

St. Joseph Catholic Church

Healing Our Wounds in Joyful Service

Trinity Sunday
June 16, 2019

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Vacation Bible School - July 8 - 12



Registration Deadline:
Monday, June 17

DEADLINE

Get up close and personal with elephants, polar bears & penguins. The adventure of a lifetime awaits! During this year's program kids will have "Amazing Encounters with Jesus". So grab your camera, wild encounters are coming! You won't want to miss it!! \$32/child

Registration open to kids age 4 to grade 5/6 at the parish office.

Wilderness Adventure Guides needed!

Questions? Contact Joanne,
780-532-2351 (ext 230) or
sjc-family@gpcsd.ca



JUNE 16 - 23 DATES TO REMEMBER

Sun. 16: 3 pm, Blessing of Pets, courtyard

Wed. 19: 9:30 - 11 am, Ladies' Bible Study, St JP11 Room
10 am - noon, Martha's Prayer Time,
Modern Martyrs Room

Fri. 21: 7:0 pm, Mass followed by Adoration, church

Sun. 23: 2 pm, Adoration and Procession, church

PARENT SACRAMENTAL FORUMS WITH REGISTRATION FOR Reconciliation, Eucharist & Confirmation

Mark these dates on your calendar.

Monday, September 30, 7 - 9 pm

Thursday, October 3, 7 - 9 pm

Saturday, October 5, 10 am - 12 noon

All sessions are in Tranquille Hall

In our diocese children baptized in the Roman Catholic Church celebrate Reconciliation in grade 2, Eucharist in grade 3 and Confirmation in grade 6. All children receiving sacraments in the 2019 - 2020 school year, whether they attend Catholic school or otherwise, must be registered at a forum. Plan to be there for the full 2 hours. Parents only need to attend ONE session. Bring a copy of your child's Baptism certificate.

Coming this fall: SOMETHING'S MISSING

Do you feel like "something's missing" in your life?

All the divorced, widowed, single or separated:

Join us this fall for a time of faith and fellowship.

Watch the bulletin for details or contact Bernadette

thibeau@telusplanet.net or 780-831-8016

Parish Financial Information (Diane Walker ext. 227)

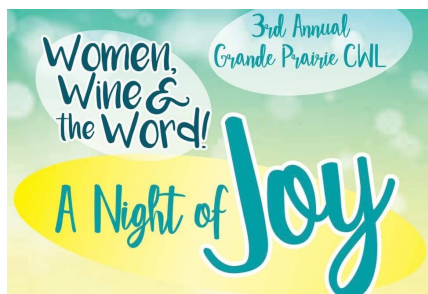
Offering required weekly \$24,455.00

Offering received last Sunday \$21,375.59

Children's collection \$35.00

Based on 815 donors an amount of \$30/week per donor is needed to meet our annual budget. Please mark your envelope with the amount enclosed.

Corpus Christi The Feast of The Body and Blood of Christ Sunday, June 23. In many places around the world there is a Eucharistic Procession on this day. This is a reminder that when we receive the Body and Blood of Christ we are called to take Christ to the world. On June 23 we will have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament beginning at 2:00 pm. At 2:50 we will process around the front of the church and conclude with Benediction near the bell tower.



Save the date: September 20, 7 - 9 pm
Tickets on sale August 24/25.

Family & Childrens
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 Joanne Chiasson ext. 230 sjc-



Urgent! Liturgy of the Word with Children Leaders & Helpers needed for September. In order to resume the program in September we need you! Volunteer screening must be completed now. Screening packages are available from the office. Contact Joanne, ext. 230.



YOUTH MINISTRY

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stjoesyouthgp@gmail.com



Go online to see our upcoming news & events:



CAMP VOLUNTEERS NEEDED.

Are you a teacher, parent or just someone who likes youth?

WE NEED YOU.

Positions: councilors, camp nurse, life guard, kitchen helper, etc.

Questions? Call Jocelyne, 780-532-9766 or apply on-line at campstmartin.ca/join-our-team

Martha's & prayer time

CALLING ALL MOMS & PRE-SCHOOL CHILDREN

1st & 3rd Wednesday, 10 am - 12 noon

Come make connections with other moms of the parish. Find encouragement, support, fellowship and joy. Prayer/reflection at 11:15 am. Children welcome and encouraged to attend with mom. **Last gathering before summer: June 19, Modern Martyrs Room** www.facebook.com/groups/momsprayerandplay.gp.ca/



Children's Mass Bags!

