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27th Sunday Of Ordinary Time

October 6th ,octobre

2013

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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 can do good works for others if we live with faith in God and do not harden our hearts.

Faith is so important for us today. Without faith, we would not have hope. Jesus is the capstone of our faith and his words to the disciples long ago are true for us today. The world is in need of faith, especially during these turbulent times. However, if we have even a small amount of faith, we can accomplish great things because Jesus is with us.

Prayer / Reflection...

Towards the beautiful gate

I must be filled with joy if my feet are on the right road
and my face set towards the gate which is called beautiful,
through I may fall many times in the mire
and often in the mist go astray.

Far off, like a perfect pearl, one can see the City of God.

It is so wonderful that it seems as if
a child could reach it in a summer's day.

And so a child could.

But with me and such as me it is different.

One can realise a thing in a single moment,
but one loses it in the long hours that follow with leaden feet.

We think in terms of eternity,
but we move slowly through time.

(Oscar Wilde)

2nd Annual Thanksgiving Pilgrimage

On October 6, 2013 at 1:00 pm all are welcomed to meet at the St Emile Catholic Church in Legal for a Thanksgiving Pilgrimage. We will be sharing the stories behind some of the murals as well as the cross 4 miles north of Legal. For more information please contact Red Pelletier at 780.961.3072 or Julie Laforce-Keane at jllkeane@gmail.com. There is also sheets at the back of the church with more detailed information.

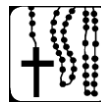
October: Month of the Holy Rosary

The month of October each year is dedicated to the Most Holy Rosary. This is primarily due to the fact that the liturgical feast of Our Lady of the Rosary is celebrated annually on October 7. It was instituted to honor the Blessed Virgin Mary in gratitude for the protection that she gives the Church in answer to the praying of the

Rosary by the faithful.

The feast was introduced by Pope St. Pius V (1504-1572) in the year 1571 to commemorate the miraculous victory of the Christian forces in the Battle of Lepanto on October 7, 1571. The pope attributed more to the "arms" of the Rosary than the power of cannons and the valor of the soldiers who fought there.

Legend tells us that the Rosary as a form of prayer was given to St. Dominic (1170- 1221) by Mary, the Mother of Our Lord, who entrusted it to him as an aid in the conflicts with the Albigensians. The Dominican pope, St. Pius V, did much to further the spread of the Rosary and it thereafter became one of the most popular devotions.



Masses For The Week

Day	Time	Mass Intention	Feast
Oct 5 Sat - sam	5:00 pm	RIP Marie Vansevenandt (6 th Anniv) – Richard & Family	27 th
Oct 6 Sun - dim	9:00 am	For Parishioners	Sunday Of ordinary
	11:00 am	RIP Denis Labonte – Mary & Family	Time
Oct 8 Tues - mar	8:30 am	NO MASS	
Oct 9 Wed - mer	10:00 am	(Lodge) Liturgy of the word with Communion	
Oct 10 Thurs - jeu	10:00 am	(Aspen) Liturgy of the word with Communion	
Oct 11 Fri - ven	8:30 am	RIP Gordon & David Hittinger – Jerry & Carol Kaup	
Oct 12 Sat - sam	5:00 pm	RIP Roger Vansevenandt (1 st Anniv) – Isabel & Family	28 th
Oct 13 Sun - dim	9:00 am	RIP Roger & Noel Vansevenandt - Family	Sunday Of ordinary
	11:00 am	Deceased Houle Relatives - Adrien	Time



PLEASE PRAY FOR... Carol Jean, Kiah Courtney, Irene Dupuis, Ed Kryskow, Eugene Scantland; all those who are sick or struggling; who are going through any medical procedures and treatments; expecting mothers; peace in our families, community and the world. Also, for our Pope Francis, Bishop Paul Terrio, for vocations & youth.

Fr. Brian will be away this week Tuesday through Thursday for Retreat and Study Days for the Clergy of our Diocese at St. Edouard. Please keep him and all the priests and deacons in our diocese in our prayers.

Baptism Preparation Session

There will be a Baptism preparation class for those who are planning a baptism of their babies on Saturday, October 26th from 9:00 am till 12:30 pm – Downstairs at the Rectory.

Please call the Parish office to register prior to the session.

Marriage Preparation Session

We are planning to have a Marriage Preparation this fall in Morinville, on October 25th, 26th & 27th, 2013. For more information and/or to register, please contact the parish office.

The Parish office will be closed on Friday October 11th.

COLLECTIONS –
QUÊTES

September 29th \$3265.00
Needs Of The Canadian Church \$ 495.00

THANK YOU! MERCI!

THE RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

RCIA assists those adults wishing to learn more about the Catholic Church. It is open to unbaptized adults, baptized Catholics who have not received the Initiation sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation.



The program is defined by four periods of formation each marked by the celebration of liturgical rites in the parish.

- **Inquiry** – A time for asking questions, sharing stories, awakening our faith, and becoming familiar with the life of the parish.
- **Catechumenate** – A time for the deepening of faith and conversion and for passing on of Catholic tradition. It is a period of training and apprenticeship in the Christian way of life. A discussion of the Liturgy of the Word for the Sunday masses is scheduled weekly.
- **Purification and Enlightenment** – A time when the parish joins with the Elect in prayer, fasting, and works of charity in preparation for Easter Vigil when the Elect may receive the Sacraments of Initiation – Baptism (for those who have never been baptized), Confirmation, and Eucharist..
- **Mystagogia** – A time when the newly initiated, referred to as neophytes, reflect on their experience and begin to participate more fully in the sacramental life of the parish and in Christian service.

You can talk to fr. Ignacy or fr. Brian at any time. Our first opening/information session will be on October 16th at 7:00 pm Rectory Downstairs.

Family Fun Night

Join Us at Notre Dame School Gymnasium on October 25th from 6:00 – 7:30 pm for some good old fashioned games (dodgeball, floor hockey, relays and more). Donations will be accepted to help offset the cost of future events! Please RSVP at familyfun@sjbp.ca by October 20th so we know how many to plan for!

From The Town of Morinville: In Memory of Paul Krauskopf

Please join us on Sunday October 6th following the 9:00 am Mass for a dedication ceremony honouring Paul Krauskopf. Please gather at the Gazebo in St. Jean Baptiste Park.

Triumph is a nine day facilitated journey of inner healing and spiritual growth, leading you into deeper fulfilled, peaceful, Christ-centered life filled with joy which is at St. Therese in Bruno Saskatchewan. For more information there is a poster and pamphlets at the back of the church.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Dust Angels	- October 7 th , Monday 8:00 am	- Church
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THOUGHT OF THE WEEK! ... “If one waits to love only until he is certain of receiving equal love in return, he may wait forever.”



Have a good week!

