# Welcome to St. Anthony's Parish

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# ASCENSION OF THE LORD, May 16, 2021

also serving the Catholic communities of Mayerthorpe and Evansburg

## 🗣 God has gone up with a shout, the Lord with the sound of a trumpet. (Psalm 47) 🍋

### PARISH STAFF

Rev. Jaya Rajan JM, SAC, Pastor ...... 542-5254 Christine Horne, Secretary ...... 542-5254

## PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday - Friday: 10am-1pm & 2-5pm <u>PLEASE NOTE</u>: all bulletin inserts must be into the parish office on/by Tuesday <u>IN WRITING</u>.

## EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Every Friday of the month, 10am - 7pm

(1<sup>st</sup> Fridays - Prayers for Vocations) For more info. contact Corinne Lindsay - 780-202-3872 or Hazel Bustin - 780-542-2092.

SCHOOL N E W S

#### Check out what's happening in our Catholic Schools at www.starcatholic.ab.ca

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

is available on Tuesdays from 6 - 6:30PM and on Saturdays from 4-4:30PM.

## **CRISIS PREGNANCY**

If you or anyone you know is experiencing a crisis pregnancy, please call 1-800-665-0570 or anyone who is experiencing psychological and/or physical pain after an abortion, please call 1-877-59-PEACE

## PARISH MINISTRY CONTACTS

Sharon MacLellan, Volunteer Coordinator	542-5019
Education / Formation:	
Alpha - Albert Orban	
Baptism Prep Kathy Richard	898-7430
Catholic Media CDs - parish office	. 542-5254
Confirmation Prep Angela Horne	
Elijah Cup for Vocations - Jay Edwards	
Regnum Christi / Familia - Annette Kos	
Families of Nazareth - Karen Bunney	
Natural Family Planning - (Diocesan Family Ministries)	
	403-1010
or go to <u>Natural Family Planning</u>	E40 2027
Respect for Life Rep Cecile Hilts	542-3937
R.C.I.A Anita Linner	. 542-3976
- Vince & Theresa Holden	
R.C.I.C Kathy Goentzel	241-0779
1 <sup>st</sup> Reconciliation/Communion Prep Cecile Hilts	542-3937
Liturgy / Worship:	
Altar Servers - Jay Edwards	542-6699
Children's Liturgy - Joyleen Clarke	
Greeters - Ron and Michele Benoit	
Inside Sacristans - Annette Kos	
Mass Ministries scheduling - Anita Linner	
Ministers of Holy Communion - Diana McQueen	898-9617
Music Ministry - Anne Murphy	
Readers (Lectors) - Cecile Hilts	
Rosary - Marie Leniuk	542-5606
Together We Serve Rep Michele Benoit	621-0754
Ushers - Speedo Frère	388-0013
Youth:	
Holy Trinity Academy - Principal - Jamie Beauchamp	621-5735
Ct. Anthony: Colored Dringing Trick Malage	021-5735
St. Anthony School - Principal - Trish Molzan	
Youth Band - John Manning	542-1539
Other:	
Awaso Academy - Ghana - Betty Frey	542-5782
Catering - Gertrude Weiss	542-5174
Catholic Women's League - Lois Pankewicz	. 542-5068
Finance Council - Tim Kjorlien	
Food Bank - phone for appt.	
Knights of Columbus - Arnold Richard	
Maintenance - Wendell Smith	
Ministry To The Sick - Marie Leniuk	
Pastoral Council - Tim LaForest	
Prayer Chain - Art & Betty Frey	
Prayer Shawl Ministry - Marie-Jeanne Blanchard	. 542-2744



**NEW IN OUR PARISH? WELCOME!** We want you to feel "AT HOME" in our parish community. Also, we'd like to **know** that you are here. **Registration forms are available in the church entrance on the bulletin board.** Please drop the forms off at the parish office or in the collection basket. If you would like **collection envelopes**, **please indicate so on the form**, or contact the parish office. The Rosary is prayed ½ hr. before every Mass please join us!

### Hospital Visiting and Visiting Shangri-la Lodge Residents

Please remember to keep our seniors and those in the hospital in your prayers, until we are able to schedule regular visiting times again.

#### Please note:

If you know of any Catholic who is a patient in the local hospital, please contact Christine at the parish office and they will be visited by our priest if possible.

