

St. Anthony of Padua Cathedral Parish

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Solemnity of Christ the King
November 21, 2021

Public celebration of Masses have resumed!
Masks and social distancing protocols are in effect.
Doors open 30 minutes before Mass

Mon	22	9:00 A.M.	Deceased Family by Felicetta Zimperi
Tues	23	2:00 P.M.	Mass at St. Mary's Gardens (residents only)
		7:00 P.M.	Deceased Family by Dragica Zuzic
Wed	24	12:10 P.M.	Marion Wilson by Kathleen Miller
Thurs	25	4:00 P.M.	Mass at Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish
Fri	26	9:00 A.M.	Mr. & Mrs. Pat Killeen by the Estate
Sat	27	6:00 P.M.	Gisele DeGrace by St. Anthony's Choir
			1st Sunday of Advent
Sun	28	9:00 A.M.	Peter & Emma Porco by Jeana & Walter
		11:00 A.M.	For the needs of our parishioners

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: We are presently without a secretary. Please contact Fr. John or Fr. Michael for any office needs. The office email is st.anthonys@fibreop.ca.

PERMANENT DEACONS: Deacon Jacob Gregorcic and Deacon David Smith

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Fr. John and Fr. Michael are usually available thirty minutes before weekday Mass to celebrate reconciliation or by appointment.

BAPTISM: Preparation course for parents on the 1st and 2nd Tuesdays of the month.

MARRIAGE: Contact Fr. John at least six months before your anticipated date of marriage.

PRIESTHOOD: If you would like further information about becoming a priest, brother, or sister contact Fr. John or visit www.vocations.ca

SICK CALLS: If you know of a parishioner who is hospitalized or unable to attend Mass and would like to receive Holy Communion please call the Parish Office.

HOSPITAL VISITATION: If you or a loved one is in the hospital and would appreciate a pastoral visit from Fr. John or Fr. Michael please call the rectory.



HOW TO E-TRANSFER: For those who wish to donate to the Parish by e-transfer, use the email "st.anthonys@fibreop.ca" No password is required. Thank you for your support!

COLLECTION UPDATE: November 14th: \$5109.00. Weekly Budget: \$3730.00. Difference: +\$1379.00. Month to Date: \$12708.00. Monthly Budget: \$16166.00. Difference: -\$3458.00.

SCRIPTURE REFLECTION: "Jesus answered, 'My kingdom does not belong to this world.'" (John 18:36) Life is short. How much time, energy and money do you put into building "your" kingdom here on earth? We all know we can't take it with us. The real kingdom is in the next life. Yet, how much time, energy and money do you invest in working for that eternal kingdom? Ask God for His guidance. Detach from earthly possessions. Generously share your material goods with others for the greater glory of God. (from the Saint Louis Archdiocese Stewardship Office)



SANCTUARY CANDLE INTENTION: In thanksgiving to St. Anthony for favours received by Suzanne Sorochan.

SANCTUARY CANDLE: Each week we invite you to light the sanctuary lamp in memory of a loved one or for a special intention. The cost is \$20.00 and you may place it in the collection with the information enclosed.

NEW LITURGICAL VESTMENTS: The new set of chasubles (the coloured vestment that the priest wears for Mass) had arrived! We are hoping that families or individuals would make a donation in memory of a loved one or loved ones to cover the cost or partial cost of one of the chasubles. The name of the loved one(s) will be acknowledged in the bulletin as well as our memorial book at the Church entrance. A tax receipt will be provided for the donation. The cost for each chasuble is \$500.00. To date we have raised \$200.00 towards this project. For further info, please speak with Fr. John.

2022 SUNDAY MISSALS: As a result of the continued restrictions placed upon us, we will not have copies of the 2022 Sunday Missal in the pews this year, regardless of when the restrictions are lifted. A limited number of copies available for sale (\$5.00) at the entrance of the Church.

KNITTERS NEEDED: Parishioners are invited to knit hats and mitts for children in need in our Catholic Schools. Wool is available if needed. Items can be dropped off to the Church library or contact Colleen Landers.



JOB POSTING: St. Anthony of Padua Cathedral Parish is seeking applications for the position of **Parish Secretary-Bookkeeper**. The successful candidate will have experience with general office procedures as well as a background in accounting. This is a permanent part-time position Wednesdays to Fridays (18 hours per week) from September to June. Interested persons should submit a resume to no later than **4:00 P.M. on November 30th**. Resumes should be emailed to frjohnlemire2@gmail.com

CWL CORNER: 2022 CWL membership fee of \$30.00 is due by December 15th. All women of the Parish, 16 years and older, are welcome to join the CWL! Payment can be made by cheque (St Anthony CWL), cash, or e-transfer to cwlstanthonyofpadua@gmail.com Please e-mail Shirley at shirleycwl2004@gmail.com or call her at 705-267-5310 with any questions.

2022 SUNDAY OFFERING ENVELOPES: If you are new to the Parish or are not currently using offering envelopes and would like a box, please contact the office. The new boxes will be available for pick-up in later December as the company printing them has been delayed. We are grateful for the generosity of so many who support our Parish throughout the year.

WORK BEE: We are in need of a dozen volunteers **this Wednesday afternoon or evening** to assist with a Parish mail-out. If you can spare an hour or two please speak with Fr. John.

Seven Points of the Classic Kerygma

5. Be baptized and receive the Holy Spirit.

Our response to Christ dying for us is the threefold. We must respond not just by repenting, but by being baptized and living in fellowship with his family, the Church.

In baptism, we join with Christ in his death, burial, and resurrection. We are incorporated not only into Christ, but we become members of his body, the Church. This new membership not only gives us a new identity and family, but it also immerses us in a treasure trove of gifts and blessings that will assist us in living the new life we have found in Christ.

In baptism, our sins are washed away, and we become sons and daughters of God. In addition, we receive gifts from God that will help us live out his plan of sheer goodness for us. We are infused with faith, hope, and charity — three theological virtues that empower us in our new walk.

The Holy Spirit comes into our lives, not as an entity or idea but as a person who will come alongside us and assist us in becoming like Christ. For the new believer, the Holy Spirit becomes a helper and a tremendous source of prayer when we don't know how to pray. (The Activated Disciple: Taking Your Faith to the Next Level (Ascension Publishing, 2018), page 122)