



**St Anthony's Parish** is a Catholic Church run by the Irish Franciscans for the English speaking community in Brussels. The community that forms this church is international, vibrant and filled with the Spirit. St Anthony's is also responsible for masses conducted in English in the French speaking churches of St Nicholas at the Bourse, Sacre Coeur in Rue le Corregge and Eglise des Peres du St Sacrament (St Joseph's) along Chaussee de Wavre.

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### Office Hours:

**Monday, Thursday and Friday :** 09.00-17.00

**Tuesday and Wednesday :** 9:00 - 13:00

### TIMES OF MASS

#### Sunday Masses

**Saturday Vigil :** 18:00

**Sunday:** 10:00

11:30

**\*19:15 at Sacre Coeur, Rue le Corregge 17, 1040 Brussels**

**\*10.00 at St Nicholas at the Bourse, Rue au Beurre, 1000 Brussels**

**\*11.15 at St Joseph's Community, Chaussee de Wavre 203, 1050 Brussels**

#### Weekday Masses

**Friday :** 11:30 at St Anthony's

Please phone to confirm that a priest is available.

#### Holy Days at St Anthony's

**Vigil :** 20:00

**Holy day :** 10:00

#### Confessions at St Anthony's

**Saturdays :** 12 noon or by appointment

**Baptisms :** Please get in touch with the Parish office if you would like to arrange a baptism

### Ministries & Other Faith Programmes

**Adult Christian Faith Programme** for anyone who wishes to explore the Christian Faith in the Catholic church or wishes to convert to Catholicism;

**Alternatives, Fond Jean Degive and St Vincent de Paul** - a long standing charities which the Parish has supported over many years;

**Altar Servers** from the age of 7 to help during masses;

**The Angel Tree** - our Christmas outreach to the poor and disadvantaged in Brussels;

**Bible Reflection Home Group** every Friday morning at the homes of our parishioners;

**Catechetics** classes for 1<sup>st</sup> Communion, the Old and New Testament, Liturgy, Reconciliation, Pre-Confirmation and Confirmation;

**Charity Collections** at certain times of the year to support various charities approved by the Parish Council;

**Choirs** - we have three choirs for the Sunday masses which give us wonderful music during the various masses at the Parish;

**Church Linens** - It is only with the help of parishioners that spotless linens are available for the masses;

**Coffee and Doughnuts** - a very important part of Sundays when parishioners can socialise and get to know each other;

**Eucharistic Ministers and Lectors** - this is an important part of the ministries of the church carried out by parishioners;

**Finance Council** - parishioners who assist the parish priest with respect to the supervision of all the material goods of the Parish;

**Flower Arranging** - a small group take turns to prepare the altar with flowers;

**HCPT** - A charity which organises pilgrimage holidays to Lourdes for handicapped children that the Parish has been involved with for some years;

**The Knights of St Thomas More**- this is a Catholic men's fraternity supporting the mission of St Anthony's and the Catholic Church;

**Pastoral Council** - the Pastoral Council is a consultative body acting in an advisory capacity to the parish priest.

**Stations of the Cross** - During Lent, the Stations of the Cross take place on Friday evenings at 18:30.



## Regular Parish Events

**January** : Wine Tasting hosted by the Knights of St Thomas More held towards the end of the month.

**February** : Pre-marriage Course and Knights of St Thomas More Pancake Breakfast

**Lent**: Stations of the Cross on Friday evenings at 18:30

**April/May**: First Holy Communion and Confirmation (depending on the date of Easter), Easter Egg Hunt on Easter Sunday

**June**: St Anthony's Fayre (normally the Sunday closest to the feast day).

**August**: The Good Samaritan collection, every Sunday, Knights Pancake Breakfast

**September**: Welcome to Our Parish bbq and Catechetics Registration

**November**: Pre-Marriage Course

**November**: Pastoral Council AGM

**Nov/Dec**: Christmas Charity Fayre held the first weekend of Advent

**December**: Parish Family Christmas Carol Concert



*Summer Fayre 2019*



*Fr. Pat & Fr. Michael*

**If you would like more information concerning the Parish, please get in touch with the parish office by email or by phone.**