

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.

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FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

March 1, 2020



No one lives on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.

In today's Liturgy, the destiny of the human race is told as the tale of two "types" of men—the first man, Adam, and the new Adam, Jesus. By one person's disobedience, sin and condemnation entered the world, and death came to reign over all. By the obedience of Jesus, grace abounded, all were justified, and life came to reign for all. This is the drama that unfolds in today's First Reading and Gospel. Formed from the clay of the ground and filled with the breath of God's own Spirit, Adam was a son of God, created in his image. Adam, however, put the Lord his God to the test. He gave in to the serpent's temptation, trying to seize for himself all that God had already promised him. Jesus, the new Adam, prevailed where the first Adam failed. As we begin this season of Lent, may the divine mercy of God create in us a new heart

I DOMENICA DI QUARESIMA

Il salmo 51, inserito, oggi nella liturgia della parola in questa prima domenica di Quaresima 2020, sarà il nostro inno quotidiano alla richiesta di perdono e di misericordia al Signore e con Maria, la Madre della divina misericordia, noi chiediamo di ottenere dal Signore la grazia di una vera conversione del cuore: "Pietà di me, o Dio, nel tuo amore; nella tua grande misericordia cancella la mia colpa. Sì, le mie iniquità io le riconosco, il mio peccato mi sta sempre dinanzi. Contro di te, contro te solo ho peccato, quello che è male ai tuoi occhi, io l'ho fatto. Crea in me, o Dio, un cuore puro, rinnova in me uno spirito saldo. Dammi la gioia della tua salvezza. Signore, benedici la mia vita e la mia bocca proclami la tua lode". Amen.

UNA PREGHIERA AL GIORNO
TOGLIE
IL DIAVOLO DI TORNO



Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday 9:00am-12 noon 1:00pm- 4:00pm

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



PLEASE HELP: adults & children who suffer from the extreme cold. **Donate warm hats, gloves, scarves, socks.** A box will be in the lobby for donations. Thank you.

C.W.L. MEMBERSHIP DUES: may be submitted through Sunday Collection or paid for at the rectory office. Please print name & address clearly.

C.W.L. MEETING: Tues., March 3 (Movie Night) following 7:00pm Mass. *February & March birthday girls will be acknowledged. Any baking would be appreciated. Thank you.*

FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH: Friday, March 6 there will be adoration with exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 6:00pm-7:00pm.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: During Lent, parishioners are invited to meditate on the Stations of the Cross every Friday following the 7:00pm Mass. This will be bilingual.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY MEETING: Sunday, March 8, beginning with Mass at 9:00am.

MINI LENTEN RETREAT for all Holy Name Society members will be held Saturday, March 28 in the meeting room, 11:00am - noon.

BEST YOUTH ON HILLS: Meeting/Lenten Retreat led by Fr. Luigi on March 8 from 7:00pm-8:30pm. We will also participate in the Stations of the Cross together on March 13, beginning with evening Mass at 7:00pm. All youth, gr. 7 and older and all Confirmation candidates are invited to join as we journey towards Easter.

YOUTH CHOIR PRACTICE: Thursday, March 12th & 26th at 7:30pm. Ages 7yrs and older are welcome. Contact alanavalente87@gmail.com

HELP NEEDED: A refugee family of 4 which includes Mom, Dad & 2 boys (8yrs & 14yrs) is expected to arrive in Thunder Bay this spring from Iraq. For more info contact Gloria Cyr 345-7935

HOLY NAME FISH & WILD GAME FEAST: Sunday, April 19 at 6:00pm in our church hall. Tickets \$60.00, contact Barry Quarrell 767-7795 or email quarrellb@shaw.ca

What is the unity that exists between the Old and the New Testaments? Scripture is one insofar as the Word of God is one. God's plan of salvation is one, and the divine inspiration of both Testaments is one. The Old Testament prepares for the New and the New Testament fulfills the Old; the two shed light on each other.



CONFIRMATION DATE: Saturday, May 2, 2020
2:00pm-Bishop E. Q. Jennings School
5:00pm-Bishop Gallagher School & other schools

PREPARATION FOR CANDIDATES: Sundays at 10:00am in parish hall followed by Mass at 11:00am: next preparation is **Sunday, March 1.** Candidates are strongly encouraged to attend and participate in all youth group events. Remember to attend Mass regularly. Attendance for the preparation classes is also important in order to prepare for your Confirmation.

