

St. Mary's Roman Catholic Parish

Our Mission Statement: "Together Building Up the Body of Christ" 6 McMillan Avenue, Red Deer AB, T4N 5X8 403-347-3114

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June is the Month of The Sacred Heart of Jesus



Holy Face of Jesus:

Tuesdays from 1-2pm, in front of the Blessed Sacrament for prayer, devotion and reparation to the Holy Face of Jesus, as well as recitation of the Rosary for priests.

Zoom Rosary

A monthly Rosary is prayed on Zoom, usually on the 22nd of each month at 7pm, with no obligation to make a monthly commitment. If you would like to join, please contact Isabel at 403-314-0031 to get the Zoom link.

The Zoom Rosary will return in September.

June 23, 2024 - Year B 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Job 38: 1, 8 - 11 2 Corinthians 5: 14 - 17 Mark 4: 35 - 41

"Who then is this whom even wind and sea obey?"

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

~Confirm with calendar inside~

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 5:00pm Sunday: 9am, 11am & 7pm Live Stream 5:00pm Mass Visit: stmarysparishreddeer.ca

DAILY MASSES

Tuesday - 7 pm Wednesday - Friday - 9 am

Rosarv:

30 minutes before the 9am daily Mass and after the 9am daily Mass

Adoration:

8-9am on Saturdays. (1st Saturday of the month: 7:30-8:30am)

OFFICE HOURS

Monday: 1:00-4:00pm Tuesday - Thursday: 9:00am - Noon; 1:00pm - 4:00pm Friday: 9:00am - Noon

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

After mass or call the office for an appointment

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Call the office: 403-347-3114 After hours call: 780-931-6316 and leave a detailed message



Mass intentions for the week of June 23 - 29

The intentions in brackets are said by retired priests in Edmonton

Sun. 9 am: Darlene Opseth & family

Sun. 11 am: †Brian Korchinski (†Amelida Ramirez Lopez)

Sun. 7 pm: All Parishioners

Tue. 7 pm: Jerry & Connie Maynard (†Amelida Ramirez Lopez)

Wed. 9 am: †Gino Castellan (†Amelida Ramirez Lopez)

Thu. 9 am: †Clara Fowler (†Joseph Rayos, †Amelida Ramirez

Lopez)

Fri. 9 am: †Lenn Opseth (†Amelida Ramirez Lopez) Sat. 5 pm: Pauline Brozer (†Amelida Ramirez Lopez)

Special days of this week

Mon. June 24: The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

Thu. June 27: St. Cyril. Fri. June 28: St. Irenaeus.

Sat. June 29: St. Peter and St. Paul.



The Nativity of St. John the Baptist 1

Only 3 birthdays are celebrated on the Church's Liturgical calendar, the Nativity of the Lord (December 25), the Nativity of His Mother Mary (September 8), and the Nativity of His forerunner, John the Baptist, on June 24. St. John the Baptist was set apart from the womb to prepare the way of the Lord and was a significant figure connected to the Incarnation

and the Redemption. The Church honors him because of his role in preparing the way for Christ.

Taken from EWTN

"Truly, I tell you, among those born of women no one has arisen greater than John the Baptist."

John 11:11

The Archbishop's Dinner

A grateful gathering as People of Mission Friday, October 4, 2024 Edmonton Convention Centre

Register Now for the 2024 Archbishop's Dinner

Archbishop Richard Smith invites you to the 2024 Archbishop's Dinner, an annual gathering of Catholics from across the Archdiocese. At this year's event, we will formally launch our Pastoral Priorities along with an updated Pastoral Letter.

Click <u>here</u> to register now to take advantage of the early bird rate.

Prayer Shawl Ministry

The Prayer Shawl Ministry meets the last Tuesday of the month at 1:30pm in the classroom.

The next date is Tuesday, June 25

E-transfer donations

Send your e-transfer donations to **StMaryRD.etransfer@caedm.ca**



Funeral Mass for Georgette Shave Wednesday, June 26 at 11am



The Sacred Heart of Jesus has a cross, flames, crown of thorns, and blood. Each of these has special meaning so that we can remember His love for us. The cross points to his sacrifice, the flames are his purifying passion, the crown of thorns reminds us of His suffering and kingship, and the blood reminds us of the side wound during His death.

Do you know... that June 29 is a civic holiday in Rome?

On June 29 the Church celebrates the Feast of St. Peter and St. Paul, the two great apostles that set the Church in Rome and suffered martyrdom for that.

The City of Rome honors them on their Feast day with a civic holiday, enjoyed through religious and popular celebrations:

Mass, First Communions, Confirmations, picnics and more!

Let us remember them and be grateful for their testimony, their teaching and the initial organization of the Church that we enjoy to this day. St. Peter and St. Paul, pray for us!

Children's Liturgy

This weekend, June 23, is the last Children's Liturgy until September. If you are interested in volunteering for the fall program, please contact the parish office.

