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July 8th 15th, 22nd , 2018
Sunday In 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.

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:

First 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 After Hours for **Emergencies Only**
780-645-9749.

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.

Sessions will be held October through May, once a week in the evenings from 7 - 8:30 PM in the Rectory Downstairs. The program is defined by four periods of formation each marked by the celebration of liturgical rites in the parish.

If you are interested or you know someone who may be interested, please talk to them. You can talk to Fr. Trini or call the Parish office.

Lac Ste. Anne Pilgrimage

Each July, thousands of pilgrims make their way to the shores of Lac Ste. Anne. Many come in search of healing and spiritual renewal. Some simply come to reconnect with old acquaintances and forge new friendships. The pilgrimage, which began over a hundred years ago, has become the largest annual Catholic gathering in Western Canada. This year's pilgrimage takes place Saturday July 21 to Thursday July 26, at Lac St. Anne, about 75 km northwest of Edmonton. Check out this new video about the pilgrimage and visit our new website at <http://lacsteannepilgrimage.ca>

Skaro Pilgrimage

Skaro Shrine is celebrating their 100th Pilgrimage this year on Tuesday – Wednesday, August 14-15. On the Tuesday evening, between 6:30 pm and 7:30 pm we will be celebrating the Sacrament of Reconciliation around the Grotto. At 8:00 pm, we will have the blessing of the newly built Rosary Garden by his Grace Most Rev. Richard W. Smith, Archbishop of the Archdiocese of Edmonton. The Concelebrated Mass will follow after the Blessing of the Rosary Garden and the procession begins from the entrance of the Church to the Grotto.

There is a poster at the back of the church for more information.



Volunteer List There is a volunteer sign- up sheet at the back of the Church for those who wish to volunteer for watering of the flowers around the church and parish office.

If you would like to volunteer please write your name down on the week you would like to volunteer. For more info feel free to call Donna at the Parish office.

Children's Liturgy

There will be no Children's Liturgy during the summer months. See you in September! If you are interested in volunteering for this ministry please call Lisa St. Onge at 780-9395185 we are in need of teachers and helpers so if you can offer your assistance please give Lisa a call or call the parish office.

Please note that the Mass at the Lodge every 3rd Wednesday of the month will now be at 9:00 am



Please Pray for...

✚ **Marie-Anne Hittinger** , who passed away on July 2, 2018

Her Funeral Mass was held at our Parish on Saturday July 7th, 2018

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon her.

St. Benedict – July 11th

The expression, he died with his boots on, originally referred to someone who died unexpectedly (probably from a gunshot wound) who didn't even have time to take off his boots. In time, however, it has come to mean a person who never gives up on life.

St. Benedict built twelve monasteries; one, Mount Cassino, was rebuilt three times. Under his rule, monasteries became sanctuaries of learning and hospitality in the Middle Ages. Without the monasteries to keep the light of learning lit, the Dark Ages would have been dark indeed.

St. Benedict's influence on monastic life was so great that his rule, or plan, for monks became the standard throughout Europe. Even today, many religious orders operate under the Rule of St. Benedict.

True to form, Benedict died with his boots on (more likely his sandals). Although he needed some support from his monks, he was standing in the chapel with his hands raised to heaven when he died.

Many of us fear old age. We worry that we will become a burden to our families and to ourselves. Although life doesn't come with guarantees, the saints encourage us not to worry what might or might not happen. They point out that even when we can no longer work physically, we can still perform spiritual labors, such as forgiving those who have hurt us, praying for others, and comforting the sorrowful.



St. Bonaventure July 15th St. Bonaventure, known as “the seraphic doctor,” was born at Bagnorea in Tuscany, in 1221. He received the name of Bonaventure in consequence of an exclamation of St. Francis of Assisi, when, in response to the pleading of the child's mother, the saint prayed for John's recovery from a dangerous illness, and, foreseeing the future greatness of the little John, cried out “o Buona ventura” – O good fortune!



At the age of twenty-two St. Bonaventure entered the Franciscan Order. Having made his vows, he was sent to Paris to complete his studies under the celebrated doctor Alexander of Hales, an Englishman and a Franciscan. After the latter's death he continued his course under his successor, John of Rochelle. In Paris he became the intimate friend of the great St. Thomas Aquinas. He received the degree of Doctor, together with St. Thomas Aquinas, ceding to his friend against the latter's inclination, the honor of having it first conferred upon him. Like St. Thomas Aquinas, he enjoyed the friendship of the holy King, St. Louis.

