Mass Intentions

Saturday, Oct. 31

5:00 p.m. ✞ Anne Margaret McGovern *by Kathy Milne-Day*
S.I. of Kathy Milne-Day *by Janet Cooper*

Sunday, Nov. 1 SOLEMNITY: ALL SAINTS

9:00 a.m. ✞ Manuel & Norma Ocampo & Virgilio Ignacio *by Joann Ocampo*
Missa Pro Populo (For the People of the Parish)
11:00 a.m. S.I. of Fr. Thomas Manninezhath *by Casiano Family*

Monday, Nov. 2 ALL SOULS' DAY
The commemoration of all the faithful departed
7:00 p.m. S.I. of Fr. Thomas Manninezhath by Trillium Team

Tuesday, Nov. 3
7:00 p m. Living & Deceased members of the K. of C. Council # 7160

Wednesday, Nov 4

9:00 a m. S.I. of Arcadio Glipo *by Glipo Family*

Thursday, Nov 5
7:00 p m. S.I. of Kerry Lazalita *by Suzett Calaramo*

Friday, Nov 6 ADORATION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT
with an opportunity for confession
9:00 a m. Souls in Purgatory *by Tracy Husk*

Saturday, Nov. 7

5:00 p.m. ✞ Jim Faubert *by Mary Faubert*
S.I. of Billy Nuguit *by Nuguit Family*

Sunday, Nov. 8 32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:00 a.m. ✞ Len & Larry Whelan by *Jean & Donna Fredette*
Missa Pro Populo (For the People of the Parish)
11:00 a.m. ✞ C. R. George by *Aranjo Family*
S.I. of Marc Glipo *by Glipo Family*

LITURGY OF THE WORD
2025-2026

SUNDAY: YEAR A
WEEKDAY - YEAR 1

First Reading:*(Revelation 7.2-4, 9-14)*
Here we have a vision of the victorious followers of Christ rejoicing in his presence in the heavenly Kingdom.

Second Reading: *(1 John 3.1-3)*
In his love for us, God has made us his children and destined us one day to see him as he is. We should live a life that is consistent with this great hope.

Gospel: *(Matthew 5.1-12a)*
Jesus talks about the qualities he wishes to see in his disciples, qualities that are exemplified in the lives of the saints.

ALL SAINTS DAY- November 1st

Come and celebrate the Holy Mass at **9 a.m. or 11m. am**. for all the Saints of the Church and all those who have attained heaven.

ALL SOULS DAY-November 2nd

The Mass will be celebrated at
9:00 a.m.
in commemoration of all the faithful departed.



Thank you for your support
OFFERTORY October 25, 2026

Envelopes: $1,395.00, E-transfer: $465.00, non-envelopes: $268.05
World Mission Sunday Collection: $1,780.00

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"IF HE AND SHE CAN, WHY CAN'T I?"- SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS

Rev 7: 2-4,9-14; I Jn 3: 1; Mt 5: 1-12

The Solemnity of All Saints in the church is intended to honor the memory of countless unknown and uncanonized saints who have no feast days. They are baptized Christians who have died and are now with God in glory. Today, we thank God for giving ordinary men and women a share in His holiness and heavenly glory as a reward for their faith-filled deeds. May our reflection on the heroic lives and the imitation of their lifestyle enable us to hear from our Lord the solemn announcement about receiving the reward for the good we have done in the world: "Well done, good and faithful servant! Enter the joys of your master" (Mt. 25:21).

The first reading (Rev 7: 2-4,9-14) is the vision of saints in their heavenly glory. In the second reading (1Jn 3: 1-3) the Apostle John remarks: "See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and so, we are" (I Jn 3: 1). The Gospel (Mt 5: 1-12) is about the Beatitudes. Saints are the people who walked the hard and narrow path of the Beatitudes to arrive at their Heavenly bliss. These holy men and women most perfectly manifested the Christ-like character described in the first part of the beatitudes (who mourn, who hunger, who are persecuted), and who therefore now partake of the promises in the second part: "Theirs is the kingdom of heaven."

The church reminds us today that God's call for holiness is universal, that all of us are called to live in His love and to make His love real in the lives of those around us. We grow in holiness when we live a life of integrity, truth, justice, charity, mercy, and compassion, sharing our blessings with others. Today we are reminded that they were the people who lived their lives to the full despite their own joys and sorrows.

