



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.

June 13, 2021 – St. Anthony of Padua Feast Day

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Sunday Mass Times: 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

Important Notice regarding Mass Registration

Please make sure that you register by phone or email for the Mass that you and your family would like to attend. There are 4 Sunday Masses in our parish. All of the Masses are full with the exception of the newly instituted Mass of 5 PM on Sundays. Please attend the Mass that you have registered for and avoid jumping from one Mass to another.

If you have any questions, please speak to Fr. Dennis or call the parish office. Let's keep our place of worship a safe place

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 June 13 to 19, 2021

Novena & Rosary begins 30 minutes prior to Mass

Saturday	June 12	5 pm	Catalina Sevilla+, Josephina Castro+ & Jean Van Tryp+, Paula Rentuza+
Sunday	June 13	9 am	Demers Family+
		11 am	Pelletier Family+ and Lolita Olay+
Monday	June 14	9 am	Dorio Family+
Tuesday	June 15	7 pm	Ceriaca Ortega+
Wednesday	June 16	7 pm	Wood Family+
Thursday	June 17	7 pm	Yuhan Yang+
Friday	June 18	9 am 12 noon	All Mankind, especially sinners, your own intentions and Yuhan Yang+
Saturday	June 19	5 pm	Feney Family+, Trizia (birthday) & Jose Perez+

Last Sunday Collections

Loose Collection	\$232.00
Envelope	\$1540.00
Other	\$550.00
Total	\$2322.00

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, Helene Juzda, Kolt Bradley Klaassen, Loise Duke, Stella Hildebrandt

Please pray for the most recently deceased: Jean Van Tryp (Wilma Struys' mother)

Stewardship Reflection

June 13, 2021 - 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each one may receive recompense, according to what he did in the body, whether good or evil." - 2 Corinthians 5:10

We are all accountable for all of the gifts God has given us – our time, our talent and our treasure; everything we have and everything we are. Each of us is accountable not only for our own life but for the lives of others as well. One day God will ask each of us what did we do with the gifts we were given. How will you respond?

Our daily weekday Masses and Sunday Mass are live on Facebook for you to see each day. Please find us on our Facebook page: **St Anthony of Padua-Agassiz.**

Rosary begins 30 minutes Prior to the regular Mass schedule and is livestreamed





Thank you Boy !

Our chef on Saturday night!



**And his beautiful assistant –
*Bashion***

**The Food was Amazing! Thank
you for cooking for our Feast
Day!!!!**

**Also, thank you to everyone who
came out each night for the
Novena Prayers. A special note of
gratitude to those who brought
food for the snacks each night.
And....to Emee Wenk & Anna
Marie Ryan...you're the best!**

You're always there!

St. Anthony of Padua Feast Day

Sunday, June 13th



**You are invited to take part in a light
outdoor meal at 12 noon. Please let
the parish office know if you plan to
attend.**



Knights of Columbus

Year-End BBQ

June 16th at 7:00 pm

All Knights are invited to a year-end barbeque, to be held on June 16th at 7 pm here on the church property!

Thank you Leo Wenk for this beautiful collage –

Our St. Anthony's roses



Expression of Commitment

Archdiocese of Vancouver June 2, 2021

Dear First Nations governments and all Indigenous communities, families and citizens, In light of the heartbreaking disclosure of the remains of 215 children at the former Kamloops Indian Residential School, I am writing to express my deep apology and profound condolences to the families and communities that have been devastated by this horrific news. Each time new evidence of a tragedy is revealed, or another victim comes forward, countless wounds are reopened, and I know that you experience renewed suffering. I take this opportunity to reflect upon the apology I gave publicly before the Truth and Reconciliation Commission in 2013, words to which I remain committed and accountable: “I wish to apologize sincerely and profoundly to the survivors and their families, as well as to all those subsequently affected, for the anguish caused by the deplorable conduct of those Catholics who perpetrated mistreatment of any kind in these residential schools.” The Church was unquestionably wrong in implementing a government colonialist policy which resulted in devastation for children, families and communities. If words of apology for such unspeakable deeds are to bring life and healing, they must be accompanied by tangible actions that foster the full disclosure of the truth. Truth comes before reconciliation. On behalf of the people of the Archdiocese of Vancouver, I commit to the following first steps in support of the Nations, families and communities impacted by the recent heartrending disclosure:

1. We will be fully transparent with our archives and records regarding all residential schools, and strongly urge all other Catholic and government organizations to do the same. Our records regarding the Kamloops Indian Residential School (Tk’emlúps te Secwépemc) were provided to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission and will remain available for review.
2. We will offer and support mental health support and counselling for family members and others whose loved ones may be buried on the site of the former Kamloops Indian Residential School.
3. We will offer to assist with technological and professional support to help the Tk’emlúps te Secwépemc and other affected Nations in whatever way they choose to honour, retrieve and remember their deceased children.
4. We commit to supporting the same process and resources to all Nations in whose territories Catholic-run residential schools were forcibly located, and which fall within the historical boundaries of the Archdiocese of Vancouver.
5. We will renew our efforts to listen to Indigenous Peoples to hear from you how we can best walk with you along the path of justice. We recognize that there is so much work remains to be done, yet we hope that, if we persevere in these commitments with humility, we can restore the trust among us that will bring healing.

Sincerely yours,

J. Michael Miller, CSB Archbishop of Vancouver