

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

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT
YEAR C – March 23, 2025



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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 Florentina Suce
Secretary Larissa Mitchell

Twin Parishes Financial Pulse

	<u>Full Year</u>		
	<u>Actual</u>	<u>YTD</u>	<u>Budget</u>
Mar 15 & 16			
<u>Sunday Collection</u>	\$5,462	\$74,092	\$450,000
<u>Building Maint. Fund</u>	\$360	\$3,242	\$70,000
<u>Together We Serve</u>	\$140	\$2,684	\$30,000

CONFESSION SCHEDULES

Every Wednesday @ St. Anthony 5:00 - 5:45 PM
Every Saturday @ St. Agnes 4:00 – 4:50 PM
First Friday @ St. Agnes 6:00 – 6:50 PM
No confession on Saturday evening @ St. Anthony & Sunday due to the mass scheduled continuously.
Call the parish @ 780-432-0611 for a confession appointment. Approach the priest before and after mass during weekdays.



Twin Parishes Masses for the Week

Monday, March 24 Mass & Parish Mission @ St. Agnes	7:00 pm
Tuesday, March 25 NO Mass @ St. Anthony Mass & Parish Mission @ St. Agnes	7:00 pm
Wednesday, March 26 NO Mass or Adoration @ St. Anthony Mass & Parish Mission @ St. Agnes	7:00 pm
Thursday, March 27 Mass @ St. Agnes Penitential Service @ St. Agnes	9:00 am 6:00 pm
Friday, March 28 Mass @ St. Agnes Stations of the Cross @ St. Anthony Followed by mass	9:00 am 6:00 pm
Saturday, March 29 Mass @ St. Agnes Mass @ St. Anthony	5:00 pm 7:30 pm
Sunday, March 30 Mass @ St. Agnes Mass @ St. Anthony Mass @ St. Agnes	9:00 am 10:30 am 12:00 pm

DONATION OPTIONS:

St. Agnes and St. Anthony would prefer if you used the **Pre-Authorized Giving method** to have their church donations set up for automatic withdrawal from their banks. Please email or call the parish office @ 780-432-0611 or register, if you wish to adopt this method.

Other Options are:

E-Transfer You may E-Transfer your church donation to StAnthonyEdm.etransfer@caedm.ca. Your donation will be automatically deposited to the account of The Twin Roman Catholic Parishes of St. Agnes & St. Anthony at RBC Royal Bank.

Envelope, place your envelope in the donation basket at Mass or mail your envelope to:

St. Anthony,
10661-82 Avenue NW Edmonton,
AB T6E 2A6

Online Donation, click on “My Offering” from the website, and follow the steps online. Thank you for being a good steward of St. Agnes/St. Anthony Parish with your support and generosity. Every gift is truly appreciated.

SACRAMENTS

FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Registration for the 2025/2026 season is now open. Please call the parish office 780-432-0611 for more information and registration for **next** year. The next session for **this** year's class will be March 29th from 3:30-4:30pm at St. Agnes.

CONFIRMATION PREPARATION CLASS

Registration for the 2025/2026 season is now open. If your child is between the ages of 11 to 14, please call the parish office for more information and registration for **next** year. The next session for **this** year's class will be March 29th from 1:00-3:00pm at St. Agnes.

RCIA (Adapted for Children age 7 -14) & RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults – age 15 and above)

Everyone is invited to journey with our RCIA candidates in learning more about Catholic Faith. Catechesis is one of the pastoral priorities identified by our parish. The sessions are held on Monday evenings in the St. Agnes Hall. The sessions run from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Our next session is on **Monday, March 24, 2025**. The topic will be "God's Plan for Sexuality".

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.

"(Lent) is a period of spiritual 'combat' which we must experience alongside Jesus, not with pride and presumption, but using the arms of faith: prayer, listening to the word of God and penance. In this way we will be able to celebrate Easter in truth, ready to renew the promises of our Baptism."
- Pope Benedict XVI

RESPECT FOR LIFE PRAYER

Lord, you are merciful and gracious. When we fail to stand up for the unborn, the elderly, the sick and the disabled, we ask your forgiveness. Renew our strength to always do Your will.

CWL CORNER

"Learn more about the Catholic Women's League at www.cwl.ca or www.edmontoncwl.org"



Upcoming events:

Date	Time	Event	Venue
Apr 4 th	6pm	Stations of the Cross & Mass	St. Agnes
Apr 6 th	1pm	Lenten Webinar, Hope in the Midst of Turmoil	Merchant Hall, St. Agnes
Apr 14 th	7pm	Chrism Mass	St. Joseph Basilica
Apr 18 th	8:30am	Outdoor Way of the Cross	Providence Center
Apr 24 th	6pm	Our Lady of Good Counsel Mass	St. Agnes
Apr 27 th	1pm	High Tea (for all ladies of the parish)	Merchant Hall, St. Agnes

STATIONS OF THE CROSS SCHEDULE

All dates fall on a Friday, and will begin at 6pm, to be followed by mass.

Date	Venue
March 28 th	St. Anthony
April 4 th	St. Agnes
April 11 th	St. Anthony



PARISH LENTEN MISSION

Please join us for our Parish Lenten Mission this year on **The Hearts of Jesus, Mary, and Joseph** by Fr. Glenn McDonald. The mission will take place at St. Agnes following a 7pm mass on March 24th, 25th, and 26th.

Our Penitential Service will be held March 27th at 6pm at St. Agnes.

Building Hope and Dignity Gala

The SSVP Edmonton Central Council is holding its first-ever fundraising Gala on **June 5 at the Chateau Lacombe**. Proceeds will be split between SSVP Edmonton Central Council and the North of 60 Project which sends food and other needed items to nine communities in the Western Arctic. Please consider joining for an evening of fine dining, inspiring speakers, and a chance to win a great prize in the raffle or live auction. Tickets are \$250 each or \$2000 for a table of 8, part of which will be returned as a tax receipt. To buy your tickets, visit <https://bit.ly/SSVP-Gala-2025>. For more information: gala@ssvpedmonton.ca or 825-582-SSVP (7787).