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	Custodian:	Raffaele Stefanile	
Rite Christian Initiation Adults — R.C.I.A. call office 768-1878				

FEAST OF ALL SAINTS - COMMEMORATION of ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED - Nov. 1, 2020



All Saints' Day gives us a glimpse into our own glorious future, our eternal destiny which has to be worked out in love and service here on earth. As we honor the vast army of God's friends, in the same breath we ask God's favor, that where they are now, we too may be in the future. We pray that one day this will be our feast as well. Remember the faithful departed with prayer and recollection of fond memories; reflect on their lives and what they meant to you. Be thankful for the love they shared with you and for the lessons you learned from your relationship with them. Spend some moments reflecting on your own life and death and pray for them.

FESTA DI TUTTI I SANTI - COMMEMORAZIONE DI TUTTI I FEDELI DEFUNTI

Fino a quando il Signore Gesù verrà nella gloria, e distrutta la morte gli saranno sottomesse tutte le cose, alcuni suoi discepoli sono pellegrini sulla terra, altri che sono passati da questa vita stanno purificandosi, altri infine godono della gloria contemplando Dio. Tutti però comunichiamo nella stessa carità di Dio. L'unione quindi di coloro che sono in cammino con i fratelli morti non è minimamente spezzata, anzi è conservata dalla comunione dei beni spirituali. La Chiesa fin dai primi tempi ha coltivato con grande pietà la memoria dei defunti e ha offerto per loro i suoi suffragi. Nei riti funebri la Chiesa celebra con fede il mistero pasquale, nella certezza che quanti sono diventati con il Battesimo membri del Cristo crocifisso e risorto, attraverso la morte, passano con lui alla vita senza fine.



Parish Of	fice 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		

Solemnity of All Saints



The first reading focuses on today's solemnity. In the Book of Revelation, St. John reports "a vision of a great multitude, which no one could count, from every nation, race, people, and tongue."

This is Good News. Salvation has come not only for Israel but for the Gentiles as well. Here is the fulfillment of God's promise to Abraham, that by his seed all the nations of the world would bless themselves.

The Church celebrates many famous Christians on their memorials, but today she praises God for all His "holy ones," His saints. That is the title St. Paul preferred when he addressed his congregations. Divinized by Baptism, they were already "saints" by the grace of God. They awaited, however, the day when they could "share in the inheritance of the saints in light".

And so do we, as the Scriptures give us reasons for both celebration and hope. In our second reading, St. John tells us that to be "saints" means to be "children of God"—and then he adds: "so we are"! Note that he speaks in the present tense. Yet John also says that we have unfinished business to tend. We are already God's children, but "what we shall have not yet been revealed." Thus we work out our salvation: "Everyone who has this hope based on him makes himself pure, as he is pure".

We do this as we share the life of Christ, who defined earthly beatitude for us. We are "blessed," He says, when we are poor, when we mourn, when we are persecuted for His sake. It is then we should "Rejoice and be glad, for our reward will be great in heaven". Until then, we pray with the Psalmist: "Lord, this is the people that longs to see your face." Salvation has come through Abraham's seed, but it belongs to all nations. For "the Lord's are the earth

and its fullness; the world and those who dwell in it"

BISHOP'S DIOCESAN MINISTRY CAMPAIGN:

<u>"He's not heavy...he's my brother!"</u> Our goal this year is **\$29,000.00.**

This Campaign will run until mid December. Cheques can be made out to **St. Anthony's Church or the Diocese of Thunder Bay**. All donations are tax-deductible.

To date, we have reached 59% of our goal having raised \$17,109.08

Thank you for your continued generosity. May God bless us all on our journey as a community of believers.

WINTER WARMTH: Toques, mitts, scarves, neck



warmers, warm socks are basic necessities during a cold winter. If you can please consider donating any of these items. A donation box will be in the lobby. PLEASE, NEW ITEMS ONLY. Thank you for your continuing generosity.

SUNDAY MISSALS 2020-2021:

available in the church lobby. Cost is \$6.00. Please use available envelope located in the lobby by the missals.

THANK YOU to **Tullio & Tony Provenzano** for purchasing for our parish the Touch Free Hand Sanitizer Dispenser & Hand Sanitizer Gel. Also, **THANK YOU** to **Eraldo Scocchia** for the sealing protection of the asphalt on the upper part of our parking lot. Your continuing generosity and support is greatly appreciated.

