



May 5, 2019

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday 7th

6^{pm} + Donna Heib – Deloras Chabot

Wednesday 8th C.E.W. School Mass

9:30^{am} + John Ossachuk – Sokoliuk & Bodnar Families

Thursday 9th at Rainycrest

10^{am} + Ken Payne – Anna McNay

Friday 10th

9^{am} + Orielle DeGagné – Pearl and for Deceased Loved Ones – Bereavement Group

For good palliative care and for those in care and their caregivers.

Saturday 11th

5^{pm} + Norm Johnston – Anna McNay and + Rose Mae Bolzan – George & Bev Mylenchuk

Sunday 12th (9am at Our Lady of Lourdes)

9^{am} Intentions of Jackie & Barb - Louella

11^{am} + Monica Hanzuk – Ingrid Carlson and + Marvel Ricard - The Family

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Third Sunday of Easter

1st reading: (Acts 5.28-32, 40b-41)

2nd reading: (Revelation 5.11-14)

Gospel: (John 21.1-19)

Jesus took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish.



In your prayers, please remember those who

are sick: Ewan MacKintosh, Shirley Fraser, Kari Urquart, Ernie McColeman, Queenie Leschinski, Maurice DeGagné, Nicole LePine, Larry Mattson, Noella & Rick Hamilton, David Whalen, Isabella

Keuler, Cyril Chabot, Jack & Laura Dillon, Art Cross, Nicholas Delvecchio, Catherine MacDonald, Father Thomas, Florence Lerman, David Cross, Keagan Evans, Julie Halvorsen, Patrick McColeman, Bridger Hands, Mary Kolynchuk

Offertory Collection for St. Mary's

Weekend Of

April 28 – \$2546.80

Counting Teams

May 6 – Gina/Kathy

May 13 – Evelyn

Congratulations to the children in our Parish who were Confirmed last weekend!!!

Savannah Avery Arizona Skye ALLEN-MARCHUK,

Avah Grace BARRON-CHAPMAN,

Kassidy Joan Judith GURNIAK,

Jordan Wade HUNTER,

Damien Micheal-Jesse KUOPPA-AHO,

Yannick Jean-Paul Michel LANGEVIN,

Isabelle Marina Lynn MEEKS,

Avery Lynn SINCLAIR,

Carol Lillian TOLLEY,

Emma Liz TUCKER

OUR LADY OF LOURDES

PARISH NEWS

In your prayers, please remember those who are sick:

Jan Adams, Linda Anderson, Doug Cross, George Supinski, Curtis Jourdain, Florence Lampi, Phyllis Johnson (Bruyere), Brian McPherson, Mary Lou Parks, Leslie Bauer, Rudy Morrisseau, Shirley A. Bruyere, Sue Foran-Ross, Patricia Jurivee, Dale Krueger, Lana Mainville

Offertory Collection for Our Lady of Lourdes

Weekend of

April 28 – \$697.89

What's going on?!

May 5 – 10 – Catholic Education Week

May 5 – 11 – Hospice Palliative Care Week

May 7 – K.C. Meeting (pizza & fellowship) – 6:30pm

– **First Communion Rehearsal – 7:00pm**

May 8 – CEW School Mass – 9:30am

May 9 – EDGE Night – 6:30 – 8:30pm

May 10 – CWL 12 Hours of Prayer for Palliative Care

Vigil starting with the Rosary at 8:30am

May 11/12 – Birthdays & Anniversaries

May 12 – **First Communion**

– OLOL Birthdays & Anniversaries



Catholic Education Week 2019 begins on Sunday, May 5. The Catholic schools in our parish will engage in a series of events to celebrate the ongoing gift of publicly funded Catholic

education. You are invited to discover what celebrations are happening in your children's school and if possible, attend. Publicly funded Catholic education has existed in Ontario since 1841 and its graduates have served Ontario and Canada very well. The current generation of students in our publicly funded Catholic schools will serve with the same spirit and generosity as their previous generations.

The CEW biblical quote is "Although you have not seen him, you love him; and even though you do not see him now, you believe in him and rejoice with an indescribable and glorious joy."

1 Peter 1:8



The parishioners of St. Mary's generously answered the call to feed the hungry. Special thanks to Linda, Amy, Kathy, Darren, Sandra, Gemma,

Evelyn, Judy, Mark, Sue. The warming centre has closed for the summer. The homeless committee has expressed their gratitude for helping those in need.





The EDGE youth discussed the parables of Jesus. They looked particularly at the parable of the Sower and the Seeds and how they should strive to be the seeds that fell on good soil and create good soil in their hearts that will lead to spiritual growth. **Our next EDGE will be at St. Mary's May 9th.**

Our next Youth Mass and Life Teen night is May 25th.

