



St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church

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We, the Catholic community of St. Anthony of Padua, relying on the wisdom and the grace of God, unite ourselves to the call for renewal and transformation of our spiritual, social and economic life.

November 28, 2021 - First Sunday of Advent

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Sunday Mass Times: Saturday Mass of Anticipation (5 pm)

Sunday: 9 am and 11 am

Weekday Mass Times: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday & Saturday – 9 am; Tuesday – 7 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation: 20 minutes prior to Mass

Adoration of Blessed Sacrament: All Fridays 9:30 am until Benediction at 12 noon

Confession: 20 minutes prior to Mass or by appointment

Mass Intentions: November 20 to 27, 2021

Novena & Rosary begins 30 minutes prior to Mass

Saturday	Nov 27	9 am	Kristin Jubinville
		5 pm	+Kong Family
Sunday	Nov 28	9 am	+Felixberto D. Velarde
		11 am	+John & Ricarda Vella
Monday	Nov 29	9 am	+Marti VandeRaadt +Cynthia Apacible
Tuesday	Nov 30	7 pm	+Grace Calubaquib
Wednesday	Dec. 1	9 am	+Peter Sless +Edmuno Calubaquib
Thursday	Dec. 2	9 am	+Jose Perez
Friday	Dec. 3	9 am 12 noon Benediction	+Elenor Bain; souls who especially venerate & glorify My mercy & your own intentions
Saturday	Dec. 4	9 am	+Eileen Hennessy
		5 pm	+Kong Family

Last Sunday Collections

Loose Collection	\$234.65
Envelope	\$1150.00
Other	\$465.00
Total	\$1849.65

Please pray for those who are ill or housebound in our

Parish family: Cheryl Yaretz, Lyn Milburn, Ralph and Jeanette Watson, Janet Quinn, Paul Van Scheyndel, Joan Vowles, Stella Hildebrandt, Adriana Striker, Dan McIntyre, Cecilio Sanchez,

Please pray for the most recently deceased:

Stewardship Reflection

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“But when these signs begin to happen, stand erect and raise your heads because your redemption is at hand.” (Luke 21:28)

We celebrate Advent each year in preparation for the birth of Jesus, His first coming, as we await His second coming. What will you do differently this Advent season to grow in friendship and love with Jesus? How will you inspire others to do the same? Start by sharing your God story with others, especially those closest to you. Invite and accompany them on their faith journey this Advent.



Food Bank

This Sunday!!!

Thank you for your generous response to this local need in our community!

Attention CWL members!

Your annual fees of \$30 are due now.

Please submit as soon as possible.

Christmas Soup & Buns Night



December 4, 2021
6 PM

There will be a Soup & Buns night hosted by members of the Steering Committee for the fund raising for the Shrine to the Sto. Niño following the Mass on Saturday, December 4th!

\$10 per person, includes 2 kinds of soup, buns/crackers and coffee/tea

Pop is \$1 each

There will be a mini-raffle drawn at the end of the night

50/50 Raffle

Please come out and have some fun, and help to fund raise for the Shrine to be built on our property in honour of the Sto. Niño de Cebu.

It'll be a great night to be together and get to know some new friends, and if you have any questions about this construction, there will be members of the Steering Committee there to answer all your questions.

This Tuesday, November 23rd, our oldest parishioner, Florence Sinclair will turn 106 years old!
So much to celebrate!!!

Congratulations to the Kong Family

This Saturday at 5 pm Mass, we will welcome their son, Emrys to our faith in Baptism!
Congratulations to his parents – Don & Pam and to his grand parents – Dennis & Sarah!

Ethical Concerns Related to Vaccines

Catholics are invited to be vaccinated, both in keeping with the dictates of their conscience and in contributing to the common good by promoting the health and safety of others. All COVID-19 vaccines that are medically approved by the relevant health authorities may be licitly received by Catholics. Since there is currently no choice of vaccine being offered, Catholics in good conscience, may receive the vaccine that is available and offered to them. Read more at rcav.org/coronavirus.

Archbishop Miller: Masks Required at Mass

Please be reminded that per [Archbishop Miller's August 25th instruction](#), masks are required at Mass:

"I regard it as prudent that, as in all other indoor gatherings in BC, the wearing of masks will be required when attending Mass in the churches of the Archdiocese of Vancouver.

All other parish gatherings indoors, such as meetings, prayer groups, PREP, etc., are covered by the BC mask mandate, and all those aged 12 and older must wear masks."

St. Anthony's Thrift Store will continue its Black Friday Sale until December 18th! Everything is 50% off in the entire store! Don't miss out on the great deals!