



Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Edmonton

## St. Anthony's Parish

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### Parish Office Hours

Monday to Friday  
9:00am-12:00pm  
1:00pm-4:00pm

### Sunday Masses

Saturday: 5:00pm  
Sunday: 9:00am,  
11:00am, 7:00pm

### Reconciliation

Tuesday:  
6:30-7:30pm  
Saturday:  
9:30-10:30am  
By Request  
or Appointment

### Adoration

Tuesday:  
6:30-7:30pm  
Friday:  
9:00AM-12:00pm  
Saturday:  
9:30-10:30pm

### Staff

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4th Sunday of Easter

May 12th 2019

## Upcoming Events & Meetings

**Thursday May 23: Parish Volunteer Appreciation Supper**– If you help out in any way, big or small, you are invited to our Appreciation Supper. The evening will begin with **Mass at 5:30pm**, followed by the supper @ **6:15pm**. We are so grateful for everything you do at St. Anthony's and we are looking forward to seeing you on May 23rd. Please RSVP by May 17th to the Parish Office @ 780-875-2883 or email: [stanthony@shaw.ca](mailto:stanthony@shaw.ca).

**Friday May 31-6:45pm You are invited! Come be part of 'The Living Rosary'**. On Friday, May 31 we will celebrate The Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary. We have planned a small procession, the Joyful Mysteries of the Holy Rosary and Mass. We need 53 people who will each lead one Hail Mary and 5 people who will lead the Our Father. These people will make our living rosary. If you can commit to being present on May 31 (at 6:30pm for setup) please sign up on the poster in the narthex or contact Cheryl @ 780-808-3121 or @ [hallcm@mac.com](mailto:hallcm@mac.com). Everyone is invited, we hope to see you & you're family there!

**May 31 & June 1– CWL Annual Garage Sale and Lunch on Friday, May 31st from 1-6pm (garage sale only) and Saturday, June 1st from 9:00am to 2pm in the Parish Hall.**

If you have any clean items to donate, please bring them to the hall the week of the garage sale (May 27-31). **No clothing please.** If you wish to have items picked up or are available to help out at the sale, please email Pat @ [jphuber@telus.net](mailto:jphuber@telus.net)

**Saturday June 8–4:00-5:00pm Pentecost Vigil Celebration**– Come Celebrate Pentecost! This is an opportunity to hear a DVD presentation by Fr. Dave Pivonka on "The Gifts of the Holy Spirit", join in Praise and Worship; and hear a testimony on the action of the Holy Spirit in the life of one of our parishioners. Following the 5pm Mass, prayer teams will be available to pray individually with you if you have any specific needs or desires.

### Upcoming Sacramental Celebrations

**Thursday June 13th @ 6:00pm** Confirmation Mass with Archbishop Smith

**Sunday June 23rd @11:00am** Mass-First Holy Communion

**Later this year– A Pilgrimage to the Holy Land with Fr. Antony.** Visit Jordan, Israel, Palestine and Egypt on this 12 night, 13 day Pilgrimage from November 13-25. For pilgrimage details, contact the Parish Office or speak to Fr. Antony.

**Sunday, October 20**-Mark your calendar for St. Anthony's Fall supper. If you would be willing to help out on the Fall Supper committee this year, please call the Parish Office.

## Special Announcements & Reminders

**Word Among Us** magazines for May are available at the Parish Office for \$3.00.

The **BREAKTHROUGH** Movie is now showing at May Theatres in Lloydminster. Breakthrough is a major motion picture on the power of Prayer. The movie will be at the theatre for a short time. Show times are 1:00, 3:20, 6:45 & 9:25pm on the weekend, and 6:45 & 9:25pm on weekdays.

**JOB OPPORTUNITY-ST. ANTHONY'S PARISH**-St. Anthony's Parish is seeking a part-time (approximately 20-25 hours/week) Pastoral Assistant. This individual would be responsible for various office and pastoral duties within the parish. This position requires strong interpersonal, communication and organizational skills. Strong computer skills are also required. Please apply with resume and references to the Parish Office as soon as possible.

**Sausage Fundraiser**- If you placed an order, you can pick up your order on Wednesday (May 15) and Thursday (May 16) from 6:00-9:00pm. Please bring grocery bags with you when you come to pick up your order.

**The Knights of Columbus** would like to thank everyone for the support at the pancake breakfast on May 5th. A total of \$760.00 was raised for the support of our Youth Ministry.

**The Summer Reader Schedule is coming**-Our 2018-2019 readers schedule is almost complete & that means that summer is coming! We will be working on the new Summer Reader Schedule & are hoping to gather some information from our readers. Please take a few moments & check your family's summer plans & let us know when you will be away. We will try our best to work around those times. This is also a great opportunity to update your contact information or mass time preference. If you are someone who is interested in becoming a reader, please feel welcome to call one of the following contact numbers. Cheryl @ 780-808-3121 or hallcm@mac.com Sharon @ 306-830-5410 or scfangon27@yahoo.ca. The new schedule should be completed & emailed to you by June 21st.

