## 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:

#### **Ash Wednesday**

This year Lent and Easter are on the late side. Lent prepares us for Easter as we recall our baptism and do penance in preparation for the greatest Feast of the year. For forty days we look closer at the Word of God and pray more fervently as we prepare to celebrate the Paschal Mystery. Ash Wednesday is this coming Wednesday. As is our custom, there will be two Masses that day, one at 9 am and the other at 7 pm with the distribution of ashes. Keep in mind that Ash Wednesday is a day of fasting and abstinence. Those between the ages of 18 to the end of their 59th year are obligated to fast from food. Those aged 14 and older are obliged to abstain from meat. We are all encouraged to do some form of penance and mortification during Lent. Shut off the electronics and use that time to pray and read the Scripture, abstain from alcohol, from sweets, from coffee, etc. Do something in addition to your normal routine, like: pray the stations of the cross daily, visit the sick/shut-ins, give food to the Sisters of Mother Teresa who minister to the poor, give alms, double your normal Sunday collection, etc. Here's wishing you a productive Lent and a joyfilled Easter.

#### **Enrich Your Marriage**

I invited a couple, Miriam and Stan Amalades from the World Wide Marriage Encounter to arrange an experiential 2.5 hour presentation here at St. Anthony of Padua Parish in preparation for the WWME which will take place this coming fall. The 2.5 hour presentation will take place on Saturday, March 23, 2019 from 1-3:30 pm in St. Anthony's church hall. This event is for any married couple who would like to enhance their marriage and for any couple who may be struggling with their marriage. It is also for priests, so the priests from the Winnipeg North Deanery are also invited. There is no charge for this event. Of all institutions, marriage and the family are under attack in our society and in the world. As Catholics, and like most Christians, we believe that marriage has been ordained by God between one woman and one man. The WWME is a non-profit organization and promotes the premise of marriage between one woman and one man. I would like to strongly encourage any couple who would like to make their marriage even better, to attend this short 2.5 hour presentation. To register, call the parish office at 204-334-2413 before March 18, 2019.

#### **Conference on Young People**

Last October there was a Synod on young people held in Rome that focused on their faith and vocational discernment.

Discussions centered around ways in which young people might serve God and make our world a better place. Summarizations of this synod are contained in a papal document entitled Apostolic Exhortation and can be read on the Archdiocesan website. There will be a special day of presentations here in Winnipeg on Saturday, 30 March 2019. The location will be St. John XIII Parish, located at 3390 Portage Ave. and the cost for attendance will be \$30. Speakers are Bishop Lionel Gendron, bishop of Saint Jean Longueuil, Quebec and Emilie Callan, who was a synod youth auditor from Toronto. This conference is open to anyone of interest. More information and register online at:

EVENTS.CATHOLICWAY.NET or phone 204-347-5396.

#### 2018 Charity Receipts

Are now available for pick up in the gathering space.

#### **Registration for Catechism**

We will begin registration for the September catechism classes on the weekend of March 30 & 31 following the Masses. Catechism registration is for registered parishioners (minimum of 6 months) who attend weekend Masses and who contribute to the financial needs of the parish

#### **Serra Club Essay Writing Contest**

The Serra Club Manitoba Chapter is glad to announce the theme of this year's Essay Writing Contest: "Here I am, Lord, send me" (Isaiah 6: 8). The contest is open to all parishes and schools in Winnipeg. Please send submissions

to <u>catechetics@archwinnipeg.ca</u>. For more details, including the mechanics of the contest, please take a look at the brochure on the bulletin board

#### St. John Paul II: Theology of the Body

St Theresa's Parish is holding workshops over Lent for St John Paul II's Theology of the Body. March 10, 17, 24, 31 and April 7 following their 11am Mass. Sandwiches and refreshments will be provided for those registered. For details, see poster on the bulletin board. Please phone 204-339-2649 or email <a href="mailto:stheresa@mts.net">stheresa@mts.net</a> to register

#### Are you looking for a venue to share your musical talents?

St. Benedict's Place, a seniors' independent living facility affiliated with St. Benedict's Monastery, is looking for volunteer entertainment, either solo or small groups, to help us celebrate our residents' birthdays. The parties are held once a month in the afternoon. If interested, please call Sister Marcelline at 204-338-4601 for more information.

#### Life's Vision Annual Lunch

Saturday, March 30, 2019 12pm at Holy Eucharist Parish Centre, 460 Munroe Ave \$25 per person. Guest Speaker Alissa Golob, co-founder of 'Right Now'. What do we need to know about having our voices heard in the upcoming election? What are the issues?" You are also invited to join us before lunch for a **Free Pro-Life 101 Workshop** – (9am to 11:30am with Kyle Coffee, Paola Aguilar and Cam MacDonald. Learn effective pro-life apologetics from the experts. Practice your skills.

#### "Abounding in Hope" Annual Charismatic Conference

Speakers: Archbishop Richard Gagnon, Archbishop of Winnipeg, Fr. Trevor Nathasing, and Maria Vadia Join us for a weekend to be remembered at Winakwa Community Club (980 Winakwa Road), on May 3 to 5, 2019. To reserve your spot, please call or e-mail the CCRS office.

#### <u>Building Community – 95<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Pictorial Directory</u> <u>Another week added! March 26-30</u>

You can sign up in the gathering space before and after mass, call the parish office or say "Yes!" when one of our parish volunteers phone you. In just one appointment, you will have your photo taken and you will get to pick which photo you would like published in the book. There is no cost to you or the parish, there is no obligation to purchase photo's, and every family who has a photo taken will be getting a free directory! To date, 178/1000 families had their photo taken.

