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September 8th, 2019
23rd 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.

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, and those practicing Catholics wishing to learn more about their faith (but for the ones who want to learn more Sessions are held October through May. 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..
- ***Mystagoga*** – 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.

For more information or to register, contact the Parish Office or talk to Fr. Trini

St. John Chrysostom – September 13th

There's nothing like the pricking of a guilty conscience to make a person take offense. When your conscience is bothering you, suddenly every remark seems to be addressed directly to you. Empress Eudoxia must have had a guilty conscience because when St. John Chrysostom preached against vanity and extravagance among women of the court and made comparisons with the infamous Jezebel, she (and a number of other people) assumed he was speaking about her. Like many people with a guilty conscience, Eudoxia figured the easiest way to get rid of the pricking was to get rid of the person with the needle. She arranged to have St. John Chrysostom banished; he died while on his journey to the Black Sea.

What do you do when your conscience bothers you? Do you try to ignore it or do you pay attention? Sometimes we think the only purpose of a conscience is to make us feel guilty, but in reality, a conscience is your inner guide, directing you away from danger and toward safety. It's a little like the warning lights on the dash of your car. When the gas gets low or the oil pressure drops, a light comes on to alert you. In the same way, your conscience tries to alert you when you are making choices that aren't in your best interest. It tries to warn you when you move in directions harmful to your spiritual growth and development, so you can stop in time to make a better and more productive choice.

Children's Liturgy

Children's Liturgy will be starting this weekend we are in a great need for teachers and helpers our goal is to have liturgy at every Mass every week. If you are interested in volunteering for this ministry please call Lisa St. Onge at 780-939-5185

September 14 On-Going Formation for the Youth

We are inviting once again the youth of the parish, that this coming Sept 14 we will have **Youth Mass** for the 5:00 P.M and after the Eucharistic celebration we will have the on-going formation and talks.

September 28 Workshop for Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers

We will like to invite all those interested to become part of the lectors and Eucharistic ministry that we will be having a workshop with Marie-Anne Hebert the Liturgy Office Assistant. The said workshop will be from 10:00-1200 noon. We would be serving light lunch for this workshop. This Workshop is for a current Lectors and Eucharistic ministers as well as new ministers. Please sign your name on the sign- up sheet at the back of the Church.

Camp St. Louis

Camp St. Louis will be hosting its annual Fall Cleanup on Saturday September 28th starting at 10:00 am, we'll be working to clean the main buildings, chop up fire wood, and clean up some fallen trees. In order to reduce the amount of cleanup we need to do in the spring as we prepare for the next camp session. Chainsaws and trailers are always greatly appreciated! Lunch will be provided for all volunteerers, and we typically finish in the early afternoon. For more information contact Aaron Debusschere at 780-206-6935 or aarondebusschere@dosp.ca.

New this Fall on Salt + Light

Canada's Catholic television network invites you to watch these featured series and other new and returning programs this fall:

- Our new documentary style program ***behold*** will feature Catholic stories of beauty, truth and goodness on a variety of intriguing topics.
- Featuring different dioceses across Canada, ***This Place: Real People, Real Faith***, is a new upbeat, fresh and joy filled TV series about Catholics who share us the faith of their local community.

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MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Day	Time	Mass Intention	Feast
Sept 7 Sat	5:00 pm	RIP Gabrielle Morin - Family	23 rd Sunday of Ordinary Time
Sept 8 Sunday	9:00 am	For Parishioners	
	11:00 am	RIP Ray Garneau - Family	
Sept 10 Tues	8:30 am	Deceased Boissonnault & Brenneis Family - Shirley	
Sept 11 Wed	10:00 am	(Lodge) NO MASS	
Sept 12 Thurs	10:00 am	(Aspen) RIP Art Krauskopf - Ralph & Trudy Krauskopf	
Sept 13 Friday	8:30 am	Souls in Purgatory - 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.



We welcome to God's family

Andrew & Colton Guerette

baptized on September 7th, 2019

&

Matteo Castro

&

Ronin Beauchamp

baptized on September 8th, 2019



We wish you a Merry Christmas

To early? Maybe, but something to think about this summer.

We will be starting our Christmas Choir practices first week of October. Anyone interested in sharing their God given talents and/or would like more info please contact: Phil 780-939-4816, Ron 587-783-5134 or Christine 780-939-5563.



	August 25 th Collection \$ 3423.00	
	Restoration \$ 70.00	
COLLECTIONS – QUÊTES	September 1 st Collection \$ 3798.00	THANK YOU! MERCI!
	Restoration \$ 810.00	
	Perpetual Care \$ 75.00	

UPCOMING EVENTS

Dust Angels

- September 9th, Monday 8:00 am

- Church