

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.

Pentecost Sunday May 28, 2023



Stewardship Reflection

"To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good." I CORINTHIANS 12:7

To receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit you must open your heart and invite Him in! Ask the Holy Spirit to guide your thoughts, words and actions every day! Be grateful for all the gifts God has given you! Regardless of our individual circumstances, God has given all of us many blessings. What we do with those gifts is our gift back to God! By generously sharing everything we have and everything we are, we become more "Godcentered" and less "self-centered" and our lives truly reflect God's light, love and mercy.

Prayer Requests

Please pray for those who are ill or housebound in our Parish family

Harley Martin, Kolt Klassen, Brian Lloyd, Ann Struys, Joanna Black, Debbie (Frank and Lynda's daughter), Cheryl Yaretz, Lyn Milburn, Janet Quinn, Paul Van Scheyndel, Stella Hildebrandt, Adriana Striker, Paul McKenzie, Marilyn Struys,

Please pray for those who are deceased

Florence Dumont & Irene Legacy

TALK TO US

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MASS TIMES

Sunday Mass:

Saturday Mass of Anticipation - 4:00 pm Sunday Mass - 10:30 am

Weekday Mass:

Monday, Thursday & Friday - 9:00 am Tuesday - 7:00 pm

Liturgy of the Word:

Wednesday - 9:00 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

20 minutes prior to Mass or by appointment

Rosary:

Begins 30 minutes prior to Mass

Eucharistic Adoration:

All Fridays following Mass Benediction at 10:15 am

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday: May 27th - 4:00 pm

Aihra Bandol Intentions

Sunday: May 28th - 10:30 am

+Annemarie Belgardt _Romanito G. Costas Sr. (6th Anniversary)

Monday: May 29th - 9:00 am

+John Freimark

Tuesday: May 30th - 7:00 pm

Geneva Reynen (healing)

Wednesday: May 31st - 9:00 am

Liturgy of the Word

Thursday: June 1st - 9:00 am

+Agnes Elbers

Friday: June 2nd - 9:00 am

Lanze Patenio

Souls detained in purgatory + your

intentions

Saturday: June 3rd - 4:00 pm

Helen Ng Intentions

The Sacrament of Confirmation will be on Friday, June 9th at 5:30 pm, and we are very pleased to welcome Archbishop Miller to preside at this special mass for our Confirmands, their families and our parish.

You must sign up for Confirmation Dinner NOW.

It is on Friday, June 9th. Please come out and celebrate this momentous step in the lives of our young Confirmands: Ivan, Isabelle and Jan! There is a signup sheet at the back of the church, and we need you to sign up now. This dinner is by donation and all proceeds will be given to the restoration of our Grotto!

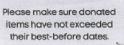
Thank you for your support in helping us to raise over \$3,000 on Friday in support of our local Aqua Centre! Our Thrift Store volunteers are the best! None of this would be possible if it weren't for them! Thank you so much!



We are currently in need of the following items:

· Baked Deans

Chunky Soup * Canned Fruit/Vegetables Canned Tuna, Ham or Chicken Crackers * Granola Bars * Juice Boxes Sugar-Free Puddings/Jello Coffee - Ground or Instant Shampoo, Dish Soap, Toilet Paper Dog & Cat Food



ITEMS THAT OUR OUTDATED CANNOT BE GIVEN OUT.



Please bring donations to 7086 Cheam Ave., Agassiz Hours: Mon. to Fri: 9 a.m. - 12 noon 1 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Phone: 604-796-2585

Project Advance has begun in our parish:

Your tax-deductible donation will fund important works such as:

- Youth and young adults ministry 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 our parish goal is met, all additional funds raised will be directed back to our parish project. Thank you so much for your generosity.

THE MONTH OF THE ROSARY

May is the month of the Rosary. Weather permitting we will be praying the Rosary at the Grotto before Mass

FOOD BANK DONATIONS

Our local Food Bank stock is very low, and they would appreciate our donations of food. This past week, our parish donated \$3,000 through Thrift Store sales.

PASTORAL COUNCIL

Council meeting

Tuesday June 6th @ 7:30 pm

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

CWL Meeting

Tuesday June 6th @ 2:30 pm

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

General Meeting

Thursday June 22nd @ 7:00 pm

STAFF POSITIONS AVAILABLE

Two staff positions coming available at St. Ann's, 33333 Mayfair Ave, Abbotsford.

1) St. Ann's Parish Office Administrator, Starting July 1st, 2023.

2) Administrator/Teacher for St. Ann's Preschool. Starting September 2023. For more information please contact Frances McNeil at 604-852-5602

OFFERING COLLECTIONS

Sunday, May 14th, 2023

Loose: \$398.65 Envelope: \$1372.00 **Total: \$1772.65**

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