

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

33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
YEAR B – November 17, 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 Florentina Suce
Secretary Larissa Mitchell

Twin Parishes Financial Pulse

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>YTD</u>	<u>Full Year Budget</u>
Nov 9 & 10			
Sunday Collection	\$6,602	\$330,976	\$432,000
Building Maint. Fund	\$195	\$48,411	\$65,000
Together We Serve	\$80	\$14,593	\$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, November 19 Mass @ St. Anthony	7:00 pm
Wednesday, November 20 Adoration @ St. Anthony Mass @ St. Anthony	5 - 6 pm 6: 15 pm
Thursday, November 21 NO MASS – Deanery Meeting	
Friday, November 22 Mass @ St. Agnes	9:00 am
Saturday, November 23 Mass @ St. Agnes Mass @ St. Anthony	5:00 pm 7:30 pm
Sunday, November 24 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 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,
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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.

Weekly Announcements

- There will be no mass on Thursday, November 21st, due to the deanery meeting.
- If you need a 2025 parish donation envelope please email or contact the parish office to order.
- There will be no confessions this week due to Fr. Varghese being away.

“Give Christ the honor prescribed in his law by giving your riches to the poor. For God does not want golden vessels but golden hearts.” - St. John Chrysostom

SACRAMENTS

RCIA (Adapted for Children age 7 -14)

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults – age 15 and above) Call the parish office for more information and registration for 2024-2025.

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, November 18, 2024**. The topic will be “The Paschal Mystery.”

Cor Sessions

All parishioners are invited to attend Cor sessions on the Holy Eucharist, starting **Nov 17th** at St. Agnes after the noon Mass in the Merchant Hall. Format is a short presentation by Deacon Guy followed by small group discussions with separate men's and women's tables. Refreshments will be provided.

Greeters

If you are interested in becoming a greeter, one who welcomes people before Mass or other services at church, we invite you to a training session on **November 21st** in the Connelly Room at St. Agnes Church, at 7 p.m. We will sort out your security clearance with you if needed. Do come! - Deacon Michael and Louise Lee



Call 780-219-1216 to register. No fee.

Called to Protect Training

All volunteers are required to have completed a Called to Protect training session. If you would like to register, please sign-up with the linked form: November 21, Thursday, 7:00pm

<https://forms.gle/hz6P7enwvJ3hC2cAA>

World Day of the Poor

On November 17, 2024, the 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, the Church marks the Eighth World Day of the Poor as declared by Pope Francis. Your Society of Saint Vincent de Paul invites you to help our less fortunate brothers and sisters, especially now. We encourage you to help by donating non-perishable food or making a financial gift. We also welcome volunteers. You may donate [online](#) or by using envelopes that will be available at the church on the weekend of Nov 16/17. Cheques can be made out to “SSVP Divine Mercy Conference”. This year, we need your help more than ever. For more information, contact Maria at mariakssvp@gmail.com



CWL CORNER

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



ST. AGNES CWL

The next CWL General Meeting will be held **Thursday, November 28th** beginning with a mass for deceased members at 6:30pm at St. Agnes, followed by hospitality and the meeting in Merchant Hall at 7pm. All ladies are welcome to attend.

Baking & Treasures Sale after all masses Dec 7 & 8. All parishioners are asked to consider donating baking (labelled for nut, dairy, gluten free) and/or treasures (small household, kitchen, seasonal, religious items, books, jewellery, linens). Delivery is Sat. Dec. 7 from 9am – noon or before mass. Sales are cash or e-transfer.

We also welcome all **volunteers** for the following shifts:

Saturday, December 7:

9 am – noon: set up, accept donations, price
3 pm – 5 pm: same as above

5 pm – 7 pm: sell

Sunday, December 8,

8 am – 10:30 am: accept donations, price, sell,
11:30 – 3 pm: sell, clean up

RSVP Elaine: elaine.c@minable.ca or 780-461-3874



Advent Wreath Making & Potluck



Help keep Advent holy and prepare for Christmas by attending our family Advent wreath-making evening on Friday **November 29** in the hall at St. Agnes’ Church.

There’ll be a potluck at 6:30 PM followed by the craft; please see [the website](#) for details.

Music Ministry Workshop

Leaders, musicians, and singers in the music ministries at all the masses are invited to attend a Music Ministry Workshop in the hall at St. Agnes’ Church on **Sunday, November 24** from 1:30 to 3:30. Please bring a dish for lunch or snacks. This is a chance to meet other music ministry members, help identify the needs of the ministry, and help to define the role of a music ministry coordinator. New singers and musicians are welcome to attend. This is part of our three-year plan to enhance the Eucharistic worship at our parish. We hope you can join us.