Liturgy in a Bag will also resume in the fall.

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For more information: Greer.McIvor@caedm.ca

Our Lady of Peace Parish, Innisfail <u>Drumheller Passion Play Bus Trip 2024</u> July 21

The Gospel of Matthew

Cost: \$100 (ticket & bus) \$120 (ticket, bus & lunch)

Please see bulletin board for more details



Last week:

St. Joseph and why the World needs Men.
Listen to it as a podcast, watch the video on YouTube, at

https://www.youtube.com/@UpfrontArchbishop or online at https://caedm.ca/upfront

Read the Archbishop's Sunday homily at: https://caedm.ca/archbishop/messages-homilies/

Check other news and resources at the Archdiocesan website: https://caedm.ca/. You may also want to consider subscribing to other diocesan publications and resources, such as the *People of Mission Bulletin* or the *Window* newsletter.

St. Mary's Ministry Schedule for Aug 3/4, 2024 – Nov 23/24, 2024

Ministries will be scheduling in order, so as to facilitate scheduling those who are in more than one ministry. If you have questions, concerns, or unavailable dates, please contact the ministry coordinator listed for your ministry.

Ministry Completion Coordinator Date

Hospitality June 27 Kristy Gulak: kjgulak@gmail.com Altar servers July 4 Cynthia Leyson: cynthia.leyson@rdcrs.ca

Prav an AVE todav

AVE is an apostolate of prayer for parish priests. Parishioners are encouraged to make a commitment to pray one Hail Mary everyday for our priest, Father Mirek. Together we can provide thousands of prayers to offer our love, appreciation, and care for God's great gift to us in our parish priest.



SAVE THE DATE

Lac Ste Anne Pilgrimage July 20-25

This pilgrimage, which began over a hundred years ago, has become the largest annual Catholic gathering in Western Canada.

Go to Lac Ste Anne Pilgrimage website

Call for Volunteers

Adult Servers, Hospitality Ministers, Eucharistic Ministers, Proclaimers, Altar Servers, Social Justice and Mercy, Saint Vincent de Paul and others.

If interested, please contact the office at 403-347-3114.

Volunteering is a wonderful way to give back.



The Pope's Monthly Intention: <u>June 2024</u>

For migrants fleeing their homes

We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.

From Pope Francis' Angelus

Do I let the Word be sown in me? Do I sow the Word of God with confidence in the places where I live? Do I wait patiently, or am I discouraged because I do not see the results immediately? And do I know how to entrust everything serenely to the Lord?



Get informed on the Catholic Teaching on End-of-Life issues

Watch the video
"Responding to Euthanasia
with Hope and Dignity"
Prepared by the Archdiocese of
Edmonton and available on YouTube at
hopeanddignity.caedm.ca/



World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly 2024

The IV World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly will be celebrated on Sunday, 28 July 2024.

The theme chosen by the Holy Father – "Do not cast me off in my old age" (cf. Psalm 71:9) – is meant to call attention to the fact that, sadly, loneliness is the bitter lot in life of many elderly persons, so often the victims of the throw-away culture.

In this year of preparation for the Jubilee, which the Holy Father wishes to be devoted to prayer, the theme of the World Day is taken from Psalm 71, the plea of an elderly person who reflects on the story of his friendship with God.

By cherishing the charisms of grandparents and the elderly, and the contribution they make to the life of the Church, the World Day seeks to support the efforts of every ecclesial community to forge bonds between the generations and to combat loneliness, in the awareness that – as Scripture states – "It is not good for man to be alone" (Gen 2:18).

To read the Holy Father's message, click here.

WELCOME NEWCOMERS:

We are blessed that you have chosen to join us in worship and ministry here at St. Mary's. If you are new or have not registered, please complete a Registration Form available at both entrances, and drop it off at the office or in the collection table during the weekend masses.

OUR **HEARTFELT THANKS** TO PARISHIONERS AND FRIENDS WHO CONTINUE TO SUPPORT THE PARISH. YOUR SUPPORT IS ESSENTIAL TO US AS WE CONTINUE OUR MISSION.



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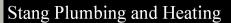
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Women of Faith

Vomen Looking to grow in faith and connect with other women? Women of Faith is an ongoing program for adult ladies the first Friday of every month,

10am-noon in the mezzanine. We will be using a Bishop Barron video series, continuing with discussion, prayer and of course coffee.

Join us, bring your coffee mug and expect faith enrichment and fellowship.

> Any questions can be directed to the parish office.



PRAYING THE ROSARY

Have you been thinking about how to enrich your prayer life? Come, pray the rosary with us! No experience necessary! Group recitation of the rosary:

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday after daily Masses - in the church



Support our Pastor through Prayer

"The Seven Petal Apostolate of Prayer" Tuesdays at 1pm





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