

04 SEPTEMBER 2016

YOUTH CORNER

"God loves each of us as if there were only one of us." -- St. Augustine

Welcome back St. Anthony Youth!

EDGE starts on Friday Sept 30 and Lifeteen starts on Oct 1.

Charity concert on Friday, Sept 23 !

Please help St Anthony youth ministry celebrate our parish's 40th Anniversary while supporting two awesome charities.

Tickets are a \$10 minimum donation at the office or contact Yolanda at paduayouth@gmail.com. Chris Bray will be our visiting band.

Sept 10th and 11th - EDGE and Lifeteen registration, a cupcake fundraiser, and concert ticket sales in the church foyer.

Attention Attention all students!
Bring your **backpacks** with you to any Mass on Sunday, September 11th –or- the Saturday 5:00pm Mass on Sept. 10th and Fr. Joseph will bless the backpacks! ☺

Tutoring Program:

Will resume on October 15, 2016. . . . Saturdays, from 3:00PM to 4:00PM.

Note: More Volunteer teachers are always needed – please see Fr. Joseph

Confirmation for students in grade 7 or older attending public or private schools – or students in Catholic secondary schools who have not yet been confirmed: pick up a registration form at the church office. Come to the Saturday 5pm Masses and preparation classes on Nov.19, Nov. 26, Dec. 3 and Dec.10, 2016.

First Holy Communion/First Reconciliation for children in grade 2 or older attending public or private schools – or students in Catholic schools older than grade 2 who have not yet received First Holy Communion: Parents please pick up a registration form at the church office. Classes are Saturdays 24 Sep.2016 to 27 May 2017.

Parent Meetings for students in our parish Catholic Elementary Schools:

First Holy Communion parent meeting is on September 19 at 7pm.
Confirmation parent meeting is on September 22 at 7pm.

Road construction begins...If using the **school parking lot**, please **enter from the North Park entrance**. NOTE: The silver gate at the school will be closed in order to avoid unsafe throughway traffic. Please be attentive and patient! Obey ALL SIGNS.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Sunday, September 4, 2016

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:15a.m. Paul Lyttle

9:30a.m. †Marlene Gomes

11:00a.m. †Mary Varghese

12:30p.m. Sengale family Thanksgiving

Monday, September 5, 2016

Ferial; Labour Day

9:00a.m. †Dieu Pham

Tuesday, September 6, 2016

Ferial

9:00a.m. blessing for Johan

7:00p.m. †Marjorie Ramond

†Dora Sequeira

†Lynette Brown

†Marlene Gomes

†Lender Rodrigo & †Emily Fernando

†Rita Maria Arcanja Silveira

Gudy & Bruce Sato in Thanksgiving

St. Anthony in Thanksgiving

Thomson Maiju

Wednesday, September 7, 2016

Ferial

9:00a.m. †Sabina Noronha

Thursday, September 8, 2016

Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9:00a.m. †Caterina & Eugenio Moscon

Friday, September 9, 2016

St. Peter Claver

9:00 a.m. †Mary Ann Farrugia

Saturday, September 10, 2016

Our Lady's Saturday

9:00a.m. Joe Gomes in Thanksgiving

5:00p.m. †Mary Susan Romano

PRAY FOR THE SICK:

James 5:13:20

Jovita (Gloria) Fermin Derek Woods
George Wannappa Lilit Zekulin
Samantha Hearn Paul Lyttle
Edwina Fraser Lenny Naluz
Joseph Quinn
Emmanuel Sebastiampillai

ATTENTION ALL "CAREGIVERS"

Our first meeting after the summer break will be on **Wednesday, September 7 @ 7 p.m.**
Looking forward to seeing all of you!



R.C.I.A.

(Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

JOURNEY IN FAITH. . . Tuesdays 7-9 pm

If you or someone you know....

Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic;

Was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist?

Would like to learn more about the Catholic faith?

The R.C.I.A. sessions focus on the teachings and traditions of the Church. They will help you along your faith journey to develop a real, living and dynamic relationship with Jesus Christ and to come into communion with his mystical body, the Church.

Classes begin *Tuesday, September 13 at 7pm* in the parish centre.

Now is the time to invite a friend or loved one to grow in their faith and receive the graces given in the sacraments.

Contact *Pauline Murphy* at the Parish Office for more information.

The Office of Formation for Discipleship is pleased to be offering once again the **MINISTER OF CARE TRAINING**, known as **"CAREGIVERS"** here at St. Anthony's Parish. It will be held in the Parish Centre beginning **Thursday, September 22 - December 8, 2016 from 7-9 pm.**

This program incorporates skills development, personal growth and faith development, discernment of personal gifts, and commitment to bring our gifts into service to our community.

Some of the topics which will be covered include:

- * Introduction to Catholic Social Teaching; Foundations of Ministry;
- * Introduction to Active Listening Skills;
- * Spirituality and Prayer; Empathy;
- * Assertive Ministry; Social Service/Social Action; Charity/Justice;
- * Ministry of Presence;
- * Understanding sickness and suffering

For further details, please see our bulletin or contact Pauline Murphy in the church office. Registration forms are in the church foyer.

****ATTENTION ALL GROUPS USING THE PARISH CENTRE 2016/2017****

All Groups are required to adhere to the Kitchen and Parish Centre Use guideline that is posted. Please notify all members of your group.

NOTE: All Groups run the risk of being bumped or cancelled, if necessary, with or without notice.

Adoration Lamps

Tuesday, 6th September

No names noted at time of printing

Cost of lamps \$10 in remembrance



The Holy Family statue will be welcomed in the home of the Enwesi family for the upcoming week. The statue must be returned to the church by noon on the following Saturday.

For St. Anthony of Padua parishioners to receive the Holy Family statue in your home, please call the church office.

LifeChain Sunday

Sunday 2nd October 2016 from 2pm-3pm from Gage Park to Shoppers World. Details to follow next week.

HELP NEEDED

One of our elderly parishioners requires a Personal Support Worker (PSW) daily any time between 5-10pm for one hour. This is a volunteer position. If you are able to help, please contact Pauline in the church office. Thank you.

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Young Adult Ministry

If you are 18 - 35 and would like to know more about this new group, please contact Yolanda at paduayouth@gmail.com