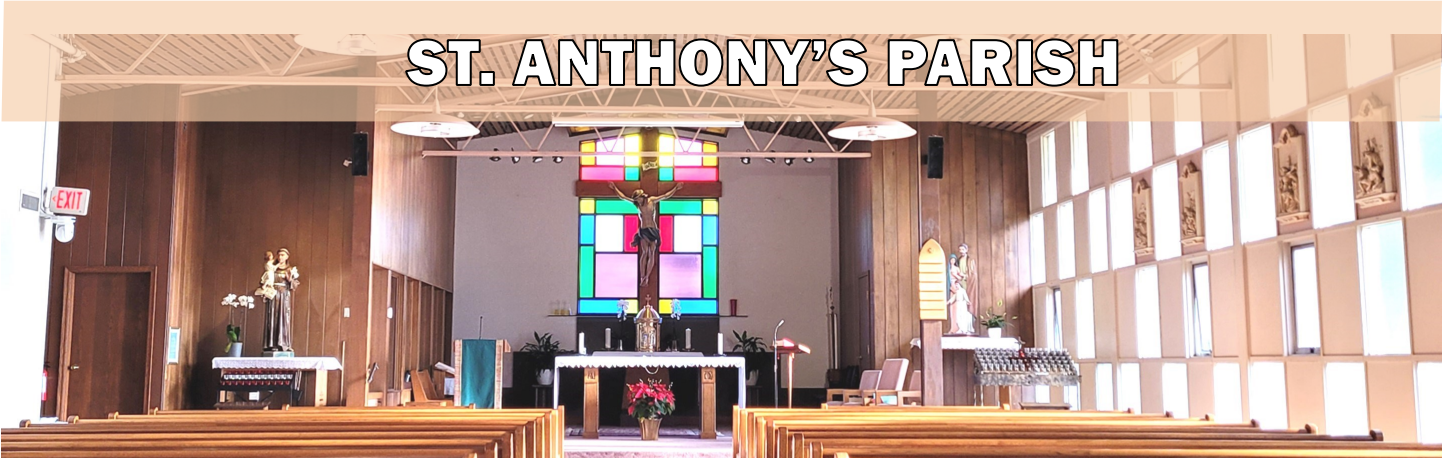


# ST. ANTHONY'S PARISH



**32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**November 12, 2023**

**Pastor: Fr. Wilfred Gomes**

**Temporary Adm:**  
**Rev. Vincent Hawkswell**  
 tel.: 604-671-5301

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**Parish Deacon:** Dcn. Tony Gray  
**Accounting:** Elizabeth Bell  
**Adm. Assistant:** Cleiser Oliveira

**SUNDAY MASSES**

SAT 4:30 pm (anticipated mass)  
 SUN 8:30 am | 10:30 am

**DAILY MASSES**

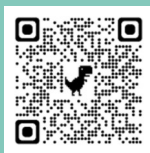
MON — SAT 9:00 am  
 1<sup>ST</sup> FRIDAY 6:30 pm

**CONFESSIONS**

MON — SAT 8:30 am—8:50 am  
 SAT 3:30 pm—4:15 pm

**Online Giving Offertory**

SCAN WITH MOBILE PHONE OR CLICK THE QR-CODE



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Dear St. Anthony's Parishioners,

I have been touched by your care and concern since my unexpected departure last month.

I am pleased to tell you that three or four months will be enough for me to attend to my physical and mental welfare.

I am very grateful to Father Hawkswell for his generosity in agreeing to care for the parish, and for you all, at such short notice.

Your prayers are deeply appreciated — and I assure you of mine during my time away.

May God bless you all until we meet again!

Father Wilfred Gomes

*(emailed from Fr. Gomes on Nov 3, 2023)*

**PARISH ACTIVITIES & EVENTS**

<b>SAT— Nov 11</b>	<b>9:00 am</b>	<b>Remembrance Day Mass</b>
<b>TUE — Nov 21</b>	<b>6:30 pm</b>	<b>CWL Meeting—Special Guest (Peter Nobes)</b>
<b>SAT— Nov 25</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>	<b>Volunteer Appreciation Reception</b>
<b>MON — SAT</b>	<b>8:15 am — 8:30 am</b>	<b>MORNING PRAYERS</b>
<b>MON</b>	<b>10:00 AM</b>	<b>CATHOLIC FAITH IN PLAIN ENGLISH</b>
<b>TUE</b>	<b>7:00 PM</b>	<b>CHRISTIAN MEDITATION</b>
<b>WED</b>	<b>4:00 PM</b>	<b>MARIAN MOVEMENT CENACLE</b>
<b>WED</b>	<b>6:00 PM</b>	<b>PREP</b>
<b>THU</b>	<b>1:00 PM</b>	<b>CRAFT GROUP</b>
<b>THU</b>	<b>7:00 PM</b>	<b>ALPHA</b>
<b>THU</b>	<b>7:15 PM</b>	<b>RCIA</b>
<b>FRI</b>	<b>9:30 AM—4:00 PM</b>	<b>ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT</b>
<b>FRI</b>	<b>3:00 PM</b>	<b>DIVINE MERCY</b>
<b>1<sup>ST</sup> FRI</b>	<b>7:00 PM</b>	<b>PARISH HOLY HOUR</b>
<b>3<sup>RD</sup> SAT</b>	<b>9:30 AM</b>	<b>ST. PHILOMENA PRAYER GROUP</b>
<b>3<sup>RD</sup> SAT</b>	<b>6:30 PM</b>	<b>CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP</b>
<b>2<sup>ND</sup> SUN</b>	<b>10:30 AM</b>	<b>PARISH STUDENT MASS</b>

