



June 28, 2020

13th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday 30th

6^{pm} + Waclaw & + Jozefa Zielonko – The Family

Wednesday 1st

No Mass – Parish Office Closed

Thursday 2nd

10^{am} + Annie Pruyts & + Becky Ball – Marg Rousseau

Friday 3rd 7pm at Bear's Pass Chapel

9^{am} For the Pope, cardinals, bishops, priests and deacons find comfort, and strength in focusing on the Lord and continue their mission of hope, love and mercy.

7^{pm} + Delores Eyolfson – St. Mary's CWL

Saturday 4th

5^{pm} + Ross Anderson – Greg & Kathy Mercure
+ Becky Ball – Frank Ball Sr.

Sunday 5th (9am at Our Lady of Lourdes)

9^{am} + Ed McLeod – Bertha Ossachuk

11^{am} + Sophie & + Bob Craig – The Family

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1st reading: (2 Kings 4.8-12a, 14-16)

2nd reading: (Romans 6.3-4, 8-11)

Gospel: (Matthew 10.37-42)

Whoever does not take up the cross and follow me is not worthy of me. Whoever welcomes you welcomes me.



In your prayers, please remember those who

are sick: Shirley Fraser, Ernie McColeman, Queenie Leschinski, Maurice DeGagné, Nicole LePine, Larry Mattson, Noella & Rick Hamilton, David Whalen, Isabella Keuler, Laura Dillon, Art

Cross, Nicholas Delvecchio, Father Thomas, David Cross, Keagan Evans, Julie Halvorsen, Patrick McColeman, Bridger Hands, Mary Kolynchuk, Laura Ahrens & Family, Lori Woodgate, Ewan MacKintosh, Jerry Everhart, Betty Plumridge, Gertie Bujold, Jon Fryer, Joan McTavish, Frank Strain

The next Blessed Conversations

Virtual gathering will be on

Monday, July 7th at 7pm. If you

would like to join, contact Johanna

Strahl at 271-5491, or

johanna.strahl1@gmail.com



FYI – Due to the pandemic, we will not be printing bulletins. One will be prepared and will be available on-line. The bulletin will be done every two weeks for July and August.



OUR LADY OF LOURDES

PARISH NEWS

In your prayers, please remember those who are sick:

Linda Anderson, Doug Cross, Curtis Jourdain, Florence Lampi, Brian McPherson, Mary Lou Parks, Leslie Bauer, Rudy Morrissette, Shirley A. Bruyere, Sue Foran-Ross, Dale Krueger, Angela Bruyere, Steven "Beaver" Morrissette, Janice Parks



Tuesday – 6:00pm

Wednesday – 9:00am

Thursday – 10:00am

Friday – 9:00am (Adoration suspended until Sept.)

Friday – 7:00pm (Bear Pass Chapel)

Parish office is closed on Fridays starting next week for the months of July and August.



Mass will begin at Bear Pass Chapel on Friday, July 3rd at 7pm. Mass will be held there each Friday during the summer at 7pm.

Bear Pass Chapel is in need of a new roof. We are hoping to get some donations towards this. We would like to have a fundraiser but are unsure of the logistics at this time. Please contact the parish office at 274-5233 if you would like to contribute towards these necessary repairs.



Pre-Authorized Payment Plan

We are pleased to offer parishioners the convenience of a pre-authorized payment plan for regular Sunday contributions and special collections. If you are interested, please contact the Parish Office at 274-5233 to make arrangements. Call between 9am-3pm, Monday – Thursday or leave a message and we will get back to you!

Sign ME UP!



DISCOVERY 2020

Hello Everyone! I hope all is well 😊 I have some exciting news, although we cannot join together at Sunny Cove this year for Discovery Camp, I have been working with Chris Bray, our keynote speaker, and he has decided to make daily videos to share with us on each day camp would have taken place. He will be doing praise and worship, scripture passages, and a reflection. He is hoping to get a few volunteers to write and record their personal testimonies/talks with us as well. He will include these in his videos. If you feel called to share the word of God with Chris, feel free to message me for more information! Or email me at kalibrady@gmail.com or call/text 1-807-275-9225. I will be uploading his videos for us to enjoy starting July 13th. Stay tuned 😊 Blessings to you all, Kali



🎉 Congratulations from the CWL to Jessica Empey, recipient of our Gr. 12 Bursary. Best wishes to Jessica as she pursues her career in nursing. Congratulation to Adrianna Liske who was awarded the Gr. 8 Most Christian-

Like Award. May she be blessed as she continues to be an example to others of Christian values.

Congratulations to Jean Bujold as she retires from teaching. Thank you to Jean for her contribution to Catholic education.

CWL Loneliness theme: Thanks to Archbishop Prendergast for sharing the following article on the negative consequences that social isolation has on our psychological well-being and physical health including a decreased life span. <http://www.ox.ac.uk/news/2020-06-05-neurobiologysocial-distance-why-loneliness-may-be-biggest-threat-survival>.

The Board of the Catholic Women's League: Public health and safety measures will be imposed for the foreseeable future. Gathering limits are unlikely to be lifted entirely until mass immunity through vaccination is possible. Public health officials' express concern that a second wave may occur in fall 2020. The high degree of caution should be taken by citizens, including members, to avoid travel and mass gathering.



Praise be to Jesus Christ.

In the first reading (2 Kings 4.8-12a, 14-16) we see a woman (at Shunem) who took care of Elisha whenever he passed by. And in the Gospel (Mt. 10.37-42) Jesus says “and whoever gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones in the name of a disciple – truly I tell you – that person will not lose their reward.” It reminds me of Jesus’ words “...truly I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brothers of mine, you did for me.” (Mt. 25.40) The readings of the Sunday reminds us that whatever (good or bad) we do for others is what we do for God, especially for the needy and the disciples of the Lord. As we read in the book of proverbs “He who has compassion on the poor lends to the Lord, and he will repay him for his good deed;” (Prov. 19.17)

In short our kindness to others, especially to those in need, is not our choice but obligation. As we read in the Gospel, “...truly I tell you, whatever you did not do for one of the least of these, you did not do for me.” Let us meditate, do we spend our time, money or wealth with the needy or do we avoid them?

With love and prayers,
Fr Biju Mathew

A Smile for Your Journey

When the Smith family moved into their new house, a visiting grandparent asked five-year-old Tommy how he liked the new place.

“It's great,” he said. “I have my own room, Alex has his own room, and Jamie has her own room. But poor Mom is still in with Dad.”

HAPPY CANADA DAY!



**God keep our land
glorious and free!**

BLESSINGS FROM ST. MARY'S PARISH