



ST. ANTHONY'S CHURCH

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

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 27, 2019



On November 3, 2019, we celebrate Catholic Education Sunday across the Roman Catholic Diocese of Calgary. It is a day to recognize the gift of Catholic education that is ours to cherish and support so that it remains vital for today's students who will become tomorrow's community leaders.

This Sunday is a day for us, as the Calgary Catholic community, to come together to give thanks for Catholic education. Our schools are an expression of our faith and a gift to future generations. Catholic education is the permeation of God in everything we do.

On the weekend of November 2nd & 3rd, a special collection will occur at each mass. Envelopes are available at the back of the church. The community is called to support our gift of Catholic education in our community and to ensure the present and future needs of our students. The Calgary Catholic Education Foundation is a charitable organization dedicated to enhancing the learning experience for the over 58,000 students in the 116 schools of the Calgary Catholic School District. A portion of the collection is committed to St Mary's University, St Joseph's Seminary at Newman Theological College as well as the Catholic schools of the Franco-sud school board.

Thank you for believing in Catholic Education.

Weekend Schedule

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| 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 |

Weekday Schedule

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| Monday & Tuesday | Confessions | 6:30 am |
| | Latin Mass | 7:00 am |
| | Confessions | 8:30 am |
| Wednesday | English Mass | 9:00 am |
| | Confessions | 11:30am |
| | Latin Mass | 12:00pm |
| Thursday | Confessions | 6:30 pm |
| | English Mass | 7:00 pm |
| | Confessions | 8:30am |
| Friday | English Mass | 9:00am |
| | Confessions | 5:00pm |
| | Latin Mass | 6:00pm |
| Saturday | Confessions | 8:30am |
| | English Mass | 9:00am |
| | Confessions | 6:00pm |
| | Latin Mass | 7:00pm |
| | Confessions | 8:00 am |
| | Latin Mass | 9:00 am |

Pastor Fr. Edmund Vargas 587-349-9615

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Deacon Ron Nowell

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Pastoral Notes

Cartoonist David Souter designed a series of wares for Royal Doulton, featuring his famous cats in black and white (1906-1934). An art nouveau border, the cats and a saying appeared on each piece. I was gifted with one with the saying: "Trust not him that seems a saint..." Indeed, sanctity is not determined by the appearance. "It is only with the heart that one can see rightly, what is essential is invisible to the eye." (Antoine de Saint-Exupery)

The Pharisees, during the time of Jesus, had lost the true spirit of Judaism and introduced a religion of empty formalism. They placed more importance on exterior performances than the interior spirit of religious faith. This is partly the reason they were opposed to Jesus who insisted on the interior spirit of religion. One's inner choices in the realm of conscience determines moral goodness. "Conscience is the most sacred core and sanctuary of a person. There one is alone with God, whose voice echoes in one's depth. (Gaudium et Spes, 16)

There is of course the human tendency or the strong temptation to replace internal reverence for God with external gestures of piety. It is easier to find a holy picture and fix it in our wall than to find forgiveness for the injuries and insults done to us by others and fix it in our hearts. It is far easier to say or pray "God's will be done" than to accept it in our hearts. When religion consists mainly of externals, pious objects and mechanical recital of formula prayers, it ceases to be true religion and has degenerated into magic and superstition.

The belief that religion is only about the external compliance to its material requirements can lead to hypocrisy and self-righteousness. Self-righteousness is characterized by an unfounded sense of certainty that one is totally correct or morally superior. A self-righteous person thinks that he or she can do no wrong and goes about with a "holier-than-thou" attitude, judging and scrutinizing everyone else.

"Proselytizing" is a religious form of self-righteousness. Trying to convince or impose one's own personal belief or conviction on others is spiritual narrowmindedness.

REST IN PEACE

Elaine Stoicoiu



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.

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

1st Reconciliation Session 3
Sunday, November 17, 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.

NOVEMBER 2-3 WEEKEND MASSES will all be offered for the Repose of All Souls in Purgatory, including those of our loved ones and those souls forgotten who need our prayers and sacrifices. A Book of Remembrance will be in our sanctuary for those who want to write the names of their beloved departed for our community's prayers. All Souls offering envelopes will also be available for your Mass offerings. All Mass offerings will be applied by our own priests and if required, by other priests here and abroad.

