

## Parish News:



**Monday Night Prayer Group:** *“For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them.”* (Matthew 18.20) All are welcome and invited to join us Monday evenings in the Church at 6:30 pm for the Rosary, Chaplet and General Intercessions.

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**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:** Join us for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Fridays, following the 9 am Mass and on the first Saturday of each month from 9 am until noon.



**2024 Donations:** Please note that the cut off for 2024 donations was December 31st. All donations received January 1, 2025 and onward will count towards 2025.

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**First Reconciliation:** Celebration of First Reconciliation and Retreat will be on Tuesday, January 21, from 5:00 p.m. until 6:30 p.m. in the church. Families and candidates are welcome to attend the 6:30 p.m. Mass. *\*The Couple For Christ Ministry will provide a Light Supper.*

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The Pastoral Parish Council Meeting is this coming Thursday, January 23, at 7:00PM. Date was changed and rescheduled as Fr. Lukas was sick the past few days. All parishioners are welcome.

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## From The Catholic Women’s League:

Hoping to see you all at our **Annual General Meeting**, scheduled for **Wednesday January 29**, beginning with dinner at 5:30 pm.

Please RSVP to Joanne Dumaine or Sharon Doyle by Thursday January 23. Cost is \$20.

**National CWL** is hosting a free webinar on **Human Trafficking on Tues. January 21 at 5:00pm MST**. Check the Calgary Diocesan website or the national website for registration details.

ABMK council has a **quilt making project** for at risk youth underway. This will be a continuing project as the donated quilts find a permanent home with a recipient. *Perhaps a quilt making day at our hall?*

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## From Knights of Columbus:

**Pennies for Heaven Collection:** The Knights of Columbus will collect Pennies for Heaven following the Masses this weekend. Proceeds are donated to seminarians and those entering the religious life that have financial need.

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## From Couples For Christ:

**A HEARTY TREAT IN FEBRUARY** - CFC is inviting all parishioners to start and celebrate Heart Month by bringing your loved ones to a feast of Asian cuisine. **For only \$20, ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT!**



**BRUNCH (Breakfast-Lunch)** begins at **8:30 AM on February 2 -Sunday**, at the Parish Hall.

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**St. Anthony's School:** Kindergarten Open House, come check it out! Wednesday, January 22nd from 6:30-7:30pm. All are welcome, you don't need to register.

**GREAT LEARNING STARTS HERE!**

# ST. ANTHONY'S SCHOOL

FULL DAY/FIVE DAYS PER WEEK  
OR  
TWO FULL DAYS PER WEEK

403-823-3485

**OPEN HOUSE!**

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 22  
6:30 - 7:30 PM

\*You **do not** have to be registered to attend.



St. Anthony's School

[WWW.STANTHONY.S.REDEEMER.AB.CA](http://WWW.STANTHONY.S.REDEEMER.AB.CA)

## From the Diocese:

The upcoming Jubilee of Teenagers & Youth:



# JUBILEE OF TEENAGERS

25-27 April 2025

### Friday 25 April

- h 9:00-18:00 Pilgrimage to the Holy Door
- h 16:00-18:30 Via Lucis prayer on the steps of the Church of Saints Peter and Paul in EUR district

### Saturday 26 April

- h 8:00-18:00 Pilgrimage to the Holy Door
- h 11:00-15:00 Entertainment in Roman piazzas
- h 17:30-19:00 Musical celebration

### Sunday 27 April

- h 10:00 Mass presided over by the Holy Father in St. Peter's Square. Some children will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation

Registration deadline  
31 January 2025

Experience a pilgrimage to the Holy Door, the Via Lucis prayer, musical celebrations, and Mass with the Holy Father, featuring the Sacrament of Confirmation for some participants.

**Note: Blessed Carlo Acutis will be canonized on 27 April 2025, in Rome. Details & registration packages—sign up by 31 January 2025.**

## JUBILEE OF YOUTH

28 July - 3 August 2025

- Monday 28 July**  
h 9:00-21:00 Arrival and settling in
- Tuesday 29 July**  
h 18:00 Mass of Welcome to the Church of Rome in St. Peter's Square
- Wed 30-Thurs 31 July**  
h 10:30-18:00 In dialogue with the city: cultural, artistic, and spiritual activities taking place throughout the city
- Friday 1 August**  
h 10:30-18:00 Penitential day at the Circus Maximus with the option of receiving the Sacrament of Reconciliation.
- Saturday 2 August**  
h 15:00-20:00 Entertainment, music, and testimonies  
h 20:30-21:30 Vigil with the Holy Father in Tor Vergata
- Sunday 3 August**  
h 9:30 Mass presided over by the Holy Father at Tor Vergata

Registration deadline  
31 March 2025

Young adults aged 18-35 are invited to the 2025 Jubilee of Youth in Rome from July 28 to August 3. Celebrate this special event with Holy Mass, artistic and spiritual activities, music, testimonies, and a Vigil with the Holy Father at Tor Vergata, Rome.

