

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA PARISH

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MISSION STATEMENT

St. Anthony of Padua is a Christian Community in the Roman Catholic tradition that gathers to worship God, foster family life and continue our education in order to enhance our Baptismal Vocation.

BAPTISMS: Baptisms are celebrated on the 3rd Sunday of the month; except during Lent. Please contact the parish office 3 months before Baptism.

MARRIAGE: Contact the parish office 6 months or more before marriage. Marriage Preparation is mandatory in the Archdiocese of Winnipeg.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Saturday 3:00pm to 3:45pm or by appointment.

Sunday Masses: Saturday 4:00pm
Sunday 9:00am and 11:00am

Weekday Masses: Please see schedule inside bulletin.

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From the Pastor's desk

Deacon in formation

We, as a parish, are very happy that Ed Ploszay has responded to be a participant in the diaconate formation program offered by the Archdiocese. He and his wife Mary attend weekend sessions along with others who are also discerning whether or not they have a call from the Lord to become permanent deacons. The program is intense, spanning three more years with the Aspirancy year now complete. During the Friday evenings and Saturday sessions the aspirants learn to develop human, spiritual, pastoral and theological dimensions in preparation for diaconal service. May we all pray for Ed and Mary as they attend the sessions and for Ed to discern the Lord's voice.

Gift Bearers at Mass

Many parishioners generously bring food gifts on Sunday. These are brought forward at the offertory. I just wanted to clarify that these non-perishable food items are given to the Sisters of Mother Teresa who distribute them to the poor. Some folks have also brought altar breads for Holy Communion and even wine. These items are appreciated, but not necessary. Any parishioner wanting to sign-up to bring the gifts forward at a weekend Mass is welcome to do so. Cory Juan has an on-going list on the CWL counter. Anyone, single, married, family are welcome to be part of the offertory procession. Father Dominic

Remember Your Parish in your Will

It is always a blessing to the parish when a parishioner remembers their parish in their will. Your parish does not receive any support from the government or any other source. It is the folks who sit in the pew and who contribute financially which keep the parish running. There are many worthy causes; surely St. Anthony of Padua is one of them.

Monthly Fellowship: Please join us every **First Sunday** of the month for a **Potluck** following the 11am Mass, our next gathering will be on Dec 4th and then on January 8th

Keep Christ in Christmas

Once again, we as Catholics are encouraged to support religious art and Christmas stamps as a way of testifying as disciples of Christ.

Advent Dawn Novena of Masses

Beginning on Friday, December 16 at 6am. The Novena of Masses will end on December 24. We are able to serve Pot Luck breakfast this year! Come one, come all!

Advent Reconciliation Schedule – 7:00pm

St. Peter's – Wednesday December 7
 St. Nicholas Tavelich – Sunday December 11
 St. Anthony of Padua – Tuesday December 13
 St. John Cantius – Wednesday December 14
 St. Joseph's – Thursday December 15
 Immaculate Conception - Tuesday December 20
 Holy Ghost – Thursday December 22 (6pm)

Christmas & New Year's Mass Schedule

Christmas Eve: Sat Dec 24th 4pm & 7pm
Christmas Day: Sun Dec 25th 9am & 11am
Holy Family: Fri Dec 30th 9am
Mary, Mother of God
Sat Dec 31st 4pm & **Sun Jan 1st** 9am & 11am

News in the Archdiocese

Classics, Carols & Cookies Holy Redeemer Parish


Please join us on Sunday, December 4th at 2 pm for an afternoon concert featuring the **Sokol Polish Folk Ensemble** with a beautiful selection of liturgical music, folk songs and traditional carols in English, Latin and Polish. The concert will be followed by a cookie and punch reception. Tickets \$10 for adults, children under 12 years of age free on sale at our parish office, 264 Donwood Drive and Stephanchew Church Goods. Face masks are encouraged.

Online Advent Retreat from [PrayMoreNovenas.com](https://praymorenovenas.com)

You may be familiar with [PrayMoreNovenas.com](https://praymorenovenas.com), an online website that sends novena prayers straight to your email inbox. This Advent, they're offering an online, do-it-yourself retreat that you can do anywhere and whenever you have the time. This retreat includes 6 speakers, 14 audio and video presentations and 14 reflective study guides. <https://praymoreretreat.org/2022-advent-retreat/>

Illuminate: An Evening of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - December 9, 2022


All are invited to participate in a dynamic evening of adoration, praise & worship, reconciliation and fellowship on **Friday, December 9 at 7:30 PM, at St. St. Eugene Parish, 1009 St Mary's Rd., Winnipeg.** Come and worship Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament as part of a vibrant Catholic community. All are welcome! For more information, www.illuminatemb.com or facebook.com/illuminatemb. This Illuminate will be bilingual. See you there!



