

PAROISSE ST. JEAN BAPTISTE PARISH BULLETIN



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TWENTY SeVENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Sacraments

Baptism:

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

or upon appointment

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. After Hours for Emergencies Only

780-645-9749.

Sunday Masses

Sat 05:00 PM English

Sun 9:00 AM English

11:00 AM Bilingual

Weekday Masses

Tue 8:30 AM Basement

Wed 10:00 AM HERITAGE

Thu 10:00 AM ASPEN

Fri 8:30 AM Basement

1st Friday of the Month

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

October 1, 2021

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.

Pastor

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Mark 9:40

Whoever is not
against us is for us

The truth of God's omnipotence and the fact that God is bigger than every human assumption and measure and proposal must always be present in our minds. That is the only way to truly understand God and accept His will. May we never be blinded by the elusive perfection of our limitedness that we aim to limit God also within their confines; Amen.

The central message of today is that God can never be caged within the confines of human conditions and terms. Irrespective of our pre-suppositions, we must always leave the greatest space for God. We must always realize that our plans are myopic and based on the limited nature of our understanding. It is God alone whose knowledge is comprehensive and He knows how to place everything in place according to His plan and purposes. God is never conditioned to how we think or how we wish things to be! This has always affected our understanding of God and has created conflicts between us and the logic of Divine Operation. We truly understand God when we realize that God cannot be completely understood; there is always something mysterious about God and in this mystery lays the absolute-ness of God. The hard truth is that sometimes, in the sincere effort to protect the faith and our values, we can become obstacles to the movement of the Holy Spirit and the workings of God. In as much as the protection of our faith and values is a working principle and a rule, we must realize that God cannot be bottled within the limitations of understanding and standards.

The logic of Divine Operation is always beyond human comprehension. This calls for humility on all of us to realize in concrete terms that God knows beyond us, individually and collectively, and He sees infinitely farther than we can ever imagine. In every human rule and working principle, there must be the greatest space for God's exercise of His absolute freedom. One who does not understand this style of Divine Operation will surely misuse his or her God-given opportunities and also use them as means of inflicting pain and suffering on others and as weapons of exploitation and subjugation. Such a person does not understand that the gifts of God were never given to him or her to be above others, but rather to be at the service of others. This is what Saint James reminds us in the Second Reading (James 5:1-6) that in cheating others and maltreating the less privileged, "it was a burning fire that we stored up as our treasure for the last days."

Lord, help us always to realize our limitations and to recognize Your infinitude and in humility to realize that it is You Who is truly in-charge and never ourselves; Amen.



DATE		TIME	MASS INTENTIONS
SATURDAY	25Sept	5:00 PM	RIP Art and Lionel Hebert-Rita and Family
SUNDAY	26 Sept	9:00 AM	For Parishioners
		10:00 am	RIP Rene Chevalier—O'neil, Simone and Family
TUESDAY	28Sept	11:00 am	RIP Olive Vest– Louise Boissoneault
		8:30 am	RIP Morgan Gingras– Irma and Family
WEDNESDAY	29 Sept	10:00 AM	RIP Joseph Lutz - CWL
THURSDAY	30Sept	10:00 am	RIP Cecile LaBerge—Jeannie & Family
FRIDAY	1 Oct	8:30 AM	RIP Edward Krykow– CWL
SATURDAY	2 Oct	5:00 PM	For Parishioners
SUNDAY	26Sept	9:00 am	RIP Roger Van Hecke—Judy and Family
		10:00	RIP Harmindas and Lucille Houle– Louise Boissonault
		11:00 am	

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PLEASE PRAY FOR... Caroline Folliet , 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.

RCIA

For those who are interested in joining the Catholic Faith or if you know someone that is interested in joining the Catholic Church **the RCIA** will be starting on **Tuesday September 28th at 7:00 pm** in the **Rectory Basement**.

NEW MASS TIMES

Starting this Sunday we are adding another Mass time to the celebration of **10:00 AM** Mass. If you are able to help with any of the Ministries for that Mass please e-mail Donna at the office .

Weekend Mass schedule is Saturday at 5:00 pm, Sundays 9:00 AM, 10:00 AM and 11:00 AM at MCHS school.

Every Friday at 3:00 PM we are in need of volunteers to help set up for the weekend Masses. If you can help please come to MCHS. Thank you! We will need also volunteers to do the sanitizing after each celebration of the mass.

AHS restrictions allow us to have 1/3 of the capacity (40) parishioners please register ahead so that we can have the number of people allowed.

BUILDING COMMITTEE

We are now accepting nomination for those people who are interested to be part of the building committee. If you are interested or know of someone please ask them before you submit there name and phone number. If there are any questions you can speak to Fr. Trini or call the Parish office. You can also e-mail the names to office.sjbp@icloud.com.

UPDATE for the FUND RAISING

As we move on and forward towards the rebuilding of St. Jean Baptiste Parish Church we will be updating you of the amount donated for the rebuilding of the Church. As of **September 24,2021** the total amount of donation is **\$38,903.47** Thank you for your continuous support and generosity.

CHURCH REBUILD

If there are any interested **general contractors, architects, or mechanical/electrical engineers** that would like to do a bidding please send your bid to **office@sjbp.ca**. Deadline of submission is in 2 weeks. If you have questions will be happy to hear from you. You can also e-mail to this email: to office.sjbp@icloud.com or call 780 939 2016

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 or SJPB Church rebuild

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. There will be no security question and answer are required. A confirmation e-mail will be sent from your bank to your email account.



19-Sept-21	COLLECTION	\$1,210
	New Building Fund	\$2815
	Online e-transfer	\$
	Restoration	\$ 1200

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