They encourage us to have faith and hope and live a life based on them under all situations in life. As good teachers, they teach us by their lives that Christ's holy life of love, mercy, and unconditional forgiveness can, with the grace of God, be lived by ordinary people from all walks of life and at all times. They help us understand that our lives are not for ourselves but for others.

Three women saints, all having the same name, teach us the 'shortcuts' they practiced becoming perfect in the sight of God. St. Teresa of Jesus /Avila is telling us to recharge our spiritual batteries every day by prayer, namely, listening to God and talking to Him. St. Therese of Child Jesus / Lisieux's short cut is to convert every action into prayer by offering it to God for His glory and for the salvation of souls and by doing God's will to the best of our ability. Mother Teresa's shortcut is to do ordinary things with great love - do something beautiful for God.

The saints are not simply a distant memory; rather, they live on through what they have done, witnessed and contributed to the 'treasury of spiritual tradition'. All Saints Day leaves for us a challenge as well. We need to accept the challenge of becoming saints and is possible even today. In our context we have inspiring examples of saints Mother Theresa, St. Carlo Acutis and St. Pier Giorgio Frassati. Jesus exhorts us: "Be made perfect as your Heavenly Father is Perfect" (Mt 5:48). All Saints' Day makes us reflect on a challenge raised by St. Augustine who asked: "If he and she can become saints, why can't I?" (*Si iste et ista, cur non ego).*

May God bless all of us
Father Thomas Manninezhath, CMI

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Our Book of Life is displayed in the Sanctuary by the Paschal candle.
As a parish we will pray for those remembered in our Book of Life during Masses in the month of November.
Names of deceased family members, friends and loved ones can be added at any time from now until the end of November.

ALL SAINTS' DAY: NOVEMBER 1

All baptized Christians who have died and are now with God in glory are considered saints. All Saints' Day is intended to honor the memory of countless unknown and uncanonized saints who have no feast days. Today we thank God for giving ordinary men and women a share in His holiness and Heavenly glory as a reward for their Faith. This feast is observed to teach us to honor the saints, both by imitating their lives and by seeking their intercession for us before Christ, the only mediator between God and man (I Tm 2:5). The Church reminds us today that God's call for holiness is universal, that all of us are called to live in His love and to make His love real in the lives of those around us. The saints are our Heavenly mediators who intercede for us before Jesus, the only mediator between God and us.

ALL SOULS' DAY: NOVEMBER 2

All Souls' Day is a day specially set apart that we may remember and pray for our dear ones who have gone for their eternal reward and who are currently in a state of ongoing purification. **The liturgies of the Mass** in various rites dating from the early centuries of the Church include "Prayers for the Dead."

PARISH SOCIAL SUNDAY

HAPPY BIRTHDAY/ ANNIVERSARY TO ALL WHO CELEBRATE THIS JOYFUL EVENT IN THE MONTH OF OCTOBER.

We invite everyone to our parish social following 11 a.m. Mass this Sunday November 1, 2026.

FIRST RECONCILIATION/ FIRST COMMUNION FOR BAPTIZED CHILDREN IN GRADE TWO

If you would like your child to participate in the preparation for these sacraments, please register through the parish office or school. Registration forms can be found in the parish website.

CWL FALL RUMMAGE SALE

The CWL would like to thank individuals that donated items, money and their time to make our Fall Rummage Sale a success. We raised $1307.55. We are very blessed to have such a supportive Parish Community.



TIME CHANGE: WE FALL BACK FOR ONE HOUR.

Welcome to all our visitors and guests.
We wish you fruitful and relaxing days during your stay with us.

St. Anthony of Padua Church

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November 1, 2026



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Sunday Mass
Saturday - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday - 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Daily Mass
Tuesday and Thursday - 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday and Friday - 9:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturdays - 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Sacrament of Baptism
Please contact the Parish office to schedule a meeting with the Pastor to plan.

Sacrament of Marriage
Please contact the Parish office to schedule a meeting with the Pastor to plan **at least 1 year** prior to the proposed celebration as a preparation program is required.

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St. Anthony's – 519-396-4330

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Welcome to St. Anthony's

Kindly remember our St. Anthony of Padua Parish, Kincardine, Ontario, in your BEQUESTS AND WILLS for the benefit of the parish and its pastoral activities.