# News in and around the Parish

## MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, November 13  
9:00 am - † Don Grant

Tuesday, November 14  
9:00 am - *Sp. Int. of Anna Grant*

Wednesday, November 15  
*St. Albert the Great*  
9:00 am - *Sp. Int. of Arnold Shives*

Thursday, November 16  
*St. Margaret of Scotland*  
9:00 am - † Shu-Chi and Li-Chiao Lin

Friday, November 17  
*St. Elizabeth of Hungary*  
9:00 am - † Craig Rea

Saturday, November 18  
9:00 am - *St. Philomena*  
4:30 pm - † Carlos and Rosa Lugal

Sunday, November 19  
*33<sup>d</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
8:30 am - † Grantham Family  
10:30 am - *Parishioners*

## **VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION RECEPTION**

Thank you to all our St. Anthony's Parish volunteers!

You are vital to our parish community.

To recognize your efforts and to show our gratitude, the Parish Leadership Team invites you to join us on

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25,**

**7:00-9:00 P.M.**

**IN THE PARISH HALL**

If you volunteer in the parish, please come. Your spouse is invited to attend with you.

We look forward to seeing you there!



## **CATHOLIC STREET MISSIONARIES**

19th Nov is the World Day of the Poor declared by Pope Francis.

*"Do not turn your face from anyone who is poor" (Top 4:7)*

As the winter months are drawing near, would you be able to help with socks, toques or gloves for the homeless on our streets?

Donations may be placed in the box for Catholic Street Missionaries.

**Thank you for your generosity!**



## **PRO LIFE CHRISTMAS CARDS**

Stay in touch this Christmas! Check out our beautiful selection of Pro Life Christmas Cards.

They are available in the office  
**\$10 per pack.**

## **Holy Spirit Saturday**

**Session 6**  
**Saturday, Nov 18**  
**9:30 am to 4:00 pm**

St. Anthony's Parish



## **FAMILY GAMES DAY**

**SUNDAY, NOV 12**

**2:00-4:00 PM**

**IN THE PARISH HALL**

Join us for a lively and exciting afternoon of board games, card games and snacks.

Games and cards will be available, but feel free to bring your own.

Gloria will be offering "How to play Bridge"



## **PARISH STUDENT MASS**

St. Anthony's Parish will have the next Parish Student Mass on, November 12<sup>th</sup> AT 10:30AM. You are all welcome!



## **MEN'S SHELTER DONATION VOLUNTEER NEEDED**

We are looking for a volunteer who would like to coordinate this project. If you are interested please contact Elizabeth Holman at [reholman@telus.com](mailto:reholman@telus.com).

## **SECOND COLLECTION**

**HOME MISSIONS**

**November 19**

To support the 12 Catholic missions in First Nations communities throughout the Archdiocese, and the Apostleship of the Sea serving seafarers who work on ships that visit Vancouver harbour.

**[TO DONATE CLICK HERE](#)**



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## NOVEMBER MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

“BOOK OF LIFE”

You may write down on this Book the names of your deceased relatives and loved ones.

The book will be in the vestibule and all the intentions will be mentioned at the Masses in November.



## CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

SATURDAY, NOV 19, 6:30 PM

Please Join us in worshipping, reading the scriptures and praying. We pray for those who are sick, for our priests, for our families and for each other.

*Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth. Psalm 100:1*



## GARDENING THIS WEEKEND

We are looking for anyone wishing to help clean up the Parish and Rectory gardens. Chris Radziminski and Winfred van der Sande will be at the church on Monday, November 13 at 7:30 am.

Everyone is welcome! Free coffee!

## OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE CELEBRATION

TUESDAY, DEC 12 AT 6:30 PM

All are invited to the celebration of the feast day of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

MASS 6:30 PM

FOLLOWED BY MEXICAN INSPIRED  
POTLUCK

Sign up sheets available for food and volunteering.

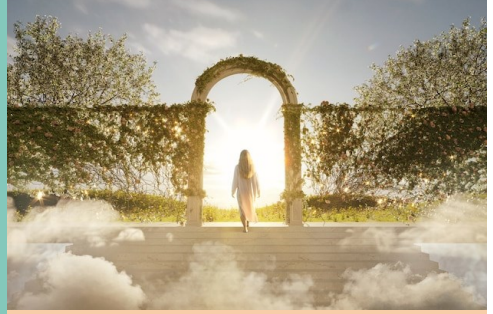


## ST. ANTHONY'S PARISH CENTENNIAL LOGO CONTEST

Do you feel inspired to create a logo for our wonderful Parish? The chosen logo will be displayed as part of our new website, letterhead, envelopes, bulletins, and social media.