# THE POPE'S MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTIONS -

#### MAY 2021 THE WORLD OF FINANCE

Let us pray that those in charge of finance will work with governments to regulate the financial sphere and protect citizens from its dangers.

#### read the reflection

#### Also check out THE POPE VIDEO

- this is a global initiative developed by the Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network that features a different video message from the Pope each month.

### **TEXT TO SAVE A LIFE**

#### What a simple but effective tool!

There is nothing more powerful than prayer. Please join the ALIES and the *Back Porch* in prayer. Whenever a pregnant client is considering all of her options, let's pray for her and her child.

Text "BACKPORCH" to 555-888 to sign up. (Your phone number will be kept confidential, and will only be used for the purposes of this program.) For more events and opportunities near you please visit: https://www.alies.ca/

#### EnCourage

EnCourage is an apostolate which provides pastoral care for families and friends of people who experience same-sex attraction and/or gender dysphoria.

For more information contact Father Joseph Vadassery at Joseph.Vadassery@caedm.ca.

# The Lord Is Risen! Alleluia! Alleluia!

## **MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS**

SATURDAY, May 15, 2021: 5:00PM For Aubrey, Roman & Charlotte Thiel - their parents ASCENSION OF THE LORD, May 16, 2021:

11:30AM For all our parishioners - Fr. Jaya Rajan SAC MONDAY (private) For Art Frey (b) - his family TUESDAY - 7PM + Pierre & Celine Tapsoba - T. Ouedraogo WEDNESDAY - 7PM For Taren Ochsner - C. Hiatt THURSDAY (private) For Serge & Georgette Dalpe - D. Boulanger FRIDAY - 7PM + All souls in purgatory - F. Blanchard family SATURDAY, May 22, 2021:

5:00PM For Luzvininda Yamog - A. Orban family PENTECOST SUNDAY, May 23, 2021:

11:30AM For all our parishioners - Fr. Jaya Rajan SAC

NOTE: the Weekend Mass time at St. Elizabeth's Parish in Evansburg is every Saturday at 7PM & at St. Agnes Parish in Mayerthorpe on Sunday at 9AM.

### PARISH PRAYER CHAIN

Please phone your prayer requests to Art & Betty Frey (Coordinators) @ 780-542-5782. If you cannot reach them, please call alternate Angela Horne @ 780-621-0442.

Anyone interested in being part of an <u>email prayer chain</u>, please contact Angela Horne @ <u>robhorne@telus.net</u>. This is an extension of the original prayer chain and the same prayers are requested but by email instead of by phone.

"First of all, then, I urge that petitions, prayers, requests and thanksgivings be offered to God for all people." (1 Timothy 2:1)

#### A PRAYING PARISH IS A CARING PARISH

#### **MASS REGISTRATION re: Newest Restrictions**

Well once again we are having to revise how we can facilitate getting as many people as possible to Mass each week to receive Jesus, while still adhering to the latest restrictions put forth by our government for the next 3 weeks.

Since we are now **only allowed to have 15 persons per Mass**, we have decided on the following guidelines to help us through this:

- Everyone will have to pre-register to attend every Mass.
- Each person will be allowed to attend <u>one Mass per week only</u>, and, to be fair, <u>one weekend Mass</u> in these next three weeks.
- If you are able, we ask that you register for a weekday Mass, leaving the 30 spots on the weekend open for those who cannot attend during the week due to their job.
- If you are a lector, perhaps check with the 'Point of Entry' person to make sure they have a reader for that Mass.
- As another viable option, we invite the faithful to join celebrations of the Mass 'virtually,' via video livestreaming online.

As always, thank you for your patience, prayers and selfless generosity! ©

#### Be sure to check out our parish subscription to that amazing Catholic faith resource - FORMED - The Catholic Faith. On demand

Get thousands of movies, programs, audio, and books instantly. You will be amazed at what is available to you for all ages! You now have free access through our parish website. Just go to the Quick Links and click on "Formed - Online Catechism", or just click on this link: http://stantparishdv.com/formed---online-catechism.html and follow the directions.

When selecting your parish, be sure to type in "St. Anthony's Catholic Church" and you will see our Drayton Valley address pop up so you'll know you have the right one. Continue following the directions and they will send you a link to your email address for your free access. And ENJOY!!!