

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA PARISH

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MISSION STATEMENT

St. Anthony of Padua is a Christian Community in the Roman Catholic tradition that gathers to worship God, foster family life and continue our education in order to enhance our Baptismal Vocation.

BAPTISMS: Baptisms are celebrated on the 3rd Sunday of the month; except during Lent. Please contact the parish office 3 months before Baptism.

MARRIAGE: Contact the parish office 6 months or more before marriage. Marriage Preparation is mandatory in the Archdiocese of Winnipeg.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Saturday 3:00pm to 3:45pm or by appointment.

Sunday Masses: Saturday 4:00pm
Sunday 9:00am and 11:00am

Weekday Masses: Please see schedule inside bulletin.

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From the Pastor's desk

Ash Wednesday

This coming Wednesday, 18 February 2026 is Ash Wednesday which will signal the beginning of the Lenten season in our Church. There are two Masses that day; one at 9 am, the other at 7 pm. During Lent there are two days of fasting and abstinence. They are Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Fasting applies to those 18 years of age until the end of their 59th year. Abstinence from meat applies to those 14 years of age onward. On course, those having health or dietary requirements will need to determine what is best for them. During Lent we are encouraged to do some other form of penance such as: the Stations of the Cross, visiting the sick and shut-ins, praying additional prayers, reading more Scripture, attending weekday Masses, reciting the rosary, cutting back on social media, etc. Happy Lent!

| Stations of The Cross Schedule | | |
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|  | Fri, Feb 20 7:00pm | Missionary Families of Christ |
| | Fri, Feb 27 7:00pm | Liturgy |
| | Fri, Mar 6 7:00pm | Legion of Mary |
| | Fri, Mar 13 7:00pm | CWL *Mary's Way |
| | Fri, Mar 20 7:00pm | Discernment Group |
| | Fri, Mar 27 7:00pm | K of C |
| Chrism Mass | Tue Mar 31 7:00pm | St. Mary's Cathedral |

Attention Confirmation Class

Dr. Larry Rados will, once again give of his time and expertise in medical and moral issues surrounding chastity to the Confirmation class on Tuesday, 24 February at 6 pm in the parish hall. This presentation is mandatory for all enrolled in the Confirmation class 2026 as was clearly stated in September 2025 upon enrollment. I anticipate all in the Confirmation class to be in attendance and be on time!

First Holy Communion

This year First Holy Communion will take place on Saturday, 25 April 2026 at 10:30 am. Confessions for those receiving their First Holy Communion will take place on Friday, 24 April at 6 pm. The rehearsal will take place following the confessions. There are about 27 who are slated to receive this Sacrament.

Confirmation

Archbishop Murray will be here to confer the Sacrament of Confirmation on Thursday, 30 April 2026 at 7 pm. Confessions for those receiving this Sacrament will be on Wednesday, 29 April at 7 pm. Rehearsal will follow. Unfortunately, due to the Archbishop's tight schedule I would ask that the aspiring confirmants conform to these dates for the Sacraments.

Sharing God's Gifts 2025: Thank You

I want to thank all those who contributed to our Sharing God's Gifts annual campaign for 2025. Together with the parish assessment, our target was \$115,404. We surpassed our target and raised \$132,792.69. A big **Thank You** to all those of you who are taking stewardship seriously. God will never be outdone in generosity.

Parish News

Men's Faith Discussion Group to meet on Wednesday Feb 25 at 6:00pm. **Parish Faith Discussion Group** will meet on Wed, Feb 18, at 6pm and is open to all parishioners. Please remember to bring a Bible you're comfortable making notes in.



Please remember in your prayers, parishioners and friends who are ill: Renate Luebbert, Connie Mikolash, Susana Montales, Adam Rusak, Elsie & Stan Bialkowski, Katrena Johnson Donahoe, Melissa Handkamer, Mary-Anne Vas and Sylvia DiNella.

Holy Ghost School is a K-8 private school and is currently accepting Kindergarten applications for the 2026-2027 school year. Students entering Kindergarten must be 5 years of age by December 31, 2026. Application forms and information on school programming can be found at www.holyghostschool.ca. Please contact the school office at (204) 582-1053, or schooloffice@holyghostschool.ca, if you have any questions.



