those who participated in our CWL June summer wind-up meeting.

Service pins were awarded to:

Margaret Johnston-50 yrs,  
Anna Barca, Cyndi Sereda-40yrs,  
Laura Wood, Rose Massei-25yrs.

Leadership certificates: Anna Barca, AnnaMarie Clara, Irene Lacaria, Lois Nuttall, Lois Sebesta, Rose Massei, Tina Savioli.

Grade 12 bursary—Cristina Carina.

A donation was also made to St. Anthony's Church. Have a safe & Happy summer. See you in September.

**C.W.L. PROVINCIAL CONVENTION** will be held in Thunder Bay July 4-8. Mass celebrated by Bishop Alan Campeau, will be held at St. Anthony's on Monday, July 6 at 5pm followed by Pasta dinner in our hall. Registration forms including ticket purchases can be found online. **Due by June 10th.**

### **FEAST OF ST. ANTHONY CHOIR PRACTICE:**

Tues., June 9 at 7:30pm in the church. Music will be sung in English & Italian. All singers welcome.

### **FEAST OF ST. ANTHONY:**

Sunday, June 14, Mass at 11:00am & procession to follow in church parking lot. There will be a performance by **Le Stelle Alpine Dancers**. All Societies & Groups are reminded to bring their banners & wear their regional costumes. We invite our volunteers to make bread for distribution. Everyone is invited.

### **FEAST OF THE HOLY SPIRIT:**

The Portuguese community is celebrating **Divino Espirito Santo**, Sun., June 21, Mass at 1:00pm in our parish. Procession at 12:30pm in our church parking lot. Everyone is welcome.

### **SUNDAY COLLECTION:** \$3,207.00

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**Monday, June 8**

All Parishioners

**9:00am**

Pastor

**Tuesday, June 9**

Maria DiBiagio  
Salvatore Tassone  
Carla Maronese

**7:00pm**

Charlton & DiBiagio Family  
C. & L. Trohatos  
R. Furioso

**Wednesday, June 10**

Giuseppe & Maria Casali

**7:00pm**

M. Bradizza

**Thursday, June 11**

All Deceased of Zussino Family  
Rita Pugliese & Pina Ferrari  
Maria & Salvatore Pisani  
In Thanksgiving

**7:00pm**

Family  
Family  
Family  
Parishioner

**Friday, June 12**

Filomena Tassone  
Emilio Caputo  
Angela & Vincenzo Clasadonte  
Rosa Pullia

**7:00pm**

Children  
Frank & Jennifer son  
Family

**Saturday, June 13**

**5:00pm**

Giuseppe Marino  
Erik Sereda  
Joao Neves  
Antonio Rucchetto  
In honour of St. Anthony  
Anton Vatamanelu  
Bruna Rizzo  
Elvira & Natalina Coren

Children  
Mom, Dad, Nicole & Benny  
Wife  
Family  
T. & L. Cappello  
Family  
R. Lacaria  
Oriecuia & Primosig Families

**Sunday, June 14 XI SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**9:00am**

Raffaella Marino  
Carmine & Antonietta DeGrazia  
Giuseppe Arella & Vince Rizzo

Figli  
P & F Bloskie & M. DeGrazia  
Ada & Family

**11:00am**

MASS IN HONOUR OF ST. ANTHONY  
Procession followed by blessing  
& distribution of bread.



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



Congratulations to Olivia Moore & Mario Nucci on their marriage. May God continue to bless them in their journey of family life.

† Let us pray for the repose of the soul of Wasyl "Bill" Martyniuk. May God bless him and welcome him into His Kingdom.

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