

**The Twin Roman Catholic Parishes of
St. Agnes & St. Anthony**
THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
YEAR B – JANUARY 21, 2024



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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:

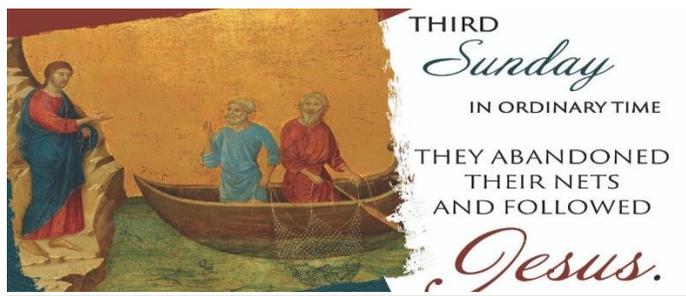
Pastor Rev. Varghese Munduvelil CFIC
Deacon Guy Germain
Deacon Michael Pucylo
Deacon Ramon Morales
Business Manager Don Wong
Administrative Assistant Florentina Suce
Custodian Bruce Huynh

Twin Parishes Financial Pulse

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>YTD</u>	<u>Full Year Budget</u>
Jan 13/14			
Sunday, Holy Day	\$7,043	\$21,099	\$420,000
Building Maint. Fund	\$256,863	\$262,138	\$30,000
Together We Serve	\$280	\$865	\$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

Tuesday, January 23 Mass @ St. Anthony	7:00 pm
Wednesday, January 24 Adoration @ St. Anthony Mass @ St. Anthony	5 – 6 pm 6:15 pm
Thursday, January 25 Mass @ St. Agnes	9:00 am
Friday, January 26 Mass @ St. Agnes	9:00 am
Saturday, January 27 Mass @ St. Agnes Mass @ St. Anthony	5:00 pm 7:30 pm
Sunday, January 28 Mass @ St. Agnes Mass @ St. Anthony Mass @ St. Agnes	9:00 am 10:30 am 12 Noon

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 St.Anthony.Edm.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 electronic version of the website, and follow online steps.

Thank you for being a good steward of St. Agnes/St. Anthony Parish with your support and generosity. Every gifts is truly appreciated.

TWIN PARISHES LENTEN MISSION

Date: February 26, 27 & 28
Theme: “Our Identity in Christ”
Speaker: Fr. Paul Moret
Please save the date in your calendar

SACRAMENTS

FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Please call the parish office 780-432-0611 for more information and registration. First Holy Communion next session will be January 27, 2024 from 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM at St. Agnes 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. Next session will be Saturday, January 27, 2024 from 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm at St. Agnes hall.

RCIA (Adapted for Children age 7 – 14)
RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults – age 15 and above) All Parishioners are welcome to join the RCIA candidates to learn about the Catholic Faith. Our next session is Monday, January 22, 2024 St. Agnes hall. The topic is “The Holy Mass”.

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.

Pastoral Care

Our vibrant Pastoral Care Team is ready to serve our Parish Community. If you or a love one is unable to attend Sunday Mass, due to temporary or permanent illness, please provide: Full name, complete address and telephone number to the Parish Office, requesting Holy Communion brought to that parishioner at their place of residence.

YOUTH NIGHT

Youth Night resumes after the 5pm mass January 27th until 8pm at St. Agnes Merchant Hall. Those from grades 6-12 from both parishes are welcome to join us. Food is provided, but snacks and desserts are welcomed. Please RSVP your attendance by January 26th to stlapointe3@gmail.com to ensure enough supplies.

ST. AGNES FEAST DAY CELEBRATION

Sunday, January 21, 2024 – 12 Noon Mass
Followed by a Potluck
Luncheon at St. Agnes hall

CWL CORNER

“Learn more about the Catholic Women’s League at www.cwl.ca or www.edmontoncwl.org”



ST. AGNES CWL

The St. Agnes CWL Annual General Meeting is Thursday, January 25 at 7pm in St. Agnes church hall. Elections will be held. Please consider letting your name stand for an Executive position, as per the information either mailed or handed to you in December. This is a great opportunity to understand the CWL and serve your fellow members.

ST. ANTHONY CWL

St. Anthony’s CWL will be having a membership drive after the masses at St Anthony on Saturday January 20 and January 21. All ladies of St. Anthony’s Parish are welcomed to join the Catholic Women’s League of Canada. Please stop by the table set up in the church foyer to get your membership. The yearly fee is \$40.

COLLECTION IN HONOUR OF ST. AGNES

In honour of the feast of St. Agnes, which we will be celebrating on Jan 21, during the month of January we will be collecting donations for *Gianna Centre*, a pregnancy support services facility run by Catholic Social Services that provides a wide array of supports to young, vulnerable pregnant woman in crisis situations. St. Agnes is the patron saint of girls, chastity, virgins, and victims of sexual abuse, so please consider donating the following items, of which *Gianna Centre* said they are currently in need: Maternity pants (black stretchy leggings) and Personal care products (e.g., shampoo, conditioner, shower gel, hand/body lotion, deodorant, toothpaste, hairbrushes/combs. Please place any items you have in the box by the statue of St. Agnes.

TWIN PARISHES BUILDING COMMITTEE VOLUNTEERS

The building committee is vital to preserving and improving our place of worship: we are seeking new members. Members volunteer six to eight hours a month. They attend a monthly meeting, investigate maintenance needs, and sometimes perform some repairs. Membership on the committee is a two- to three-year commitment. Committee members are able to identify problems in the building and know how to fix them or whom to call to do the work. The committee also advises the pastor and Finance Committee on setting priorities for major projects and improvements. The committee consists of retired tradespeople, property managers, designers, people experienced managing renovations to their homes or businesses, and parishioners who are otherwise handy. If you are able to volunteer, please contact Fr. Varghese.