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29th & 30th Sunday of Ordinary Time
October 16th & 23rd, 2016
29 & 30 dimanche du temps ordinaire



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:

First 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

Trusting in and relying upon God gives us strength to persevere during trials, and live as more faithful disciples of Jesus.

Many people in our world think they are self-sufficient and do not need God. As believers in Jesus, however, we are called to trust and rely upon him. We know God is our strength and salvation, and the more we rely on him, the more we will receive the strength we need to face life's challenges.

In the reading from Exodus, the Israelites, led by Joshua, defeat Amalek in battle with the help of Moses. The Second letter of Timothy reminds us to study sacred Scripture so that we may be *equipped for every good work*. In Luke's Gospel, Jesus tells the parable of the persistent widow, helping us to see that God gives us what we need when we place our trust in him.

Only those who truly know they need God will come to trust in his word.

When we need approach the Lord in prayer, whether it be for help or strength, we should avoid false pretenses. Instead, we should recognize who we are – in our struggles and achievements – and stand before the Lord in honesty. This posture allows us to recognize our need for God's grace and mercy, grow in faith, and give a more faithful witness to the Gospel.

The first reading from Sirach reminds us that God has a special love for the weak and oppressed, the orphan and the widow. The second

World Food Day – October 16

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 judgement of the nations"... I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink..." (MT 25.35).

World Mission Sunday – October 23

At the initiative of Pope Pius XI in 1926, the second last Sunday during October became known as World Mission Sunday. Catholics throughout the world are invited to pray for and give to the missions. The collection this Sunday is organized by the Pontifical Missions Society. The funds collected assist some 1,250 mission dioceses under the responsibility of the Congregation for the Evangelization of Peoples. As agreed by the Holy See and the Bishops of Canada, a portion of the Canadian contributions to this collection assists six mission dioceses in Northern Canada.

"How I long to find the right words to stir up enthusiasm for a new chapter of evangelization full of fervor, joy, generosity, courage, boundless love and attraction!... I once more invoke the Holy Spirit. I implore him to come and renew the Church, to stir and impel her to go forth boldly to evangelize all peoples."



KC Breakfast

is on Sunday October 30th, 2016
from 9:00 am till 12:30 pm at the Rendez -Vous Centre



First Friday Adoration

On the First Friday of November we will have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. The church will be open between 9:00 am and 12:00 pm and everyone will be able to come for longer or shorter period of time to spend with Eucharistic Jesus. We will begin with Mass at 8:30 am, then the blessed Sacrament will be exposed for Adoration and prayer. There is a sign up sheet at the back of the church so that at least 2 people sign for each hour to make sure there is always someone present in the church with Blessed Sacrament exposed. But we invite everyone to come and spend some time with our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.



CWL NEWS

The CWL is having a raffle for a beautiful handmade quilt. All proceeds will be going to the Canadian Breast Cancer Foundation. Draw will be held on December 11th, 2016 at the St. Jean Baptiste Church after the 9:00 am Mass. Tickets can be purchased from any of the CWL executive. Ticket prices are 3 for \$5.00 or 1 for \$2.00. The next CWL meeting is on Thursday November 3rd at 7:00 Join us at Morinville Community High School.



We congratulate and wish many God's blessings to
Ellen Belanger & Stephen Shott

&

Katherine Wegewitz & Justin Quilty

who celebrated the Sacrament of Marriage on October 8th, 2016



We welcome to God's family

Natalie Anne Marie Douziech & Leo Christopher Boddez

daughter of Joshua & Suzanne son of Chris & Kandis

&

Shenuli Marian Arachige

daughter of Sameera & Dinusha

baptized on October 16th, 2016



Please Pray for...

✙ Linda Bokenfohr who passed away on September 17th.
Her Funeral Mass will be at our parish on Saturday October 29th at 1:00 pm
Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon her.

Community Christmas Celebration

The 38th Annual Morinville Community Christmas Celebration is fast approaching on December 15th. New members for the planning committee are needed for this tradition to continue. Please contact Nadine @ 780-868-5838 if you are interested in helping to plan!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Dust Angels

- Oct 17th & 24th Monday- 8:00 am

- Church

Parish Council Meeting

- October 18th, Tuesday - 4:00 pm

- Office Boardroom

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

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Day	Time	Mass Intention	Feast
Oct 15 Sat - sam	5:00 pm	RIP Louise Turley (3 rd Anniv) - Lorette	Twenty-Nineth Sunday of Ordinary Time
Oct 16 Sun - dim	9:00 am	For Parishioners	
	11:00 am	RIP Eva Theberge – Theberge Family	
Oct 18 Tues - mar	8:30 am	RIP Laurent Jubinville - Family	St. Luke
Oct 19 Wed - mer	10:00 am	(Lodge) RIP Bev Brenneis – Richard & Dorine Houle	
	7:00 pm	(Church) RIP George & Alice Roeland – Garry & Noreen	
Oct 20 Thurs - jeu	10:00 am	(Aspen) RIP Laurier Labonte - Mary	
Oct 21 Fri - ven	8:30 am	Deceased Boissonnault & Brenneis Family - Shirley	
Oct 22 Sat - sam	5:00 pm	RIP Herman & Germaine Bauwens – Elaine, Paulette & Darlene	Thirtieth Sunday of Ordinary Time
Oct 23 Sun - dim	9:00 am	RIP Louis Allarie (2 nd Anniv) – Frank & Ellen	
	11:00 am	RIP Clarice Kramer – Maxine & Daughter	
Oct 25 Tues - mar	8:30 am	RIP Andrew VanBrabant – Madeleine & Family	
Oct 26 Wed - mer	10:00 am	(Lodge) RIP Maurice & Armand Tailleur - Family	
	7:00 pm	(Church) RIP Alex Montpellier - Family	
Oct 27 Thurs - jeu	10:00 am	(Aspen) RIP August Keiser – Solange & Family	
Oct 28 Fri - ven	8:30 am	RIP William Short & Thomas White – Gary & Janet	St. Simon and St. Jude
Oct 29 Sat - sam	5:00 pm	For Parishioners	Thirty-First Sunday Of Ordinary Time
Oct 30 Sun - dim	9:00 am	RIP Simonne Carriere – Lorraine & Family	
	11:00 am	RIP Barry O'Connor – Norm & Lori Tailleur	

PLEASE PRAY FOR... Irene Dupuis, Leo Brochu, Annette Marcoux All those who are sick or struggling; who are going through any medical procedures and treatments.

COLLECTIONS – QUÊTES October 2nd \$ 3,190.00

October 9th \$ 3,032.75

THANK YOU!

Gift Cards Next Gift card sales will be on the weekend of October 22/23.

