

# ST. ANTHONY'S CHURCH

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Parish Office: Tuesday – Friday 9:30am – 3:00pm

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

# September 29, 2019

**Weekend Schedule** 



This Ministry offers spiritual care and service to our community contributing to vibrant Sunday Masses. Training is provided for all roles.

Altar Servers - Children Grade 3 and older

who have received 1st Holy Communion.

The **Church Art and Environment** team works together to create an atmosphere, which enhances our celebrations.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion become servants to other members of the Body of Christ. Parishioners who have received Confirmation are eligible.

**Lectors** bring the living word of God to the assembled faith community. Parishioners who have received Confirmation are eligible.

As sacred melody united to words, **Music** forms a necessary or integral part of the solemn Liturgy. Practices are held weekly, except July and August.

Sacristans prepare the Sanctuary before and after Masses and assure that all the ministries are staffed.

Ushers & Greeters welcome people as they arrive, help people find a seat, oversee the collection and distribution of bulletins.

Saturday	Confessions	4:00 pm
	English Mass	5:00 pm
Sunday	Confessions	6:45 am
	Low Latin Mass	7:15 am
	English Mass	9:00 am
	English Mass	10:30 am
	Confessions	12:00 pm
	Sung Latin Mass	12:30 pm
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Monday	Confessions	6:30 am
	Latin Mass	7:00 am
	Confessions	
	English Mass	9:00 am
Tuesday	No Masses or Confessions	
Wednesday	No Latin Mass	
	Confessions	6:30 pm
	English Mass	7:00 pm
Thursday	No English Mass	
	Confessions	6:00 pm
	Latin Mass	7:00 pm
Friday	Confessions	8:30am
	English Mass	9:00am
	Confessions	6:00pm
	Latin Mass	7:00pm
Saturday	Confessions	8:00 am
	Latin Mass	9:00 am

Pastor Fr. Edmund Vargas 403-874-2015 Associate Pastor Fr. John Shannon, FSSP 403-714-7361 In Residence Fr. John Petravicius, Fr. Clauber Lima Pererira **Deacon** Ron Nowell Music Director John Morgan **Sacramental Preparation** Dorothy Loucks Janitorial Service Polmax Ecology Cleaning Ltd

Secretary Heather Schilling Office Assistant Marta Lopez Bookkeeper Magda Aguillon **Accountant** Maria Teresa Velez Webmaster Bandi Szakony

Altar Servers Rikki Sabater & Justin Lang Building Maintenance Joe Cox & Rikki Sabater Children's Liturgy Ranee and Riza Fallorin Art & Environment Gill Briscoe Eurcharist Ministers Vacant Finance Committee Don Goodfellow Funeral Altar Servers Jim Miller & Robert de Moissac Funeral Receptions Vacant Kitchen Coordinator Dianne McKay Knights of Columbus Abe Villanueva Lectors Hugh Delaney Legion of Mary Jr. Audrey Martis Legion of Mary Oneill Martis Liturgy Schedules Vacant Pastoral Care of the Sick Marlene Robertson Pastoral Council Kevin Leitch Pro-Life Maria Cameron Pantry Abe Villanueva Sunday Hospitality Coordinator Vacant Together in Action (TIA) Peter Aldrich Ushers & Greeters Josue Laro

# Pastoral Notes by Fr Edmund Vargas

### Lazaruses at our gates

In the Parable of Lazarus and the Rich Man, Jesus names the poor man but he does not give any to the rich man. We, people, usually give particular attention to those who are rich and famous but not to those who are poor. In society pages of publications, we carefully note the names of hockey players, actors and actresses or politicians who attended functions but not really pay any attention to waiters or waitresses or those others in the background who apparently do not count.

The problem with the rich man (traditionally referred to as Dives, meaning rich in Latin) was not his wealth, but his indifference to Lazarus and his misery. The rich man just did not care. He was indifferent.

The parable applies to us on the individual as well as on the social level.

As individuals, we may not be financially rich, but we are all rich (that is, gifted) in something like intelligence, health, good looks, education, career or friends. Daily, we encounter people who are far less gifted in one of these aspects. We sometimes tend to look down or be indifferent to those who are not very bright, uneducated, ugly or unpopular? We sometimes are not keen to smile or greet beggars or servers or waiters or waitresses. Let us be more aware and conscious of those Lazaruses at our gates and even in our midst. How attentive are we to the Lazaruses in our lives? Those who just want a 'scrap' of our time or attention?

