



# PAROISSE ST. JEAN BAPTISTE PARISH BULLETIN

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Parish

March 7, 2021  
3rd Sunday of Lent

## Sacraments

### Baptism:

Last Sunday of the month at mass. Please the parish office for more info and registration.

### Reconciliation:

Sat. 4:30 - 4:50 pm

Sun. 8:30 - 8:50 am

10:30 - 10:50 am

or upon appointment

### 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.

## Sunday Masses

Sat 05:00 PM English

Sun 09:00 AM English

11:00 AM Bilingual

## Weekday Masses

Tue 8:30 AM Church

Wed 5:00 PM Church

Thu 5:00 PM Church

Fri 8:30 AM Church

6:00 PM Stations of the Cross (Fridays of Lent)

## 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the Month

9:00-10:00AM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

7:00-8:00 PM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

**March 18, 2021) Third Thursday of the Month**

## 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.

### Pastor

Fr. Trini Pinca  
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pastor@sjbp.ca

### Executive Assistant

Donna Sobochan  
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### Parish Council

Noreen Radford  
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### Finance Temporal Committee

George Vansevenant  
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### Children's Liturgy

Lisa St. Onge  
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### Safe Parish Committee

Denise Touchette  
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### Knights of Columbus

Pat Earles GK  
Phone: 939-6253

### Catholic Women's League

Simone Chevalier  
Phone: 939-4512



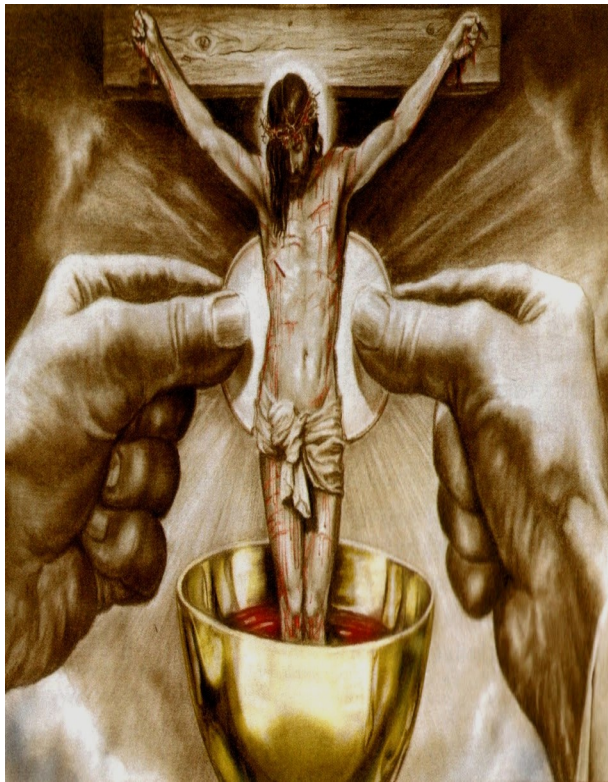
Today's Gospel reminds us of what Jesus had told Nicodemus. We must be born from above, from water and the Spirit, if we are to share God's life as His children. To the Samaritan and us Jesus exclaims, *'If only you appreciated the gift of God!'* We can so easily take for granted the divine life we receive through baptism –just as we take for granted the rain which makes ours a fertile land.

At the end of today's Gospel we're told that Jesus stayed with the Samaritans for a week. That everyday word, "stay" has a deep meaning in St. John's Gospel. It looks forward Jesus' His Final Discourse, just before His Passion. In this He spoke of the Father and Son staying or abiding in each other. That is their life and happiness. Wonder of wonders, we have been called to enter and share God's very own life and happiness. He wants to abide in us, and we in Him. That is His sublime gift, symbolised by living water, which Jesus offered the Samaritan woman and each of us. If only we appreciated His gift of Himself we would want nothing else! (<http://catholicbb.org/home/blog/entry/reflection-on-matt-23-1-12-by-fr-isidore-clarke-op>)

### Intention of Pope Francis for the month of March:

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Let us pray that we may experience the sacrament of reconciliation with renewed depth, to taste the infinite mercy of God.



