

PAROISSE ST. JEAN BAPTISTE PARISH BULLETIN



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October 10, 2021

TWENTY EIGHTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

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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The Gospel story regarding the rich man and Jesus is an increasingly relevant tale on which to reflect. Its anti-materialistic message contrasts quite starkly with the consumer-driven society we live in today. Jesus elaborates that following the Ten Commandments is not enough to truly be one with God and enter the Kingdom of Heaven. Rather, only by giving up our material possessions will the holy gates be opened for us. This request can seem impossible to achieve, but as with many of Jesus' teachings, it challenges us to look deep inside ourselves and uncover what is most important in our lives.

Jesus implies that the rich and poor are distinguished by what they choose to value. A rich man's primary concern is to make himself look better compared to everyone else, and society convinces him to demonstrate his worth by buying the fanciest cars and the biggest houses, so to speak; however, that rich man will never fully appreciate the gravity of his purchases, as his abundance of wealth allows him to take his comfortable life for granted. Meanwhile, a poor man owns next to nothing, but he places a far greater worth on every item he does possess. Without the distracting abundance of physical objects, he can prioritize his relationship with God above all else and turn his attention to taking care of his loved ones.

This Gospel teaches us that by separating ourselves from our physical belongings, we are freed of the notion that material objects will make us happy, and in doing so, we open ourselves to God and remember to care for those most in need of our love. Jesus' message is not just about stifling our obsession with buying more things; it also indicates a shift in how we should assign value to what we already have.

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

November 5, 2021



DATE		TIME	
SATURDAY	9 Oct	5:00 PM	RIP Ryan & Pittman Families—Anne & Family
SUNDAY	10 Oct	9:00 AM	RIP Louise Wulff—Ernie & Family
		10:00 am	For Parishioners
		11:00 am	RIP Eugene Caissie
TUESDAY	12 Oct	8:30 am	NO MASS
WEDNESDAY	13 Oct	10:00 AM	NO MASS
THURSDAY	14 Oct	10:00 am	NO MASS
FRIDAY	15 Oct	8:30 AM	NO MASS
SATURDAY	16 Oct	5:00 PM	RIP Joe Kieser—Meriem & Girls
SUNDAY	17 Oct	10:00 AM	Mass of Thanksgiving for Fr. Lester

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PLEASE PRAY FOR... 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 October 12th at 7:00 pm** in the **Rectory Basement**.

THANKSGIVING MASS of Fr. Lester Evangelista

With thankful hearts we will like to invite that this coming **October 17, 2021** there will only be one Mass time at **10:00 AM**. This will be a Mass of Thanksgiving (First Mass of Fr. Lester Evangelista) The Mass will be held at the MCHS gymnasium. We are still asking for pre registration of Mass as we are allowed 200 people. On *October 24th* regular Masses will resume at *9:00 AM, 10:00AM and 11:00 AM*. We will ask you to please register for us to know if we are already of capacity. For AHS restrictions only allows us to have 1/3 of capacity which is 40 parishioners.

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 their 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 **October 3, 2021** the total amount of donation is **48,148.47** Thank you for your continuous support and generosity.

BIDDING for Rectory Repair

We will like to invite person or company that will want to bid for the rectory repairs. Please inquire or submit your bid to Janice Atwal 780 645 3277 ext. 205

Congratulations and welcome to the Christian world Quinn Wulff & Sebastian Krieg Baptized Sept 28th & Oct 2nd, 2021 We thank the parents for their generosity of bringing their children to our faith.

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 SJBP 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.



3- Oct-21	COLLECTION	\$2185.00
	New Building Fund	\$ 7690.00
	World Mission Sunday	\$ 10.00
	Restoration	\$ 720.00

Thank you for your generosity