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October 21st , 2018
29th Sunday In Ordinary Time



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.



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.

Living Rosary in Notre Dame School Wednesday October 24th

12:15 PM Grades 1 and 2

1:55 PM Grades 3 and 4

World Mission Sunday – October 21

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 will continue to be used until 2020 to assist six dioceses in Northern Canada which for many years had also been under the jurisdiction of the Congregation.

Pastors and pastoral workers are invited to encourage among all the people of God a missionary spirit, to promote missionary vocations, and to collaborate spiritually and materially in the Church's mission work, including support for all the dioceses in our country's northern regions.

“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.”

Pope Francis, *Evangelii Gaudium*, 261

In November we pray for all the faithful departed!

The month of November, especially All Souls Day, November 2, is a traditional time to remember in prayer all the faithful departed. Our prayers help them as theirs help us. If you would like to write down the name or names of family members, parishioners, friends and neighbors please write them clearly on a sheet of paper we will write them in the Book of Remembrance. You can drop them off to the collection basket.



* Please note: if the names were already given in previous years, there is no need of repeating them as they are already in the Book of Remembrance.

Are you interested in a **Business Card Ad** in our Pictorial Album?

The cost is 100.00 per business card, payable by cheque or cash cheques written to St. Jean Baptiste Parish. You may drop the envelope with card and payment in the collection basket or at the Parish Office or you may drop off to Lil Boddez or call her at 780-939-3259 and she will pick it up. A receipt will be issued. Thank you .

CWL

In honor of our Blessed Mother, the CWL will be selling rosaries at the Masses in October. It will be your chance to pick up a new rosary, do some early Christmas shopping or get a gift for someone who is celebrating a sacrament this year. All proceeds will be going towards our altar servers fund.

The CWL is looking to help out some of our children who may be in need of a warm toque or a pair of mittens. We will be collecting new, gently used or homemade mittens and touques throughout our winter as we would like to have these supplies on hand at each of our Catholic schools. Please leave your donation at the back of the church or bring to a CWL meeting on the first Thursday of each month. Thank you for sharing your talents and time.

Catholic Women's Leadership Foundation

Are you a Catholic woman interested in developing leadership skills? The **Catholic Women's Leadership Foundation** (CWLF) is accepting applications for its second Leadership Program for Canadian women. The Program will be facilitated by the Providence School of Transformative Leadership and Spirituality, Saint Paul University, Ottawa. For more information about the CWLF, the Leadership Program, or to complete an application form, visit www.cwlfcanada.ca.

Prayer to St. Michael

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle;
be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the devil.
May God rebuke him, we humbly pray;
and do you, O prince of the heavenly host,
by the power of God,
thrust into hell Satan and the other evil spirits
who prowl about the world for the ruin of souls.

Amen.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Day	Time	Mass Intention	Feast
Oct 20 Saturday	5:00 pm	RIP George Bulger – Gerladine & Ed	29 th Sunday Ordinary Time
Oct 21 Sunday	9:00 am	RIP Doreen Streeter – Don & Family	
	11:00 am	For Parishioners	
Oct 23 Tuesday	8:30 am	Special Intention - Shirley	
Oct 24 Wed	10:00 am	(Lodge) Special Intention for Harvey & Christine Vranas (65 th Wedding Anniv) – Wayne, Marlene, Wendy, Karen & Family	
Oct 25 Thurs	10:00 am	(Aspen) Special Intention for Domenoca Turchiano - Nicole	
Oct 26 Friday	8:30 am	RIP Lisa & Roland Boissonnault - Shirley	

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

Choir practices

If anyone is interested in singing or playing an instrument for weekly mass and/or Christmas Eve 5:00 Mass, please join us on Thursday's from 6:45 – 8:00 pm in the choir loft.

If you have any questions please call Christine at 780-939-5563 or Phil at 780-939-4816.

Parish Pictorial Directory LAST CALL for the 2 photo sessions taking place at the Church on Monday October 22nd from 2:30 pm to 8:30 pm and Tuesday October 23rd 2:30 pm to 8:30 pm. Lil Boddez will be at the back of the church after all the Masses this or you can call her at 780-939-3259.



KC Breakfast

on Sunday October 28th, 2018

from 9:00 am till 12:30 pm at the Rendez -Vous Centre



The Knights of Columbus will be taking there group picture for the Pictorial Album after the 9:00 am Mass on October 21st. All the Knights are invited to attend the picture taking.

Collections for October 14th \$ 3662.00 Restoration \$ 220.00

Needs of the Canadian Church \$ 15.00

THANK YOU!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Dust Angels	- October 29 th , 8:00 am, Monday	- Church
RCIA	- October 23 rd 6:30 pm, Tuesday	- Downstairs Rectory