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29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 19, 2025



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LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTIONS

Envelopes	\$1145.00
Loose	472.00
Other	\$65.00
TOTAL	\$1682.00

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for those who are ill, or housebound, in our Parish Family:

Barry Bembridge, Baby Anthony Vu, Joanna Black, Stella Hildebrandt, Rudy Leon, Prudence Donfack, Clayton Jimmie, Leo Vantol, Lynda Van Scheyndel, Cheryl Dunlop

Please pray for the most recently deceased: Victims of the Cebu Earthquake, Fred Neilson, Marg Bernt

Fred Neilson Funeral:

Vigil Prayer Service: Oct 22nd: 7 pm

Funeral Mass: Oct 23rd: 11 am

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"... proclaim the word, be persistent whether it is convenient or inconvenient..." (2 Timothy 4:2)

It is not always convenient to be a good steward, especially when all the temptations of our busy and materialistic world get in the way. Now add our own pride and ego into the equation and living a stewardship lifestyle may be downright uncomfortable! Remember, God didn't call us to be comfortable. He never said that we would have an easy life. Rather, He called us to be faithful!

Mission Statement

We, the Catholic community of St. Anthony of Padua, relying on the wisdom and grace of God, unite ourselves to the call for renewal and transformation of our spiritual, social, and economic life.

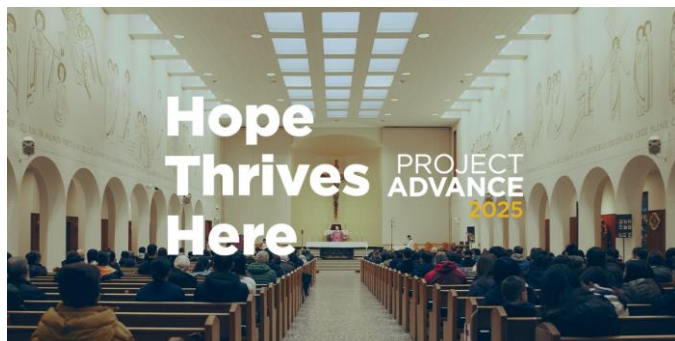
SAT	October 18	5 pm	Birthdays of: Mikaella de Los Reyes Fr. Michael Ogunka, CCE
SUN	October 19	10:00 AM	+Elena Olay Tuvera
		1:00 PM	Joseph Mendoza & Family
MON	October 20	9 AM	+Salvador Paraguya
TUE	October 21	7 PM	+Rita Lavoie Peter Tung (healing)
WED	October 22	9 AM	LITURGY OF THE WORD
THU	October 23	11 AM	Funeral: Fred Neilson
FRI	October 24	9 AM	+Anna Henick Apolania Cabrera
SAT	October 25	5 PM	Monique Gratrix (birthday)



Rite of Christian Initiation
of Adults (RCIA)

Are you interested in learning more about the faith and practices of the Catholic Church? Would you like to be part of journeying with the RCIA team?

Please call the Parish Office for more information, or speak to S. Olive, RVM.



Hope is what moves you to dream of a more vibrant parish.

It's the hope that your Church can be a place of welcome, renewal, and growth. It is the desire to see your community thrive, not just for today but for generations to come.

When you support Project Advance, you turn that hope into action. You help create spaces where families gather, where faith is nurtured, and where those in need find comfort. You make it possible for ministries to grow, for schools to thrive, and for your parish to be a place where everyone feels at home. Your generosity to Project Advance builds a future where faith is strong, communities are connected, and the Church continues to be a source of hope for all.

Our Goal is \$10,500 this year.

To date: \$3,160

**Thank you for your continued support
As always, when our goal has been met,
All funds are returned to our parish without
assessment.**



We will have coffee THIS WEEKEND following the 10 am Mass. Please remember to bring a snack along to share with everyone, and have a good visit too.

If you are able to help with the cleanup after the coffee is over, it would be so welcome! We are grateful to our team that gives of their time always, but it would be helpful for more people to become involved!

