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

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER YEAR C MAY 08, 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
Custodian Bruce Huynh

Twin Parishes Financial Pulse

 April 30 – May 1
 Actual sunday, Holy Day
 YTD sunday, Holy Day
 Full Year Budget states

 Building Maint. Fund
 \$ 570
 \$14,220
 \$30,000

<u>Together We Serve</u> \$ 840 \$11,340 \$30,000

"You will be enriched in every way so that you can be generous on every occasion, and through us your generosity will result in thanksgiving to God." 2Corinthians 9:11

May God bless you in your response to His love?



Twin Parishes Masses for the Week

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Tuesday, May 10	
Mass @ St. Anthony	7:00 pm
Wednesday, May 11	
Adoration @ St. Anthony	5-6 pm
Mass @ St. Anthony	6:15 pm
Thursday, May 12	
Mass @ St. Agnes	9:00 am
Friday, May 13	
Mass @ St. Agnes	9:00 am
Saturday, May 14	
Mass @ St. Agnes	5:00 pm
Mass @ St. Anthony	7:30 pm
Sunday, May 15	
Mass @ St. Agnes	9:00 am
Mass @ St. Anthony	10:30 am
Mass @ St. Agnes	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, AB T6E 2A6

Donate online:

My Offering

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

THANK YOU!

"Couples for Christ...Thank you for cleaning St. Agnes Church in preparation for the 2022 Holy Week Celebrations! For your continued support, dedication and services to the parish, God Bless you always!

Shepherd and the Lamb: Scott Hahn Reflects Fourth Sunday of Easter May 08, 2022

First Reading – Acts 13:14, 43-52

Psalms 100:1-3, 5

Second Reading - Revelation 7:9, 14-17

Gospel: John 10:27-30

Israel's mission—to be God's instrument of salvation to the ends of the earth (see <u>Isaiah 49:6</u>)—is fulfilled in the Church.

By the "Word of God" that Paul and Barnabas preach in today's First Reading, a new covenant people is being born, a people who glorify the God of Israel as the Father of them all.

The Church for all generations remains faithful to the grace of God given to the Apostles, continues their saving work.

Through the Church, the peoples of every land hear the Shepherd's voice, and follow Him (see <u>Luke 10:16</u>).

The Good Shepherd of today's Gospel is the enthroned Lamb of today's Second Reading. In laying down His life for His flock, the Lamb brought to pass a new Passover (see <u>1 Corinthians 5:7</u>), by His blood freeing "every nation, race, people and tongue" from bondage to sin and death.

The Church is the "great multitude" John sees in his vision today. God swore to Abraham his descendants would be too numerous to count. And in the Church, as John sees, this promise is fulfilled (compare Revelation 7:9; Genesis 15:5).

The Lamb rules from the throne of God, sheltering His flock, feeding their hunger with His own Body and Blood, leading them to "springs of life-giving waters" that well up to eternal life (see John 4:14). The Lamb is the eternal Shepherd-King, the son of David foretold by the prophets. His Church is the Kingdom of all Israel that the prophets said would be restored in an everlasting covenant (see Ezekiel 34:23-31; 37:23-28).

It is not a kingdom any tribe or nation can jealously claim as theirs alone. The Shepherd's Word to Israel is addressed now to all lands, calling all to worship and bless His name in the heavenly Temple.

This is the delight of the Gentiles—that we can sing the song that once only Israel could sing, today's joyful Psalm: "He made us, His we are—His people, the flock He tends."

CWL CORNER

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



ST. AGNES CWL

St Agnes CWL would like to support the cause of awareness for the MMIWG by requesting donations from members... following are supplies needed to make up packages:

- 200 ziplock bags (large freezer)
- -mini sanitary wipes
- -period pads
- -tooth brush/paste
- -deodorant
- -red "heart shaped" chocolates
- -lotion
- -hair brush

Donation box marked as MMIWG RED DRESS items will be located in front entrance near CWL table (by cry room).

Thank you on behalf of St Agnes CWL and Sacred Heart Church of First Peoples CWL for your support and generosity. GOD BLESS!"

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 1. No weekday masses on Tuesday, May 17, Wednesday, May 18, Thursday, May 19 and Friday, May 20 due to the priest's assembly.
- 2. No Wednesday masses from May 25th to June 22nd and NO Adoration at St. Anthony. Mass is only Tuesday @ 7:00 pm at St. Anthony
- 3. No Thursday masses from May 26th to June 23rd at St. Agnes. Mass is only Friday @ 9 am at St. Agnes except on the First Friday at 7:00 pm.

A PRAYER FOR ALL MOTHERS

Loving God, thank you for all the mothers in the world.

Bless them so that they may always give life and nourishment to their children through their firm faith, generous and selfless love, good example and constant concern for their bodily and spiritual health.

Grant that we, their children, may honor them always with a spirit of profound love, respect and thanksgiving.

Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

HAPPY

MOTHER'S DAY!