At the age of thirty-five he was chosen General of his order and restored a perfect calm where peace had been disturbed by internal dissensions. He did much for his Order and composed *The Life of St. Francis*. He also assisted at the translation of the relics of St. Anthony of Padua. He was nominated Archbishop of York by Pope Clement IV, but he begged not to be forced to accept that dignity. Gregory X obliged him to take upon himself a greater one, that of Cardinal and Bishop of Albano, one of the six suffragan Sees of Rome. He died while he was assisting at the Second Council of Lyons, on July 15, 1274.

St. Mary Magdalene – July 22

For centuries, Mary Magdalene has been identified with sinful woman who anointed Jesus's feet with perfume at the house of Simon, the Pharisee. What's more, sinful woman is often thought to have been a prostitute, Mary gets stuck with the label also. Yet there's no evidence that the Mary who lived in the town of Magdala and from whom Jesus cast out seven devils had anything to do with the woman “who was a sinner.” Mary Magdalene was more likely to have been mentally ill or demonically possessed than she was to have been immoral.

Poor Mary is the victim of untruth in labeling. Over the centuries, more careful reading of Scripture has allowed us to know the truth about Mary Magdalene. She is now seen for what she really was, not what she was imagined to be.

We need to do the same for ourselves. We need to see ourselves for what we really are, not what someone else imagines us to be. Often we allow others to give us labels that may not be appropriate. One way to find out if you've been mislabeled is to listen for the words *always* and *never*. If the people around you tend to say, ‘you always...’ or ‘you never...’ you can be certain that untrue labeling is at work. Instead of accepting such mislabels without question, take the time to politely yet firmly point out the saying ‘you never’ and ‘you always’ are never true and are always a mistake!

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Day	Time	Mass Intention	Feast
July 7 Saturday	5:00 pm	RIP George Bulger – Ed & Geraldine	14 th Sunday In Ordinary Time
July 8 Sunday	9:00 am	RIP Doreen Streeter – Don & Family	
	11:00 am	RIP Mary Labonte (1 st Anniv) – Roger & Family	
July 10 Tuesday	8:30 am	NO MASS	
July 11 Wed	10:00 am	(Lodge) NO MASS	
July 12 Thurs	10:00 am	(Aspen) NO MASS	
July 13 Friday	8:30 am	RIP Nick Wojtkiw– Alice & Family	
July 14 Saturday	5:00 pm	RIP George Bulger – Marcel & Mona	
July 15 Sunday	9:00 am	RIP Mary Labonte – Denise & Family	15 th Sunday in Ordinary Time
	11:00 am	For Parishioners	
July 17 Tuesday	8:30 am	Deceased members of the Houle & Devolder Family - Angie	3 rd Wednesday
July 18 Wed	9:00 am	(Lodge) RIP Maria - Pietro	
July 19 Thurs	10:00 am	(Aspen) RIP Pat Maslyk – Simone Riopel	
July 20 Friday	8:30 am	RIP Yvonne Comeau - Angie	
July 21 Sat	5:00 pm	Special Intention for Nicole	
July 22 Sunday	9:00 am	RIP Margaret Brenneis – Richard & Angela	16 th Sunday in Ordinary Time
	11:00 am	For Parishioners	
July 24 Tuesday	8:30 am	Deceased Boissonnault & Brenneis Family - Shirley	
July 25 Wed	10:00 am	(Lodge) RIP Daniel Boissonnault – Adrien Houle	
July 26 Thurs	10:00 am	(Aspen) RIP Desiree Froment – Patrick Froment	
July 27 Friday	8:30 am	RIP George Bulger - Celina	

PLEASE PRAY FOR... Irene Dupuis, Emilienne Dostie, Braden Rowland, Romain Rousseau, Colette Klein. All those who are sick or struggling and who are going through any medical procedures and treatments.

Collections for July 1st \$ 2582.00 Restoration. \$ 761.00 THANK YOU!

UPCOMING EVENTS		
Dust Angels	- July 9 th & 23 rd , 8:00 am, Monday	- Church