



Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Edmonton

St. Anthony's Parish

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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

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23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 8th, 2019

Upcoming Events & Meetings

Monday, September 9-Children's Choir practice— The children's choir will resume practicing on Sept. 9th from 5-6pm in the choir area. All members from last year's choir are invited, as well as any new members who would like to join us. Children must be in grade two or higher and be a sufficient reader.

Wednesday, September 11-CWL Potluck Supper & Meeting will be held at 6pm in the Parish Hall. A meeting will follow @ 7:00pm. Everyone is welcome!

Wednesday, September 11-7:00pm PPC Meeting

Thursday, September 12-7:30pm K of C General Meeting

Saturday, September 14-6:00pm-St. Anthony's 2nd Annual Pig Roast Potluck will be held on Saturday, Sept. 14. There will be activities organized for children before Mass. Parishioners are encouraged to sign up and bring side items (salad, buns, pickles, etc) and/or desserts. There will be a signup poster in the narthex after Masses this weekend. Special thanks to Ray/Phyllis Faltermeier for donating and roasting the pig. Last year's event was a tasty way to get to know your neighbor, have some fun and break bread together!

Sunday, September 15-2:00pm-The Knights of Columbus are holding a 4th Degree meeting in the K of C room downstairs.

Monday, September 23-7:00pm First Holy Communion & Reconciliation Parent Meeting

Monday, September 23-7:00pm-Prayer Group

Sunday, September 29th-The K of C will be hosting a **Pancake Breakfast** from 10am-1pm. Everyone is welcome!

Monday, September 30-7:00pm Confirmation Parent Meeting

Sunday, October 20-Can you smell it? The turkeys are coming. Signup sheets will be posted in the narthex next weekend. We will need people to sponsor food items, and to help in the kitchen and hall. This is a great parish event because it is a great fundraiser, as well as a community builder. Thank you for your help! See you there!

Saturday, November 29th- Under the Sea Dine & Dance— St. Anthony's fundraising committee is hosting an amazing dinner & dance on Nov.29. If you want to dust off your dance shoes, eat an amazing prime rib dinner & make a donation to the parish hall fund, this an event for you! Tickets are \$100.00, with a portion of that coming back to you as a tax receipt. For more information, check out the ticket tables in the narthex or talk to Terry Wagner or any fundraising committee members.

Special Announcements & Reminders

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.

Thank you to the students & staff at Holy Rosary High School for their generous donation of \$1237.14 to our 5loaves2fish Ministry here at St. Anthony's!

Ushers are needed at the 5:00pm Saturday evening Mass, and on Sunday at the 11:00am Mass & the 7:00pm Mass. If you can help out with this ministry, please call Jim @ 306-821-2952.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a program of instruction in the Catholic Faith will be offered this fall for any adult interested in finding out more about the Catholic faith, or who might be contemplating joining the Catholic

Church. If you, or someone you know is interested in this program, contact the Parish office

Rite of Christian Initiation for Children (RCIC) is a program for children in grade 2 or older who are not baptized. though this program, children are prepared for Baptism, first Eucharist and First Reconciliation. The program will be starting later this month. Please contact the parish office for more information.

St. Anthony's Parish Scholarship-If you are a 2019 High School graduate, you are invited to apply for St. Anthony's Parish scholarships. Applications are available at Holy Rosary High School or the parish office. The deadline to apply is

Sept. 16/19.

Scholarship opportunity for Graduates of St. Anthony's and Holy Spirit Parishes.

Father Dobson Knights of Columbus Council 3553 is offering 2 – \$1000.00 Scholarships for those students graduating in 2019 and beginning their post secondary education. The deadline is Sept. 11, 2019. Please see the bulletin board for application details. This scholarship is only available to Parishioners of our Lloydminster Catholic Churches.

Readers of the Word Ministry-Summer is slipping away and it is time to organize the new schedule for readers for this upcoming year (October 2018- June 2019). Please take a few moments and consider your plans. Proclaiming God's Word to His people is a fantastic ministry. We are thrilled to have so many dedicated readers in our parish family. New readers will be required to participate in a short introductory workshop to learn procedures and protocols. Please contact Sharon at 306-830-5410 or at scfangon27@yahoo.ca for more information. If you are already a reader, please send an email to confirm your choice of mass time and to make any changes needed in your contact information. God's Blessings to you and your families.

Word Among Us for September are available at the Parish Office for \$4.00

Ministry News

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!

Sacramental News

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 **November 13 & 20th at 7:00pm**. You must attend both evenings. Registration forms are available on the parish website.

The next class for Godparents is **Wednesday, Sept.25 @ 7:00pm**.

First Reconciliation/Frist Holy Communion-The parent meeting will be held on Monday, Sept.23 @ 7:00pm in the parish hall. Children must be in Grade 2 or older & baptized in the Catholic faith. Please bring a completed registration form (they are available at the parish office or on the website) & a copy of the child's Baptism certificate. Books will be available for

\$40.00 at the meeting. (\$50.00 after Sept.23)

Confirmation-The parent meeting will be held on Monday, Sept.30 @ 7:00pm in the parish hall. Children must be in grade 6 or older. **Bring completed registration forms and a copy of the child's Baptism certificate to the meeting.**

Materials will be available for \$40.00 at the meeting. (\$50.00 after Sept. 30)

Marriage Please contact the Parish Office at least 12 months prior to the wedding date.

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.

