

St. Mary's Parish The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ June 11, 2023 - Year A

> Deuteronomy 8.2-3, 14-16 1 Corinthians 10.16-17 John 6.51-59

"I am the living bread..."

Our Mission: "Together Building Up the Body of Christ"

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MASS TIMES

Saturday: 5:00pm Sunday: 9am, 11am & 7pm Daily Mass: Tuesday - 7 pm Wednesday - Friday - 9 am

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday: 1:00-4:00pm Tuesday - Thursday: 10:00am - Noon: 1:00pm - 4:00pm Friday: 10:00am - Noon



Prayer Group:

Join us at 8:30am, before the 9am daily Mass, to pray the Rosary. The rosary is also prayed after the 9am daily Mass.

Adoration:
8-9am on Saturdays. (1st Saturday of the month: 7:30-8:30am)

Holy Face of Jesus:

This group meets on Tuesdays, from 1-2pm, in front of the Blessed Sacrament for prayer, devotion and reparation to the Holy Face of Jesus, as well as recitation of the Rosary for priests.

Zoom Rosary

A monthly Rosary is prayed on Zoom, usually on the 22nd of each month at 7 pm, but there is no obligation to make a monthly commitment. If you would like to join, please contact Isabel at 403-314-0031 to get the Zoom link. The next date is Thursday, June 22.



Mass intentions for the week of June 11-17

The intentions in brackets are said by retired priests in Edmonton.

Sun. 9 am: All Parishioners

Sun. 11 am: Osinachi Nwaribe (†Sharon Morrissette)

Sun. 7 pm: †Ricci Villaneuva Tue. 7 pm: †Barb Prospero Wed. 9 am: †Brian Korchinski

Thur. 9 am: †Barb Prospero (Zachary Baker-Thanksgiving

Fri. 9 am: Deacon Santiago Torres

Sat. 5 pm: †Mariano Que (†Robin Bishop, †Socorro Bongco)

Special days this week

Tues. June 13: St. Anthony of Padua

Fri. June 16: The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus



CWL Word of the Week

Future

Imagine if you knew the great works done by Catholic Women's League members. As social justice activists, we pray and work for family, friends and all people to change current issues and make this world

a better place. We hope you will join us!

Please support the

Central Alberta Pregnancy Care Centre's Baby Bottle Campaign.

The funds raised enable the Centre to continue operations, and to offer, free of charge, support to all who walk through their doors. Cheques can be made out to the Pregnancy Care Centre. Please return filled bottles by June 17/18 (Father's Day).

A special drop container is available for returned bottles/envelopes at the front entrance. Please pray that the Pregnancy Care Centre will be visible in the community as a safe place for all who seek help with an unplanned pregnancy.

Thank you for your support.

St. Mary's Ministry Schedule for August to November

Each ministry will schedule in order, to facilitate scheduling those who are in more than one ministry.

If you have a question, concerns, or <u>unavailable dates</u>, contact the ministry coordinator for your ministry.

Ministry Complete Date

Proclaimers June 15, 2023

Jeff: jeff.tuchscherer@rdcrs.ca

Hospitality June 22, 2023

Kristy: kjgulak@gmail.com

Alter servers June 20, 2023

Altar servers June 29, 2023 Cynthia: cynthia.leyson@rdcrs.ca

"Kind words can be short and easy to speak, but their echoes are truly endless."

St. Teresa of Calcutta

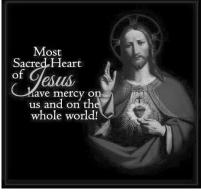
June: The Month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

The Sacred Heart of Jesus has a cross, flames, crown of thorns, and blood.

Each of these has special meaning so that we can remember His love for us.

The cross points to His sacrifice, the flames are his purifying passion, the

crown of thorns reminds us of His suffering and



kingship, and the blood reminds us of the side wound during His death. He spilled all of His blood for us.

