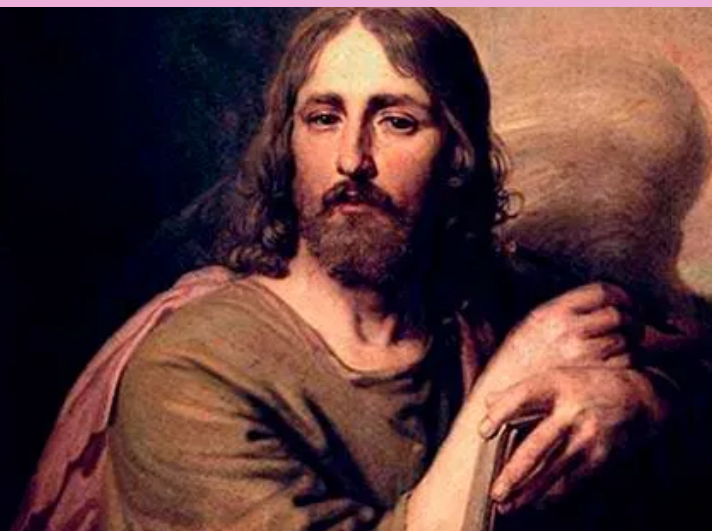


ST. AGNES ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH**ST. LUKE THE
EVANGELIST****October 18th**

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Pastor: Fr. Antonio Newton RodriguesEmail: newtonrodrigues@shaw.ca Mobile: (403) 795-6912Admin. Assistant / Bookkeeper: Sharon NeumillerEmail: stagnes@shaw.ca Mobile: (587) 777-0271Office: Mon - Fri. 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

(Call to confirm Father is available in case of emergencies.)

E-Transfer donations: Send to stagnes@shaw.ca**REFLECTIONS FOR WORLD MISSION MONTH**

The Evangelical passage of today emphasizes on the invitation to the wedding feast. The Old Testament promised a nuptial union between God and his people and the Gospel presents Jesus as the bridegroom of the eagerly awaited wedding (Mt 9:15). God invites, calls to the Kingdom, freely and largely. "He sent other servants again... Go out, therefore, into the main roads and invite to the feast whomever you find." This new sending symbolizes the Church's mission in the world and also, that in the Church, the wheat and the chaff merge. Now, a guest is not dressed in "a wedding garment" or his "Sunday best." He should have changed, in other words, he should have converted himself. Pope Francis reminds us that: "Missionary conversion remains the principal goal that we must set for ourselves as individuals and as a community." In his homily for Sunday of the Word of God, Pope Francis explains that the Word of God, which is addressed to everyone and calls us to conversion, makes us heralds. Indeed, Jesus walks along the shore of the Sea of Galilee and calls Simon and Andrew, two brothers who were fishermen. With his Word he invites them to follow him, telling them that he will make them "fishers of men" (Mt. 4:19), experts in seeking others. And just as in sailing and fishing they had learned to leave the shore and cast their nets into the deep, in the same way they would become apostles capable of sailing upon the open seas of the world, of going out to meet their brothers and sisters and proclaiming the joy of the Gospel. Let us feel that we are called by Jesus in person to proclaim his Word, to bear witness to it in everyday life. This is our mission: to become seekers of the lost, oppressed and discouraged, to bring them the consolation and the light of the Word. Jesus said: Go! (cf. Pope Francis, Homily for January 22, 2023).

SACRAMENT TIMESMasses:

Saturday	5:00 pm
Sunday	10:00 am
Tues. & Wed.	6:30pm
Thurs., Fri. & Sat.	9:00 am

Confession:

Saturday	4:00 pm
or by appointment	

Adoration

Wednesday	7:00 pm
First Friday	9:30 am

Rosary

20 min. before masses

PARISH MINISTRIES

Lector Schedule

10:00am

Oct 15 Deyne & Toryn

Oct 22 Karin & Fran

Oct 29 Pat & Lynn

Church Cleaners

Crystal (403)827-9353

Oct 17 Shirley

Oct 27 Loree Sheehan Family

Altar Serving

Contact Fr. Newton

Bethany (Didsbury)

Oct 18, 2023 10:30 am

Family Fun Night (Potluck)

October 14 6:00 pm

Music Ministry

Crystal (403)827-9353

Chantal

chantal.a.barry@gmail.com

Parish Council Meeting

October 26, 2023 7:00pm

Confirmation Session

Oct 22 at 11:15am (Rec. Bsmt.)