**Please have a look at the now completed Jubilee
Project of
St. Anthony of Padua Archives.**



**We are grateful to Karen & Beccie who have been
researching and collecting the many articles to
complete these archives.**

**Thank you to Ed Schmid who has taken our dreams
and put them up on the wall!**

**Thank you to Todd from Todd's Signs of our
community for creating the lovely signage and
installing it so beautifully.**



**We were privileged again this week to welcome
Pilgrims of Hope to our Parish and Shrine**



**On Friday, we welcomed the
CWL from Immaculate
Conception of Delta.**

**On
Saturday,
50 pilgrims
came here
from**



**Holy Trinity Parish of North
Vancouver. They were accompanied by their
Assistant Pastor, Fr. Canyo.**

World Mission Sunday

**In a special video message our Holy Father, Pope Leo
XIV, invites you to take part in World Mission Sunday
on 19 October.**

**Pope Leo is urging every Catholic and every parish
across the globe to unite in prayer and practical
support for missionaries who work alongside
communities in need in the most remote and
troubled parts of our world.**

**In recalling his missionary experience in Peru, Pope
Leo says: 'When I served as a missionary priest and
then bishop in Peru, I saw first-hand how the faith,
the prayer and the generosity shown on World
Mission Sunday can transform entire communities'.
The Pope explains how your prayers and support on
World Mission Sunday are vital in spreading the
Gospel and in supporting the Church's outreach and
mission in very practical ways. Your support,
coordinated by Missio, helps build churches, chapels
and schools and supports missionaries as they
enable people to experience God's compassion and
love through their care and the witness of their lives.
Please join in responding to our Holy Father's call to
"commit ourselves anew to the sweet and joyful task
of bringing Christ Jesus, our Hope, to the ends of the
earth**

FUNERAL FOR FRED NEILSON

Wednesday, October 22nd: Vigil Prayers: 7 pm

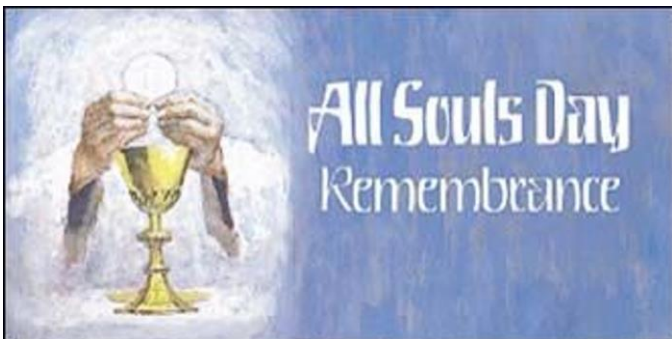
Thursday, October 23rd: Funeral Mass: 11 am

November Month of All Souls

The month of November is dedicated to the Holy Souls in Purgatory. The Church commemorates all her faithful children who have departed from this life, but have not yet attained the joys of heaven. St. Paul warns us that we must not be ignorant concerning the dead, nor sorrowful, "even as others who have no hope ... For the Lord Himself shall come down from heaven ... and the dead who are in Christ shall rise.

The Church has always taught us to pray for those who have gone into eternity. Even in the Old Testament prayers and alms were offered for the souls of the dead by those who thought "well and religiously concerning the resurrection." It was believed that "they who had fallen asleep with godliness had great grace laid up for them" and that "it is therefore a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead, that they may be loosed from sins."

Please a moment to enter the names of your loved ones who have deceased
Into the Book of Life



Parish Photo Directory: Jubilee Year 2025

The Dates for the Photo Appointments are

October 27: 4:00 to 8:30 PM

October 28: 1:00 to 8:00 PM

October 29: 1:00 to 8 PM

October 30: 1:00 to 8 PM

October 31: 1:00 to 7 PM

November 1: 10 AM to 5 PM

Our Parish hasn't had a new directory made since 2016. There are so many changes in our parish since that time, and so many new faces! This is a wonderful opportunity to get to know each other better by face, so I hope that you will all participate.

There's no charge for the photography session, and you will receive a complimentary Parish Directory for your participation.

You may, however, wish to purchase additional photos for yourself

Please take a moment to register for photo session. There is a signup sheet in the Gathering Area of the Church
Simon Carton and Emee Wenk will be heading up the Team that will coordinate this project.

We are so grateful for the generous response to Fr. Dennis' appeal for help for the victims of the Cebu Earthquake.

We will continue to accept your donations and Fr. Dennis will send them directly to Caritas who will administer the funds responsibly. To date, we have collected over \$10,000.

