



# ST. ANTHONY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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**Office Hours:** Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9:30am – 3:30pm  
Saturday 1:00pm – 4:00pm

## FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

February 4, 2024



THAT THE LIFE AND MISSION  
OF THE MEN AND WOMEN IN  
CONSECRATED LIFE BE A  
MEANS OF SANCTIFICATION  
FOR THEM AND BUILDING UP  
THE KINGDOM OF GOD

We pray to the Lord...



ROMAN CATHOLIC  
DIOCESE  
of Calgary

### Celebrating World Day for Consecrated Life – February 2

The purpose of the day is “to help the entire Church to esteem ever more greatly the witness of those persons who have chosen to follow Christ by means of the practice of the evangelical counsels” as well as “to be a suitable occasion for consecrated persons to renew their commitment and rekindles the fervour which should inspire their offering of themselves to the Lord” – Saint John Paul II, 1997 (Source: ORDO)

Watch the Consecrated Life diocesan video:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=URWr2KI3yK8>

### Sunday Schedule

Saturday	Confessions	3:45pm
	English Mass	5:00pm
Sunday	Latin Mass	7:15am
	English Mass	9:00am
	English Mass	10:30am
	Latin Mass	12:30pm

### Weekday Schedule

Monday	No Mass	
Tuesday	Confessions	6:30am
	Latin Mass	7:00am
Wednesday	Confessions, Rosary	6:30pm
	Novena St. Anthony	7:00pm
	English Mass	7:00pm
Thursday	Confessions	8:30am
	English Mass	9:00am
Friday	Eucharistic Adoration	10:00am
	Benediction	6:00pm
	Confessions	6:00pm
	Latin Mass	7:00pm
Saturday	Confessions	8:30am
	Latin Mass	9:00am

**Pastor**

Fr. Nathan Siray ext 224

**Emergencies only:** 587-349-9615

**FSSP Priest**

Fr. Massimo Botta, FSSP & Fr. Ralph Oballo, FSSP  
ext 226 or 403-255-2727

**In Residence**

Fr. Anthony Pudota

**Music Director** John Morgan

**Parish Secretary** Heather Schilling ext 222

**Bookkeeper** Magda Aguillon ext 223

**Office Assistant** Dianne McKay ext 221

**Janitorial Service** Polmax Ecology Cleaning Ltd

## Pastoral Notes

### A deserted place to pray


The opening chapters of the Gospels note the exhaustion that Jesus experienced from the almost non-stop work of healing the sick, casting out demons, debating with the Sadducees, Pharisees and scribes and revealing that the work of our salvation demanded a sacrificial outpouring of time, patience, courage, mercy and above all, love.

Our Lord knew that if He wanted some time for Himself, that He needed to find those quiet moments when most were still asleep and He could have some time to pray to His Heavenly Father, as brief a time as that might be and very often fraught with interruptions.

So too we must know ourselves and our familial situations to determine when those quiet times are we can have prayer with the Lord. Some might find it in those early morning hours while others in the first hours after a long shift. Parents might find it when a child goes down for a nap, as brief as that might be, or a student find it in a break between class or on the transit ride back home.


Everyone is busy but we must admit we are honestly not too busy for find a little time to pray. Let us ask the Lord to show us those times each day we can pray and accept that in finding this time we must guard it safely and put aside other things we may prefer to be doing to assure not a day goes by without a few minutes of speaking to Our Lord and Redeemer.

Anthony of Padua



The devil is afraid of us when we pray and make sacrifices. He is also afraid when we are humble and good. He is especially afraid when we love Jesus very much. He runs away when we make the Sign of the Cross.

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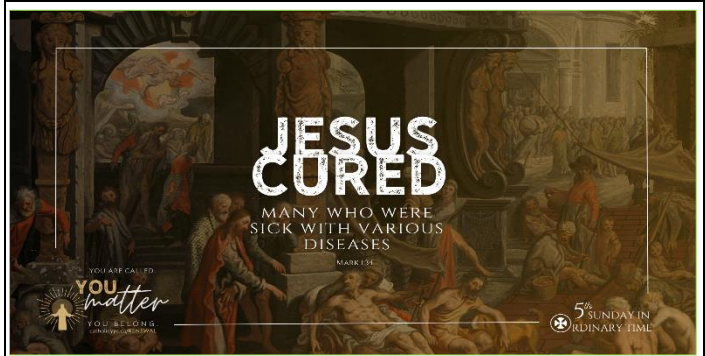


Jesus created much excitement in His day through His preaching, teaching, and healing. Today, the Church communicates that same wonder and grace by those active in priesthood, religious life, and lay ministries.

