

# The Twin Roman Catholic Parishes of St. Agnes & St. Anthony

19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

August 07, 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.

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## St. Agnes & St. Anthony Parish Staff:

<b>Pastor</b>	Rev. Varghese Munduvelil CFIC
<b>Deacon</b>	Guy Germain
<b>Deacon</b>	Michael Pucylo
<b>Deacon</b>	Ramon Morales
<b>Business Manager</b>	Don Wong
<b>Administrative Assistant</b>	Florentina Suce
<b>Custodian</b>	Bruce Huynh

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## Twin Parishes Financial Pulse

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>YTD</u>	<u>Full Year Budget</u>
<b>July 30 &amp; 31</b>			
<b>Sunday, Holy Day</b>	\$ 3,822	\$188,301	\$332,000
<b>Building Maint. Fund</b>	\$ 140	\$19,265	\$30,000
<b>Together We Serve</b>	\$ 45	\$16,850	\$30,000

*"God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work". 2 Corinthians 9:10*

*May God bless you in your response to His love.*

## Twin Parishes Masses for the Week

<b>Tuesday, August 09</b> Mass @ St. Anthony	7:00 pm
<b>Wednesday, August 10</b> Mass @ St. Anthony	6:15 pm
<b>Thursday, August 11</b> Mass @ St. Agnes	9:00 am
<b>Friday, August 12</b> Mass @ St. Agnes	9:00 am
<b>Saturday, August 13</b> Mass @ St. Agnes Mass @ St. Anthony	5:00 pm 7:30 pm
<b>Sunday, August 14</b> 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](http://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,**  
**AB T6E 2A6**

**My Offering**

Donate online:

Thank you for being a good steward of St. Agnes/St. Anthony Parish.

Every gift is truly appreciated.

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## ANNOUNCEMENT

1. Contact the parish office to register for First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion, Confirmation and anyone who want to become Catholic through RCIA.

## CHURCH DONATION E-TRANSFER

You can **E-Transfer** your church donation to [StAnthonyEdm.etransfer@caedm.ca](mailto:StAnthonyEdm.etransfer@caedm.ca) will be automatically deposited to the account of The Twin Roman Catholic Parishes of St. Agnes & St. Anthony at RBC Royal Bank. Thank you for your support and generosity.

# SACRAMENTS

## FIRST RECONCILIATION /COMMUNION

Please call the parish office 780-432-0611 for more information and registration. Sessions will be every other Saturday from 10:00 am 12:00 PM from October 2022 at St. Agnes church hall.

**CONFIRMATION PREPARATION CLASS** –If your children are between the ages of 11 to 14, please call the parish office for more information and registration. Sessions will be every other Saturday at 1:00-3:00 PM from October 2022 at St. Agnes church hall.

## **RCIA (Adapted for Children age 7 – 14)**

**RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults – age 15 and above)** Anyone who wants to become Catholic and Catholics who have not yet received First Communion and Confirmation, and anyone interested in learning more about RCIA please call parish office at 780-432-0611 to register. Session will start on October 2022 every Wednesday @ 7:00 PM.

**MARRIAGE:** Because the church is deeply concerned about each marriage, couples are asked to give a minimum of **six months notice prior to the intended date of their wedding.** Normally the parish boundaries determine in which parish marriage planning should take place.

**FUNERAL:** Family or designated person by the family should contact the Parish Office for funeral arrangements with the parish priest.

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Please consider donating a non-perishable food item(s) to our St Anthony's food pantry. There are many in need in our area and your help would be greatly appreciated. The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul is involved with delivery of hampers to those requesting food. Examples of food needed: pasta/noodles/rice, sauces, soups, canned fruits/vegetables, canned meats/fish, powdered milk, coffee/tea, juices, easy open canned goods and soups, small boxes of cereals, cookies granola bars. Foods can be dropped into the boxes at the entrances of either St Agnes or St Anthony's. Even one item can make a difference! We thank you for your support.

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**"Silence is the beautiful fruit of prayer. We must learn not only the silence of the mouth but also the silence of the heart, of the eyes, of the ears and of the mind, which I call the five silences. Say it and memorize it on your five fingers. Blessed Mother Teresa**

## **Faith of our Fathers: Scott Hahn Reflects on the 19<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C August 07, 2022**

**Firs Reading – Wisdom 18:6-9**

**Psalm 33:1-12, 18-22**

**Second Reading – Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19**

**Gospel: Luke 12:35-40**

We are born of the faith of our fathers, descending from a great cloud of witnesses whose faith is attested to on every page of Scripture (see Hebrews 12:1). We have been made His people, chosen for His own inheritance, as we sing in this Sunday's Psalm.

The Liturgy this week sings the praises of our fathers, recalling the defining moments in our "family history." In the Epistle, we remember the calling of Abraham; in the First Reading we relive the night of the Exodus and the summons of the holy children of Israel.

Our fathers, we are told, trusted in the Word of God, put their faith in His oaths. They were convinced that what He promised, He would do.

None of them lived to see His promises made good. For it was not until Christ and His Church that Abraham's descendants were made as countless as the stars and sands (see Galatians 3:16-17, 29). It was not until His Last Supper and the Eucharist that "the sacrifice . . . the divine institution" of that first Passover was truly fulfilled.

And now we too await the final fulfillment of what God has promised us in Christ. As Jesus tells us in this week's Gospel, we should live with our loins girded—as the Israelites tightened their belts, cinched up their long robes and ate their Passover standing, vigilant and ready to do His will (see Exodus 12:11; 2 Kings 4:29).

The Lord will come at an hour we do not expect. He will knock on our door (see Revelation 3:20), inviting us to the wedding feast in the better homeland, the heavenly one that our fathers saw from afar, and which we begin to taste in each Eucharist.

As they did, we can wait with "sure knowledge," His Word like a lamp lighting our path (see Psalm 119:105). Our God is faithful, and if we wait in faith, hope in His kindness, and love as we have been loved, we will receive His promised blessing and be delivered from death.