

ST. ANSELM'S PARISH

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SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

INDONESIAN CATHOLIC COMMUNITY (UKI)

Sunday Mass: 2:00 p.m.

(Second & Fourth Sundays of the Month)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday through Friday: 8:15 a.m.

Saturday: 11:30 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

By appointment – Course Required

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Arrangements 12 months in advance

Marriage Course is required

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

MEDITATION GROUP

Meets in the Parish Hall Tuesday at 8:45 a.m.

PRAYER GROUP

Meets in the Griffin Room Thursday at 1:00 p.m.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday: 1:00 p.m.– 4:00 p.m.

Tuesday – Friday: 9:00am – noon;

1:00 p.m.– 4:00 p.m.

St. Anselm's School

182 Bessborough Drive

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416-393-5243

Mass Intentions for Week

Monday, May 13th, 8:15 a.m.
 Dermot Christopher
 Requested by Christina Christopher

Tuesday, May 14th, 8:15 a.m.
 Nora Ryan
 Requested by Theresa Ryan

Wednesday, May 15th, 8:15 a.m.
 Dominador Tambagahan
 Requested by Jolina Tambagahan

Thursday, May 16th, 8:15 a.m.
 Conchita Cutamora
 Requested by Jolina Tambagahan

Friday, May 17th, 8:15 a.m.
 For Peace and Care for Creation
 Requested by EcoAnselm



Candidates will receive the sacrament of Confirmation during the 5:00 p.m. Mass on Saturday, May 25th.

"The Francis Impact" documentary premieres on Salt+Light TV

The latest film by St. Anselm parishioner Sebastian Gomes tells the stories of ordinary people around the world who have been impacted by Pope Francis. They are stories of empowerment, unexpected collaboration and deep transformation, in the areas of ecology, migration, inter-faith dialogue and pastoral reform. Catch it on Salt+Light TV:

May 11, 8pm ET | 5pm & 9pm PT
 May 12, 12am & 12:30pm ET | 9:30 am PT
 May 17, 8pm ET | 5pm & 9pm PT
 May 18, 12am & 12:30pm ET | 9:30 am PT
 More info: TheFrancisImpact.com

Share...Life!

Living the Gospel by helping those with addictions
 It had been two years since Adam spoke in full sentences. When he moved into Covenant House's housing program, he would only say a word or two. Over time, a youth worker succeeded at connecting with Adam and he gradually opened up. Adam finished high school and joined a mentorship program, setting his sights on a career in computer science. With his new voice and positive relationships, his future is open to so many possibilities.

**June 2 is ShareLife Sunday.
 Please give generously.**

**SUNNYBROOK SPEAKER SERIES
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NUTRITION ADVICE EVERYONE CAN USE**

DATE: WED., MAY 29th, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.
LOCATION: McLaughlin Auditorium
 Bayview Campus, E Wing, Ground Floor
 2075 Bayview Ave.
 Free Admission; Free Parking (Garage One)
 You are invited to an evening discussion on "What's new in Nutrition?"

Leading Sunnybrook experts will discuss:

- Canada's New Food Guide 101
- Diets in the Headlines
- Beyond the Plate – Impactful Tips & Tricks

Please RSVP your attendance by May 27th to speaker.series@sunnybrook.ca or 416-480-4117



NOTICE The parish office will open at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday, May 14th due to an off-site seminar.

There is no morning Mass on Saturday, May 18th.



PARISH SUPPORT

Last weekend, the parish collection was \$6,976, which includes a PAG amount of \$4,359.

CHECK IT OUT! Our parish is now on TWITTER. Follow us @StAnselmChurch



For the sick who have asked for our prayers, especially Bishop Bob Kasun, Mary Hanna, Rachel Moxam, Shirley Rouleau and Terry McIntosh, that the healing love and consolation of God may surround them and bring them strength in their illness, we pray...

Group "A" casseroles will be due NEXT WEEKEND, May 18/19 (Victoria Day weekend). If you know you will be away, please contact the parish office ahead of time. We can accept your casserole and provide you with a new pan and lid. Thank you for your commitment to the ministry of feeding the hungry.



St. Anselm's Ecology Group
Encyclical Letter of the Holy Father Francis
Laudato Si'
Chapter One

What is Happening to Our Common Home?
V. Global Inequality

50. Instead of resolving the problems of the poor and thinking of how the world can be different, some can only propose a reduction in the birth rate. At times, developing countries face forms of international pressure which make economic assistance contingent on certain policies of "reproductive health." Yet "while it is true that an unequal distribution of the population and of available resources creates obstacles to development and a sustainable use of the environment, it must nonetheless be recognized that demographic growth is fully compatible with an integral and shared development." To blame population growth instead of extreme and selective consumerism on the part of some, is one way of refusing to face the issues. It is an attempt to legitimize the present model of distribution, where a minority believes that it has the right to consume in a way which can never be universalized, since the planet could not even contain the waste products of such consumption. Besides, we know that approximately a third of all food produced is discarded, and "whenever food is thrown out it is as if it were stolen from the table of the poor." Still, attention needs to be paid to imbalances in population density, on both national and global levels, since a rise in consumption would lead to complex regional situations, as a result of the interplay between problems linked to environmental pollution, transport, waste treatment, loss of resources and quality of life.

Pope Francis

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Yearning to Belong

"No one will snatch them out of my hand."



Everyone has a story. Where has your need to belong taken you? Has your search left you peaceful or discontented? Only God understands the yearnings of your heart. Only God can match your deep longing for him with an even deeper

longing for you. In today's Gospel, Jesus tells us

just how much he yearns for each one of us. Sit with Jesus, the Good Shepherd, and hear him call your name. Journey within and listen to his soothing voice tell you that you already belong: "My sheep hear my voice. I know them and they follow me. I give them eternal life and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand" (10:27-28). Find your innermost place. There you will recognize the unique cadence and texture of God's way of speaking to you and calling your name.

The first way into that place in your heart is through the door of your natural gifts. Listen to what your true friends say about you. Which gifts do they most often mention? These gifts express your essence, the "who" of you that cannot be taken away or lost.

The second way to your innermost place is the door of your childhood dreams. When you were young and innocent, what did you dream of becoming — a baker, a teacher, a doctor, a sailor? Childhood dreams contain the first echo of the voice of God. Uncover your dreams. Enflesh them. Dare to live them. They will connect you to God and to other people.

Third, find your identity in your experience of need. In times of trial and sorrow, where do you draw strength? When all else seems lost, what keeps you together? Is it your humour, your determination, your grace or your adaptability? Facing adversity is the work of the innermost heart and it reveals us to ourselves. We do this work in the place where the voice of God is calling us by name. God is Creator. God fashions you from your desires, the multicolored threads of your strengths and weaknesses, hopes and fears, and from these weaves your existence. By exploring your gifts, your dreams, your suffering and failures, you will find yourself and uncover God within you. The challenge is that we human beings have such a terrifying need to belong that we often panic and self-destruct. The good news is that you belong to Jesus, the Good Shepherd. In him you will find your way home. All you have to do is listen to the voice of God already present within you.

For all who have shepherded us, especially parents, pastors, teachers, and mentors, that God may continue to work through them with love and strength...Lord, hear our prayer...

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