If you think God is calling you to a Church vocation, please contact the Office of Vocations at 403-218-5500 or email Fr. Cristino Bouvette at [vocations@calgarydiocese.ca](mailto:vocations@calgarydiocese.ca)  
[www.catholicyc.ca/vocations.html](http://www.catholicyc.ca/vocations.html)

**The Kid's Bulletin** <https://thekidsbulletin.com/>

**Children's Liturgy of the Word with Miss Heidi** (Catholic TV)  
<https://www.catholicv.org/childrens-liturgy.html>



### CCCB Daily Readings

First Reading: Job 7.1-4, 6-7  
Psalm: 147  
Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 9.16-19, 22-23  
Gospel: Mark 1.29-39

## St. Anthony's Updates

### HALL CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

The water heater tank in the hall split and we are now working to resolve the damage caused by the extensive leaking of water through the ceiling and the wall at the back of the kitchen. **There will be no socials this weekend.** Stay tuned for updates.

### 2023 TAX RECEIPTS WILL BE AVAILABLE THIS WEEKEND AFTER ALL THE MASSES

Unclaimed receipts (greater than \$100) will be mailed February 23.

### PREPARATION FOR LENT

**Return Dried Palms:** There is a basket at the main church entrance for you to deposit your dried palms from previous years.

### Ash Wednesday Masses – Mark your calendar

Wednesday, February 14

7:00am and noon Latin

9:00am and 7:00pm English

**WE ARE HIRING** St. Anthony's parish office is in need of an **Administrative Assistant Level 1 (Part-time)**. Please assist us in finding the best candidate with your prayers and by sharing the opportunity with your network. <https://www.catholicyc.ca/careers.html>



Our parish relies on your regular offertory giving for maintenance and growth and outreach. Thank you for your generosity.

E-transfer:

[isupport@stanthonysycc.ca](mailto:isupport@stanthonysycc.ca)

Pre-Authorized Withdrawal registration & Credit Card donations [stanthonysycc.ca/donation](http://stanthonysycc.ca/donation)

## MASS INTENTIONS

<b>Sunday, Feb 4</b>		
7:15am Latin	SI	Celebrant's Intentions
9:00am English	SI	Nida and Fermin Mejia
10:30am English	SI	All Parishioners
12:30pm Latin	RIP	Raymond Gnanapragasam

**Monday, Feb 5** No Mass

<b>Tuesday, Feb 6</b>		
7:00am Latin	RIP	John & Cecilia Korte
7:00pm English	SI	Joanne Martis

<b>Wednesday, Feb 7</b>		
7:00pm English	SI	de los Reyes Family
Midday Latin	RIP	Grace, Peter, Aosiustr, Vincent, Sr. Annabell, Joan of Arc, Florence, Manuel Thomas, Dr. John the Baptist, Calista, Jegarasa, Claude, Raymand, Peter Canatius, Stanley, Morris, Marie, Iris

<b>Thursday, Feb 8</b>		
9:00am English	SI	Lara and Sheyas
7:00pm Latin	SI	Diana Dumanowski

<b>Friday, Feb 9</b>		
9:00am English	RIP	Bill & Barbara Saruga
7:00pm Latin	RIP	Helen & Charles Merkoso

<b>Saturday, Feb 10</b>		
9:00am Latin	RIP	Benno & Marie Korte
5:00pm English	SI	Andres Ignacio Matute Giron

## LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK

Cecilia Chang, Toni Deck, Kevin Dilworth, Rose Dourado, Msgr. Noel Farman, Nancy Ann Hriskevich, Mary-Beth Knight, Grant McKay, Johnson Mont, Jorge Obrador, Deacon Frank Peta, Fr. Julien Studden, Fe Cristeta and Teodorico Uy

**May the Lord grant them healing, comfort, and peace.**

## REST IN PEACE

**Marie Martin and Ambrose Walton**

**Our heartfelt sympathies to their families.**

May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.



## LATIN MASS CALENDAR

<b>Sunday, Feb 4</b>	2 <sup>nd</sup> CL	Sexagesima Sunday
<b>Sunday, Feb 11</b>	2 <sup>nd</sup> CL	Quinquagesima Sunday
<b>Wednesday, Feb 14</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> CL	Ash Wednesday
<b>Sunday, Feb 18</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> CL	First Sunday of Lent

## WEEKLY ALTAR FLOWER DEDICATION

**In Memory of**

**Mrs. Romelia Josefina Fuenmayor-Colina and Mrs. Carmen Poriett**

To request an altar flower dedication in memory of a loved one or celebration of an anniversary, visit

