



# 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.

## 5th Sunday of Easter April 28, 2024



### Stewardship Reflection

*"Children, let us love not in word or speech but in deed and truth." -1 JOHN 3:18*

Regarding our Catholic faith, do you "walk the talk?" Do your actions reflect what it means to be a good disciple? Are you an active participant at Sunday Mass? Are you joyful when participating in parish ministry? Do you give gratefully and generously with your financial support to your parish and other Church needs? If not, it's not too late to start!

### Prayer Requests

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

Barry, Bembridge, Baby Anthony, Bridget Ridgers, Patrick Donegan, Louie Yaretz, Kolt Klassen, 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

*Please pray for our confirmands*

Paul De Castro, Alessia Hutch, Miguel Espiritu

Confirmation is on May 19th. Next week, there will be a signup sheet for the parish dinner that will follow immediately following the 10:30 am Mass. Please indicate if you will be attending on the signup sheet in the Gathering Area.

#### TALK TO US

Pastor: Fr. Dennis O. Flores  
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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: April 27 - 4:00 pm

+S. Ma. Consuelo Albino, RVM

Sunday: April 28 - 10:30 am

Stella Hildebrandt (healing)

Barry Bembridge (healing)

Monday: April 29 - 9:00 am

Stella Hildebrandt (healing)

Joe Graf (healing)

Tuesday: April 30 - 7:00 pm

Paul McKenzie (healing)

+Clay Graf

Wednesday: May 1 - 9:00 am

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Thursday: May 2 - 9:00 am

Paul McKenzie (healing)

Friday: May 3 - 9:00 am

De Los Reyes Family (thanksgiving)

Amanda Broskey

Saturday: May 4 - 4:00 pm

Dean Phillips

#### FOOD BANK SUNDAY

Please bring non perishable food items for the last Sunday of the month.

# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



# Pancake Breakfast

PLEASE JOIN US THIS SUNDAY AT NOON

by donation!



## CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations to Oliver Luca Objegas, child of Raphael Obejas & Denise Ronquillo, who was baptized here this weekend. Welcome to our faith community!

## UPCOMING IN THE PARISH

- Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast: Sunday, Apr 28 @ Noon
- CWL Executive Meeting: Monday, Apr 29 @ 2:30 pm
- Parish Council: **Rescheduled** to May 7th @ 7:30 pm
- Confirmation: Sunday, May 19 @ 10:30 am

## FR. DENNIS WILL BE ON RETREAT

Fr. Dennis will be away on retreat from May 13th to May 17th. Please pray for him to have an opportunity rest and re-energize during this time of retreat.

## CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

### CWL Word of the Week RESPECT

We are all God's children, created in God's loving image and deserving of compassion and respect. The Catholic Women's League's core values go beyond this, caring for all of God's creation. Join us and experience the joy of love and respect.

## OFFERING COLLECTIONS

### Sunday, April 21, 2024

- Loose: \$286.80
- Envelope: \$1620.00
- Other: \$165.00
- Total: \$2071.80

## CHILLIWACK PRO-LIFE

Join thousands of others from throughout the province for the annual March for Life in Victoria, B.C. on Thursday, May 9, 2024. We will be leaving Chilliwack at 6 a.m. sharp and returning at approximately 7 p.m. Reserve a spot on the bus by stopping by the office and purchasing a ticket - \$25 per seat, with a family maximum cost of \$100. #4-45762 Patten Ave, Chilliwack, B.C.,

## A Message from Archbishop Miller

Dear Friends,

Each year, the support you so generously give to Project Advance unites us more deeply as a community of faith, and makes possible the many ministries and programs of our local Church. For this you have my heartfelt thanks.

"Building Our Parish Community" is the theme chosen for this year's Appeal. Your donation to Project Advance will achieve two closely related aims. First, it will help meet the target set for your parish's contribution to the Archdiocese's ministry and outreach initiatives. Second, once your goal is achieved, all the additional funds raised are returned to your parish for its specific projects.

When you give to Project Advance, you are providing both your local parish and our Archdiocese with the resources required to carry out our mission of "making disciples" (Mt 28:19), as Jesus commanded us to do.

Regardless of its size, every gift truly makes a difference. Whether you are a regular contributor to Project Advance or have never participated before, I want to encourage you to prayerfully support Project Advance 2024 to the best of your ability.

Together we are "Building Our Parish Community." Thank you so much for doing your part to make this a reality through your gift to this year's Project Advance Appeal.

Invoking the Lord's blessing on you and your family, I remain

Sincerely yours in Christ,



+ J. Michael Miller, CSB  
Archbishop of Vancouver

Your gift will grow your parish and expand the reach of Christ's love to those who need it most.

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 of \$8600 is met, all additional funds raised will be directed back to parish projects identified by our parish.

