

**The Twin Roman Catholic Parishes of
St. Agnes & St. Anthony**
SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER YEAR C
DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY
APRIL 24, 2022



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St. Agnes & St. Anthony Joint Mission Statement

As sharers in the mission of Jesus Christ, we are committed to spreading the Gospel and building up the kingdom of God in our homes, in our parishes, and in the communities in which we live.

St. Agnes & St. Anthony Parish Staff:

Pastor	Rev. Varghese Munduvelil CFIC
Deacon	Guy Germain
Deacon	Michael Pucylo
Deacon	Ramon Morales
Business Manager	Don Wong
Administrative Assistant	Florentina Suce
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Twin Parishes Financial Pulse

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>YTD</u>	<u>Full Year Budget</u>
April 09 - 17			
<u>Sunday, Holy Day</u>	\$ 9,957	\$91,597	\$332,000
<u>Building Maint. Fund</u>	\$ 795	\$13,475	\$30,000
<u>Together We Serve</u>	\$ 3,690	\$ 9,235	\$30,000

"Give honour to the Lord with your wealth, and with the first-fruits of all your increase: So your storehouses will be full of grain, and your vessels overflowing with new wine." Proverbs 3:9-10

May God bless you in your response to His love?



Twin Parishes Masses for the Week

Tuesday, April 26 Mass @ St. Anthony	7:00 pm
Wednesday, April 27 Mass @ St. Anthony	6:15 pm
Thursday, April 28 Mass @ St. Agnes	9:00 am
Friday, April 29 Mass @ St. Agnes	9:00 am
Saturday, April 30 Mass @ St. Agnes Mass @ St. Anthony	5:00 pm 7:30 pm
Sunday, May 01 Mass @ St. Agnes Mass @ St. Anthony Mass @ St. Agnes	9:00 am 10:30 am 12 Noon

To all the parishioners who are interested in having their church donations by automatic withdrawal from their banks please email or call the parish office @ 780-432-0611 to register.

DONATE BUTTON

Parish website: twinparishes.caedm.ca

Here are three ways to give:

St. Agnes and St. Anthony would prefer if you use:

[Pre-Authorized Giving Agreement Form](#)

Envelopes can be dropped off or mailed to the parish office at:

St. Anthony,
10661-82 Avenue NW Edmonton,
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My Offering

Donate online:

Thank you for being a good steward of St. Agnes/St. Anthony Parish.
Every gift is truly appreciated.

Prolife Prayer for this Week

April 24 – Thomas Sunday

Lord, we pray that just as Thomas recognized Jesus by His wounds, we also recognize Jesus in the wounded and pray for them: those contemplating abortion, suicide, assisted suicide, euthanasia and all those who carry out life-ending procedures.

**Breath of New Life: Scott Hahn Reflects
Divine Mercy Sunday Year C
April 24, 2022**

First Reading – Acts 5:12-16

Psalms 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24

Second Reading – Revelation 1:9-13, 17-19

Gospel: John 20:19-31

The prophet Daniel in a vision saw “One like the Son of Man” receive everlasting kingship (see Daniel 7:9–14). John is taken to heaven in today’s Second Reading where he sees Daniel’s prophecy fulfilled in Jesus, who appears as “One like a Son of Man.”

Jesus is clad in the robe of a High Priest (see Exodus 28:4; Wisdom 18:24) and wearing the gold sash of a king (see 1 Maccabees 10:89). He has been exalted by the right hand of the Lord, as we sing in today’s Psalm.

His risen body, which the Apostles touch in today’s Gospel, has been made a lifegiving Spirit (see 1 Corinthians 15:45).

As the Father anointed Him with the Spirit and power (see Acts 10:38), Jesus pours out that Spirit on the Apostles, sending them into the world “as the Father has sent Me.” Jesus “breathes” the Spirit of His divine life into the Apostles—as God blew the “breath of life” into Adam (see Genesis 2:7), as Elijah’s prayer returned “the life breath” to the dead child (see 1 Kings 17:21–23), and as the Spirit breathed new life into the slain in the valley of bones (see Ezekiel 37:9–10).

His creative breath unites the Apostles—His Church—to His body, and empowers them to breathe His life into a dying world, to make it a new creation. In today’s Gospel and First Reading, we see the Apostles fulfilling this mission with powers only God possesses—the power to forgive sins and to work “signs and wonders,” a biblical expression only used to describe the mighty works of God (see Exodus 7:3; 11:10; Acts 7:36).

Thomas and the others saw “many other signs” after Jesus was raised from the dead. They saw and they believed.

They have been given His life, which continues in the Church’s Word and sacraments, so that we who have not seen might inherit His blessings and “have life in His name.”

CWL CORNER

“Learn more about the Catholic Women’s League at www.cwl.ca or www.edmontoncwl.org”

ST. AGNES CWL

April 26, 2022 (Tuesday) celebrate “Our Lady of Good Counsel” with 6:00 pm mass at St Agnes church by Fr Varghese.

Following mass will be our St Agnes Annual General meeting and elections for council.

****After two years apart ladies it will be so great to see each other! And please consider taking a position on your executive council. New ideas, new energy welcome.....****

April 29, 2022 (Friday) to May 1, 2022 (Sunday): The 100th Annual Diocesan Convention in Camrose at St Francis Xavier Church.

Any member can attend for all three days or portions of the event!

Information and registration forms can be found at www.edmontoncwl.org. Click on the heading “Diocesan Convention.” Or contact Melvina Grudecki @ 780-436-5132 if interested.

****NOTE:** registration deadline is April 18, 2022.

ST. ANTHONY CWL

St. Anthony CWL meeting will be Wednesday, May 4th after the 6:15 pm mass at St. Anthony.



CONGRATULATIONS

1. Dias, Owen Joseph George
2. Fenrich, Sebastien Kincaid
3. Garcia-Navarro, Jose David Francesco
4. Giroux, Danielle Margaret
5. Go, Caleb Janroe
6. Harcus, Eli Edward
7. Harcus, Cecilia Mary
8. Lepatski, Evan Michael Anthony
9. Okun, Isabella
10. Okuniewski, Michael
11. Rivasplata, Ethan
12. Vives, Elisabeth

Congratulations to these children who are celebrating their First Communion this weekend. As you make this commitment of faith, many blessings come to you, and may God's love be in your heart to strengthen you along life's way. *Fr. Varghese Mundavelil*