**Note: Blessed Pier Frassati will be canonized on 3 August 2025, in Rome. Details & registration packages—sign up by 21 March 2025.**

Join us during the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, an annual global ecumenical celebration from January 18 to 25, where Christians worldwide unite in prayer and reflection for the unity of all Christians.

## January Mass and Intentions Schedules

Tuesday,	<b>21-Jan-25</b>	6:30 PM	<b>(Spec) Cheryl O'Rourke and Family</b>
Wednesday,	<b>22-Jan-25</b>	10:30 AM	<b>(Spec) Terry Heptonstall</b>
		<b>(Sunshine Lodge)</b>	
Thursday,	<b>23-Jan-25</b>	9:00 AM	<b>(Spec) Kevin Leidl</b>
Friday,	<b>24-Jan-25</b>	9:00 AM	<b>(Spec) Oliver and Justine Felisilda</b>
Saturday,	<b>25-Jan-25</b>	5:00 PM	<b>† Lorraine Pauline Olson</b>
Sunday,	<b>26-Nov-24</b>	9:00 AM	<b>(Spec) St. Anthony's Parishioners</b>
		10:30 AM	<b>(Spec) Rina &amp; Marvin and Obmina Family</b>

### **Sacraments:**

**For Anointing of the Sick:** Please email Father Lukas or, in the case of emergencies, please call the Parish, press '0' to be connected to Father Lukas.

**Reconciliation:** The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be available from 3:30 – 4:30 pm Saturday afternoons and by appointment. To schedule an appointment, please call the Parish Office or email Fr. Lukas at [fr.lukas.d@gmail.com](mailto:fr.lukas.d@gmail.com).

**Baptism:** Please contact the Parish Office at (403) 823-2683 to arrange an appointment.

**Marriage:** Please contact the Parish Office at least 6 months prior to your desired date.

### **Scripture Readings**

**Monday, Jan. 20:** *Hebrews 5:1-10 | Psalms 110:1, 2, 3, 4 | Mark 2:18-22*

**Tuesday, Jan. 21:** *Hebrews 6:10-20 | Psalms 111:1-2, 4-5, 9-10 | Mark 2:23-28*  
**(Memorial of St. Agnes)**

**Wednesday, Jan. 22:** *Hebrews 7:1-3, 15-17 | Psalms 110:1, 2, 3, 4 | Mark 3:1-6*

**Thursday, Jan. 23:** *Hebrews 7:25-8:6 | Psalms 40:7-8, 8-9, 10, 17 | Mark 3:7-12*

**Friday, Jan. 24:** *Hebrews 8:6-13 | Psalms 85:8, 10, 11-12, 13-14 | Mark 3:13-19*  
**(Memorial of St. Francis De Sales)**

**Saturday, Jan. 25:** *Acts 22:3-16 | Psalms 117:1, 2 | Mark 16:15-18*  
**(Feast of Conversion of Paul, Apostle)**

**Sunday, Jan. 26:** *Nehemiah 8:2-4, 5-6, 8-10 | Psalms 19:8, 9, 10, 15 | Luke 1:1-4,4:14-21*  
*1 Corinthians 12:12-30*

## St. Anthony's Parish

*St. Anthony's Roman Catholic Church is an inviting family community united in Christ.*

**Parish Mission: Family, Faith Building, Liturgy, Environment and Social**



**Pastor:** Rev. Lukas Drapal ( [fr.lukas.d@gmail.com](mailto:fr.lukas.d@gmail.com) )

**Administrative Assistant:** Mary Ann Arce | **Bookkeeper:** Linda Lacher

**Pastoral Council Chair:** Paul Marshall | **Finance Council Chair:** Mary Pavich

**Catholic Women's League President:** Sharon Doyle

**Knights of Columbus Grand Knight:** Tony Weir

**Couples for Christ:** Cen and Tess Felisilda

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**Weekend Mass Times: Saturday at 5:00 pm | Sunday at 9:00 and 10:30 am**

**Parish Office Hours: Tuesday to Friday 9 am – 12:00 pm**

## 2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: JANUARY 19, 2025

I love the exchange between Mary and Jesus at the wedding at Cana. When the wedding hosts risk the dishonour of running out of wine, Mary recognizes a human need and gently pushes her son into his calling. Jesus resists direct instruction, as most of us do when we don't feel ready. And yet, Mary sees what Jesus needs to do before he does. Something passes between them that isn't written down in the space between Jesus saying his time has not yet come and Mary turning to the servants, saying, "Do whatever he tells you." Miracles happen when we follow Jesus. These words are our instruction, too. Whatever we are facing, we are called to do what.

Jesus asks of us, according to the gifts the Spirit has given us. Our respective calls will be distinct from one another; the unity of the Church and our collective faithfulness to Jesus depends on each of us responding to our unique call. In this Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, we can turn Mary's words into a prayer for the whole Christian family. Each of us - according to the gifts and charisms we have been given, in our faith communities and our personal lives - contributes to God's ongoing work in the world. May we do what he tells us, trusting Jesus and each other.

**Leah Perrault Swift Current, SK** (*LIVING WITH CHRIST* vol. 30 no. 1 page 107)

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