	DATE	TIME	MASS INTENTIONS
SATURDAY	6-Mar	5:00 PM	For Parishioners
SUNDAY	7-Mar	9:00 AM	RIP Arnold Longpre-Alan & Claudette Borle
	7-Mar	11:00 AM	Deceased Boissonnault Family-Adrien
TUESDAY	9-Mar	8:30 AM	RIP Ray Swerda- Kathy and Family
WEDNESDAY	10-Mar	5:00 PM	Laurette Vansevenandt-Isabel
THURSDAY	11-Mar	5:00 PM	Joseph Zukowski- Family
FRIDAY	12-Mar	8:30 AM	RIP Louise Wulff- Ernie and Family
SATURDAY	13-Mar	5:00 PM	RIP Roseanne Longpre-Roland and Lorraine Blackburn
SUNDAY	14-Mar	9:00 AM	RIP Roger Van Hecke-Judy and Family
SUNDAY	14-Mar	11:00 AM	For Parishioners

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**PLEASE PRAY FOR...** Emilienne Dostie, Braden Rowland, Lorna Paloma and Irene Cabacang. Those that are infected by **Covid -19** and all those who are sick or struggling and who are going through any medical procedures and treatments.

#### Retreat of Seminarian Lester Evangelista

Please pray for Seminarian Lester for his coming Diaconal Ordination this coming March 19. He will have his spiritual retreat this coming March 8 until March 12

#### TAX RECEIPTS READY at the Back

For those wants to receive their TAX Receipts its already ready to be pick up at the back of the Church or call us at the rectory.

#### STATION of the CROSS (Via Crucis)

In this season of Lent we will have Station of the Cross every Friday at 6:00 PM. You can also join the live stream Way of the Cross of the Cathedral of St. Paul at 7:00 PM

#### COVID 19 Protocol

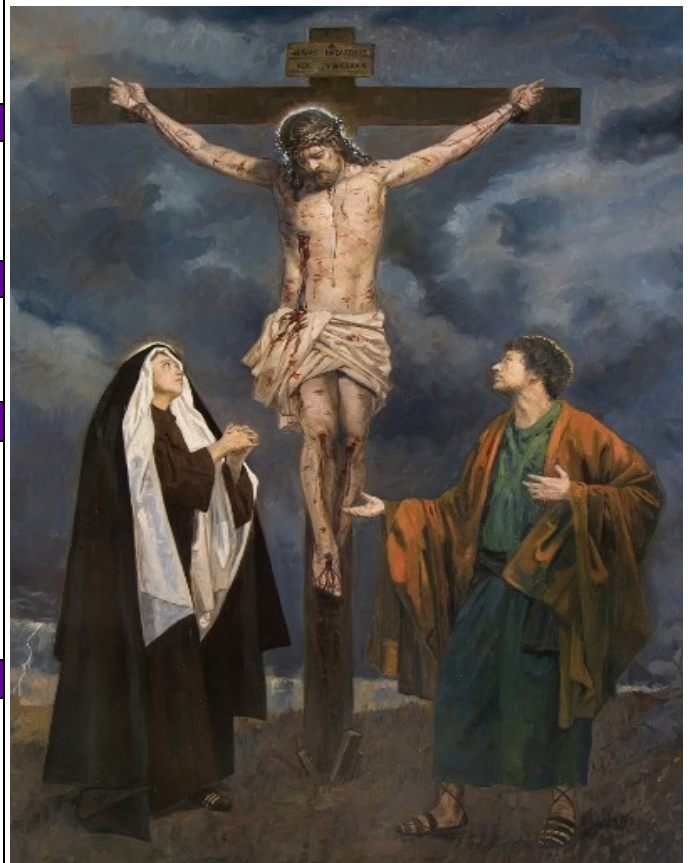
To follow new COVID 19 protocols of our town please ensure that you wear **mask at all times, sanitize hands upon entry and exit** and **observe social distancing** in our liturgical celebrations. The new restriction only allows us to have 15% of the Church capacity and that is 88 number of parishioners.

#### WORDS of Gratitude

Our sincerest gratitude to all the members of our parish for your continuous support especially in this unprecedented time. Especial thanks to all our volunteers for ensuring the safety of everyone. May the God Lord bless you in your generosity.

### ONLINE STREAMING

We are trying our best to be connected with our brethren that can't attend the celebration of the mass because of Covid19 through online streaming. You can access in YouTube and Facebook by typing this web address: St Jean Baptiste Parish Morinville (Live Stream) or St.



14-Feb-21	COLLECTION Feb 28	\$ 2,642
	Camp St. Louis	\$ 280
	Restoration	\$ 345

THANK YOU !