The Catholic Women's League is going to be selling Nalway Perogies starting Saturday February 14, 2026 at all the weekend masses for 3 weekends ending March 1, 2026. And pick-up will be on Saturday March 21, 2026 between 10M to 11:30AM. Cost per bag of approximately 3 dozen is \$12.00. (Cash Only) Bring a bag, This fundraiser will help cover costs for our Immaculate Conception Luncheon 2027. We will accept cash donations and if people want they can donate perogies to the Missionaries of Charity. **We are accepting memberships old and new for 2026.** The fee is \$40.00, deadline for renewal is February 28, 2026. You can bring your fee to our meetings or use the envelopes and forms that can be found at the back of the church in the gathering space. You can submit your membership by dropping your membership envelope in the collection basket at any weekend mass or mail it to Pat Hay at 408-445 Partridge Ave, Winnipeg, MB R2V 3H6. Or hand it to Pat Hay at the 4PM mass.



These are (NOT) Ordinary times ! The devastation in the Philippines has left families without basic necessities. Personal hygiene items, footwear and light clothing are most required. Help fill the cargo boxes for immediate shipping to the State Deputy in Manila for those most impacted. **Move into an Executive position** as our **Council Recorder**. No experience necessary. Must attend remaining General Meetings usually on the fourth Thursday each month to record minutes. **Go to kofc.org/join and enter password "blessed mcgivney" and Council 10569 for St. Anthony of Padua membership selection.**

2026/27 Catechism Registrations for RETURNING STUDENTS ONLY will be received on the mornings of Saturdays, Feb. 21 and 28. Registration fee of \$60 must be submitted with completed form. There are NO CLASSES on Saturday, Feb. 14 for Louis Riel Day long weekend. GRADE 8 Registrations for **RETURNING STUDENTS ONLY** will be received at Tuesday evening classes on Feb. 10, 17 and 24.

Archdiocese News

Catholic Renewal Services Annual 40-Day Bread and Water Fast - February 18 to April 4, 2026

CCRS of Manitoba invites you to join their annual 40-day Bread and Water personal fasting program for Lent 2026. The fast begins on Ash Wednesday, February 18, 2026, and concludes on Holy Saturday, April 4, 2026. For more details, visit the CCRS of Manitoba website

<https://www.catholicrenewalservices.com/events> or complete the form to register here

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdxx2nlKaJGOjYmGG-8gdk4HRvO9et5_VNfn0iLLfJhzgY6iw/viewform

Illuminate - February 20, 2026 Everyone is invited to an Evening of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Friday, February 20, at 7:30 PM at St. Vital Parish (1629 Pembina Highway, Winnipeg). This dynamic evening will include Eucharistic Adoration, praise and worship music, the opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation, and fellowship within a vibrant Catholic community. Come and worship Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament! For more information, visit the Illuminate Manitoba website

<https://illuminatemb.com/> .

Happy Spouse, Happy House Workshop - February 21, 2026

Young couples are invited to an enjoyable and meaningful afternoon session titled “Happy House, Happy Spouse” on Saturday, February 21, 2026, 12:30 - 4:00 PM at St. Emile Parish Hall (556 St Anne's Rd) in Winnipeg. This gathering offers practical wisdom to help husbands and wives understand their complementary differences, improve communication, and cultivate the virtues that contribute to a strong and grace-filled marriage. Participants can expect a chance to learn, laugh, and grow—because a happy spouse truly helps create a happy home. Click here to register

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScw6g3ebODopOX3Btm_Xou9C4t6ReAzdq4cu7IbmuqAHDuEFw/viewform

Women's Retreat- February 21, 2026

Women are invited to step away for a day of renewal—reconnecting with God, themselves, and one another—and to be reminded of God's call to a peace and purpose that restores without leading to burnout. This inspiring women's retreat will take place on Saturday, February 21, at Mary, Mother of the Church Parish Hall (85 Kirkbridge Drive, Winnipeg) and will feature guest speaker Leah Perrault. Space is limited—register early by emailing mmoc.cwl.president@gmail.com For more details, view the poster here <https://www.archsaintboniface.ca/media/Nouvelles-hebdomadaires-Weekly-News-photos-docs/2026-A/ignite-your-passion-poster-1.png>

