

THE RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Next Session on Thursday, January 26th at 7:00 pm – Office Boardroom



Please keep in your prayers those who are on the journey. Thank you!

Faith Development

CATHOLICISM IT'S YOUR STORY...

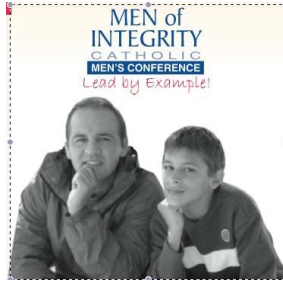
- Thursday, February 2nd from 7:00-9:00 pm - Rectory Basement

Men of Integrity

Catholic Men's Conference

Seeking Men of Courage!

"Step out in Faith" Fr. Bill Casey, CPM



Become a better husband.
Become a better father.
Become the man ...
God has called you to be.

More info & forms available at the back or visit: www.catholicfamilyministries.com

February 3 - 4, 2012

Holy Trinity Parish, Spruce Grove, AB
200 Boundary Road, North of Highway 16A
(between Spruce Grove and Stony Plain)

Praise & Worship night!

Come and pray in a new way through adoration, music, a spiritual talk, and silence.

* On Sunday February 5th 7:00 pm at the church.

Mass with Healing Service

- Sunday February 5, 2012 @ 7:00 pm
- Good Shepherd Parish (18407 – 60 Ave, Edmonton)

You like good Christian Music?

Shaw Conference Centre
9797 Jasper Ave., Edmonton

More info: see flyer at the back or check:

www.breakforthcanada.com/



UPCOMING EVENTS

What	When	Where
* Dust Angels	- January 23 rd , Monday 8:00 am	- Church
* KC Breakfast	- January 29 th , Sunday 9-12:30	- Community Centre

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK! ...

"I don't know why some people change churches.

What difference does it make which one you stay home from?"



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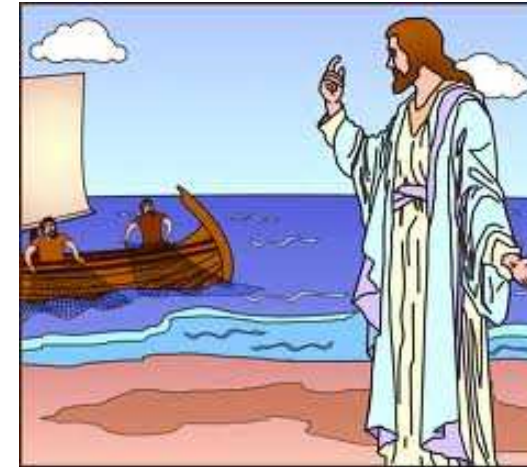
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3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 22nd, janvier
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Adoration  and Prayer

Wednesday, 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm

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.

Sunday Masses:

Sat. 5:00 pm English
Sun. 9:00 am English
11:00 am Bilingual

Weekday Liturgies:

Please refer to a recent bulletin for updates for the current week.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Sat. 4:30 - 4:50 pm
Sun. 8:30 - 8:50 am
10:30 - 10:50 am
or upon appointment

Baptism:

Usually any Sunday of the month at mass.
Call the parish office for more info and registration.

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. In urgent cases please call a priest.

We are asked to seek the Kingdom of God and its riches above material things.



As Christians, we are not to become too tied to the treasures and allurements of our earthly surroundings. Instead, we are to live a simpler life, seeking the riches of God's Kingdom above material things. God wants us to have what we truly need, but not to make *things* the focus of our lives.

SAINT PAUL, - January 25

Nothing matches the zeal of a new convert, be it someone who has just quit smoking, someone who has discovered the benefits of exercise, or someone who has had a religious conversion. Most of the time, however, zeal wears off. The first rush of enthusiasm is replaced by a mundane acceptance.

When we encounter someone who manages to keep the zest alive, we are automatically attracted. Their enthusiasm and excitement is contagious and sometimes, if we are lucky, their joie de vivre rekindles our own.

