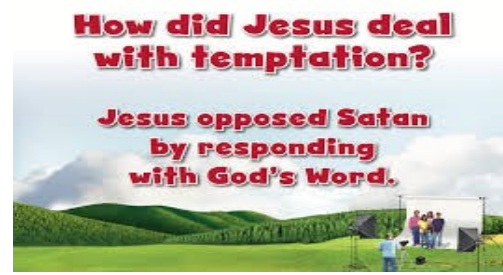


Welcome to
St. Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church
March 9th 2025 – 1st Sunday of Lent - Year C



“Be with me, Lord, when I am in trouble” (Psalm 91:15b)

Lord God, on this 1st Sunday of Lent, we remember the trials and temptations of Your Son Jesus Christ in His journey through the wilderness and how He triumphed over all. In our prayers we think of the difficult journeys in life encountered by so many people in the world. We pray that in their different times of need, they may find discernment to see their way ahead, and strength to overcome whatever problems they face. We pray that faith may be deepened in this period of Lent, and all may walk in the light of the Lord. Amen.

CONGRATULATIONS

to all the **CWL** members of our parish. May God continue to bless them.



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March 2nd

Sunday Offering	\$ 1,605.00
Loose Offering	\$ 367.55
Snow Removal	\$ 490.00
Candles	\$ 88.40
Easter	\$ 10.00
Holy Land	\$ 5.00
Total	\$ 2,565.95

PADP— Weekly for the month of Mar. 2025

Sunday Collection	\$ 520.00
Building fund	\$ 126.00
Total	\$ 646.00

Required Weekly Income \$4,500.00

Thank you for your contributions!

WEEKDAY MASSES: Tuesday to Friday at 12 Noon
WEEKEND MASSES: Saturday at 4:30pm and Sunday at 10:00am
CONFESSION: Saturday at 3:30pm and Sunday at 9:00am
HOLY ROSARY: Recited after Noon mass on Thursdays

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Carol Noble - D.O.S

MASS SCHEDULE WITH INTENTIONS AND SAINTS OF THE WEEK

Tuesday, 11th March: *Saint John Ogilvie*

Novena Mass for intentions of a parishioner

Wednesday, 12th March: *Blessed Angela Salawa*

Michael Kennedy by Robert Kennedy

Thursday, 13th February: *Saint Leander of Seville*

In honour of the Holy Family and for the souls in purgatory by Jacqueline Bosse

Friday, 14th March: *Saint Maximilian*

Alfonso Cundari by Suzanne and Angelo Cundari

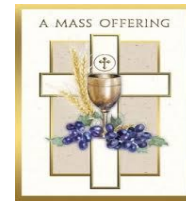
Saturday, 15th March: *Saint Louise de Marillac*

Beppino (Joe) Zufferli by MaryAnn Zufferli and family

Sunday, 16th March: *Saint Clement Mary Hofbauer*

Eileen Fowke by Glen Fowke and family

Intentions of our parishioners by Fr Denis Vaiz



MASS READINGS FOR THIS WEEK: Mar. 10th to Mar. 16th

Monday Mar. 10th	Leviticus 19: 1-2, 11-18 Matthew 25: 31-46	Psalm 19
Tuesday Mar. 11th	Isaiah 55: 10-11 Matthew 6: 7-15	Psalm 34
Wednesday Mar. 12th	Jonah 3: 1-10 Luke 11: 29-32	Psalm 51
Thursday Mar. 13th	Esther C: 12, 14-16, 23-25 Matthew 7: 7-12	Psalm 138
Friday Mar. 14th	Ezekiel 18: 21-28 Matthew 5: 20-26	Psalm 130
Saturday Mar. 15th	Deuteronomy 26: 16-19 Matthew 5: 43-48	Psalm 119
Sunday Mar. 16th	Genesis 15: 5-12, 17-18 Philippians 3: 17-4 Luke 9: 28b-36	Psalm 27



Spiritual preparation in the forty days of lent:

When Jesus went out into the wilderness to fight the devil's temptation, He was led by the Holy Spirit. Jesus did not rely on His own human strength and will-power for overcoming temptation. The Lord Jesus is ever ready to pour out His Spirit upon us so that we may have the courage we need to repent, turn away from our sins and to reject the lies and deceits of Satan.

The 40 days of Lent is the annual retreat of the people of God in imitation of Jesus' forty days in the wilderness. We are called to journey with the Lord in a special season of prayer, fasting, almsgiving, repentance and renewal as we prepare to celebrate the feast of Easter, the Christian Passover. The Lord gives us spiritual food and supernatural strength to seek His face and to prepare ourselves for spiritual combat and testing. We, too, must follow in the way of the cross in order to share in the victory of Christ's death and resurrection. As we begin this holy season of preparation and renewal, let us ask the Lord for a fresh outpouring of His Holy Spirit that we may grow in faith, hope and love and embrace His will more fully in our lives.

Fr Denis Vaiz

This weekend PowerPoint Documentary presentation (prior to mass)
Music Ministry in our Parish



This 2nd Weekend

We celebrate the **wedding anniversaries** of those who married in the month of March.
Let us congratulate and pray for them.

Heavenly Father, we thank You this day as we celebrate wedding anniversaries. We thank You for journeying with them. Thank You for making them strong and keeping them close. May You continue to bless their house with so much happiness. Amen.

13th Mar. Thursday: **Small Christian Community** at 10.45am
13th Mar. Thursday: **Stations of the Cross** after Noon Mass
14th Mar. Friday: **Ladies' Craft** following the Noon Mass.



Launch of the “Journey through Lent” 2025 Video series

The Office for Evangelization and Catechesis, in collaboration with the National Liturgy Office and the *Office national de liturgie*, launches the 2025 video series titled ***Journey Through Lent.***

This year’s presenters are the Most Reverend Gary Franken, Bishop of St. Paul (in English), and the Most Reverend Michel Proulx, O.Praem., Bishop of Bathurst (in French).

In English: <https://www.cccb.ca/announcement/journey-through-lent-video-series-weekly-reflections-for-the-lenten-season-2>

In French: <https://www.cecc.ca/annonce/serie-video-cheminer-ensemble-durant-le-temps-du-careme-reflexions-hebdomadaires-pour-le-temps-du-careme>



March 2025—Pope’s Intention For families in crisis

Let us pray that broken families might discover the cure for their wounds through forgiveness, rediscovering each other’s gifts, even in their differences.



Next Sunday, March 16, you will be invited to sign the global **Turn Debt into Hope** campaign petition that calls for an end to unjust debt. With inequalities widening as rich countries continue enriching themselves by exploiting the resources of the poorest countries, we respond to Pope Francis’s call:

“In the spirit of this Jubilee Year, I urge the international community to work towards forgiving foreign debt in recognition of the ecological debt existing between the North and the South of this world. This is an appeal for solidarity, but above all for justice.” Help us reach the Canadian goal of **100,000 signatures**, which will feed into the global goal of **10 million signatures**. **Find out more and Sign Now!.. at devp.org/debt** .

The petition will be available for your signature starting next Sunday - at the back of the church and at the **D&P Share Lent Display Table at the main entrance**.

During Lent, please spend a few minutes at the **Display Table** after the weekend masses or during the week to learn more about the debt crisis faced by the global south and to see how the wealthier countries including Canada can work to relieve the debt burden.

The 4 Solidarity Symbols on display represent key aspects of the Share Lent Campaign and the importance of signing the Petition. Thank you for your solidarity!

Mary Jane Veinott, D & P Parish Representative, St. Andrew the Apostle



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