Devotions in 140 Characters

Based on the Archbishop's selected readings. *"Christ knows when you have been overlooked or misunderstood. One day, all will be set right."* blogspot.ca/ or his Twitter feed: <http://twitter.com/archbsmith>

Living in the Word

Living in the Word —To be disciples, to live in accord with our Baptismal identity and dignity, is to allow only his words to guide and direct our lives. Let us take great care to hear only his Word, to turn away from any voice that leads us from him, and to put into practice that which he tells us. Then we shall know the joy of living as his brothers and sisters.

Archbishop Smith, *Pastoral Letter* September 14, 2017)

Readings for Sunday, Sept.9th- 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Wisdom 9, 13-18 *Who can discern what the Lord wills?*

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 90 3-6, 12-17 *Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations.*

Second Reading: Philemon 9-10, 12-17 *Take him back, no longer as a slave but as a much beloved brother.*

Gospel: Luke 14, 25-33 *Whoever of you does not give up all that he has cannot be my disciple.*

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

The first reading today is from the Book of Wisdom. It was written in the first century before Christ, by an author who had the benefit of a full understanding of the entire Old Testament. He writes here of the wisdom of God being wondrous and beyond the understanding of fallen human beings. God has chosen, however, in His goodness, to reveal to mankind elements of His plan for our wellbeing. Without divine revelation, mankind cannot live correctly.

Psalm 90 similarly reminds us that, left to our own, we "wilt and fade", we "turn back to dust". God, however, is our refuge. In His kindness, he makes life fruitful.

Today's Gospel, from Luke, follows the parable of the Great Feast, which, like our first reading and psalm, talks of God's boundless generosity. Today's passage reminds us that, though the invitation from God is freely given, it requires a total response. In order that God may bless us lavishly, we must let go of all created things to which we are attached...including our relationships and possessions. Luke here uses hyperbole or exaggeration as a literary device.

We are not expected to hate our family, but to love God more. We are not expected to give away all our possession, but to give up our attachment to them and be prepared to give them away if we are called to do so.

Jesus said, "Whoever does not carry his own cross and come after me cannot be my disciple". There is a cost to discipleship. However, when we use the gift of wisdom in calculating the cost, we see that no price is too great to pay for God's gift of fullness of life here on earth, and peace and happiness with Him for all eternity.

One of the rewards of discipleship is renewal of our relationships. As St. Paul points out in his letter to Philemon, no matter what has gone before, no matter the nature of the previous relationship, when we are one "in the Lord", our relationships are characterized by love. We are all brothers and sisters in Christ.

Mass & Sacrament Schedule for Week Starting Sept.7th



Please pray for our sick:

Kevin Ryan
 William Frank Golinowski
 Kay Smith
 Leo Ganie
 Juanita Lo
 Rick Gareau
 Dixie Lee Herman/Watson
 Evan Wolgien
 Lois Hippe-Tweten
 Tyler Walz
 Vern Belsheim
 Naomi Lendvay
 Emory Wolgien
 Tom McKeivitt
 Glenda Volk
 Kevin Weinkauf
 Glenn Weinkauf
 Ken Jackson
 Jim Wack
 Jean Wirachowsky
 Ken Andersen
 Margaret Johnson
 Grayson Benson
 Jose Lumanglas
 Neil Cameron
 Breylynn Golinowski-Neudorf
 Bert Sibilleau
 Kathy Noyes

If you or your loved one no longer needs to be on the list above, please call the office.

Saturday Sept.7	9:00 AM Mass 9:30-10:30AM Adoration 5:00 PM Mass	†Roberta Desmarais-RIP-Angela Oliver †Carlos Mangona Jr.-RIP
Sunday Sept.8	9:00 AM Mass 11:00 AM Mass 7:00 PM Mass	†Myron Basset-RIP People of the Parish †Edna Quilichini-RIP
Monday Sept.9	9:00 AM Mass	Agnes & Jim-Marriage blessings
Tuesday Sept.10	6:30 PM Adoration 7:30 PM Mass	CWL Deceased Members & Vocations
Wednesday Sept.11	10:00 AM Jubilee Home Mass 12:15 PM Mass	Jim & Judy Reinhart-M/M Aschenbrenner †Janet Ditrach-RIP-J/C Sweeney
Thursday Sept.12	9:15 AM Fr. Gorman School Mass	Cayago family-Thanksgiving
Friday Sept.13	9:00 AM-12:00 PM-Adoration 10:30 LCC Mass 7:30 PM Mass	†Rose Bakos-RIP- Laurel McCabe †Jim Huber-RIP-Border Plumbing
Saturday Sept.14	9:00 AM Mass 9:30-10:30 AM Adoration 5:00 PM Mass	†Elinor Robison-RIP Deceased loved ones-Una
Sunday Sept.15	9:00 AM Mass 11:00 AM Mass 7:00 PM Mass	†Leslie Scheelar-RIP- I/G Scheelar People of the Parish †Dolores Cummine-RIP-Ed Behnke

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

Servers for the Weekend of September 14th & 15th

	Saturday 5:00 PM	Sunday 9:00 AM	Sunday 11:00 AM	Sunday 7:00PM Mass
Greeter				
Coffee				
Rosary		Lisa Cavangh	Helene James	Apple Limjuico
Music		Marlene/Donna		
Lectors	Sharon Fangon Paulette Holden	Nadine Keck Carolyn Gervais	Bridget Walsh Solange Sibilleau	Tsungayi Chigawamba John Denate
Adult Servers	Solange Sibilleau Monique Vachon	Debbie Fergusson Arnold Hernandez	Mary Delfin Sebastian Idiong	Harwell Teves Dom Rada

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!