Visit our website for more information:

WWW.STANTHONYSPARISH.CA

FIRST COMMUNION: Sunday, June 14, 2020

Group A at 11:00am: Holy Cross School

Group B at 2:00pm: All other schools.

Please remember to attend Mass every Sunday at 11:00am, with your child, as the best preparation for First Communion.

Please visit our website for 2020 Program.

OUR JOURNEY TO EASTER. video presentations & reflection, every Wednesday of Lent here in our church hall: March 4, 11, 18, 25, April 1 & 8th. Our March 4th movie is ***"Homeless to Harvard"*** Everyone welcome, free admission.

ARE YOU NEW TO OUR PARISH? Please pick up a registration form in the lobby to register with our parish. Drop off the registration form at the office during office hours or place in our Sunday Collection basket.

MASS CARDS: If you receive a mass card for your beloved deceased, please remember to schedule the Mass before 3 months pass. If you do not schedule in this time, we will schedule the mass intention for you. Thank you.

USED STAMPS: Please save stamps affixed to envelopes & drop off in container by St. Francis door. Stamps require some paper around the edges for them to be valuable to the stamp collector. The CWL sends stamps to Development & Peace Office in Montreal (who sell them to collectors) to fund their charitable organizations. Thank you.

Electronic donations can be made online. One-time or automatic monthly donations by credit card www.stanthonysparish.ca



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

God Bless!

COMMUNITY EVENTS:

SPAGHETTI SUPPER: Sun., March 1 at the Italian Cultural Centre. In support of Cystic Fibrosis Canada. For reservations or more info call 345-5511

SHRIMP FEAST: Sat., Mar. 7 at the Columbus Centre (301 May St. S.) Tickets \$26. 2 sittings-5pm & 6:30pm. Call office 623-3252

LADIES OF ITAL. SOC. OF P.A. General meeting Monday, March 9 at 7:30pm.

SPRING CANCER TEA: April 19, 1:00pm-3:30pm at the Italian Cultural Center. Tickets \$7.00, call Michele Love 344-6893.

MASS INTENTIONS

March 2-8, 2020

Monday, March 2

All Parishioners
Franco & Tony DeVuono

9:00am English

Pastor
Gilda

Tuesday, March 3

Filomena Bernardo
Msgr. Tomaselli
Pasquale Bossio
Rocco & Maria Francesca Larizza
Giuseppe, Pasquale & Maria Arella
Michele Bernardo

7:00pm Italian

E. & B. Coccimiglio
C.W.L.
Vanda & Family
Bruna & Family
Maria
C. C. & D. Foresta

Wednesday, March 4

Marcello & Domenico Donato
Colleen Valente

7:00pm English

Family
B. & L. Barber

Thursday, March 5

Nazzareno Tassone
Michael Vita

7:00pm Italian

Wife & Family
Mom, Dad & Fam.

Friday, March 6

Guerino D'Angelo
Mike Ferrari
Lee Chiodo
Nicola Squartecchia

7:00pm English

D. & A. Castellani
Wife & Children
Family
Wife & Family

Saturday, March 7

5:00pm

Pasquale Mauro
Teresa Cava
Luigi Fabiano
Peter Chiodo
Filip Ivanetic
Antonio & Eva Ivanetic
Lee Chiodo
Faustina Biscardi
Angelo & Giulia Abbantonato
Nicola & Rosaria Pucci
Battista & Teresa Cava
Mary Zanni
Immacolata Belluso

Wife & Children
late B. Cava
G. Fabiano
L. & E. Caruso
Giovina & Family
Giovina & Family
Family
M. & G. Agostino
B. & E. Melchiorre
O. & N. Coccimiglio
S. Cava & Family
Bob & Family
Pina, Caterina, Alba & Tonia

Sunday, March 8 SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

9:00am

Guzzo Foliaro, Ermelinda & Antonio Russo
Costanza Sacchetti
Eva Sacchetti
Raffaella DeLuca
Maria & Fiorindo DeProphetis

G. & R. Russo
Ermando & Family
B. & M. Love
R. Galle
Family

11:00am

Adelina DaSilva
Jose Cabral
Ida Pucci
Manuel & Maria do Carmo Pimentel
Frank Joseph Cappello
Giovanni Niccoli
Pasquale Bossio
Carmela, Domenico, Joe & Emilia Foresta

E. & M. Novo
M. Cabral
M. & A. Berardi
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N. & S. Marino
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