

**The Twin Roman Catholic Parishes of
St. Agnes & St. Anthony
33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
November 15, 2020**



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Parish website: twinparishes.caedm.ca

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.

SACRAMENTS

FIRST RECONCILIATION /COMMUNION

For class schedule please see the parish website.

CONFIRMATION PREPARATION CLASS

– Please see the parish website for the class schedule
RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults – age 15 and above). Session is online every Wednesday, from 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM.

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. St. Agnes & St. Anthony parishes offer a Marriage Preparation Course please contact the parish office.

**For Funerals contact the parish office
@ 780-432-0611**

NO Adoration at St. Anthony until further notice.

NO Meeting, and other activities in the church & meeting rooms until further notice.

Reconciliation is by appointment following the standards suggested by the Archdiocese. Call the parish office for your schedule.

St. Agnes & St. Anthony Parish Staff:

Pastor	Rev. Varghese Munduvelil
Deacon	Guy Germain
Deacon	Michael Pucylo
Deacon	Ramon Morales
Business Manager	Don Wong
Administrative Assistant	Florentina Suce
Custodian (St. Anthony)	Ray Wagner
Custodian (St. Agnes)	Bruce Huynh

Twin Parishes Financial Pulse

		Full Year		
Nov 7 & 8		Actual	YTD	Budget
Sunday, Holy Day	\$	1,680	\$286,832	\$460,000
Building Maint. Fund	\$	195	\$ 23,320	\$ 30,000
Together We Serve	\$	20	\$ 24,311	\$ 51,600

*"My name will be honored...from morning till night. All around the world people will offer...pure offerings in honor of my name. For my name shall be great among the nations, says the Lord Almighty."
Malachi 1:12-13*

God bless you in your response to His love.

Twin Parishes Masses for the Week

Tuesday, November 16 Mass @ St. Anthony	7:00 pm
Wednesday, November 17 Mass @ St. Anthony Parish office is closed	6:15 pm
Thursday, November 18 Mass @ St. Agnes	9:00 am
Friday, November 19 Mass @ St. Agnes	9:00 am
Saturday, November 20 Mass @ St. Agnes Mass @ St. Anthony	5:00 pm 7:30 pm
Sunday, November 21 Mass @ St. Agnes Mass @ St. Anthony Mass @ St. Agnes	9:00 am 10:30 am 12:00 Noon

Attendees for weekend masses are by registration online at the parish website twinparishes.caedm.ca including all volunteers. Only at this time of the Covid-19 pandemic. Parishioners that have no access to the website call the parish office to register during office hours Monday to Friday 9 am-12 noon 1 pm-4pm. There is a cut-off of online registration at the website every Saturday at 12 Noon. Click under Mass Registration

We are not selling the St. Joseph Sunday Missal this year. Please call the Universal Church Supplies to order.

Settling Accounts

November 15, 2020- Scott Hahn Reflects on the
33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A

First Reading – Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31

Psalm 128:1-5

Second Reading – 1 Thessalonians 5:1-6

Gospel – Matthew 25:14-30

The day of the Lord is coming, Paul warns in today's Epistle. What matters isn't the time or the season, but what the Lord finds us doing with the new life, the graces He has given to us.

This is at the heart of Jesus' parable in today's Gospel. Jesus is the Master. Having died, risen, and ascended into heaven, He appears to have gone away for a long time.

By our Baptism, He has entrusted to each of us a portion of His "possessions," a share in His divine life (see 2 Peter 1:4). He has given us talents and responsibilities, according to the measure of our faith (see Romans 12:3, 8).

We are to be like the worthy wife in today's First Reading and the faithful man we sing of in today's Psalm. Like them, we should walk in the "fear of the Lord" – in reverence, awe, and thanksgiving for His marvelous gifts. This is the beginning of wisdom (see Acts 9:31; Proverbs 1:7).

This is not the "fear" of the useless servant in today's parable. His is the fear of a slave cowering before a cruel master, the fear of one who refuses the relationship that God calls us to.

God has called us to be trusted servants, fellow workers (see 1 Corinthians 3:9), using our talents to serve one another and His Kingdom as good stewards of His grace (see 1 Peter 4:10).

In this, we each have a different part to play.

Though the good servants in today's parable were given different numbers of talents, each "doubled" what he was given. And each earned the same reward for his faithfulness-greater responsibilities and a share of the Master's joy.

So let us resolve again in this Eucharist to make much of what we've been given, to do all for the glory of God (see 1 Corinthians 10:31). That we, may approach our Master with confidence and love when He comes to settle accounts.

Registering for FORMED is easier than ever:

1. Go to formed.org/signup; click the 3rd button: I belong to a parish organization.
2. Select your parish: Enter Postal Code T6E 2A6 and select St. Anthony from the dropdown menu.
3. Register with your name and email address
4. Check that email account for a link to begin using FORMED.

Pope Francis Corner



And the Joy of
Family Life Daily
Reflections

TO BELIEVE

To believe in a Father who loves all men and women with an infinite love means realizing that" he thereby confers upon them an infinite dignity."

To believe that the Son of God assumed our human flesh means that each human person has been taken up into the very heart of God. To believe that Jesus shed his blood for us removes any doubt about the boundless love which ennoble each human being. Our redemption has a social dimension because "God, in Christ, redeems not only the individual person, but also the social relations existing between men."

To believe that the Holy Spirit is at work in everyone means realizing that he seeks to penetrate every human situation and all social bonds.

- *Evangelii Gaudium*

Reflection: *What roles do the members of the Trinity play in your family life? How does the love of the Father help you give others dignity? How does the redemption of the son help you forgive others? How does the Holy Spirit guide you in situations with your family?*

DONATE BUTTON

Parish website: twinparishes.caedm.ca

Here are three ways to give:

St. Agnes and St. Anthony would prefer if you use:

[Pre-Authorized Giving Agreement Form](#)

Envelopes can be dropped off or mailed to the parish office at:

St. Anthony,

10661-82 Avenue NW Edmonton,

AB T6E 2A6

My Offering

Donate online:

Thank you for being a good steward of

St. Agnes/St. Anthony Parish.

Every gift is truly appreciated.

**Grace with lines inspired by the Readings for
November 15, 2020**

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Leader: *Lord Jesus, we thank you for your Word. You have given gifts to each one of us. (Matthew 25:15)*

All: *Lord, grant us wisdom to use our gifts well.*

Or

Leader: *Lord Jesus, we thank you for your Word. You honour those who have been found trustworthy. (Matthew 25:21)*

All: *Lord, we desire to serve you.*