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Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 14, 2026



WE ARE HIS PEOPLE
(PSALM 100)

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“As you go, make this proclamation: ‘The kingdom of heaven is at hand.’” Matthew 10:7

Many of us take our lives for granted. We think we have plenty of time to “repent.” Maybe we should live with a little more urgency in making things right with God. This is the difference in living our discipleship out of obligation versus out of love. Obligation implies we do the minimum required. Love implies we want a relationship. God wants us to be with Him in Heaven forever, but He also wants to be in relationship with us right now, while we are on earth. Start this second – invite the Lord into your heart.

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LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTIONS

Envelopes	\$1340.00
Loose	600.00
Other	145.00
TOTAL	\$2,085.00

PRAYER REQUESTS

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

Barry Bembridge, Joanna Black, Stella Hildebrandt, Metro Huculak, Marguerite Rocheleau, Russ C, Elowyn Lyftogt, Cheryl Yaretz, Sebastian Rodrigues

Please pray for the most recently deceased:

Ross Sicard, Joe Horvath

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	June 13, 2026	5 pm	+Antonio C. Dilo
SUN	June 14, 2026	10:30 AM	+Tony & Johanna Struys
		1:00 PM	+Abraham Lim Koen Koei
MON	June 15, 2026	9 am	+Edward Bayly
TUE	June 16, 2026	7 pm	+Joe Horvath
WED	June 17, 2026	9 am	Liturgy of the Word
THU	June 18, 2026	9 am	+Benito & Basilissa Cadiz
FRI	June 19, 2026	9 am	+Bob Hicks
SAT	June 20, 2026	5 pm	+Antonio C. Dilo

**Rebuild My Church: Vocations
Stories of the Franciscan Friars of
Canada**

As part of the

Jubilee Year of St. Francis, hear the vocation stories of men who have heard the call from God to "rebuild his Church" in this new video series from the Franciscan Friars of Canada. This is an opportunity for all to learn about the Franciscan charism, with a special invitation to young men to discern and see if they have a calling to join the friars. You can view the trailer and videos on the [Franciscan Friars of Canada YouTube channel](#).



2026 Goal: \$10,500

Please see Leonne Beebe who is in the Gathering Area of the Church to assist you with your donations!

Thank you for helping our parish to meet its goal!

We gather at every eucharistic celebration for the same reason as those crowds who came out to see Jesus two thousand years ago.

Arise Youth Retreat

Youth entering Grade 9 /10 in September 2026 are invited to learn and grow in their faith through engaging activities (including outdoor recreation 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. June 29 through July 2 at Camp Jubilee, North Vancouver. Register by June 8 at beholdvancouver.org/events.

Mass Wedding for Civilly Married Couples

Your marriage is a beautiful gift from God, and the Church warmly invites you to deepen your journey in Christ by celebrating the Sacrament of Marriage. Archbishop Smith will preside over a special Marriage Mass for civilly married couples. This is a wonderful opportunity to open your heart to God's grace and receive the full blessing of the Church. Saturday, September 19 at St. Paul's Parish, Richmond. Register by June 30 at beholdvancouver.org/events.

St. Anthony of Padua Feast Day

We have had a wonderful and prayerful Novena to our beloved St. Anthony of Padua

So many were able to attend each of the nine nights of the novena.

Thank you so much to everyone who participated in making it such a success!

Thank you to everyone who contributed food for the nightly refreshments! More than the food, it was wonderful to enjoy the company of each other each night.

A huge thank you to those who organized and helped out with the Feast Day!

Thank you to the donors of our flowers!

The flowers were prepared at Dutch Heritage Greenhouses, who regularly donate flowers for our weekly altar decor



Thank you Ed & Pat Schmid for preparing the meal for our Feast Day!

The Ribs were Delicious!!!!

So many others were involved in making it such a success! Please accept our deepest gratitude for your love and commitment to our parish!

Have you noticed the beautiful gazebo with the picnic tables?

Thank you to everyone who had a part in building it. Most of all, thank you to Ed Schmid for coordinating this!

Interestingly, it started out with the donation of a huge bbq that needed a bit of refurbishing to get it ready to cook.

Thank you Ed Schmid for donating your time and energy !

We are deeply grateful to you for your skill and imagination in making these dreams come true!

There have been so many comments and compliments from our parishioners and others. They are very grateful for this and other additional improvements!!!

We have been able to enjoy it several times during the Novena this week.



Congratulations Jack Yulo Kearns

who was baptized this weekend in our parish at the 10:30 am Mass

Welcome to our faith community Jack and your parents Joey & Patricia

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God calls ordinary people to share His love, heal, and serve, continuing the mission of Jesus in the world.



Sister Olive will be away to the Philippines for her annual retreat & visit to her home community. She will be leaving this

Tuesday and will return on July 13th.

We pray that God will bless you with a safe and restful 'vacation'

Music Under the Stars Concert

Experience delightful melodies performed by Tami, a professional singer with a long-standing connection to St. Francis of Assisi parish. There will be a mix of songs ranging from opera to pop in various languages. All are welcome! Invite your family and friends! Cost includes food and a drink. Tickets are available for purchase at the parish office and at the gate. At St. Francis of Assisi Parish, Saturday, July 18, at 6:00 p.m. Learn more at beholdvancouver.org