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

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT YEAR A – November 30th, 2025



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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:

PastorRev. Varghese Munduvelil CFICDeaconGuy GermainDeaconMichael PucyloDeaconRamon MoralesBusiness ManagerFlorentina SuceAdministrative Assistant Marie Seward

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# Twin Parishes Financial Pulse:

November 22 & 23, 2025					Full Year		
	A	ctual	Y	TD	<u>F</u>	<u>Budget</u>	
<b>Sunday Collection</b>	\$	4,607	\$3	355,786	\$4	450,000	
<b>Building Maint Fund</b>	<u> </u> \$	1,545	\$	53,335	\$	70,000	
<b>Together We Serve</b>	\$	85	\$	16,885	\$	30,000	
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## **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 outside these times. Approach the priest before and after mass during weekdays.

#### **Twin Parishes Masses for the Week:**

Tuesday, December 2					
	7.00				
Mass @ St. Anthony	7:00 pm				
Wednesday, December 3					
Adoration @ St. Anthony	5:00 pm				
Mass @ St. Anthony	6:15 pm				
Thursday, December 4					
Mass @ St. Agnes	9:00 am				
Friday, December 5					
Adoration @ St. Agnes	6:00 pm				
Mass @ St. Agnes	7:00 pm				
Saturday, December 6					
Mass @ St. Agnes	5:00 pm				
Mass @ St. Anthony	7:30 pm				
Sunday, December 7					
Rosary Before Mass @ St. Agnes	8:30 am				
Mass @ St. Agnes	9:00 am				
Mass @ St. Anthony	10:30 am				
Mass @ St. Agnes	12:00 pm				

### **Donation Options:**

St. Agnes and St. Anthony prefers Pre-Authorized Giving method to have church donations set up for automatic withdrawal. Please email or call 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 <u>StAnthonyEdm.etransfer@caedm.ca</u>. Your donation will automatically deposit 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 Church 10661-82 Avenue NW

Edmonton, AB T6E 2A6

**Donation online:** Click <a href="https://caedm.ca/donate/to-a-parish/">https://caedm.ca/donate/to-a-parish/</a> and be sure to enter the Parish Name as "Edmonton - St. Agnes/St. Anthony." Thank you for being a good steward of St. Agnes/St. Anthony Parish with your support and generosity. Every gift is truly appreciated.

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The Twin Parishes of St. Agnes and St. Anthony celebrates with and welcomes Edmonton's very own Stephen Hero, being appointed by Pope Leo, as the eighth Archbishop of Edmonton. He will be formally installed on January 23, 2026

at St. Joseph's Basilica.



**Parish Pastoral Council meeting** will be held on Thursday December 4, at 6:00 pm in St, Agnes Merchant Hall.

#### **SACRAMENTS**



**First Reconciliation next session** will be held on Saturday, December 13, from 3:30-4:30 pm at St. Agnes Parish for enrolled participants!



Confirmation information session for Parents/Students will be held on Saturday, December 6, from 1:00-2:30 pm at St.

Agnes Hall for registered participants!



Rite of Acceptance and Rite of Welcome will be held on Sunday, November 30, at noon at St. Agnes Church. Please arrive no

later than 11:45 am. **RCIA next session** will be held on Monday December 1, from 7:00-9:00 pm at St. Agnes. Topic: Why Do I Need the Church? The Mystery of the Catholic Church.

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.

<u>FUNERAL</u>: Family or designated person by the family should contact the Parish Office for funeral arrangements with the parish priest.

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#### **Remember to Pray:**

<u>For the Sick & Recovery</u>: Adelle Clark, Noreen Berkes, Stephen Kieser, Gwenneth Steber, and Daisy Llewellyn.

**†** For the Deceased: Verna Loraine Haljan, David Goodine, and Joseph Eugin Morais,

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**Upcoming Adorers Ministry: Adoration Day** will be held on Wednesdays from 3-6pm at St. Anthony Church. This is intended for **silent prayer time** in the Blessed Sacrament every week, for one

hour. If you are interested in becoming a regular adorer, contact Marilou at <a href="mailto:ourladynet@gmail.com">ourladynet@gmail.com</a> or call St. Anthony parish office. **Start date TBD.** 



Twin Parish's Pantry is in need of nonperishable food items: pasta sauce, canned vegetables/fruit, soups, tea, cereals, canned meats, granola bars, fruit cups, peanut

butter and jam. If you can donate even 1 item it's greatly appreciated; thank you and bless you!

#### **CWL CORNER**

St. Anthony: <a href="maggieflaman@gmail.com">maggieflaman@gmail.com</a>
St. Agnes: <a href="maggieflaman@gmail.com">memberscwlstagnes@gmail.com</a>

Info: <u>twinparishes.caedm.ca/Ministries/Religious-</u>

**Organizations** 

**St. Agnes CWL** Interested in joining our council? Contact Michele at <a href="mailto:Fidyk@telusplanet.net">Fidyk@telusplanet.net</a>.

#### **CWL Annual Baking & Treasures Sale**

will be held after all Masses Saturday, December 6, and Sunday, December 7. You are welcome to donate baking (labelled for nut, dairy, gluten free), and/or treasures (small household, kitchen, seasonal, religious items, books, jewellery, and linens). Please deliver to Merchant Hall Saturday, December 6, from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm or before any Mass. Sales are cash or e-transfer. Funds go toward new refrigerator for the hall kitchen! Thank you for your generosity and support. We welcome volunteers for Saturday set up and all Masses. Contact selling after elaine.c@minable.ca or 780-461-3874.

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**St. Agnes Advent Penitential Service** will be held on Thursday December 11, at 6 pm.



**Twin Parishes Christmas Gathering** Sunday, December 14, at noon Mass at St. Agnes; followed by a potluck lunch, nativity play, and join in Christmas

carolling from 1-3pm. All parishioners are invited to join us for an afternoon of faith, fellowship, and fun. Please bring potluck food to share; refreshments are provided. All ages are welcome!

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To commemorate World Day of the Poor as declared by Pope Leo XIV, your Society of Saint Vincent de Paul at St. Anthony/St. Agnes invites you to help our less fortunate brothers and sisters. We encourage you to lend a hand by making a financial gift, or to consider volunteering with us to serve the poor in our community.

You may donate online at:

https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/The-Society-of-Saint-Vincent-de-Paul-Divine-Mercy-

Conference/ or by using the envelopes that were handed out on the weekend of November 15/16. Cheques can be made out to "SSVP Divine Mercy Conference" and dropped off in the collection basket or mailed to the parish office. To volunteer or for more information, contact Agnes Fung at agnes.ssvp@gmail.com.