All designs and ideas welcome!  
Prizes for first place and runner up.  
Submit your creative design by  
January 1, 2024.

For more information and to submit your design, send an email to the Centennial Committee via:  
[saintanthony.wvan@gmail.com](mailto:saintanthony.wvan@gmail.com)



## CATHOLIC FAITH IN PLAIN ENGLISH

Catholic Faith sessions every  
MONDAY at 10 am - 12 pm  
in the hall. Catholics & non-Catholics  
are welcome to join us even for a few  
sessions.

Session 12: Nov 20, 2023

DIVINE REVELATION



## CWL MASS & GUEST SPEAKER

TUESDAY, NOV 21, 6:30 PM

After the 6:30 pm Mass on Tuesday November 21st, Mr Peter Nobes, Director of Catholic Cemeteries for the Vancouver Archdiocese, will be presenting his workshop “LIFE WITHOUT END - Catholic Resources on Eternal Life, Meaningful Funerals and Sacred Burial”.

*The CWL invites parishioners and their family members to attend this 90 minute workshop/presentation.*

*There will be a sign up sheet at Masses this weekend.*

# PROJECT ADVANCE 2023

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## NORTH SHORE PRO-LIFE SOCIETY

NSPL Society invites you to attend our monthly Board meeting in St Anthony's Hobson Room on

**Monday, Nov 20th**  
starting at 7 PM.

Come to find out about Pro-Life formation of our North Shore youth, local pro-life activities you can be involved with, and our program that financially supports struggling pro-life families.

## OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

National Collection Week  
Nov. 13–19, 2023

The mission of Operation Christmas Child is to demonstrate God's love in a tangible way to children in need around the world. Through this project, Samaritan's Purse partners with the local church worldwide to share the Good News of Jesus Christ and make disciples of the nations.

[Learn More](#)

## ST. ANTHONY'S CENTENNIAL PHOTO DIRECTORY

As part of our 100th anniversary celebrations, we are thrilled to announce that we are organizing a parish photo directory! The directory will only contain photos and names, no other personal information.

We would love to have you, your family, and even your pets be a part of this special occasion. Everyone will receive a copy of the directory and a free 8"x10" photo.

**There is absolutely NO OBLIGATION to purchase photos.**

We still have a few appointments left for November, so hurry and register now!

Please, check the new schedule available for December.

Click below to register. If you need help, please call the parish office for assistance.

Thank you so much for participating. The directory won't be complete without you!

[REGISTER HERE](#)

## ST. EDMUND'S ADVENT RETREAT

Living, Celebrating and Proclaiming Our Faith - ADVENT RETREAT at St. Edmund's Parish, 545 Mahon Ave, North Vancouver.

**SATURDAY, DEC. 2, 2023**

4:30—Mass                      7:30—Talk 2  
5:30 - Exposition      8:30—Praise Fest  
6:15—Benediction      9:00—Fellowship  
6:45—Talk 1

## ST. THOMAS AQUINAS HIGH SCHOOL

### OPEN HOUSE

Nov 28 | 6:00 PM

Applications now open

Due December 1

[cdonavan@aquinas.org](mailto:cdonavan@aquinas.org)  
[aquinas.org](http://aquinas.org)

## POINSETTA ANNUAL SALE

DEADLINE NOVEMBER 15

PICK UP NOV 30 AND DEC 1

<https://>

[aquinas.growingsmilefundraising.com](http://aquinas.growingsmilefundraising.com)

## CATECHISTS' EVENING WITH ARCHBISHOP MILLER

Come and join the hundreds of catechists in the Archdiocese of Vancouver for this annual event where Archbishop Miller will honour, celebrate, thank, and give his annual exhortation to those involved in the catechetical ministry.

Doors open at 6 p.m. Cost is \$5. On Friday, November 17, at Holy Name of Jesus Parish in Vancouver.

**Registration deadline:**

**Monday, Nov 13.** Register at [beholdvancouver.org/events](http://beholdvancouver.org/events).



## IGNITE: CULTIVATING UNITED PRAYER ACROSS CANADA

*Ignite* is a two-part event focused on cultivating a culture of prayer in our churches, with an afternoon seminar and an evening public prayer and worship night. The seminar begins on Friday, November 17, at 2 p.m., followed by prayer ministry and a complimentary catered dinner.

**Registration until Friday, Nov 10.**

Register for free at [beholdvancouver.org/events](http://beholdvancouver.org/events).

## WHITE MASS FOR HEALTH CARE WORKERS

The Catholic Physician's Guild invites you to join the White Mass for Health Care Workers November 18 at 5:00 p.m. at Holy Rosary Cathedral in Vancouver. Mass is followed by dinner in the Rosary Hall beside the Cathedral.

Please purchase a ticket if you wish to join the dinner and presentation afterwards. Spouses and families welcome!

Register online at

[beholdvancouver.org/events](http://beholdvancouver.org/events)

