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SOLEMNITY OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD Baptism:

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.

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Dear Brothers and Sisters, Good morning!

Today, in Italy and in other countries, we celebrate Jesus' Ascension into heaven, which took place 40 days after Easter. The Gospel passage (cf. Mt 28:16-20), which concludes the Gospel of Matthew, presents the moment of the Risen One's final farewell to his disciples. The scene is set in Galilee, the place where Jesus had called them to follow him and to form the first nucleus of his new community. Now those disciples have traversed the "fire" of the Passion and of the Resurrection; at the visit of the Risen Lord they prostrate themselves before him, although some remain doubtful. Jesus gives this frightened community the immense task of evangelizing the world; and he reinforces this responsibility with the command to teach and baptize in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit (v. 19) Jesus' Ascension into heaven thus constitutes the end of the mission that the Son received from the Father and the beginning of the continuation of this mission on the part of the Church. From this moment, from the moment of the Ascension, in fact, Christ's presence in the world is mediated by his disciples, by those who believe in him and proclaim him. This mission will last until the end of history and every day will have the assistance of the Risen Lord, who assures: "I am with you always, to the close of the age" (v. 20).

His presence brings strength during persecution, comfort in tribulations, support in the difficult situations that the mission and the proclamation of the Gospel will encounter. The Ascension reminds us of Jesus' assistance and of his Spirit that gives confidence, gives certainty to our Christian witness in the world. He reveals to us the reason for the Church's existence: the Church exists to proclaim the Gospel, for this alone! So too, the joy of the Church is proclaiming the Gospel. The Church is all of us baptized people. Today we are called to better understand that God has given us the great dignity and responsibility of proclaiming him to the world, of making him accessible to all mankind. This is our dignity; this is the greatest honour of each one of us, of all the baptized!

SOURCE: http://w2.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/ angelus/2017/documents/papa-francesco regina-

Sacraments

Last Sunday of the month at mass. Please the parish office for more info and registration.

Reconciliation:

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

Marriage/Wedding:

Please call the parish office at least SIX months in vance of your chosen date and before any other arrangement is made.

Sacrament of the Sick:

Please contact the Parish Office. After Hours for Emergencies Only 780-645-9749.

Sunday Masses

Sat 05:00 PM English Sun 09:00 AM English 11:00 AM Bilingual

Weekday Masses

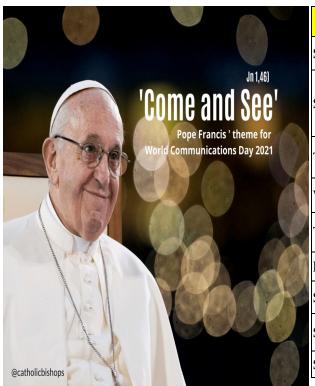
Tue 8:30 AM Church Wed 5:00 PM Church Thu 5:00 PM Church Fri 8:30 AM Church 6:00 PM Stations of the

Cross (Fridays of Lent)

1st Friday of the Month

9:00-10:00AM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

No ADORATION of the **BLESSED SACRAMENT this** month of MAY due to **Covid restrictions**



DATE		TIME	MASS INTENTIONS
SATURDAY	15-May	5:00 PM	RIP Roseanne Longpre– Roger and Lori
CLINIDAY	16– May	9:00 AM	RIP Joan Allarie (7th Anniv) Frank and Ellen
SUNDAY	16– May	11:00 AM	For Parishioners
TUESDAY	18-May	8:30 AM	RIP Harvey Vranas-Wayne and Marlene
WEDNESDAY	19-May	5:00 PM	RIP Helen Bird– Irma Bulger and Family
THURSDAY	20-May	5:00 PM	RIP Claude Huot-Irene and Family
FRIDAY	21-May	8:30 AM	RIP Laurette(Granny)Vansevenandt-Lexy
SATURDAY	22-May	5:00 PM	RIP Ray Lavoie (1st Anniv) Dolores and Family
SUNDAY	23-May	9:00 AM	Deceased Cust and Hittinger Family-Jerry and Carol
SUNDAY	24-May	11:00 AM	For Parishioners

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PLEASE PRAY FOR... Braden Rowland, Indalicia Tupas and Lorna Paloma. Those that are infected by **Covid –19** and all those who are sick or struggling and who are going through any medical procedures and treatments.

Pope Francis: Pray this May for the End of Pandemic

Pope Francis invites Catholics and Marian Shrine around the world to dedicate the month of May to a marathon of prayer for an end to the Covid 19 Pandemic.

In response to this invitation we will be **praying the Rosary** before celebration of the mass and every Wednesday at **6:00 PM** for the **whole month of May.**

Birthday Present for Bishop Paul Terrio

Bishop Paul Terrio will be celebrating his 78th birthday this coming May 4. We are planning to give him a token of appreciation for his service to the Diocese and to the parish.

For those of you who are interested in giving you can give your donations at the back of the Church, after celebration of the mass.

Looking for spare Laptop or otebook

The Parish is looking for someone who can donate a personal computer or notebook that you are no longer using so that we can use it for our online streaming. Just feel free to approach Fr. Trini or the parish office. Thank you in advance.

E-TRANSFER OPTION

Electronic fund transfer is now available so that you can send your support our parish online. Here are the steps that you will do if you decide for the online fund transfer: 1. Go to your online bank account. 2. Go to "interact e-Transfers" and enter the following: Recipient Name: Diocese of St Paul, Recipient email address: etransfer@dostp.ca, add a message: St Jean Baptiste Morinville. If you are donating for any specific purpose you can do it in the message section e.g Restoration

Le Diocese de Saint Paul is registered for auto deposit, which means the money will be automatically deposited into their bank account and can't be cancelled. The security question and answer are required. A confirmation e-mail will be sent from your bank to your email account





	COLLECTION	\$ 1,210
9-May-21	Online e-transfer	\$ 190
	Restoration	\$ 25

THANK YOU!