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28th Sunday Of Ordinary Time

October 13th ,octobre

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Sunday Masses:

Sat. 5:00 pm English

Sun. 9:00 am English

11:00 am Bilingual

Weekday Liturgies:

Please refer to a recent bulletin for updates for the current week.

Sacrament of

Reconciliation:

Sat. 4:30 - 4:50 pm

Sun. 8:30 - 8:50 am

10:30 - 10:50 am

or upon appointment

Baptism:

Usually any Sunday of the month at mass.

Call the parish office for more info and registration.

Marriage/Wedding:

Please call the parish office At least SIX months in advance of your chosen date and before any other arrangement is made.

Sacrament of the Sick:

Please contact the Parish Office. In urgent cases please call a priest.

Welcoming New Parishioners:

We warmly welcome all new members to our parish family. We would like to get to know and serve you. In order to do so please fill out a registration form available in the church foyer or contact the parish office.

We carry our faith with us wherever we go.

Today's readings both shed light on the gratitude of a leper healed by a man of God, one by Elisha, and one by Jesus, the Son of God. When God grants us an answer to a prayer or affliction, do we respond in gratitude like Naaman and the Samaritan or like the nine other lepers?.

Prayer / Reflection...

Gratitude

Once there was a young man
who had never thought of donating blood.
But then his father got very ill and was hospitalized.
One day the son was sitting by his father's bedside
as he was getting a blood transfusion.
As he watched the blood flowing into his father's veins,
he suddenly realized that someone had donated
the blood that was now keeping his father alive.
Straightaway he made up his mind to become a donor,
and he was as good as his word.
Many are willing to give something back.
This is why gratitude is so important.
It makes us want to give something back.

Thanksgiving Day – October 14th

It is fitting for God's people to offer public thanks for all the gifts we have received. The bountiful produce of the earth is a visible sign of the many blessings God wants us to shower on us to share the goods of the earth with all people. Thanksgiving Day is a special day of prayer in Canada.

World Food Day – October 16th

A World Food Day has been promoted by the Food and Agriculture Organization since 1981. The Church is concerned about the issue of hunger in the world, remembering the words of the Son of Man on the last judgment of the nations, "...I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink..." (Mt 25.35)

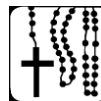
October: Month of the Holy Rosary

The month of October each year is dedicated to the Most Holy Rosary. This is primarily due to the fact that the liturgical feast of Our Lady of the Rosary is celebrated annually on October 7. It was instituted to honor the Blessed Virgin Mary in gratitude for the protection that she gives the Church in answer to the praying of the

Rosary by the faithful.

The feast was introduced by Pope St. Pius V (1504-1572) in the year 1571 to commemorate the miraculous victory of the Christian forces in the Battle of Lepanto on October 7, 1571. The pope attributed more to the "arms" of the Rosary than the power of cannons and the valor of the soldiers who fought there.

Legend tells us that the Rosary as a form of prayer was given to St. Dominic (1170- 1221) by Mary, the Mother of Our Lord, who entrusted it to him as an aid in the conflicts with the Albigensians. The Dominican pope, St. Pius V, did much to further the spread of the Rosary and it thereafter became one of the most popular devotions.



Masses For The Week

Day	Time	Mass Intention	Feast
Oct 12 Sat - sam	5:00 pm	RIP Roger Vansevendt (1 st Anniv) – Isabel & Family	28 th
Oct 13 Sun - dim	9:00 am	RIP Roger & Noel Vansevendt - Family	Sunday Of ordinary Time
	11:00 am	Deceased Houle Relatives - Adrien	
Oct 15 Tues - mar	8:30 am	Deceased members of our Parish - Parishioner	
Oct 16 Wed - mer	10:00 am	(Lodge) RIP Georges Turgeon – Mom & Sons	St. Marguerite D'Youville
Oct 17 Thurs - jeu	10:00 am	(Aspen) RIP Roland Riopel (20 th Anniv) – Raymonde & Family	St. Ignatius Of Antioch
Oct 18 Fri - ven	8:30 am	RIP Gordon Hittinger – Mary & Family	St. Luke
Oct 19 Sat - sam	5:00 pm	RIP Louise (Champagne) Turley 1 st Anniv. - Lorette	29 th
Oct 20 Sun - dim	9:00 am	Living & Deceased Members of the Brenneis & Boissonnault Family - Shirley	Sunday Of ordinary Time
	11:00 am	RIP Priscilla Holue - Adrien	