<https://stanthonysyc.ca/request-an-altar-flower-dedication/>



## Eucharistic Adoration at St. Anthony's

If there is anything you need, pray for it.  
Philippians 4:6

**Register for a Holy Hour at:**

<https://stanthonysyc.weadorehim.com/signup/adoremus.>

**40 Hour Devotion for Priestly and Religious Vocations February 2 – 4**

<https://stanthonysyc.ca/request-a-chapel-red-candle/>

Tuesdays	6am – 8pm	Chapel
Wednesdays	6am – 8pm	Chapel
Thursday	9:30am – 6:00pm	<b>Church</b>
Fridays	6am – 8pm	Chapel
Saturdays	8am – 6pm	Chapel
Sundays	8am – 3pm	Chapel

“ Building Church, Building Community ”

Contribute to St. Anthony's Building Fund

**GOAL: \$500,000**

Donate on our webpage, e-transfer to [isupport@stanthonysyc.ca](mailto:isupport@stanthonysyc.ca) or use our Building Fund envelopes. Your donation to our Building Fund will go towards the restoration of our church columns, replacement of our church boiler or our capital savings fund for future restoration projects.

**Contact Information**

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**RECEIVED AS OF February 1**  
**\$357,754 or 14 of 20 pillars**

**St. Anthony's Parish Bottle Return Account now open at the Chinook Bottle Depot (108 61 Ave SE) to contribute to our Building Fund. When donating your bottle returns to our parish, please let the workers at Chinook Bottle Depot know to assign the funds to St. Anthony's Parish.**



# FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES OF MARY CALGARY

## WHO ARE WE? COME AND SEE....

SISTER ANNE (BENIN), SISTER CARMELITA (PHILIPPINES), SISTER MARIA RITA (INDIA),  
SISTER THERESE (CONGO),

What place has a life consecrated to God have in the post-COVID pandemic world? Let's have a look at what these four Franciscan Missionaries of Mary have to say:

"For us, being F.M.M is a gift of God – a gift inviting us to participate in the offering of Christ..."to live in kindness and love, with all peoples, of all walks of life and ages – at the service of the poor and marginalized; to the youth and the aged... to families ... to bring justice as artisans of peace"

In 1877, Blessed Mary of the Passion founded the Institute of the Franciscan Missionaries of Mary in Ootacamund, Tamil Nadu, India. Our Mother Foundress, Mary of the Passion, a vibrant, determined woman of vision stated: "the Institute of the Franciscan Missionaries of Mary shall be universal or it will not be". She wrote in accordance with the wishes of the Holy See, they will establish houses in even the most perilous and remote foreign mission. 130 years ago, four sisters arrived in Canada on May 20, 1892 – 15 years after the foundation of the Institute.

Thanks to the Little Franciscans of Mary who opened the doors of Canada for us. The first foundation was in Quebec, Grand – Alley – with the Novitiate. It began with the 24 hours Perpetual Adoration Center and in 1898, our chapel became the seat of perpetual adoration for all of Canada. Our F.M.M mission developed quickly and continued in accordance with our apostolates and possibilities taking into account our ages. In 1897, our sisters landed in St Laurent – a Metis Village – on the shore of the vast Lake Manitoba – they even advanced further North to the Pine Creek OJIBWAY reservation. We have missions in QUEBEC, ONTARIO, MANITOBA, ALBERTA, NUNAVUT. In 1992, we arrived at Repulse Bay in the NORTHWEST TERRITOIRES, with a sister of the Sisters of Nicolet who generously collaborated with us in this mission. Here in Calgary, several sisters have come and gone since we arrived in 1983.

As FMM we are sisters of diverse culture and nationality. We embrace a life of total giving as we pronounce VOWS of POVERTY, of OBEDIENCE and CHASTITY for the sake of the Kingdom. We live vowed life as FRANCISCANS - a life of SIMPLICITY and POVERTY; MISSIONARIES - ready to serve in our capacity to whatever life of service we are called; and MARIAN - following Mary's footsteps, her simplicity, honesty, love and service. We draw our strength from JESUS - the EUCHARIST - the real MISSIONARY. For that, we make our daily adoration before Him exposed, imploring his mercy, protection and guidance in our missionary life. He is the reason for everything we do.

Our calling invites us to be available in many diverse, interesting and challenging ways. As we journey with families who need accompaniment in prayer, with our Associates, with those who live alone; with the sick; with those who need direction – by phone, as well as enlightenment for direction in life – we feel the need to be open, humble and grateful for their trust and simplicity – for when JESUS calls – like Mary, we hasten to respond. It's a CALL of GRACE and manifold blessings that money can't buy.... it's a CALL of LOVE.

You're most welcome to visit with us at 417- 54th Ave SW or have a chat with us at 403-255-2705.