### Parish Committees:

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Our next general meeting will be on Thursday March 7<sup>th</sup>. Prayer service 7pm in the hall followed by meeting. Donations of Coffee, tea and

sugar cubes would be greatly appreciated. These items are used for Funerals, workshops, religious teachings and meetings. The "Pin A Pair" rack at the back of the church is for new or gently used hats, mitts, scarves, socks and (new) underwear. No other clothes please! I items will be donated to the poor.



K of C 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Cardinal Flahiff Assembly No. **2500** invite everyone to join them for a Charity Dinner

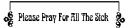
in support of Our Place/Chez Nous on Thursday, March 21, 2019. Cocktails 6pm, Dinner 7:00pm. Tickets are \$40 per person and can be purchased from Ken Chrzanowski at 204-338-8610. Brian Mondor at 204-229-4305 or the Parish

Office.
The Knights of Columbus would like to thank all parishioners

for their generous contributions to this year's annual "Wheelchair Weekend." Once again through the generosity of our parishioners, we will be able to donate funding for the purchase of over 40 wheelchairs. As a result of your contributions many needy individuals will have their lives changed by your gift of mobility! The total amount of the donations collected will be announced in the coming weeks as contributions are still being accepted. Thank you also, to those Knights who graciously volunteered their time in making this weekend the success that it was! Our next executive meeting will be on Thursday, March 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm and our general meeting Thursday March 28<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm

**ROSARY FOR LIFE**: We will be saying the Rosary for Life on **Saturday April 6 at 2:30pm** in the Church. All are welcome to come and participate.

**The next Prayer Shawl** gathering will be on Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup> @ **1:30pm**. Please come dressed for a group photo and use the elevator entrance to the hall.



Please remember in your prayers, parishioners and friends who are ill: Phil & Mavis Arnaud, Paul Klowak,

Mariann Pietracci, Christine Howard, Julia Dewar, Ruby Plischke, Madge Broty Mary Offrowich, and Nathan

#### Your Last Will and Testament

Please remember your parish in your last will and testament, keeping in mind that we receive our finances from those who fill the pews, not from government or social institutions. God loves a cheerful giver!

#### **Weekend Collection**

Sunday Feb 16/17 – \$5,987.05 Thank you to all who generously tithed



# Weekly Mass Schedule

Mon Mar 4: Memorial: St. Casimir 9:00am Pastor's Intentions

Tue Mar 5: Ferial

9:00am R.I.P. Fernando Carvalho by Stephie Capka R.I.P. John Andrew Alcudia and All Souls by The Alcudia Family

Wed Mar 6: Ash Wednesday

9:00am R.I.P. Fernando Carvalho by Stephie Capka 7:00pm Thanksgiving & Blessings by The Alcartado Family R.I.P. Theresa Magnowski by Mary Magnowski R.I.P. Laurence Sunga by Loren Sunga

Thur Mar 7: Memorial: St. Perpetua and St. Felicity 9:00am Intentions of St. Anthony's CWL Birthday Blessings for Cora, Fr. Dado & Colleen

Fri Mar 8: Memorial: St. John of God 9:00am R.I.P. Ray Kolody by Darlene Kolody R.I.P. Jurryl & Cyril Gavino by The Gavino Family R.I.P. Fernando Carvalho by Stephie Capka

Sat Mar 9: 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent

**4:00pm** R.I.P. Walter Dzialik by Valerie Kosak R.I.P. Joe & Delia Kincaid by Gary Kincaid R.I.P. Teresita Dimalanta by Larry & Remy Cybulsky

R.I.P. Bob Arnal by Diane Arnal

R.I.P. Fernando Carvalho by Stephie Capka For all the people of the world and All Souls

Sun Mar 10: 1st Sunday of Lent

9:00am Parishioners

**11:00am** R.I.P. Lynne Emery by Peter & Sandra Los R.I.P. Florencio del Rosario by The Family R.I.P. Albert Drapeau by Belen & Jacques Drapeau

#### Readings for the week:

Mon Mar 4 – Sirach 17:24-27, 29, Mark 10:17-27 Tue Mar 5 – Sirach 35:1-15, Mark 10:28-31 Wed Mar 6 – Joel 2:12-18, 2 Cor 5:20-6:2, Mt 6:1-6, 16-18 Thur Mar 7 – Deuteronomy 30:15-20, Luke 9:22-25 Fri Mar 8 – Isaiah 58:1-9a, Matthew 9:14-15 Sat Mar 9 – Isaiah 58:9b-14, Luke 5:27-32

#### 8<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Introduction: Today's readings urge us to draw life from hearts filled with the goodness and teachings of the Lord ... to live virtuous lives that bear sound fruit. This week, we may desire to pray for a discerning heart and spirit, committed to trying to find God's invitation and his will in the actions and fruits of our daily life.

Sirach 27:4-7 In the first reading, the author uses images from everyday experience to highlight the importance of our words, suggesting that our moral worth (or the lack of it) can be proved by our speech.

<u>1 Corinthians 15:54-58</u> In the second reading, Paul encourages the Christians in Corinth to see Christ's resurrection as the source of their hope. He also exhorts his hearers to persevere in doing good and working for the Lord.

<u>Luke 6:39-45</u> In the Gospel, Jesus also uses simple reflections on human experience in his teachings. Disciples must learn from their master, and in the process become like him. Having warned against the danger of judging others, he also states that just as a tree's value is judged by its fruit, so the true test of human virtue is the way we live our life.





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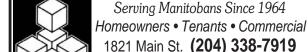


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