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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:

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 After Hours for

Emergencies Only

780-645-9749.

Month of the Sacred Heart



The Month of June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart. This year the Feast of the Sacred Heart falls on June 8. The Church celebrates the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus on the Friday following the second Sunday after Pentecost. In addition to the liturgical celebration, many devotional exercises are connected with the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Of all devotions, devotion to the Sacred Heart was, and remains, one of the most widespread and popular in the Church.

World Day of Prayer for Priests – June 8

Catholics worldwide are urged to pray for Priests today on the World Day of Prayer for Priests. This day was begun by Saint John Paul II in 2002 with the objective of having all Catholic faithful join in prayer for the sanctification of Priests. The World Day of Prayer for Priests coincides with the Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

St. Barnabas – June 5th

Although not one of the original twelve apostles, St. Barnabas is often called an apostle because of his close association with the leaders of the early Church. For example, he traveled extensively with St. Paul. Originally named Joseph, he was renamed Barnabas by the other apostles, a name that means Son of Encouragement.

What a wonderful name. The word *encourage* means to give hope, and what could be more wonderful than to bring hope to a hopeless world.

The message of the Christian gospel is essentially that of hope. No matter how bleak things look right now, no matter what pain and sorrow we are enduring, St. Paul reminds us, "...affliction makes for endurance, and endurance for tested virtue, and tested virtue for hope. And this hope will not leave us disappointed, because the love of God has been poured out in our hearts..." (*Romans 5:3-5*)

Of the three main virtues-faith, hope and love-hope is the one most closely linked with this life. The essence of hope is trust-trust in things unseen and in the love of an unseen God. Once we leave this world, what is hidden will be revealed and thus we will no longer have need of hope.

But until that day arrives, hope allows us to say with Robert Browning, "The lark's on the wing;/The snail's on the thorn;/God's in his heaven-/All's right with the world."

When I say, I hope, do I really mean I wish?

Do I understand the difference between wishing for and hoping for?

When I am discouraged with life, I ask St. Barnabas, The son of encouragement, to send a little encouragement, to send a little hope my way.



Altar Servers

All current, future and Potential Altar servers are invited to join the Altar Server Ministry meet and greet for pizza and games on Friday June 22nd at 6:00 pm downstairs in the Rectory. Please contact us and let us know if you are planning on coming and what kind of pizza you like! contact Lesanne Lutz at danddlutz@live.ca or Katherine Lutz at lutzhouse@mail.com. A Big Thank you to the Knights of Columbus for their donation for supporting our Altar Server Ministry!

St. Anthony Of Padua – June 13th

When many Catholics lose something, the first thing they do is pray to St. Anthony. All around the world, people implore his intercession to find everything from lost keys to lost souls.

How a Franciscan priest became a celestial lost-and-found department is uncertain. One legend says that when a friar stole a book, Anthony prayed it would be returned. The sticky-fingered friar was overcome with remorse and brought the book back. Regardless how St. Anthony got associated with the recovery of lost items, he is one of the world's favorite saints.

Anthony was the son of Portuguese nobility. He first joined the Augustinians, but when the relics of Franciscan order. Beloved as a preacher and teacher, he was canonized within a year after his death.

Although we usually pray to St. Anthony to help us find things, we can also ask him to help us lose at least one thing. If you are overweight, St. Anthony can sympathize. He was short and chubby, hardly a lean ascetic. Since he knows what it is like to struggle with weight, he might just be a good patron to call on when you begin dieting to fit into a swimming suit or shorts. Who knows? Since most of St. Anthony's time is spent finding things, he might be glad to hear a request to lose something.

From the Diocese of St. Paul

1. There will be a Diocesan Assembly at the St. Edouard Renewal Centre on Friday June 15th to Saturday June 16th, 2018. If accommodation is needed please contact Yvette by June 7, 2018 at yvettenoel@dioceseofstpaul.ca
2. With Joy and Gratitude to our Lord Jesus Christ, The Good Shepherd; The Diocese of St. Paul cordially invites you to the Ordination to the Permanent Diaconate of Mr. Mitch Goulet, Mr. Greg Ouellette, Mr. Ryan Sales, Mr. Joe Simangan. **By His Excellency Bishop Paul Terrio Bishop of St. Paul in Alberta** at the St. Paul Cathedral June 29, 2018 at 6:30 pm Feast of St. Peter and St. Paul. You are also invited to a banquet and fellowship immediately following the ordination at the St. Paul Senior Centre.

Upcoming Events

Laugh, Dance and Party with the Fiddle Masters! Alfie and Byron Myhre with special guests Ed Bulger and Paul Smith playing second Fiddle June 22nd. June 23rd Dance to the 70's with the Polyester Coyotes . For more info or to buy tickets to these events go to eventbrite.com . Both events are at the Fable Gardens Hall in Morinville. and will support the SJB Parish music ministry.

Parish Pictorial Directory

To everyone who participated in the photo sessions May 22-26 thank you. To those of you who were unable we have another session (3 days) Thursday June 14 – 2:30 – 8:30 Friday June 15 2:30-8:30 Saturday June 16 9:30-3:30. Lil will be at all Masses June 2nd&3rd and June 9th & 10th for bookings as well you may call her at home at 780-939-3259. We will be doing all the ministries PPC, Finance, KC's, CWL, Altar Servers, Dust Angels etc October 22nd and 23rd. We will be notifying all these groups at a later date. "Let's make this album a treasured keepsake".

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Day	Time	Mass Intention	Feast
June 2 Saturday	5:00 pm	RIP Deceased Meunier Relatives - Lorette	The Body and Blood of Christ
June 3 Sunday	9:00 am	RIP Rita Schlachter (11 th Anniv) – Frank & Ellen	
	11:00 am	For Parishioners	
June 9 Saturday	5:00 pm	Special Intention	10 th Sunday in Ordinary Time
June 10 Sunday	9:00 am	Deceased Boissonnault & Brenneis Family - Shirley	
	11:00 am	For Parishioners	

PLEASE PRAY FOR... Irene Dupuis, Emilienne Dostie, Braden Rowland, Romain Rousseau, Colette Klein. All those who are sick or struggling and who are going through any medical procedures and treatments.



Please Pray for...

✚ **Danny Boissonnault** , who passed away on May 24th, 2018

His Funeral Mass was held at our Parish on Saturday June 2nd, 2018

Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon him.

From the CWL

1. Thank you to everyone who made donations to promote ProLife and our new babies and parents in crisis in the area.
2. The last CWL meeting before the summer break will be on June 7th at MCHS at 7:00 pm.

Diocesan Assembly 2018

Saturday June 16, 9:00 am – 3:30 pm at St. Edouard Renewal Centre topic is Priestly Fraternity – Youth/Vocations with Father Cristino Bouvette Director of Vocations from the Diocese of Calgary. Register by contacting Yvette Noel 780-675-3277 or by e-mail

yvettenoel@dioceseofstpaul.ca meal count will be based on registrations received by June 11, 2018, Overnight accommodations can be made when registering. For more info see the poster at the back of the church .

Collections for May 13th \$ 3,293.95 Restoration. \$ 935.00 THANK YOU!

May 20th \$ 2,763.75 Restoration \$ 103.25 May 27th \$ 3053.00

UPCOMING EVENTS

Dust Angels

- June 11th & 25th , 8:00 am, Monday - Church