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### Ministry News

**Children's Liturgy** Children who attend Children's Liturgy are given a memory verse every week. This week's verse is, **John 10:27** .*"My sheep hear my voice. I know them and they follow me."*

**Pastoral Care**

If you or a friend or a loved one are in the hospital and would like to receive Holy Communion and/or Anointing of the Sick, please call the parish office!

**Courtesy Rides**

If you need a ride to the church please call one of our following members: Lawrence/Deb Fergusson @ 780-872-0411

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### Sacramental News

**Baptisms: Welcome to the new members of our Parish family, baptized on April 28th:**

1) Cruz Christopher Doetzel, son of Brian & Chelsey 2) Arie Jack Howard-Hill, son of Aaron & Kailey 3) Emma Laurel Krepps, daughter of Nadine & Dillon 4) Myrrha Jaden Lacson, daughter of Marr & Jeannette 5) Mira Rose Pashniak, daughter of Logan & Sarah

**Baptized on May 5th:** 1) Paxton Lawrence Budd, son of Joel & Brittany 2) Ceasar Falcon II, son of Ceasar & Raquel 3) Saylor Grace Hougham, daughter of Justin & Whitney 4) Rylynn Lucy Price, daughter of Ryan & Marylynn 5) Everett Wilfred Waterman, son of Adam & Ashley

**Baptism Preparation Classes**-All parents are asked to complete a Baptismal Preparation Class before their child is baptized. The next set of classes for parents will be held on **May 22 & 29 @ 7:00pm**. You must attend both evenings. Registration forms are available on the parish website.

The next class for Godparents is **Wednesday, June 5th**

## Our Parish Mission Statement

We are a family of Roman Catholic Christian believers who are united in our desire to compassionately serve those who are in need, and to share wholeheartedly our faith, our gifts, and our talents. We gather to be strengthened and nourished by the Eucharist at God's Altar and rejoice at receiving His grace through the celebration of all the sacraments. In the footsteps of our patron, St. Anthony of Padua, we faithfully strive to build an ever-stronger parish family and to give living witness to the life of Jesus Christ.

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## Devotions in 140 Characters

Based on the Archbishop's selected readings. "*Do I continue to trust in the Lord even if I find it hard to see Him or to understand His plans for my life?*" .blogspot.ca/ or his Twitter feed: <http://twitter.com/archbsmith>

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## Living in the Word

**Living in the Word** —From our awareness of this wondrous gift that is the Eucharist, and of the Lord's command that it be celebrated in his memory, arise some questions: Am I, in fact, putting the Word of God into practice by participating fully every week in Sunday mass? Do I allow other activities to take priority over my sacred obligation? Do I take time to prepare for mass by reading in advance the mass readings, pondering the many blessings for which to give thanks, or considering the needs I wish to place before the altar of God's mercy?  
(Archbishop Smith, *Pastoral Letter* September 14, 2017)

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## Readings for Sunday, May 12th-4th Sunday of Easter

**First Reading:** Acts 13, 14, 43-52 We are now returning to the Gentiles.

**Responsorial Psalm:** Psalm 100 1-5 We are his people: the sheep of his pasture.

**Second Reading:** Revelation 7, 9. 14-17 The Lamb will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life.

**Gospel:** John 10, 27-30 I give my sheep eternal life.

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## 4th Sunday of Easter

Today is Good Shepherd Sunday and the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. Jesus is indeed our Good Shepherd. He loves us and cares for us, his sheep. We in turn must look after others and also become shepherds. This will lead to suffering, just as Jesus suffered for us. Persecutions and contradictions are part of the history of the Church.

An excellent example of this is found in today's first reading from Acts. Paul and Barnabas found success with the Jews of Antioch of Pisidia, but jealous Jewish officials contradicted and persecuted them. The disciples were driven out of their region but they were not discouraged. They turned to the Gentiles and found success in Iconium, which brought them great joy.

Jesus founded one church but from the beginning, it has been plagued by disunity. St. Ignatius was the first to call the Church "Katholike" meaning "all embracing" or "universal" but many heresies arose, which had to be combatted. Then came the Orthodox schism, and in the 1500's, the Protestant Reformation. Sects have multiplied, and presently, the Church is suffering great persecution throughout Asia Minor, China, Northern India, Africa, and elsewhere. Christians and particularly priests and sisters face imprisonment and death daily. We must not get discouraged because the Church keeps growing from the blood of the martyrs, but we must pray and do everything possible so that this persecution will end. Christians should be allowed to live their faith peacefully.

In the 2nd reading from the book of Revelation, St. John has a vision of a multitude, robed in white, standing before the throne of God. These are the martyrs, and all faithful Christians, who have gone through their "great ordeal" and are now worshipping God day and night.

