

St. Joseph Catholic Church



Healing Our Wounds in Joyful Service

Mid Summer

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 11, 2019

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PARENT SACRAMENTAL FORUMS WITH REGISTRATION FOR Reconciliation, Eucharist & Confirmation

Mark these dates on your calendar:

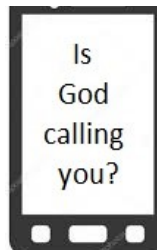
Monday, September 30, 7 - 9 pm

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.



URGENT!!! Liturgy of the Word with Children Leaders & Helpers required 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.

September 20, 6:30 - 9 pm in Tranquille Hall



Join the St. Joseph CWL for their 3rd Annual "Women, Wine & the Word! An evening of Joy"
Guest speaker: Carmen Moore
Join us for a beautiful and inspiring evening of JOY! Music, fellowship, prayer, catered appetizers and desserts, raffles, draws, coffee, tea, music, sparkling juice and **WINE!!**
Tickets \$30 each starting August 24/25, after Mass
Note: This is an 18+ event, as wine will be served.



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 - Fr. Jack Kingsbury

Parish Dinner: May 3, at Evergreen Park

St. Joseph Day in the Park: Sunday, June 14,
Muskosepi Park, Mass at 11 am followed by family fun in the park.

100th Anniversary Committee Members: Fr. Leo, Darlene Brausen, Annette Dechant, Dan Gorman, Dennis Grant, Helen MacDonald, Diana McConachie, Paulette Patterson, Russ Snoble, Szabi Stikker, Laura Tapson, Diane Walker, Kevin Walker, April Weavell

Coming this fall:

SOMETHING'S MISSING

Do you feel like "something's missing" in your life? All divorced, widowed, single or separated: Join us this fall for a time of faith and fellowship. Watch for details or contact Bernadette thibeaub@telusplanet.net or 780-831-8016.



SACRAMENTS

Darlene Lemay x 228

This summer, **THROUGH THE WATERS OF BAPTISM** we welcome Jenessa Enriquez, Katlyn Chabot, Isabelle Mercado, Kamryn Coté, Nathan Berondo, Nyelle Tokar, Baye Tovar, Aron Valdez, Anderson Adomeit, Sienna Boyitt, Koen Ruether, Willow Cove, Hailey Cove and Craig Skanderberg Jr. We pray that 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

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

MASS INTENTIONS FOR AUGUST 12 - 30

(† Signifies a Mass for someone deceased)

Mon. 12, 7:00 am: † Andrea Vavrek
 Tues. 13, 7:00 pm: † Orest Woychuk
 Wed. 14, 7:00 am: Bridget Bowen
 Thurs. 15, 7:00 pm: † Jose Joa
 Fri. 16, 7:00 am: † Sean Ferris
 Mon. 19, 7:00 am: Ben Radke / † Judith Radke
 Tues. 20, 7:00 pm: † Lucien Rouleau
 Wed. 21, 7:00 am: † Martin Leong
 Thurs. 22, 7:00 pm: † Tony & Frances Doll
 Fri. 23, 7:00 am: † Tommy Reid
 Mon. 26, 7:00 am: † Bazel Driver
 Tues. 27, 7:00 pm: † John, Mabel & Michael McNeil/
 † Stacey Hagg
 Wed. 28, 7:00 am: † Emile & Annette Fontaine
 Thurs. 29, 7:00 pm: † Roman & Laura Woychuk
 Fri. 30, 7:00 am: Darren & Lisa Bennett

Summer Mass Schedule July 1 - September 1

Monday, Wednesday & Friday 7:00 am
 Tuesday & Thursday 7:00 pm
Sunday Masses:
 Saturday evening 7:00 pm
 Sunday morning 9:00 am & 11:00 am
Statutory Holidays: September 2, 9:00 am

General Information

Please Pray for

The sick, especially

Doug Cooke

The deceased, especially

Helen Lavoie

Douglas Sheehan

Arlene Supernault

Ninfa Suarez

Lou Kilarski

Please note: Parish staff, including clergy, **NEVER** solicit donations or gift cards through email or text.

100 Mile Dinner - September 2019

Every fall, the Social Justice Committee hosts a Potluck Dinner, a meal where all foods come from within 100 miles of Grande Prairie (as much as it is possible). This is to encourage us to consume local foods, whether purchased or home-grown. Our goal is to limit dependence on foods transported to us from distant places, thereby reducing our carbon footprint on the Earth, and to bring awareness of all that is available locally. Another happy side-effect of this meal is that it helps to build community - eating together, sharing recipes and tips for more sustainable living on our planet. Call Josy, 780-876-4060, for info.

Bulletin Q & A - Mastering the Mass

Q. *What is the purpose of the Introductory Rites?*

A. The purpose of the Introductory Rites is to bring worshippers together as one, establishing communion among the participants so that all may enter into the liturgy as the one Body of Christ.

Confessions: Saturday evenings, 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

Morning Prayer: Mon - Fri, 8:45 am, in the Chapel.

Devotions to our Mother of Perpetual Help at Wednesday Mass.

Baptism for Infants & Young Children: Contact Darlene, ext. 228 (even prior to the birth of your child) about the process for Baptism Preparation for parents.

Marriage: Couples wishing to be married in a Catholic Church must contact the Parish Office *at least 8 months and preferably one year* prior to their wedding date.

Office Hours: Monday - Friday, 8:30 am-noon, 1-5 pm.

Religious Gift Shop/Library - Contact parish office

Prayer Chain Requests: Confidentiality assured. Contact Alyeska, alyeska@degen.ca