



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 16, 2024 – 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Last Sunday's Collection

Envelopes	\$890.00
Loose	\$439.15
Other	\$1,440.00
TOTAL	\$2,769.15

Stewardship Reflection

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"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?

Weekly Mass Schedule

Monday, Thursday & Friday: 9 am

Tuesday: 7 pm

Wednesday (Liturgy of the Word): 9 am

Saturday: 4 pm (Anticipated Sunday Mass)

Sacrament of Reconciliation: 20 minutes prior to Mass times and/or by appointment

Exposition of Blessed Sacrament each Friday at the Shrine immediately following the 9 am Mass. Benediction at 10:15 am

Please pray for those who are ill or housebound in our Parish family: Barry Bembridge, Baby Anthony Vu, Joanna Black, Stella Hildebrandt, Paul McKenzie, Rutelle Bembridge, Rudy Leon, S. Olive Kingsbury, RVM, Alice Burnette

Mass Intentions June 15 to 22, 2024

Saturday	June 15	4 pm	+Caron Family
Sunday	June 16	10:30 am	Marietta Urquiza Don Lagumbay & Julita Momalis (birthdays)
Monday	June 17	9 am	Joanna Black
Tuesday	June 18	7 pm	+Demers Family
Wednesday	June 19	9 am	Liturgy of Word
Thursday	June 20	9 am	Paul McKenzie
Friday	June 21	9 am	Dean Phillips
Saturday	June 22	4 pm	Stella Hildebrandt

Welcome to St. Anthony's!

New Parishioners and Visitors Welcome! We want to know you!



Parish Registration Forms are available on the brochure table in the Gathering Area of the Church.



St. Anthony of Padua Feast Day

Gratitude!!!

Thank each of you for attending our Feast Day Celebration! For all of you who have participated throughout the Novena, you have and will be blessed!

Thank you to everyone who helped to prepare for this celebration. I'd like to say thank you to the donors of the flowers! These lilies are extraordinary! What a beautiful display to honor our St. Anthony!!!

Thank you to the Hospitality Team in our parish for setting up for the potluck supper. You are always behind the scenes in these preparations, but please know how much you are appreciated for the service and ministry that you give to our parish.



Let us give thanks to God the Father and His Son, Jesus Christ, who showed us the way to live in righteousness, and whose love endures forever.

Shrine of Sto. Niño de Cebu

2nd Anniversary Celebration

Opening Salvo: August 15th at 6 pm

President: Archbishop J. Michael Miller, CSB

Anniversary Celebration: August 24th at 4 pm

President: Bishop Abbet S. Uy (Tagbilaran, Philippines)

**Rosary & Novena Prayers: 5:15 pm daily
August 15th to 23rd.**



Our Parish Goal this year is \$8600. This means that all funds over this amount are returned to us, without assessment. SO FAR, YOU HAVE DONATED \$5150! THANK YOU....THANK YOU!

This year, we are again trying to collect money to pave our parking lot, so all surplus funds will be designated towards this much needed project. Your generous support for this project is so appreciated



UPCOMING IN OUR PARISH

Fr. Dennis' 32nd Anniversary of Priesthood
Sunday, June 16th

Pastoral Council
7:30 pm Tuesday, June 25th

(Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Would you like to know more about our faith and becoming a Catholic? Our classes will commence in September. For more information, please see Fr Dennis or inquire at the Parish Office.

PREP NEWS

Please spread the word to friends and relatives that we are in the process of registering students for the school year 2024 – 2025. Registration Fee is \$50 returning and new students. Cheques are payable to St. Anthony of Padua

For more information, call the Parish Office.

A message to all Fathers from Pope Francis:

St Joseph is the model of the educator and the dad, the father.

I, therefore, entrust to his protection those who are fathers.

Best wishes to you on your day!

I ask for you the grace to be ever closer to your children, allow them to grow, but be close, close!

They need you, your presence, your closeness, your love.

May you be for them as St Joseph was: guardians of their growth in age, wisdom and grace.

May you guard them on their journey: be educators and walk with them.

Thank you for all you do for your children: thank you.

May St Joseph bless you and accompany you.

Pope Francis

Second Collection: Pro-Life Sunday

On Pro-Life Sunday, we reflect on the sanctity of human life from its beginning at conception to its natural end. This weekend's second collection will help further the pro-life cause by supporting crisis pregnancy centres, anti-euthanasia groups, university pro-life groups, post-abortion ministry and others. Tax-deductible donations can be made in person at the parish or online at rcav.org/second-collection.