On the social level, we often hear or read about the phenomenon of the growing gap between the rich and the poor. This is true in our society's classes as well as in our community of countries in the world. As a society, we have to do whatever it takes to reverse this trend. This is against the will of God in our world which He has created for all peoples. This growing disparity is also contributory to social unrest, conflicts and terrorism. Peace is rooted in justice and in the equitable sharing of the world's resources.

NOTICE OF MASS SCHEDULE CHANGES: Our parish priests will be attending the Diocese Study days October 1 – 3. There will be no Masses or Confessions on Tuesday, Oct 1. The 11:30 am Confession and Latin 12:00pm Mass will be cancelled on Wednesday, Oct 2 and the 8:30am Confession and English 9am Mass will be cancelled on Thursday, Oct 3. Adoration will remain in the chapel throughout the day on Thursday.

#### **SACRAMENTS**

#### Sacrament of Baptism

Baptism Preparation Session Second Tuesday of the month Please contact the parish office to register.

# Sacrament of First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion

Please contact the parish office to register

#### Parent Information Session Sept 24, 7pm

1st Reconciliation Preparation begins Sunday, October 6, 8:45AM

#### **Sacrament of Confirmation**

Please contact the parish office to register.

#### **Sacrament of Marriage**

Please contact the parish office, a minimum of six months before the desired dates.

#### A WARM WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS:

Kindly introduce yourselves to our parish priests. Registration forms are in the Hall foyer. And on our website: **stanthonyscalgary.com.** Please fill in the information and return it either in the Sunday collection basket or to the Parish Office. It is our sincere hope that you will participate actively in our liturgies, various ministries and social events.

**MASS INTENTIONS**: Previously scheduled Masses may be re-scheduled without notice at the pastor's discretion should there be imminent need.

**CHURCH ENVELOPES:** Would you like a box of envelopes? Numbered boxes identify the donor for income tax purposes. A tax receipt will be issued each year and sent to the address registered with the Parish. Please contact the Parish Office.

#### **HEALING CORNER**

"I tell you; in just the same way there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous people who have no need of repentance." (Luke 15:1-10) Even the abuser will be welcomed back if he/she repents. Let us reach out with compassion to those who need encouragement to find their way back to Jesus.

#### MASS INTENTIONS

#### Monday, September 30

7:00am - Gordon and Sue Parks SI

9:00am - Hermania Barcelos RIP

#### Wednesday, October 2

7:00pm - Joyce Capogreco SI

### Thursday, October 3

7:00pm - Joseph McDonald SI

#### Friday, October 4

9:00am - Miguel Lopez SI

11:00am (Amica) - William & Barbara Saruga RIP

7:00pm - Colin and Felice Fraser SI

#### Saturday, October 5

9:00am - Tierna Franco SI

5:00pm - Juanito De Galicia III RIP

#### Sunday, October 6

7:15am - Confraternity of St. Peter SI

9:00am - Stuart and Helen Robertson RIP

10:30am - For the Parishioners SI

12:30pm - Bert Golosky RIP

#### LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK:

Rose Dourado, Ken Foran, Hector Henao and Mary Hess

May the Lord grant them healing, comfort and peace.

# REST IN PEACE

# Mary Anne Robinson

Our heartfelt sympathies to her family.

May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE: More than 500 cities around the world participate in the largest pro-life campaign to save babies from the tragedy of abortion. It is proven that at the last minute, babies can be saved. More than 16,000 babies are still alive, more than 100 abortion facilities had been closed and 200 employees have quit from that industry. St. Anthony's dates are October 9 & 14. Join us to pray on the north sidewalk 50 meters east of the "Kensington Clinic" (access by walking west from 23 Street.) Sign-up sheets, with the guidelines of where we can pray, are available in the Hall.

#### **Last Week's Donations**

	BUDGET	COLLECTION	SHORTFALL
Regular	\$9,169	\$3,684.69	(\$5,484.31)
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#### \*Pre-authorized withdrawal (Monthly)

	GOAL	COLLECTION TO DATE	SHORTFALL
TIA	\$44,787	\$ 21,285.43	(\$23,501.57)

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHARITY APPEAL:

Gordon Parks will be selling tickets for the annual Knights of Columbus Charity Appeal after all Masses for the next two weeks. Tickets are \$5 each. Prizes include a 2020 Ford Explorer XLT and a 2020 Ford F150 XLT to be drawn at St. Mary's Parish Hall in Red Deer on March 29, 2020. The Early bird prize is \$10,000 to be drawn at St. Cecilia's Parish Hall in Calgary on February 23, 2020. All funds raised are used for Community Charities, Youth and Senior Activities and Education Institutions. Last year's winners were Roland L., Red Deer - 2019 Ford Explorer XLT, Bernice J., Drayton Valley - 2019 Ford F150 XLT, and Sherrie R., Edmonton - \$10,000 Early Bird prize. Gordon will also be selling rosaries to raise funds for the Knights Charitable works at St. Anthony's.