For ways to incorporate His Sacred Heart into your life this June, google:

June the month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and go to Catholic-Link. Org



Corpus Christi Adoration

On the Feast of Corpus Christi (Sunday, June 11), there will be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament from 7:30 to 8:30am

Congratulations to all the young adults who received the Sacrament of Confirmation at the May 28 and June 4 Masses. Thank you to the parishioners for prayers and support throughout their journey.



May the Almighty bless you with His wisdom and knowledge.

"I have sworn and I will confirm it, That I will keep Your righteous ordinances." Psalm 119:106

Called to Protect

The next Called to Protect Training Session is Wednesday, June 14 at 1-3:30pm.

The two and a half hour session is mandatory for all volunteers and employees of the Archdiocese.

This will be a zoom session.

Please call the office to register.

403-347-3114



St. Mary's Prayer Shawl Ministry will meet in the classroom on **Wednesday**, **June 24 at 1:30pm**.

Please feel free to join.

If you have any yarn to donate, they will greatly accept it.

YOUTH THEATRE

Presents Rapunzel

June 9-18 New Life Fellowship, 20 Kelloway Crescent \$15 cash at the door

See posters at both entrances for pre-sale tickets and dates and times.

Playground Fundraiser

St. Teresa of Avila School is fundraising for a new inclusive playground. It is our goal to raise funds to build a barrier-free playground that all students can access. If you are interested in making a donation, please email nicole.zimmerman@rdcrs.ca



Our Lady of Victory Camp

Registration for summer camp is now open, and any young person entering grades 4-12 next fall is welcome to attend!

Read more about what we do at camp, how to register, or how you can get involved or support OLVC at www.olvcamp.com.







Work has already begun at Our Lady of Victory Camp to prepare for the relaunch of camp this summer. This April, e need extra hands to help get ready for work bees in May and June. It's our hope to refresh the camp after it has been sitting dormant the past four summers. Please consider giving a day to camp

Call Deacon Claude Baril at 403-896-3745 to get involved or to learn more details.



Ukrainian Displaced Persons **Planning** Committee

We are in urgent need for host families. If you can help, please call Cheryl at 403-506-6620



Red Deer Food Bank

The food bank is in need of canned goods for emergency hampers, as well as baby food, any non-perishable items and other basic necessities. Please drop your donations in the Parish's hamper at either entrance of the Church.

Thank you



The Pope's Monthly Intention: June 2023

For the abolition of torture

We pray that the international community may commit in a concrete way to ensuring the abolition of torture and guarantee support to victims and their families.

Pope Francis Twitter

On what would have been her 150th birthday, let us ask Saint Therese of the Child Jesus, the patron saint of missions, for the grace to love Jesus as she loved Him, the grace to offer Him our trials and our sorrows, as she did, so that He might be known and loved by all.



This week: The Rite of Adoration

Listen on your favourite podcast app. or at https://caedm.ca/upfront

Read the Archbishop's Sunday homily at:

https://caedm.ca/archbishop/messages-homilies/

Check also other news and resources at the Archdiocesan website: https://caedm.ca/.

You may also want to consider subscribing to other diocesan publications and resources, such as the People of Mission Bulletin or the Window newsletter.



World Youth Day

WYD is the gathering of young people from all over the world with Pope Francis. It is also a pilgrimage, a celebration of youth and an intense moment of evangelization.

To get more information or to register for the event, go to www.lisboa2023.org/en.



Great News!!!

Father Raymond Maria LaGrange was ordained a Dominican priest on May 20 in Washington DC. Many members of his family live in Red Deer.

Fr. Raymond will celebrate his first Thanksgiving Mass in our community on

Saturday, June 24th at 5pm. All are invited to celebrate one of our own being ordained to the priesthood.

NEWCOMERS: We are blessed that you have chosen to join us in worship and ministry here at St. Mary's. If you are new or have not registered, please complete a Registration Form available at both entrances, and drop it off at the office or in the collection basket during the weekend masses.

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