Mission Discernment Night - March 5, 2026

Students in Grades 11–12 and young adults ages 18–30 are invited to explore what a year on mission with NET Canada could look like. They are encouraged to attend the Archdiocesan NET Mission Discernment Night on Wednesday, March 5, from 7:00–9:00 PM at Église Sacré-Cœur (421 Brandon Avenue, Winnipeg). The evening will feature fellowship, food, praise, and a firsthand look at life on mission with NET Canada. Those who are interested—or who know someone discerning their next steps—are encouraged to register here

https://netcanada.formstack.com/forms/mission_discernment_night . For more information, email recruit@netcanada.ca or call or text 613-292-9991.

Mass Schedule

Mon Feb 16: Ferial

9:00am Pastors Intentions

Tue Feb 17: Memorial: The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order

9:00am R.I.P. Bernadino Pajarillo by The Family

Ash Wed Feb 18: Memorial: Our Lady of Lourdes

9:00am R.I.P. Mateo & Teresita Brigole by Rolando Brigole

R.I.P. Rustica Bayas by The Family

Thanksgiving & Blessings for the Alcartado Family

7:00pm R.I.P. Jean, Marie & Joseph LaFreniere by The Family

R.I.P. Allan, Alex, Lucille & Rheal LaFreniere by The Family

Thur Feb 19: Ferial

9:00am R.I.P. Alberto Ordonez by Gina & Zaldy Ordonez

R.I.P. John Motoska by The Motoska & Olko Family

R.I.P. Otto Mueller by The Mackintosh Family

R.I.P. Jean, Marie & Joseph LaFreniere by The Family

R.I.P. Allan, Alex, Lucille & Rheal LaFreniere by The Family

R.I.P. Sergio Legaspi by The Urguelles & Gementiza Family

Thanksgiving & Birthday Blessings for Conrado Faylon by The Family

Fri Feb 20: Ferial

9:00am R.I.P. Nicholas Domish by The Lucas Family

R.I.P. Jean, Marie & Joseph LaFreniere by The Family

R.I.P. Allan, Alex, Lucille & Rheal LaFreniere by The Family

R.I.P. Agostinho Santos by The Family

All Souls in Purgatory by Alfredo & Myrna Bello

Freedom/Deliverance for Toni Ann deGuzman by M. deGuzman

Thanksgiving & Birthday Blessings for Martha Maylon by The Family

Sat Feb 21: 1st Sunday of Lent

4:00pm R.I.P. Jean, Marie & Joseph LaFreniere by The Family

R.I.P. Allan, Alex, Lucille & Rheal LaFreniere by The Family

Intentions of the Heather Family by Shirley Heather

Health of Shirley Heather

Sun Feb 22: 1st Sunday of Lent

9:00am R.I.P. Martin Pena by Derek & Maricelli Pena

R.I.P. Jean, Marie & Joseph LaFreniere by The Family

R.I.P. Allan, Alex, Lucille & Rheal LaFreniere by The Family

R.I.P. Maria Del Pilar Silvestre by Terri

Thanksgiving & Blessings by The Alcartado Family

Lawrence & Anita - Health - by the LaFreniere Family

Yvette, Emily & Claire - Health - by the LaFreniere Family

Thanksgiving & Birthday Blessings for Ericson Lopez by Terri

11:00am Parishioners

Readings for the week:

Mon Feb 16 – James 1:1-11, Mark 8:11-13

Tue Feb 17 – James 1:12-18, Mark 8:14-21

Wed Feb 18 – Joel 2:12-18, 2 Cor 5:20-6:2, Mt6:1-6, 16-18

Thur Feb 19 – Deuteronomy 30:15-20, Luke 9:22-25

Fri Feb 20 – Isaiah 58:1-9a, Matthew 9:14-15

Sat Feb 21 – Isaiah 58:9b-14, Luke 5:27-32



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