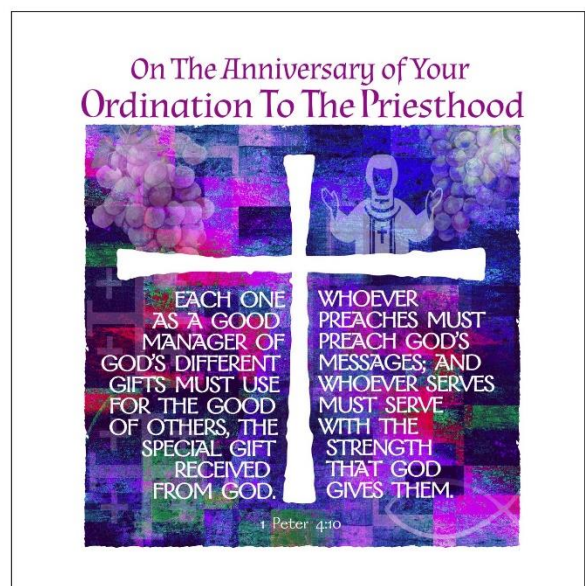


This Sunday: June 16th, we will celebrate Fr. Dennis!!!

32nd Anniversary of Ordination to the Priesthood of our dear Fr. Dennis!

Following the Mass on Sunday morning, we will celebrate this occasion with a potluck lunch in the parish hall. You are all invited to come!! Please bring some food to share!

A basket for cards will be available at the head of the buffet table for those who wish to greet Fr. Dennis in this way



Arise Youth Retreat

All youth born in 2009 and 2010 (going into Grades 9 and 10 this September) are invited to the annual Arise Youth Retreat at Camp Jubilee in North Vancouver on August 26-30!

By combining practical skills, a faith perspective and spiritual development, participants will learn and grow in their faith through engaging activities, presentations, games, skits, reflection, sharing and the opportunity to interact with each other in a faith-filled, safe environment. We will explore self-identity, how to build community connections, and how to make Jesus Christ the centre of our lives.

Learn more and register as a school or parish group via beholdvancouver.org/events.

Catholic Family Camp

Join us for an unforgettable journey at the first-ever Catholic Family Camp hosted by the Archdiocese of Vancouver. This getaway is for families of all types, ages, and sizes to come together for rest, play, fellowship and prayer.

Inspired by Pope Francis at the 9th World Meeting of Families, the time together will focus on how we are called to be beacons of God's joyous love. Your family will connect with others to strengthen this mission, living out the joy and love that God desires for every family.

Families should prepare to arrive in the late afternoon on Wednesday, August 28, at Stepping Stones Bible Camp in Deroche. Family Camp will end in the afternoon on Friday, August 30. **Registration deadline: Monday, July 29, or whenever we reach capacity.** Learn more and register at beholdvancouver.org/events

Please pray for our dear Sister Olive. She will be having knee surgery this week, and will be away from the parish for a period of time during her recovery. May God protect and heal you Dear Sister!!

Sheltered in His Heart: A Taizé Night of Adoration in Honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus
Join us for a night of prayer, music, and Adoration in honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, with a reflection by Father Edmund Lo, SJ, Jesuit Vocation Director and the Canadian Coordinator of the Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network (Apostleship of Prayer). We will also be accompanied by Father Nick Meisl, Pastor of St. Peter's.

On Saturday, July 6, 7:00 p.m. at St. Peter's Parish in New Westminster. While the event is targeted to young adults, we welcome attendees from all backgrounds. Refreshments will be served after the event. Please register so we can plan accordingly. Learn more and register via beholdvancouver.org/events.

ALTAR SERVERS WANTED!!!

If you have received First Holy Communion and are now interested in becoming an Altar Server, you are needed! We are thankful to Simon Carton for coordinating our servers, and he would like to help train all of you to minister in our parish! If you would like to be part of this... please call the parish office or see Fr. Dennis

The Knights of Columbus are organizing a few work bees over the next month and are looking for more volunteers who are willing to help paint the Thrift Store. Our first will be starting **this Monday, June 17th at 8 am.**

If you are willing to come lend a hand, it would be greatly appreciated. If you have tools that would be useful, please bring them. Things like eye protection, gloves, scraper, and possibly a face mask. Feel free to drop in, see you there!