LITURGY 101 WORKSHOPS: All Liturgical Ministry members including Altar Servers (and Parents), Ushers, Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Sacristans, Music and Art & Environment ministers are asked to attend one of the upcoming Liturgy Workshops: **Saturday, November 2, 2pm** or **Friday, November 8, 6pm**. Fr. Edmund will explain the Order of the Mass according to the Rubrics of the Catholic Church and explain common protocols for our use.

HEALING CORNER: "...for whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and the one who humbles himself will be exalted." (Lk 18:9-14) Even though we may not be touched by abuse in our families, we are affected by abuse daily. We see it portrayed in the media, we hear about the atrocities perpetrated on others through war, poverty and discrimination, and we witness it through the mistreatment of others around us (strangers, friends and relatives). Let us humbly pray that we readily recognize signs of abuse and take action to stop it whenever we can. Let us offer protection and solace to those abused in our faith community and Church.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, October 28

7:00am - Carmen Velasquez RIP
 9:00am – All the Souls in purgatory RIP

Tuesday, October 29

7:00am - Grace Toth-Fejel RIP
 9:00am - Joseph Popp RIP

Wednesday, October 30

12:00pm - Natividad Pereira RIP
 7:00pm - Alessandro Pasteris SI

Thursday, October 31

9:00am - Faye LaPaz SI
 6:00pm - Silvestre Machin RIP

Friday, November 1

9:00am - Daniel Friel RIP
 11:00am (Amica) - Maria Prado SI
 7:00pm - Juana Perez RIP

Saturday, November 2

9:00am - Flor Pereira RIP
 5:00pm - All Souls RIP

Sunday, November 3

7:15am - Confraternity of St. Peter SI
 9:00am - All Souls RIP
 10:30am – All Souls RIP
 12:30pm - Carmen Moreno RIP

LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK:

Rose Dourado, Ken Foran, Hector Henao, Mary Hess,
 Faye LePaz, Leanne Morgan and Cleofe Togonon

May the Lord grant them healing, comfort and peace.

MEMORIAL MASS: Please join us for our Annual Memorial Mass for the deceased of our parish on Wednesday, November 6 at 7:00pm. The Rosary will be prayed at 6:30pm and OUR MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP NOVENA will be prayed at 7:00pm. We will especially remember the deceased from this past year with a candle procession during the offertory. A reception for all attending will follow in the Parish Hall.

NEW DONATION BOXES: New metal donation boxes have been installed in the foyer and in the breezeway to accept all forms of donations and church fees. Also, **Credit/Debit is now accepted in the Parish office** for all donations and church fees.

Last Week's Donations

| | BUDGET | COLLECTION | SHORTFALL |
|---------|---------|------------|-----------|
| Regular | \$9,169 | \$3,427 | (\$5,742) |
| PAW* | | | |

*Pre-authorized withdrawal (Monthly)

| | GOAL | COLLECTION TO DATE | SHORTFALL |
|----------------|----------|--------------------|------------|
| TIA | \$44,787 | \$ 21,455.00 | (\$23,332) |
| Mission Sunday | | \$ 1,343.66 | |

The **PATRICIAN SOCIETY** of the Legion of Mary will be having its monthly meeting on Monday, October 28, from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm in Meeting Room 1. The topic to be discussed: "What does the Church say about deliverance prayers?" All Catholics are welcome. Refreshments will be provided.

ALL SAINTS EVE PARTY: The Annual St. Anthony's All Saints Eve Party will be held on **October 31st beginning at 6:45 pm**, in the Parish Hall. Children and parents of all ages are invited to attend this event. Come dressed as a favorite saint or bible hero and enjoy a fun-filled evening of games, crafts, treats & prizes - all dedicated to our blessed saints in Heaven! Please bring a dish to share and if you would be willing to volunteer or make a donation, see the poster on the bulletin board for more information.

PLEASE NOTE the LATIN MASS SCHEDULE CHANGE this week: Thursday, October 31, the Latin Mass will begin at 6PM with Confessions at 5PM.

AN ADVENT GATHERING with Fr Edmund will be on December 2-4 (Monday to Wednesday), starting at 7pm at St Anthony's Church. The themes will be "Advent according to Mary" (December 2), "Advent according to Joseph" (December 3) and "Advent according to the Church" (December 4). The Wednesday reflection will be during the regular 7pm Mass. And the Rosary will be prayed at 6:30pm and Our Mother Of Perpetual Help Novena will be prayed at 7:00pm before Mass. All evenings will be followed by a Parish (Town) Hall meeting with goodies, coffee & "miked" conversations. At the hall meeting, everyone is invited to air questions and concerns affecting our parish life.