Sharing God's Gifts
 Our Annual Archdiocesan Appeal
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Parish Assessment: \$42,850.00
2022 Appeal Goal: \$34,235.00
Total Parish Goal: \$77,085.00

Cash Received: \$50,030.03 as of Nov 27
 We still need \$27,054.97 to reach our goal




Parish News



Our next meeting will be on Thursday December 1st via Zoom.

Membership fees of \$40.00 for 2023 are now being collected. Cheques should be made payable to St. Anthony of Padua CWL. Members can use the CWL envelopes which can be found in the gathering area near the religious articles counter and put in the collection basket at Mass or mail the fee to Pat Hay at 408-445 Partridge Ave., Winnipeg, MB R2V 3H6. The national per capita fee increase of \$12.00 was approved at the 102nd annual national convention held in Kelowna in August, 2022.

The "Pin A Pair" rack is once again at the back of the church. We are now accepting donations of new or gently used hats, mitts, scarves, socks and (new) underwear. No other clothes please! All items collected will be delivered to Chez Nous for distribution to those in need. Please consider donating to this worthy cause!

An "In Remembrance" Project is being sponsored by the CWL. This project consists of a package of star cookies at the cost of \$2 to be sold after all masses on Dec. 10th and 11th. The cookies will come with a "remembering star" to be filled out by you and then hung on the Tree of Remembrance. The cookies will be yours to take home and enjoy. All proceeds are to enable the CWL to continue to support their yearly charities such as Kee Pas Northern missions, Archbishops Seminarian fund, Chalice and other community needs.



Keep Christ in Christmas Contest entries due on Saturday, December 10 for all catechism classes. Drop down for **Parish Potluck Brunch** following 11AM Mass today. Support **Campaign Life Coalition** with the purchase of a **Festive Fruitcake** ending this weekend. Celebrate Family from the womb to the tomb. Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary on Thursday, December 8 and Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe, our Order's Patron Saint, on Monday, December 12.



Please remember in your prayers, parishioners and friends who are ill: Julia Dewar, Renate Luebbert, Connie Mikolash, Ron Roccola, Brian Mondor, Dianne Rusak, Stan Sniezyk, and Adrian.

2nd Week in Advent



God of power and mercy, open our hearts in welcome. Remove the things that hinder us from receiving Christ with joy so that we may share his wisdom and become one with him when he comes in glory, for he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

Mass Schedule

Mon Dec 5: Ferial

9:00am *Pastor's Intentions*

Tue Dec 6: Memorial: St. Nicholas

9:00am *Thanksgiving & God's Blessings for Joshua on his 11th Birthday by His Grandparents*
R.I.P. Lawrence & Bernard Walus by Joan Ploszay

Wed Dec 7: Memorial: St. Ambrose

9:00am *Thanksgiving & Birthday Blessings for Tristan Justin Panaligan by The Family*
R.I.P. Ambrocio Villamiel by the Family

Thur Dec 8: Solemnity: Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9:00am *R.I.P. Mike, Louise & Theresa Magnowski by The Family*
R.I.P. Norman Camungal by Pollie Camungal & Family
Living & Deceased members of the Pasig Association by Al & Cora Castro
In Honor of our Blessed Mother and for all who carry her name by Barry & Connie Mikolash

Fri Dec 9: Memorial: St. Juan Diego Cuauhtlatotzin

9:00am *For all children preparing for Sacraments*

Sat Dec 10: 3rd Sunday of Advent

4:00pm *R.I.P. Magdalena Maicher by The DiNella Family*
R.I.P. Manolito Panaligan by The Family

Sun Dec 11: 3rd Sunday of Advent

9:00am *Parishioners*
11:00am *R.I.P. Norman Camungal by Pollie Camungal & Family*
R.I.P. Fr. Terry McGrath by Frank & Bonnie Rogowy
Thanksgiving & Blessings for the Alcartado Family

Readings for the week:

Mon Dec 5 – Isaiah 35:1-10, Luke 5:17-26
Tue Dec 6 – Isaiah 40:1-11, Matthew 18:12-14
Wed Dec 7 – Isaiah 40:25-31, Matthew 11:28-30
Thur Dec 8 – Genesis 3:9-15, 20, Ephesians 1:3-6, 11-12, Luke 1:26-38
Fri Dec 9 – Isaiah 48:17-19, Matthew 11:16-19
Sat Dec 10 – Sirach 48:1-4, 9-11, Matthew 17:10-13

2nd Sunday of Advent

Introduction To Penitential Rite: Hearing the Baptist's call to repent, we ask God to forgive our sins and renew our lives.

Isaiah 11:1-10 In the first reading, a prophet sees a new beginning for the royal line of David. It will introduce a time of peace.

Romans 15:4-9 In the second reading, Paul encourages Jews and gentiles to open themselves to the Scriptures and to God's saving grace. Jesus' ministry proved that God was faithful to the Jews and merciful to the gentiles.

Matthew 3:1-12 In the Gospel, John the Baptist prepares for the advent of the Messiah by proclaiming a message of radical repentance.



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