Sundays during the summer, materials will be available for children, age 4 to grade 3, to use during Mass. They will be in a

basket on the ledge under the bulletin board in the church. The pamphlets are for the children to take home, but following Mass please return the bags and pencils to the basket.

The last Liturgy of the Word with Children before summer is June 22/23.

REMEMBER TO REGISTER FOR CAMP.

Grade 9 - 12, August 4 - 9

Grade 7 - 8, August 11 - 16

Grade 4 - 6, August 18 - 22

Family campout, August 23 - 25

More info and register online:

campstmartin.ca

Save your Bottles for our Youth Groups: Drop them at any Bottle Depot with this information on them: St. Joseph Youth Group #1479-2351. Your donations and assistance are greatly appreciated!

SACRAMENTS

Darlene Lemay, x 228



Through the waters of Baptism we welcome Cassius Soriano and Breanna Villas to our family of faith. We pray their journey with our Lord is filled with great joy!

Parents are required to complete a Baptism course for each of their children. You may attend while still expecting your child! Contact Darlene, ext. 228

saintjoseph.ca Blog Reflection "Seeds" Sign up under "Subscribe for special parish updates and reflection blog" on the home page to receive notification for each new blog.

Follow our parish on Twitter: @stjoespastor
Or check us out on Facebook: @StJoesCatholicChurch

ADULT FORMATION



Blessing of Pets

Sunday, June 16, 3:00 pm

Bring your pet for this unique family celebration. We gather around the bell tower area (outside).

Mass followed by Adoration of the blessed

Sacrament: Friday, June 21, 7 pm, church. All are welcome to attend.

Feast of Our Mother of Perpetual Help, June 27

Please join the parish for Mass Thursday, June 27 at 7:00 pm as we celebrate this Feast. The icon of our Mother of Perpetual Help has a prominent place in our church and chapel. This icon was given to the Redemptorist Order by the Pope over 100 years ago with the instruction to "make her known."

A Novena (9 days of prayer) for Our Mother of Perpetual Help begins on Tuesday, June 18. For your personal use, prayers are available below the bulletin board in the church entrance. (There will be no formal prayer at the church).

This year, for the first time we will celebrate a Perpetual Help Triduum in preparation for the feast. We will gather on Tuesday, June 25 and Wednesday, June 26 before the evening Mass when we will have Perpetual Help prayers and a short reflection. All are welcome.

Interested in Religious life? Contact Fr. Leo English, C.Ss.R. at the parish office, ext. 222

Pictorial Directory's are now here - If you have not yet picked yours up, they are now available at the parish office during office hours. If you would like to purchase one they are \$12.50

Catholic Family Life Conference: *One, Holy, Catholic and Apostolic Church*, June 28 - July 1, Lac Ste. Anne, AB. Early bird rates prior to June 21.

Brochures can be found on the bulletin board in the church or contact 780-961-3346 or check the website www.catholicfamilyministries.com

Bulletin Q & A - Mastering the Mass

Q. What is the Lectionary?

A. It is the book containing the scripture readings chosen for public reading at Mass according to the liturgical calendar.

Polish Mass: Sunday, June 16, 1:00 pm, in Webster. Luncheon to follow. All are welcome. Contact Jagoda, 780-832-3286 for information.

Searching for RCIA Sponsors for the adults preparing for full initiation (baptism/confirmation and Eucharist) or full reception into the church. The basic quality of a sponsor is someone who wants to learn more about the Catholic faith and who is comfortable enough with their faith to accompany someone else on their faith journey.

For information contact John Witschen, 780-532-2351, ext. 232.



We were established as a parish April 26, 1920. Join us for Mass on our 100th Anniversary: Sunday, April 26, 2020.

Other centennial festivities include:

Parish Mission: March 29 - April 1

Mission Preacher is Fr. Jack Kingsbury

Parish Dinner: May 3, at Evergreen Park

St. Joseph Day in the Park: Sunday, June 14,

Muskoseepi Park, Mass at 11 am followed by family fun in the park.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR MAY JUNE 17 - 22

(✠ Signifies a Mass for someone deceased)

Mon. 17, 7:00 am:	John Vavrek
Tues. 18, 7:00 pm:	Melanie & Brian Lukevich
Wed. 19, 7:00 am:	Mary Vavrek
7:00 pm:	✠ Doug Marshall
Thurs. 20, 7:00 pm:	✠ Doug Marshall
Fri. 21, 7:00 am:	John & Mary Vavrek
10:30 am:	
7:00 pm:	✠ Betty Chailer
Sat. 22, 9:00 am:	Feyi & Celestina Shaba

