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29th Sunday of Ordinary Time

October 19th, octobre

2014

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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.

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.

Focus of the Sunday Readings

Jesus teaches us how to reconcile our earthly commitments with our obligations to God.

Jesus challenges us to examine how we demonstrate our fidelity to him while living in the world. Do worldly attachments or loyalties get in the way of our being faithful to Jesus and his teachings? Today's readings show that there need not be a conflict between fulfilling our civil obligations and our obligations to God.

The Prophet Isaiah tells us that God uses even the pagan king, Cyrus, to do his will. Saint Paul gives thanks for the Thessalonians, who live their faith in Christ with total conviction. In the Gospel, Jesus disarms the Pharisees by telling them to give to Caesar what belongs to him but give to God what belongs to God.



World Mission Sunday October 19

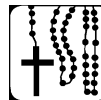
Every Christian shares in the mission of the Church and all should become more involved in today's missionary work. It is the responsibility of all believers to spread the Gospel.

Each Christian community must "pray that the Lord's message may spread quickly, and be received with honour" (2 Thes 3.1).

A growing understanding of the Church's mission will also encourage responsible giving to the national collection for World Mission Sunday (from which collection some of our Canadian dioceses still benefit).

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.

Marriage Preparation Session

We are planning to have a Marriage Preparation this fall in Morinville, on November 28th, 29th & 30th, 2014. For more information and to register there are brochures at the back of the church.

From The Diocese of St. Paul

Bishop Paul Terrio of the St. Paul Diocese is pleased to announce that in adjusting the parish personnel after the sudden death of Fr. Hamilcar Blanco of Lac La Biche, and after consultation with the Priest's Council makes the following appointments.

- 1.** Fr. Trini Pinca is appointed pastor of St. Catherine Lac La Biche
- 2.** Fr. Brian Bricker, op, is appointed pastor of St. Emile, Legal
- 3.** Fr. Martin Jubinville, who returns to active pastoral ministry in the Diocese, is appointed pastor of St. Jean Baptiste Parish, Morinville.

His brother Fr. Mario Jubinville is appointed associate pastor of Morinville.

These appointments are effective October 23, 2014

I want to thank on behalf of all the Diocese these priests for their generous acceptance of these new pastoral responsibilities.

We Welcome

Father Martin Jubinville and Father Mario Jubinville who are con-celebrating our masses this weekend as our new pastor and Associate pastor. We are so thankful that our Bishop Paul Terrio has so graciously returned them to Morinville to minister to the needs of St. Jean Baptiste Parish. God our Father, we ask you to Bless these two priests and confirm them to their calling. Give them a sense of belonging much love and friendship. We ask these things of you our eternal Priest.

St. Jean Baptiste Parish Council

November 2nd Mass in Westlock

In the planning of the Mass for the year of the Family, in order to encourage as many of you as possible to attend we realize that many if not most of you will be able to get to Westlock in your own vehicles. There are some however who may not have their own transport so today and for the next couple of Sunday's we are asking that those who need a ride to place their names on a sheet at the back of the Church. If there are any of you who will be going and have space in your vehicles to take one or more parishioners to the Mass, there is a separate sheet for you to write down your names and the number of spaces you may have available.

If the number of people requiring rides exceeds the number of spaces available in others' cars we will seek to find a bus or busses to transport people. There will be a charge for the busses. We sincerely hope that as many of our parishioners as possible attend this special Mass at 3pm on November 2nd. It will be celebrated by the Bishop and all the priests of the Deanery.

Automatic Bank Withdrawal

If you missed sending in your form for the Automatic Bank Withdrawal there is a last call to send them in we have extended the deadline currently there are not enough registered to go ahead with the Automatic Bank Withdrawal The Parish needs to have 100 of these forms back before we will proceed with the automatic bank withdrawal the forms are available at the back of the church the forms need to be handed in by **November 9th**.

Masses For The Week

Day	Time	Mass Intention	Feast
Oct 18 Sat - sam	5:00 pm	RIP Louise Turley (2 nd Anniv) - Lorette	Twenty-ninth
Oct 19 Sun - dim	9:00 am	For Parishioners	Sunday Of
	11:00 am	Deceased members of our parish - Parishioner	Ordinary Time
Oct 21 Tues - mar	8:30 am	NO MASS	
Oct 22 Wed - mer	10:00 am	(Lodge) NO MASS	
Oct 23 Thurs - jeu	10:00 am	(Aspen) NO MASS	
Oct 24 Fri - ven	8:30 am	NO MASS	
Oct 25 Sat - sam	5:00 pm	RIP Marie Vansevenandt - Family	Thirtieth
Oct 26 Sun - dim	9:00 am	RIP Herman & Germaine Bauwens – Darlene, Elaine & Paulette	Sunday Of
	11:00 am	Mass of Thanksgiving – St. Armand & Sasseville Family	Ordinary Time

PLEASE PRAY FOR... Carol Jean, Kiah Courtney, Irene Dupuis, Claire Hebert, Link Byfield, Normand Boissonneault, 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.



We welcome to God's family

Kenna Rose Noel

daughter of Michael & Taryn, baptized on October 19th, 2014



Baptism Preparation Session

We are planning to have a Baptism Preparation, on October 25th, 2014 starting at 9:00 am till 12:00 pm in the basement of the Rectory. Baptism preparation is required to have your child/ren baptized. Please call the Parish office to register.

KC Breakfast

The Next KC Breakfast is today October 26th, 2014.
from 9:00 am till 12:30 pm at the Rendez -Vous Centre .



Due to the changes in both Parishes The Parish Office will be closed this week The phone messages will be checked so if there is an urgent matter please call and leave a message on the office phone. Thank You.

COLLECTIONS – QUÊTES

October 12th – \$ 4,023.00 THANK YOU! MERCI!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Dust Angels	- Oct 20 th , Monday 8:00 am	Church
RCIA	- Oct 28 th , Tuesday 7:00 pm	Basement Rectory

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK! ... “No one is in charge of your happiness except you”

Have a good week!!!