ARE YOU NEW TO OUR PARISH? Registration forms are available in our lobby. Please complete and return to the office.

HAVE YOU MOVED? Please call the office during office hours to update your information.

Electronic donations can be made online. Onetime or automatic monthly donations by credit card <u>www.stanthonysparish.ca</u>

♡ <u>Donate Today!</u>

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

t Let us pray for Jerry Sottile, Diletta Scocchia & Danilo Coceancic who have recently passed away.



COMMUNITY EVENTS

SUNDAY MASS with BISHOP COLLI: Each weekend Bishop Colli celebrates Sunday Mass for shut-ins and those unable to attend Mass at this time. Please find this Mass each weekend on our Diocesan website at: www.dotb.ca

LADIES OF ITAL. SOC. OF P.A.: monthly meeting cancelled until further notice due to COVID restrictions.

ITALIAN CULTURAL CENTRE TAKEOUT: for more info call 345-5511

COLUMBUS CENTRE TAKE OUT: you must preorder with credit card only. For more info call 623-3252



MASS INTENTIONS November 2-8, 2020

Monday, November 2	<u>9:00am English</u>
† All Deceased Parishioners	Pastor
Tuesday, November 3	7:00pm Italian

Marcello Donato & All Souls in Purgatory E. Romito C.W.L. Deceased of C.W.L. Teresa Bonofiglio & Deceased Family C. & P. Gallo Vanda & Family Pasquale Bossio Antonio Calleri & Deceased of Calleri & Stella Family Teresa Maria DiBiagio **DiBiagio & Charlton Families** Franco & Tony DeVuono Gilda Giuseppe Arella & Defunti Arella & Filice M. Arella Eugenio & Francesca Desando & Deceased Family Family

Wednesday, November 4 Marcello & Domenico Donato

Mario Arella Antonio, Emma & Lina Arabia Lucia Bucciarelli Boza Novak Saveria & Dina Rizzo & Santo Costanzo

Thursday, November 5 Valeriano Valente

Mario Nucci Defunti Funari Franca Costantino Bruno Luigi & Maria Rosaria Tassone Rocco & Maria Francesca Larizza Raffaele Costanzo Giuseppe Petronilla & Claudio Costanzo

Friday, November 6 Mike Ferrari

Colleen Valente Deceased of Larizza & Tassone Families Esterina Romito Pasquale & Michelina Mancuso Rita Porcellana

Saturday, November 7 Maria Marasco Umberto, Peter, Carmine & Elvira Pascuzzo Alba All Souls Deceased Fabiano, Torchia, Bruno Faustina Biscardi Nick Tucci Francesco Tassone Joe Rizzo Antonio Berti Ercole D'Angelo Gina Benincasa Luigi Ambrose

XXXII Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, November 8 9:00am Antonietta Gallo & Nicola Cacciatore **David Filice** Mom & Dad Antonio & Florenza Clemenza & Defunti Clemenza Family Tony & Lina Battista, Rosina & Rosario Filice Defunti D'Angelo Filip Ivanetic Matteo, Lorenzo & Caterina Casali M. Bradizza **Fiorindo DeProphetis** Family

11:00am Ilidio & Adelina DaSilva All Souls in Purgatory Francisco & Beatriz Pacheco All Souls in Purgatory Manuel Jose All Souls All Saints Salvatore Sanzo Angelina Ruberto & Else Martinie

7:00pm English Family Wife Antonietta & Fam. A. Arella H. & F. Iorianni J. Pedri & Family V. Rizzo & Family

7:00pm Italian Family Lisetta & Family Lisetta & Family Costantino Family Figlia Bruna B. Larizza & Family B. & C. Arella Fiorina & Family

7:00pm English

Wife & Children L. & M. Marinaro & Fam. M. Larizza J. & A. Potestio Fragale Family M. Vojvodic

5:00pm

I. D'Angelo M. Pascuzzo G. Fabiano Family Family Family Aunt R. Tassone B. & E. Melchiorre R. Furioso F. & A. Benincasa I. Greco

> M. & V. Cacciatore R. & G. Digiuseppe Giovina & Family

E. & M. Novo M. Cabral M. Pacheco E. Bonazza Family R. Nardi R. Nardi Eva & Family Family