This will be our Progressive Dinner. We are looking for homes to host. This involves cooking one course of the meal for about 20 people. We come to your house and enjoy that course, bless your home and move on to the next course. If you are interested in hosting a course of the meal or for more information, please call Kali Brady at 275-9225.



LIFE TEEN Lunches:

The next Life Teen lunch at the Northwest Catholic District School Board Office will be on May 8th from 11:30am-12:15pm. See everyone there!



Hospice Palliative Care Week, May 5 - 11:

CWL members across Canada will be participating in prayer for palliative care.

All in the parish are invited to participate in the **12 Hours of Prayer Vigil** which will take place on Friday, May 10 beginning with the rosary and mass at the church at 8:30am. Breakfast will follow in the church hall. Volunteers are needed to continue the prayer throughout the day in half hour sessions. **Prayers can be prayed at home.** Please sign up on the list posted on the church bulletin board. So often, the members who participate in requests are the ones who come out to the meetings, but most members are capable of prayer, so let our voices be heard. Let us pray for good quality health care so that we can have confidence in end-of-life care.

Knights of Columbus Social Night

Join the K.C.'s for a social night with pizza and fellowship on Tuesday, May 7th after the 6:00pm mass. This event is open to all members. Hope to see you there!!!



The winner of the quilt raffle is Jacquie Csik! Congratulations! Thank you to Helen Cousineau and her sister, Irene Grennier for making and donating the quilt and to the raffle organizers, Tina Roth, Micaela Jensen and Kathy Loney. Special thanks to Maria who sold so many tickets! Well done everyone! Proceeds will go the Family Resource Centre to provide food and supplies for those in need.

♥ The winner of the Prayer Heart Jar for the month of May is Josie Schill. Please keep her and her intentions in your prayers this month.



Food for Your Journey – Eyes Educate the Most

From the day we entered the biology class in high school, one blackboard was covered with the names and locations of the major bones and muscles of the human body. The diagram remained on the board throughout the term but the teacher never referred to it. On the day of the final exam, we found the board wiped clean. The examination consisted on only one question: “Name and locate every major bone and muscle in the human body.”

The class protested with one voice: “We never studied that.”

“That’s no excuse,” said the teacher. “That information was right in front of your eyes for the last months.”

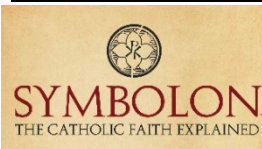
After we struggled with the test for a while, the teacher collected our papers and tore them up.

“Always remember,” he told us, “that education is more than just learning what you are told. Most education comes from looking.”

A Smile for Your Journey

After getting the former athlete Pope John Paul’s luggage loaded into the limo, the driver notices the Pope still standing on the curb. “Excuse me, Your Holiness,” says the driver, “would you please take your seat so we can leave?” “Well, to tell you the truth,” says the Pope, “they never let me drive at the Vatican when I was Cardinal, and now that I’m Pope, I’d really like to drive today.” Reluctantly, the driver gets in the back as the Pope climbs behind the wheel. The driver quickly regrets his decision when, after exiting the airport, the Pontiff floors it, accelerating the limo to 105 mph. “Please slow down, Your Holiness!” pleads the worried driver, but the Pope keeps the pedal to the metal until they hear sirens. “Oh, dear God, I’m gonna lose my license – and my job!” moans the driver. The Pope pulls over and rolls down the window as the cop approaches, but the cop takes one look at him, goes back to his motorcycle, and gets on the radio. “I need to talk to the Chief,” he says to the dispatcher. The Chief gets on the radio and the cop tells him that he’s stopped a limo going a hundred and five. “So bust him,” says the Chief. “I don’t think we want to do that, he’s really big,” said the cop. The Chief exclaimed, “All the more reason!” “No, I mean really important,” said the cop with a bit of persistence. The Chief then asked, “Who ya got there, the Mayor?” Cop: “Bigger.” Chief: “The Governor?” Cop: “Bigger.” Chief: “The President?” Cop: “Bigger.” “Well,” said the Chief, “Who is it?” Cop: “I think it’s God!” The Chief is stumped, “You been drinking, John?” Cop: “No, Sir.” Chief: “Then what makes you think it’s God?” Cop: “He’s got the Pope as a chauffeur.”

ADULT FAITH CATECHISM @ our Parish



Continuing from last fall, Father Alan will continue to facilitate the Adult Faith Catechism on **Tuesdays** starting the 14th of May at 6:30pm. The program will run for 5 weeks for one hour sessions.