



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.

August 22, 2021 – Twenty first Sunday in Ordinary Time

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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: August 21 to 28, 2021

Novena & Rosary begins 30 minutes prior to Mass

Saturday	Aug. 21	9 am	Rustico Tria & albert Basset+
		5 pm	Menardo Villas+
Sunday	Aug. 22	9 am	Jullian Cusi+
		11 am	Philip Baum+
Monday	Aug. 23	9 am	Theresa Pham Thi Nhung+ & Sosun Shin's health
Tuesday	Aug. 24	7 pm	Theresa Pham Thi Nhung+ & Steve Jang's family
Wednesday	Aug. 25	9 am	Abandoned souls in purgatory & Sosun Shin's health
Thursday	Aug. 26	9 am	Pelletier family health & Joji Geronimo (birthday)
Friday	Aug. 27	9 am 12 noon Benediction	Paul Nguyen & for the souls of priests and religious & your own intentions
Saturday	Aug. 28	9 am	Paul Nguyen
		5 pm	Richardo Llamas+ & Rafael Ruiz+

Last Sunday Collections

Loose Collection	1012.00
Envelope	1405.00
Other	340.00
Total	2757.00

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, Kolt Bradley Klaassen, Stella Hildebrandt, Adriana Striker, Pat Appel

Please pray for the most recently deceased: Jane VanLaerhoven, Rita VandeRaadt

Stewardship Reflection

August 22, 2021 - 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

"If it does not please you to serve the Lord, decide today whom you will serve...As for me and my household, we will serve the Lord." Joshua 24:15

When we commit to serve the Lord, we must be willing to become a disciple in the work of the Lord. A disciple is a person who spends time in prayer every day, joyfully participates in charitable works and generously supports their local parish and Church mission. If we say we serve God, we must actually do something and not merely talk about it!

**Our daily & Sunday Masses are
livestreamed on Facebook You can find us
at**



St. Anthony of Padua-Agassiz

Calling volunteers!

Would you be willing to volunteer to help maintain the gardens of the church property? Roses need to be pruned, weeds need to be pulled, shrubs need to be trimmed. We are thankful to Allan Bokenfohr who mows the grass. However, we need new blood to help out! Can you consider this please? Please call Fr. Dennis to talk about it!

Do you have a hand-held video camera that you would be willing to donate to the church? We're looking for one more camera to help with the livestreaming broadcasting. If you do, could you please speak with Fr. Dennis. Thank you!!!!



Knights of Columbus Executive Meeting

September 1, 2021 at 7 pm

Upper Room Conference 2021

The Upper Room Conference is a response to this movement of God. Disciples from all over our cities are gathering to be challenged, equipped, and inspired to proclaim the name of Jesus. But this goes far beyond just one day. The Upper Room conference is our largest ministry event of the year and is the momentum moment for ministries and Proclaim in the Archdiocese of Vancouver.

Proclaim is a movement in the Archdiocese of Vancouver to awaken disciples across our cities and spread the name of Jesus in their homes and communities.

This year, experience the Upper Room in one of three ways: in-person at a parish host site, in-person at the live stream site, or online. For more information and to register, visit upperroomvancouver.com.

Project Advance 2021

Your gift will grow your parish and expand the reach of Christ's love to those who need it most. It will fund important works such as: Ministry to youth and young adults in our parishes

The construction of new Catholic schools Programs that support healthy families

- Feeding the homeless and vulnerable in the Downtown Eastside
- Pastoral ministry and support for the hospitalized

Once your parish goal is met, all additional funds raised will be directed back to parish projects identified your Pastor and parish team.

St. Monica's Mission Holy Hour

Many parents are grieving the loss of their adult child's faith in the Catholic Church. This [Year of the Family](#) is an ideal time of grace for parents to pray, fast, and sacrifice for their adult children's conversion. Through [St. Monica's Mission](#), A Prayerful Journey of Perseverance and Hope, parents are invited to join our monthly Holy Hours on the Third Friday of the month at various parishes across the Archdiocese. Friday, August 27 at 6:30 p.m. Learn more and register at beholdvancouver.org/events.

God's Doorkeeper Screening

God's Doorkeeper looks at the heart and legacy of Brother André—as a man of prayer, of hospitality, and of compassion, a man who draws people in to experience a God who is love. Brother André also had a tremendous devotion to St. Joseph that he shared with all who came in contact with him. The documentary will be streamed from select parishes followed by opportunities for discussion. A link will also be sent out for those who prefer to watch the documentary from the comfort of home. Tuesday, August 31 at 7:00 p.m. Learn more and register at beholdvancouver.org/events.

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.