Faith Formation

Pierrette

Tuesdays at 7:00 pm

YOUTH CHOIR

November , 2023 at the 5:00pm Mass.

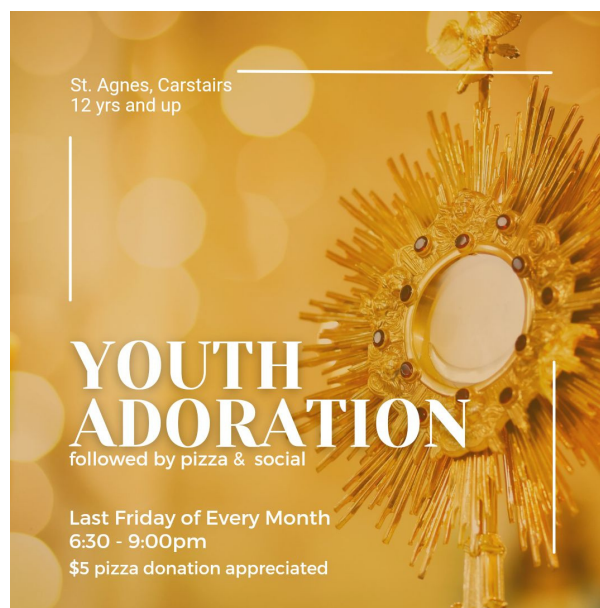
Youth (10 yrs and older) are invited to join the St. Agnes Youth Choir. Please contact Chantal at chantal.a.barry@gmail.com if interested.

PARISH CLEANING INITIATIVE

Thank you for all who were able to come help with the
Fall major clean up day!

The cleaning committee is asking for parish families to consider committing to assist in cleaning the church by offering 2 or 4 hours a year for a regular Friday cleaning.

Contact Crystal at crystaljoycampbell@gmail.com



FAMILY FUN NIGHT POTLUCK

All parishioners are welcome to a potluck and games night on November , 2023 at 6:00 pm in the rectory basement.

LADIES AFTER DARK: 18+ SOCIAL TIME

Next meet up is Wednesday, Oct 18 . You are invited to join us for 6:30 pm Mass and adoration followed by gathering at a pub.
Contact: Crystal or Karin

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION FOR OCTOBER 2023

FOR THE SYNOD

We pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world.

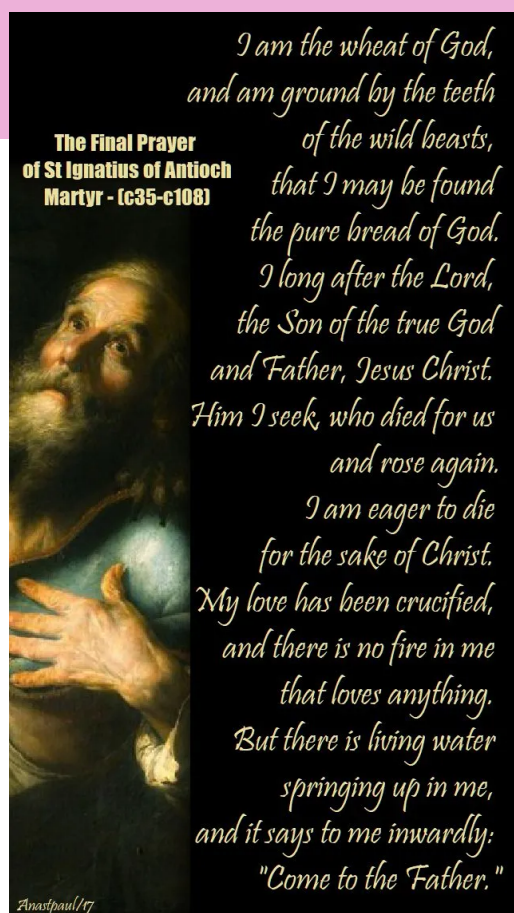
WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Oct 14	05:00 pm	Repose Soul of Marie Garland
Oct 15	10:00 am	For the Parishioners (Pro Populo)
Oct 16	06:30 pm	Special Int. of Fr. Newton Rodrigues
Oct 17	06:30 pm	Rep. Soul of Idalina Oliveira
Oct 18	09:00 am	Rep. Soul of Emma Faleiro
Oct 19	09:00 am	Rep. Soul of Courtney Stroeder (10th Anniversary)
Oct 20	09:00 am	Rep. Soul of Norbert Faleiro
Oct 21	05:00 pm	For the Parishioners (Pro Populo)
Oct 22	10:00 am	For the parishioners (Pro Populo)

