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

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:

Sunday of the Word of God

Pope Francis has recently declared that the 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time will now be known as "Sunday of the Word of God". So, this weekend, with parishes around the world, the Archdiocese of Winnipeg will celebrate this occasion for the first time. Pope Francis states: "Devoting a specific Sunday of the liturgical year to the Word of God can enable the Church to experience anew how the risen Lord opens up for us the treasures of his work and enables us to proclaim its unfathomable riches before the world." Archbishop Gagnon says that this decision of Pope Francis fits in well with our Archdiocesan Synod recommendations, one of which was to acquire a familiarity with Sacred Scripture. As I mentioned at the Masses last weekend, this weekend, following the homily, I will give a blessing to all the proclaimers of the Word. In closing, thank you to all those individuals who use their time and talent in proclaiming the Word of God here at St. Anthony's.

Grade 4 Catechism Teacher

Due to a change in her work schedule which now necessitates her working on Saturdays, ? Obrien had to resign from teaching the Grade 4 catechism class. We thank ? for her dedication and time teaching catechism and we wish her well in her employment. We now need a teacher for Grade 4. Are you able and willing to assist? Please call the parish office or speak with one of the catechism coordinators.

Assisted Killing in Canada

The federal government has just launched a "public consultation" on its proposal to drastically expand Canada's euthanasia regime. It is covertly referred to as MAID (medical assistance in dying). This euphemism is deceptive in itself. It is actually and properly named "medical killing". Since legalization in 2016, more than 6,700 vulnerable Canadians have been killed. If the law is expanded, additional groups of people will have their lives dehumanized and devalued: the elderly, the disabled, the terminally ill, the depressed and sick children. It was said by many prior to 2016, that such a law would be a "slippery slope" to further medical murders. Now we witness this possibility. Of course, as Christians, we reject the existing criteria as morally and ethically outrageous because it violates the law of God. As usual, there is a very short public consultation which ends on January 27, 2020. There is a brief on-line survey which we urge you to please fill-out, opposing euthanasia expansion. Be vigilant with the survey. The government questions are highly skewed in favour of expanding medical murders. Here is the link: https://www.justice.gc.ca/eng/cons/ad-am/index.html (edited from Campaign Life Coalition)

Statue of St. Anne

I recently received a request from Father Kelly Wilson, pastor of St. Anne's Parish here in the city. He asked if their parish might have our statue of St. Anne. I told him that there appears to be a number of people here at St. Anthony's who have a devotion to St. Anne. However, I also told him that I would inquire with the parishioners as to whether or not they want to part with St. Anne. So, if you have a devotion to St. Anne and want the statue to remain here, then please let me know. I will make my decision on the basis of what you tell me. The statue of St. Anne with Mary as a child, is in the gathering area for those who may not know.

Winnipeg Life's Vision Annual Fundraising Lunch

10:30 – 11:30 am "What is Rachel's Vineyard?" Presentation by Chris MacKay (This session is free to attend)
12 noon - Lunch - keynote speaker Juergen Severloh, Executive Director of Crisis Pregnancy Centre of Winnipeg
Holy Eucharist Parish Centre, 460 Munroe Avenue, Tickets \$25, Table of 8 \$175. Register at lifesvision@shaw.ca or 204 233-8047. Donations of new or gently used baby items for the crisis pregnancy centre are appreciated!

Saturday, February 22, 2020: Hope and Healing in Loving Arms.

Receiving the Sacraments of Marriage, Baptism, First Communion & Confirmation

Here at St. Anthony's we have more than sufficient parishioners who receive these sacraments. We don't need to look for additional seekers. Should you not be a parishioner, that is a registered parishioner who contributes with their weekend Mass attendance and to the financial needs of this parish, then you would be advised to seek these sacraments in the parish where you are registered and contributing. This includes those who may have been married at St. Anthony's but haven't darkened the doorway since; well, maybe at Christmas & Easter. Some seem to think that if they fill-out the registration form and do nothing further, that they are parishioners. Wouldn't that be convenient! In cases where someone is not attending and contributing in any parish, if they register here, then there is a waiting period, at least six months, prior to the sacraments. During this period, the expectations are weekend Mass attendance at St. Anthony's and financial support of the parish. In other words, we want members of the parish and not "buffet takers"

Adoration Chapel

Several people have been inquiring about when the renovation to the adoration chapel area will begin. We are presently still waiting for a quote in the mechanical aspect. Once that is received, we will decide on the three quotes which we have received and then it will be a matter of when the construction company wants to begin. I am strongly hoping that it will be completed before Easter. As for adoration, we will begin once again this coming Tuesday, so sign up with Jesus.

Anamnesis Inner Healing Retreat

Offered by Chemin Neuf Community March 13-17. This four-day retreat in silence is an opportunity to review our life's story in the light and the love of God in order to be reconciled with ourselves. It will be held at the St. Charles Retreat Centre, Winnipeg. For more information StCharlesRetreat@hotmail.com or call 204-885-2260.

Living Stations of the Cross at St. Charles

The Stations of the Cross represent the path Jesus travelled on his way to the crucifixion. They involve Jesus enduring suffering, insults, moments of support, and relay the intense sacrifice that Christians believe Jesus undertook for human salvation. In the tableau version, each station is depicted with the actors posed and silent. The presentation is planned for March 20, March 27 and April 3 at 7:30 pm. St. Charles Parish is located at 320 St. Charles Street. Refreshments will follow. Everyone is invited to attend.