How comforting this thought is for us! God wants everyone to spend eternity with Him in heaven, so it is very important to respond to the call which we think is God's will for us. On this World Day of Prayer for Vocations, we pray for good Christian marriages. We also pray that many men will respond to the invitation to the Priesthood and Diaconate, and for an increase in vocations to the religious life.

**Lord, please bless us all, We want to stand before your throne some day and worship you forever. Amen**

## Mass & Sacrament Schedule for Week Starting May 11th



**Please pray for our sick:**

Sheldon McPherson  
Jonathan Larry  
Kevin Ryan  
William Frank Golinowski  
Kay Smith  
Leo Ganie  
Nadine Offord  
Anna Beatrice Castro  
Tammy Kaminski  
Thomas Howard  
Gerald Doetzel  
Michelle Matthews  
Larry McGale  
Spencer Mohrbutter  
Clint Wolfpenholme  
Lorna Duncan  
Juanita Lo  
Rick Gareau  
Dixie Lee Herman/Watson  
Evan Wolgien  
Nikita Gibbs  
Regina & Fausto Reyes  
Maralynn Earl  
Lois Hippe-Twetn  
Tyler Walz  
Vern Belsheim  
Marg Dallton  
Katrina Irvine  
Heather Cunningham  
Maricel  
Narmitha, Walter  
Duncan MacDonald  
Patricia Flemming, Lyric Whitehead  
Naomi Lendvay  
Emory Wolgien  
Tom McKevitt  
Damien Papp  
Glenda Volk  
Tianna Golinowski-Neudorf  
Kevin Weinkauf  
Glenn Weinkauf  
Ken Jackson  
Jim Wack  
Jean Wirachowsky  
Ken Andersen  
Margaret Johnson  
Lionel Benson  
Grayson Benson  
Jose Lumanglas  
Neil Cameron  
Breylynn Golinowski-Neudorf  
Larry  
Rob Castellan  
If you or your loved one no longer needs to be on the list above, please call the office.

**NEW IN THE PARISH?**

We are blessed that you have chosen to join us in worship here at St. Anthony's. If you are new, or have not registered, please fill out a "New Parishioner Form" which can be found on a table in the narthex. Welcome!

Saturday May 11	9:00 AM Mass 9:30-10:30AM Adoration 5:00 PM Mass	†Justik-RIP & †Eugene-RIP Hnatiw  †Thomas Martin-RIP
Sunday May 12	9:00 AM Mass 11:00 AM Mass 7:00 PM Mass	<b>Special Anniversary intention People of the Parish</b> †Ernesto Villena-RIP
Monday May 13	<b>8:30 AM Mass</b>	<b>Lillian Morin special intention</b> †Mark Feeney-RIP-Herb/Leone Duczek
Tuesday May 14	<b>NO ADORATION OR MASS Priests' at Assembly this week.</b>	
Wednesday May 15	NO MASS	
Thursday May 16	NO MASS	
Friday May 17	NO DEVOTION OR MASS	
Saturday May 18	9:00 AM Mass 9:30-10:30 AM Adoration 5:00 PM Mass	†Theodora-RIP & †Louis-RIP DeKock  Rob Castellan-Jeannette Gllmore
Sunday May 19	9:00 AM Mass 11:00 AM Mass 7:00 PM Mass	†John Miller-RIP-Dorothy Volk <b>People of the Parish</b> †Don Weinkauf-RIP & †Steve Supruniuk-RIP

**Mass Intentions** - When a priest offers Mass, he usually has a particular person as an intention. The fruits of the Mass extend to the person for whom the Mass is being offered, the Priest himself, and those who attended the Mass. Masses can be offered for departed souls, or for the special intention of a living person or for ones family. If you are interested in having a Mass, please contact the Parish Office. Please note: The Archdiocese of Edmonton has set the stipend for Mass intentions at \$10.00 each.

### Servers for the Weekend of May 18th & 19th

	Saturday 5:00 PM	Sunday 9:00 AM	Sunday 11:00 AM	Sunday 7:00PM Mass
Greeter	Chris Hemmelgarn	Joe/Lucy Gibbs	Cecile Case	
Coffee		Laura/Dan Mercier	Ruffa DeLara	
Rosary	Theresa Lacombe	Tom Cavanagh	Kathy Noyes	Brenda Torres
Music	Linda Q.	Lani/Melanie	Marlene/Donna	
Lectors	Jacque/Ivan Harris	Brigitte/Gerald Miller	Jeannette Lacson Martina Bayeng	Apple Limuico Brenda Torres
Adult Servers	Leone Duczek Solange Sibilleau Theresa Lacombe	Tom/Eileen Cavanagh	Rose Cressman Margaret Johnson Achilles Chabot	Karli Makichuk Fransisco Paz