Saul, the name St. Paul had before he became a Christian, was always zealous. He was so determined to persecute fellow Jews who converted to the new religion that he asked the high priest for permission to arrest all the Jewish converts at Damascus and bring them to Jerusalem.

It was on the road to Damascus that Saul had one of the greatest conversions of all time. Struck to the ground, he heard a voice asking, "Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?" The speaker then identified himself as Jesus of Nazareth. Saul, soon-to-be Paul, had a complete change of heart. From that time on, the zeal he showed in persecuting converts paled in comparison to his zeal in making converts. What's the most impressive is that his zeal never died. Up to the time of his death, he passionately preached his convictions. In fact, his zeal bridges nearly two thousand years and his letters continue to inspire and convert millions even today.

Prayer for Christian Unity

The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity is celebrated around the world on Jan. 18-25, which are now also the dates recommended by the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops. However, there has also been a longstanding practice by a number of Christian Churches and ecclesial communities in Canada to celebrate the Week of Prayer on optional dates, in order to include two Sundays, which in 2012 will be Jan. 22-29. Please pray this week, that all may be one, as Christ desires.

From the Diocese of St. Paul

1. Rev. Fr. Vitus Ikeme, smmm, Rector of St. Paul's Cathedral, at the request of his community will be returning to Nigeria to pursue there the service of his community. This is effective February 1st, 2012.
2. Rev. Fr. Gérard Gauthier, V.G; presently pastor of St. Joseph of Whitecourt and Our Lady of Peace of Fox Creek, is appointed Rector of the Cathedral of St. Paul without prejudice to his present duties. This is effective February 1st, 2012.
3. Rev. Father Paulson Kannanaikal, cmi, assistant in Fort McMurray, is appointed in Fort McMurray, is appointed pastor of St. Joseph of Whitecourt and Our Lady of Peace of Fox Creek. This is effective February 1st, 2012.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK



Vivian Wulff, Shirley Sobochan, Janina Warias, Sr Barbara

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Day	Time	Mass Intention	Feast
Jan 21 Sat - sam	5:00 pm	For Parishioners	Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Jan 22 Sun - dim	9:00 am	RIP Denis Bachand - Sharon	
	11:00 am	RIP Marcel Dubé - Choir	St. Francis De Sales
Jan 24 Tues - mar	8:30 am	RIP Harmel Sylvestre	The Conversion of St. Paul
Jan 25 Wed - mer	10:00 am 5 – 7 pm 7:00 pm	(Lodge) For bp Luc & priests of our Diocese Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Special intention – Leo, Rita & Family	
Jan 26 Thurs - jeu	10:00 am	(Aspen) RIP Leo Detonnacour - Family	St. Timothy, St. Titus
Jan 27 Fri - ven	8:30 am	Living & Deceased Family – S. Boissonnault	
Jan 28 Sat - sam	5:00 pm	RIP Jeanette Girard – David, Lesanne & Family	Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Jan 29 Sun - dim	9:00 am	RIP Marcel Dube – August & Celina	
	11:00 am	For Parishioners	



Next Youth Night will be on Friday, January 27th at 7:00 pm.



CWL The CWL 2012 memberships are currently due the membership fee is \$25.00 please put them in the collection basket and **mark the envelope CWL** or you can drop the envelope off at the Parish office. If you have any questions about the CWL or you would like to become a new member please call Sandee Blackburn at 780-939-5199.

New Arrivals!

A fresh selection of Catholic CD's are now available at the back of the Church for you and your family. A wide variety of topics are provided to nourish your soul. Upcoming new titles will be displayed on the following dates: Jan. 29th, Feb. 26th, and March 18th. One more way to grow your faith!

Musician Needed

A guitar player is needed to play 1-2 times per month at the 5:00 Mass on Saturday. If anyone is able to offer this service, please call Donna at the parish office for more information at 780-939-4412.

Envelopes for 2012

The envelopes for this year are ready for pick-up at the back of the church. If you would like to receive a box of envelopes, please fill out the Parish Registration Form that is at the back of the church or just talk to fr. Ignacy after mass or call the parish office.

COLLECTIONS – QUÊTES

Jan 15th \$ 3,170.00
Restoration & Maintenance \$

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