PLEASE PRAY FOR... Carol Jean, Kiah Courtney, Irene Dupuis, Ed Kryskow, Eugene Scantland; all those who are sick or struggling; who are going through any medical procedures and treatments; expecting mothers; peace in our families, community and the world. Also, for our Pope Francis, Bishop Paul Terrio, for vocations & youth.

Baptism Preparation Session

There will be a Baptism preparation class for those who are planning a baptism of their babies on Saturday, October 26th from 9:00 am till 12:30 pm – Downstairs at the Rectory.

Please call the Parish office to register prior to the session.

Please Pray for...



- ✚ Audrey Borle, who passed away on October 9th, 2013 at the age of 81. Her funeral Mass will be held at our Parish on Thursday, Oct. 24th at 10:15 am. **Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon her.**

There are copies at the back of the Church of Telling Our Story from Greater St. Albert Catholic School News.

The Parish office will be closed on Tuesday October 15th and Friday October 18th.

COLLECTIONS –
QUÊTES

October 6th \$4481.00
Restoration \$ 980.00

THANK YOU! MERCI!

THE RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

RCIA assists those adults wishing to learn more about the Catholic Church. It is open to unbaptized adults, baptized Catholics who have not received the Initiation sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation.



The program is defined by four periods of formation each marked by the celebration of liturgical rites in the parish.

- **Inquiry** – A time for asking questions, sharing stories, awakening our faith, and becoming familiar with the life of the parish.
- **Catechumenate** – A time for the deepening of faith and conversion and for passing on of Catholic tradition. It is a period of training and apprenticeship in the Christian way of life. A discussion of the Liturgy of the Word for the Sunday masses is scheduled weekly.
- **Purification and Enlightenment** – A time when the parish joins with the Elect in prayer, fasting, and works of charity in preparation for Easter Vigil when the Elect may receive the Sacraments of Initiation – Baptism (for those who have never been baptized), Confirmation, and Eucharist..
- **Mystagogia** – A time when the newly initiated, referred to as neophytes, reflect on their experience and begin to participate more fully in the sacramental life of the parish and in Christian service.

You can talk to fr. Ignacy or fr. Brian at any time. Our first opening/information session will be on October 16th at 7:00 pm Rectory Downstairs.

Family Fun Night

Join Us at Notre Dame School Gymnasium on October 25th from 6:00 – 7:30 pm for some good old fashioned games (dodgeball, floor hockey, relays and more). Donations will be accepted to help offset the cost of future events! Please RSVP at familyfun@sjbp.ca by October 20th so we know how many to plan for!

Triumph is a nine day facilitated journey of inner healing and spiritual growth, leading you into deeper fulfilled, peaceful, Christ-centered life filled with joy which is at St. Therese in Bruno Saskatchewan. For more information there is a poster and pamphlets at the back of the church.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Dust Angels	- October 14 th , Monday 8:00 am	- Church
Parish Council Meeting	- October 16 th , Wednesday 3:40 pm	- Rectory Boardroom
Finance Meeting	- October 16 th , Wednesday 7:00 pm	- Rectory Boardroom
RCIA	- October 16 th , Wednesday 7:00 pm	- Rectory Downstairs

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK! ... ““ Happiness is not how much you have,
but how much you enjoy it.”

Have a good week!!!