Weekend Collection

Sunday Jan 18/19 - \$ 4,905.90 Thank you to all who generously tithed

Parish Committees:



Our next executive meeting will be on Tuesday January 28th at 7:30pm The General meeting will be held Feb.6th after the 7pm mass. All ladies of the

parish 16 years old and up are invited to become members of the CWL. We encourage you to come to the Feb. General Mtg. and find out what the CWL is all about.



Our next executive meeting will be on Thursday Feb 3 at 7pm and the general meeting on Thursday Feb

ROSARY FOR LIFE: Our next Rosary for Life will be on Saturday February 1 at 2:30pm in the Church. All are welcome to come and participate.

<u>Post-Valentine Brunch</u> - In Support of our Adoration Chapel Hosted by St. Anthony's Parking Attendants will be on Sunday, February 16, 2020 at 12:15pm. Menu: Fried rice(with garlic), longanisa, beef tapa(cured), scrambled egg, tomato and cucumber slice, coffee, ice tea and assorted desserts. Tickets: Adults \$10.00 and are available before and after all Masses! Not able to attend? Consider purchasing a 'supporter' ticket for \$5. Take out available!



Please remember in your prayers, Please Pray For fill The Sick parishioners and friends who are ill: Phil & Mavis Arnaud, Paul Klowak,

Mariann Pietracci, Christine Howard, Julia Dewar, Ruby Plischke, Renate Luebbert, Connie Mikolash, Peter Jansen, Duncan Galang, Maria Gen Reyes, Patricia Ouellette and Linda McFadyen.

Daughters of Mercy

There will be a Divine Office workshop on Monday, February 10 at 7:00 p.m. at St. Nicholas Tavelich Parish, 2688 Main Street, Winnipeg MB. All are welcome to this event

Our February Daughters Of Mercy prayer meeting will be on Monday, February 24 at 7:00 p.m. at St. Nicholas Tayelich Parish, 2688 Main Street, Winnipeg, MB. This prayer meeting is open to any woman who wishes to join us in praying for priests and for vocations to the priesthood in our Archdiocese, so please do not hesitate to invite a friend.

Novena for Priests

O Mary, Mother of Jesus,

you were with Him from the beginning of His life on earth and throughout His Ministry.

You stood beside Him when He was lifted high on a cross and gave His life for all.

O Mary, we ask you now to be with our Priests,

who give themselves in service to God's people.

Intercede for them that they may grow in holiness;

proclaim God's word with courage:

celebrate the sacraments with joy:

and be among God's people as Jesus, the Good Shepherd, was. We offer this prayer to God the Father,

through your intercession,

in the name of your Son, Jesus,

and through the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

... Mary Queen of Heaven: Pray for our Priests ...



Mon Jan 27: Memorial: St. Fabian; St. Sebastian 9:00am Pastor's Intentions

Tue Jan 28: Memorial: St. Agnes

9:00am Healing & Graces needed for Richard by His Sister

Wed Jan 29: Memorial: St. Vincent

9:00am R.I.P. Frances Wasylishen by Friends

Thur Jan 30: Ferial

9:00am R.I.P. Helen Senyk by The Family

Fri Jan 31: Memorial: St. Francis de Sales 9:00am R.I.P. Michael Gottli by The Family Birthday Blessings for Tia & Liam by Martina

Sat Feb 1: 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time 4:00pm R.I.P. Carmela Taylo by The Family R.I.P. Ernesto Dela Cruz by The Family R.I.P. Yolanda Tuason by Maria Theresa Libante

Sun Feb 2: 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:00am Deceased Friends by Anna Anderlic 11:00am Parishioners

Readings for the week:

Mon Jan 28 - 2 Samuel 5:1-7, 10, Mark 3:22-30 Tue Jan 29 – 2 Samuel 6:12b-15, 17-19, Mark 3:31-35 Wed Jan 30 - 2 Samuel 7:1-17, Mark 4:1-20 Thur Jan 31 – 2 Samuel 7:18-19, 24-29, Mark 4:1-25 Fri Feb 1 - 2 Samuel 11:1-4a, 5-10a, 13-17, Mark 4:26-34 Sat Feb 2 - Acts 22:3-16, Mark 16:15-18

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

darkness of ignorance.

Introduction To Penitential Rite: Father, we sometimes selfcenteredly insist on our own views, producing hurt feelings and divisiveness among us. For this, we ask your forgiveness. **Isaiah 9:1-4** In the first reading, A prophet sees a brighter future for the people. One day the light of faith will replace the

1 Corinthians 1:10-13, 17-18 In the second reading, Paul calls for unity in the community. The people must realize they are all one in Christ crucified.

Matthew 4:12-23 In the Gospel, Jesus calls his first disciples. They will assist him in proclaiming his message





2020 Appeal Goal: \$36,570.00 Parish Assessment: \$58,360.00 Total Parish Goal: \$94,930.00

Cash Received: \$3,797.00 Still need \$91,133.00 to reach goal





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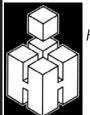
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