LOCAL COMMUNITY PRAYER INTENTIONS

ANYONE WAITING TO ASK FOR THEIR CATHOLIC COMMUNITY TO PRAY FOR THEM OR FOR SPECIAL INTENTIONS MAY CALL THE PARISH OFFICE AND YOUR REQUEST WILL BE ADDED TO THE BULLETIN, FOR FREE. IF YOU WISH, YOU MAY REQUEST TO HAVE YOUR INTENTION PRAYED FOR ANONYMOUSLY, PLEASE SPECIFY THIS UPON CALLING THE OFFICE TO AVOID PRINTED NAMES.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE
INTENTIONS OF:
MIKE WATSON
ROSANNA M.
ANDREA RÉBILLARD



DAILY MASS READINGS

Oct 15	Isaiah 25.6-10a; Philippians 4.12-14, 19-20; Matthew 22.1-14	(28th Sun. O.T.)
Oct 16	Romans 1.1-7; Luke 11.29-32	(St. Marie-Marguerite D'Youville, M)
Oct 17	Romans 1.16-25; Luke 11.37-41	(St. Ignatius of Antioch, M)
Oct 18	2 Timothy 4.9-17a; Luke 10.1-9	(St. Luke, F)
Oct 19	Romans 3.21-30; Luke 11.47-54	
Oct 20	Romans 4.1-8; Luke 12.1-7	
Oct 21	Romans 4.13, 16-18; Luke 12.8-12	
Oct 22	Isaiah 45.1, 4-6; 1 Thess. 1.1-5ab; Matthew 22.15-21	(29th Sun. O.T.)



St. Marguerite d'Youville
 teach us to listen,
 in the silence of our hearts,
 to the God of Mercy
 and Compassion,
 that we, too,
 may be signs of God's love
 to all people of our world.
 Amen.

DIOCESAN EVENTS AND NEWS

2023 LIKE A MIGHTY RIVER CONFERENCE

"And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times,
 having all that you need, you will abound in every good work."

2 Corinthians 9:8



GOD IS MORE THAN ABLE

October 20, 2023, 6:30 pm-9:00 pm

October 21, 2023, 9:00 am-4:30 pm

Venue:

St. Luke's Parish, 1566
 Northmount Dr.
 NW, Calgary

Individual Rate:

- \$35. If registered before Sept 30
- \$40. After Sept 30

Family Rate:

- (up to a family of 5: includes 2 adults and 3 children only under 18 years of age)
- \$70. If registered before Sept 30
 - \$80. After Sept 30

Modes of Payment:

Cash, Cheques to: Calgary Catholic Charismatic Renewal Society
 Mailed to: Unit 663, 235, 3545 32 Avenue N.E., Calgary AB T1Y 6M6
 E-Transfers: treasurer@cccrcs.com



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 Pastor of St. Thomas More Parish | Spiritual Director, Calgary Catholic Charismatic Renewal Society



Rev. Fabio Vieira de Souza
 Pastor of Our Lady of Fatima Parish



Rev. Gabriel Arihi
 Foothills Hospital Chaplaincy



Deacon Stephen Robinson
 St. Peter's Parish

FALL PASTORAL CARE MINISTRY TRAINING:

The Diocese is offering Pastoral Care Ministry Training for those called to assist their parish in a healing ministry to the sick, elderly, dying, homebound and bereaved members. This workshop is for both new or those previously trained in Pastoral Care Ministry.

Sessions:

Saturday, November 11 (9:00 am to 4:00 pm); November 25 (9:00 am to 4:00 pm)

Registration Fee: \$50/person. Covers training cost, Handbook for Ministers, Communion of the Sick Ritual, materials, lunch and refreshments.

[Fee will not be a deterrent. Please contact Anthony at the Pastoral Centre (403) 667-0637; anthony.banka@calgarydiocese.ca, to make other arrangements.]

<https://www.catholicyc.ca/pastoralcare.html>

For registration, email: ccersevents@gmail.com

You may also reach out to: Kanthi Seneviratne: (403) 455-6952
 Makina Aratt: (403) 336-5973
 Joyce Simoes: (587) 700-5172
 Deacon Alex Martínez Lievano: (587) 894-5314