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

PHARISEES AND TAX COLLECTORS



Jesus strongly condemned religious hypocrisy. He illustrates this with a story that has lost much of its impact over the centuries. Partially because of the Gospels the name "Pharisee" has taken on a negative aspect.

Actually, the Pharisees were the "good guys". They were a political group organized to defend the rights of migrant farm workers. Modern Judaism can be traced to the better ideals of the Pharisee movement.

In the first century tax collectors were not merely civil servants, they were mercenaries who actually bid for the right to extort from their fellow Jews. Jesus turned the tables by showing that the supposed "sinner" had more humility than the self-proclaimed "holy man."



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:

Name: _____
 Email: _____

IN AND AROUND THE PARISH THIS WEEK

| DAY | TIME | ACTIVITY | ROOM | CONTACT |
|-------------------|-------------------|--|--------------------|--------------------------|
| Sunday, Oct 27 | 8:15am – 9:00am | Latin Mass Social | Parish Hall | Coral D'Silva |
| | 8:45am – 10:15am | 1 st Reconciliation Session 2 | Meeting Rooms | Dorothy Loucks |
| | 10:00am – 10:30am | 9 AM Social | Parish Hall | Tina Jackson |
| | 10:30am – 11:15am | Children's Liturgy | Meeting Room 1 | Ranee & Riza |
| | 10:30am – 12:30pm | Latin Choir Practice | Hall & MR 2 | Jim Hume |
| | 11:30am – Noon | 10:30AM Social | Parish Hall | Imelda A., Anne Marie B. |
| | 2:00pm – 4:00pm | Latin Mass Social | Parish Hall | Toddene Niznik |
| Monday, Oct 28 | 2:30pm – 3:30pm | Latin Confirmation Preparation | Meeting Room 1 | Fr. Shannon |
| | 10:45am – 11:45am | Latin Family Catechism | Meeting Room 1 | Fr. Shannon |
| Tuesday, Oct 29 | 6:30pm – 8:30pm | Patrician Society | Meeting Room 1 | Adrian Blust |
| | 6:00pm – 7:30pm | Legion of Mary | Meeting Room 1 | Oneill Martis |
| Wednesday, Oct 30 | 5:30pm – 6:30pm | Pastor Discussion Uno Voce | Office Boardroom | Stefan Swartz/Fr. Edmund |
| | 7:30pm – 9:00pm | Knights of Columbus | Parish Hall | Abe Villanueva |
| Thursday, Oct 31 | 9:00am – 5:30pm | Adoration | Church | Sarah Hudson |
| | 6:45pm – 8:30pm | All Saints Eve Party | Parish Hall | |
| Friday, Nov 1 | | | | |
| Saturday, Nov 2 | 10:00am – 10:30am | Rosary Prayer | Church | Audrey Martis |
| | 11:00am – 12:00pm | Legion of Mary Jr. | Meeting Rooms | |
| | 11:30am – 12:00pm | Death Anniversary Mass | Church | |
| | 12:30am – 2:30pm | Latin Mass Altar Server Practice | Church | |
| | 1:00pm – 4:00pm | Latin Choir Rehearsal | Meeting Rm2/Church | |
| | 2:00pm – 4:00pm | Liturgy Workshop | Parish Hall | |
| Sunday, Nov 3 | 4:00pm – 5:00pm | 5pm Choir Rehearsal | Meeting Room 2 | Colleen Reinhart |
| | 8:15am – 9:00am | Latin Mass Social | Parish Hall | Coral D'Silva |
| Sunday, Nov 3 | 10:00am – 10:30am | 9 AM Social | Parish Hall | Legion of Mary |
| | 10:30am – 11:15am | Children's Liturgy | Meeting Room 1 | Ranee & Riza |
| | 10:30am – 12:30pm | Latin Choir Practice | Hall & MR 2 | Jim Hume |
| | 11:30am – Noon | 10:30AM Social | Parish Hall | Imelda P, Mary U., Lili |
| | 2:30pm – 4:00pm | Latin Confirmation | Church | Bishop Joseph Perry |



PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION CHAPEL

“I have a burning thirst to be honored by men in the Blessed Sacrament”.
(Jesus speaking to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque)

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.

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| Committed Adorers are required for: | Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
| | 3AM – 4AM 6PM – 7PM | 7AM – 8AM | 3AM – 4AM | 4AM – 5AM 10AM-11AM Noon – 1PM | 4AM – 5AM | 3AM – 4AM 4AM - 5AM | 8PM – 9PM |