



**St. Mary's Parish**  
**29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**October 22, 2023 - Year A**

Isaiah 45: 1, 4 - 6  
1 Thessalonians 1: 1 - 5b  
Matthew 22: 15 - 21

“Render to Caesar the things that are Caesar’s  
and to God the things that are God’s.”

**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

**The Church and office will be**  
**closed on Monday, October 2, for**  
**the National Day of**  
**Truth and Reconciliation**

**E-transfer donations**

Send your e-transfer donations to  
[\*\*StMaryRD.etransfer@caedm.ca\*\*](mailto:StMaryRD.etransfer@caedm.ca)

**Scammers at work: beware and be careful!**  
Father Mirek nor anyone from St. Mary's Parish would ever send  
anyone email messages asking for help, money or gift cards.  
These are scam emails.

**Please report them and move them to the junk folder.**

**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 7pm, 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.



## Mass intentions for the week of October 22 - 28

The intentions in brackets are said by  
retired priests in Edmonton

Sun. 9 am: †Vic Labrecque (†Fabian Gonzales)  
 Sun. 11 am: Nilda de la Penna Alvarez  
 Sun. 7 pm: All Parishioners  
 Tue. 7 pm: Ron Barchuk  
 Wed. 9 am: Edna Soliven (James Russell)  
 Thu. 9 am: †Leo Magnon (†Rolly Daz)  
 Fri. 9 am: †David LaGrange  
 Sat. 5 pm: †Mariano & † Carolina Que

### Special days this week

Sun. Oct 22: St. John Paul II, Pope  
 Sat. Oct 28: St. Simon and St. Jude

**1st Eucharist, Reconciliation & Confirmation**  
 Registration for these sacraments and the preparation for  
 them is now open online. Please check our website.



### CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Children's Liturgy at the 11am Mass has now started, but we are still  
 in need of more volunteers. Anyone interested in helping please  
 contact Christina Hackett at  
[christina.hackett@hotmail.com](mailto:christina.hackett@hotmail.com) or 403-391-0575.

### Children's Liturgy in a Bag:

Our parish is excited to present "Children's Liturgy in a Bag".  
 These bags are located at both entrances and intended for children  
 attending Mass at a time other than 11:00am.  
 Please take the **liturgy colouring sheets** home with you.  
 Kindly **return the bag and  
 crayons** to the back of the basket so they can be used again.

### Called to Protect

Called to Protect Zoom Session  
 Monday, October 30  
 7-9:30am  
 Please see the website to register

### Ministry Schedule for December to March

Ministry	Completion Date
Altar servers	October 26, 2023
Cynthia: <a href="mailto:cynthia.leyson@rdcrs.ca">cynthia.leyson@rdcrs.ca</a>	

### Marian Retreat

Sacred Heart Parish  
 Saturday, October 28, 9am-4pm

Hosted by Father Jan Sobkowicz  
 Speaker: Gerard Renaud

Registration Fee: \$20 & Lunch included  
 E-transfer: [sacredheart.reddeer@caedm.ca](mailto:sacredheart.reddeer@caedm.ca)  
 Cash at Sacred Heart office



See bulletin board for more details

## October: Month of the Holy Rosary

When reciting the Rosary, the important  
 and meaningful moments of salvation  
 history are relived. The various steps of  
 Christ's mission are traced. With Mary  
 the heart is oriented toward the mystery  
 of Jesus. Christ is put at the centre of our  
 life, of our time, of our city, through the  
 contemplation and meditation of his holy  
 mysteries of joy, light, sorrow and glory.

May Mary help us to welcome within  
 ourselves the grace emanating from these  
 mysteries, so that through us we can  
 "water" society, beginning with our daily relationships, and  
 purifying them from so many negative forces, thus opening  
 them to the newness of God. The Rosary, when it is prayed in  
 an authentic way, not mechanical and superficial but  
 profoundly, it brings, in fact, peace and reconciliation. It  
 contains within itself the healing power of the Most Holy Name  
 of Jesus, invoked with faith and love at the  
 centre of each "Hail Mary".



Let us pray for Ukraine and the Middle East

### CWL NEWS

#### CWL Word of the Week

#### INNOVATION

Members of the Catholic Women's League  
 bring innovative ideas to develop  
 resolutions for change. We read the signs of  
 the times and propose creative solutions.  
 Be a part of the process.