2019 CALGARY NATIONAL LIFE CHAIN: Sunday October 6 from 2:30 to 4:00 pm. Join thousands standing up against abortion in this peaceful silent witness. Contact Jonathan Esperida at lovingthegiftoflife@gmail.com.

**OUR LADY OF FATIMA FEAST** Oct 13 at 5pm, Our Lady of Fatima Parish: Rosary, Mass, and Candlelight Procession.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:** Save the date for our next Parish Breakfast, Sunday, October 20, after all the Masses.

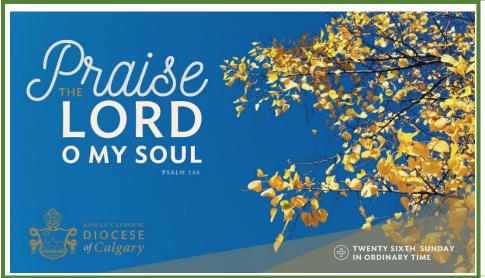
**ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF CALGARY:** For all the latest news and events within the Diocese, please see the weekly Diocese Insert on our website, stanthonyscalgary.com.

#### **BOSOM OF ABRAHAM**



For the perennially starving people of the Middle East, heaven was often pictured as a lavish meal. In the Roman style of banqueting, the diners lay on flat couches with their heads facing the table.

Two or three people would recline on each couch. The place of honor was beside the host. Hence the "bosom—or side of—Abraham" meant the lap of luxury. The beggar in today's Gospel enjoys this favored position presumably because of his trust in God. The wealthy man is sometimes known as "Dives", a Latin word meaning "rich". He is in hell—separated from heaven by a vast chasm.



# **Paperless Bulletin**

Are you looking for ways to increase your care for the environment? Reducing the amount of paper that is used to produce our bulletin is one way that you can contribute. To receive your paperless bulletin email bulletin@stanthonyscalgary.com.

Or you can write your name and email address on this bulletin and put it into the collection:

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Email:			

IN AND AROUND THE PARISH THIS WEEK				
DAY	TIME	ACTIVITY	ROOM	CONTACT
Sunday, Sept 29	8:15am – 9:00am 10:00am – 10:30am 10:30am – 11:15am 10:30am – 12:30pm 11:30am – Noon 2:00pm – 4:00pm 2:30pm – 3:30pm	Latin Mass Social 9 AM Social Children's Liturgy Latin Choir Practice 10:30AM Social Latin Mass Social Confirmation Preparation	Parish Hall Parish Hall Meeting Room 1 Hall & MR 2 Parish Hall Parish Hall Meeting Room 1	Coral D'Silva Eloise Killam Ranee & Riza Jim Hume Schattenkirk family Toddene Niznik Fr. Shannon
Monday, Sept 30	10:45am - 11:45am	Latin Family Catechism	Meeting Room 1	Fr. Shannon
Tuesday, Oct 1				
Wednesday, Oct 2	7:30pm – 9:00pm	Knights of Columbus	Parish Hall	Abe Villanueva
Thursday, Oct 3	9:00am -6:30pm 5:00am - 7:00pm	Adoration Legion of Mary	Chapel Meeting Room 1	Oneill Martis
Friday, Oct 4				
Saturday, Oct 5	10:00am - 10:30am 10:30am - 12:30pm 11:00am - 12:00pm 1:00pm - 4:00pm 4:00pm - 5:00pm	Rosary Latin Mass Altar Server Practice Legion of Mary Jr. Latin Choir Rehearsal 5pm Choir Rehearsal	Church Church Parish Hall Church Meeting Room 2	Fr. Shannon Audrey Martis John Morgan Colleen Reinhart
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#### PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION CHAPEL

There is no doubt that a flood of graces will descend upon your family and the world if more souls would become docile pupils of adoration. (Blessed Pope John XXIII)

Please consider becoming a Committed Adorer, even temporarily, or as a substitute, and sign your name on the master schedule for any hour that you can commit to or call the parish office: 403-252-1137.

Committed
Adorers are
required
for:

Sunday 3AM – 4AM Noon – 1PM Monday 7AM - 8AM 7PM - 8PM Tuesday 3AM - 4AM 7AM - 8AM 2PM - 3PM Wednesday 12AM- 5AM Noon - 1PM 3PM - 4PM

Thursday 4AM - 5AM Friday 3AM – 4AM 4AM - 5AM

7AM - 8AM

Saturday 4AM - 5AM 7PM - 8PM 10PM - 11PM