### Knights of Columbus and CWL Fall Turkey Supper

Friday, November 3, St. Mary's Parish Centre

Purchase tickets after masses on October 21/22 and 28/29  
 or at the Parish Office.

Ticket prices Single: \$22 (6 & under free)  
 Couple: \$44 Family (immediate): \$65  
 Sittings: 4:30pm, 5:45pm or 7:00pm

### Request for Pies:

Pies for the turkey dinner will be gratefully  
 accepted. They can be dropped off at the parish  
 kitchen from 1-4 pm on November 2 or after 8:30am  
 on November 3. Thank you.



### 2024 Missals

The 2024 Missals are being sold at both  
 entrances after all masses this weekend.  
 \$6/adult and \$7 for the children.  
 Also sold in the office during office hours.



### EDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP

MISSION IMPOSSIBLE

Sacred Heart Parish  
 Wednesday October 25, 7-8:30pm.



**NEW EPISODE  
EVERY TUESDAY**

**This week:**

**Religious Freedom, Conscience Rights,  
& the Constitution**

Listen to it as a podcast, watch the video on **YouTube**, at <https://www.youtube.com/@UpfrontArchbishop> or online at <https://caedm.ca/upfront>

Read the Archbishop's Sunday homily at: <https://caedm.ca/archbishop/messages-homilies/>

Check 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.



**The Pope's Monthly Intention:  
October 2023**

**For the Synod**

We pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world.

**Pope Francis on X/Twitter**

I have decided to declare **Friday, 27 October**, a day of fasting, penance and prayer for peace. I invite the various Christian confessions, members of other religions, and all who hold the cause of peace in the world at heart to participate.

**OUR LADY OF VICTORY CAMP**

**VIRTUAL GENERAL Meeting**

On Saturday, November 4 join us on Zoom at 7pm to hear the successes and challenges of our 2023 camp relaunch and our plans looking ahead to 2024. Email [camps@caedm.ca](mailto:camps@caedm.ca) to get the link for the meeting!

**Effect Hope** The Leprosy Mission Canada

We are collecting postage stamps again.

If you have any used stamps you would like to donate to this worthy cause, please drop them off in the containers provided at both entrances.

*Our donors help cure 60+ people per year by sending us their trimmed, used postage stamps.*

**Live-In Retreat Weekend**

**Are you finding life to be a struggle?  
Do you desire a closer relationship with God?**

The St. Andrews Live-In Society is hosting a Live-In retreat weekend on November 10-12, 2023, at Ecole Camille J. Lerouge school in Red Deer. The purpose of this weekend is to discover a deeper, personal relationship with Jesus Christ. Pre-registration is required.

If you would like more information, please contact Carol Szymanek at [SALISreddeer@gmail.com](mailto:SALISreddeer@gmail.com), or (403) 391-8117.

**The Society of Saint Vincent de Paul**

**Accepts and greatly appreciates all financial support.**

**To provide ONLINE DONATIONS:**

1. Go to the website: [canadahelps.org](http://canadahelps.org)
  2. In the website search bar type the SSVP business number: 132410671RR0548
  3. Click on the SSVP Red Deer icon to donate.
- You can also use the direct link on the web site of the Parish.*

**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.  
**WELCOME!**



**Star of the North Retreat Centre**

[www.starofthenorth.ca](http://www.starofthenorth.ca),  
email [programs@starofthenorth.ca](mailto:programs@starofthenorth.ca),  
or call 780-459-5511.

**Upcoming events:**

- ◆ Reconciliation Through Justice: Indigenous Speaker Series
- ◆ Fall Artful Reflection Evening
- ◆ Spirituality of the Cosmos Public Lecture & Retreat
- ◆ Addiction, Trauma & the Family Workshop
- ◆ Centering Prayer: an introduction on contemplative silence



**Providence Renewal Centre  
Upcoming Programs:**

**Centering Prayer:** Wednesdays, 6:30 pm  
**Spiritual Book Club:** Nov. 6, Via Zoom  
**Spiritual aspects of health and health care:** Nov. 5, with Alberta Pasco, Ph.D.

For more information, please visit their website at: <https://providencerenewal.ca/>

**Victory Church Clothing Zone**

If you or your children have clothing, winter boots, mitts, scarves and coats that are no longer in use, please consider donating these items to the Clothing Zone at Victory Church.  
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from 1-4pm**



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