

**MASSES FOR THE MONTH**

**Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup>**

+ Cecile Blanche – Lydia Sharp

**Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup>**

+ Betty Sivonen & + Eric Sivonen – The Family

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup>**

+ Dick Lyons – George & Bev Mylenchuk

**Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup>**

+ Jack Dillon – The Family

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup>**

+ Winnie Rousseau - CWL

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup>**

+ Deceased Loved Ones – The Bereavement Group

**Saturday 9<sup>th</sup>**

+ Ken Payne and + Norm Johnston – Anna McNay

**Sunday 10<sup>th</sup>**

+ Lena Mercure – Gerald & Peggy Armstrong

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup>**

+ Becky Ball – Frank & Monique Strain

**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup>**

+ Annie Pruy – Margrit Schaum

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup>**

+ Ray Cousineau – Frank Ball Sr. & Family

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup>**

+ Becky Ball – Frank Sr.

**Saturday 16<sup>th</sup>**

+ Ed McLeod – Pat Hudson

**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup>**

+ Kim Roach and + Michael Roach – The Family

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup>**

+ Bert O'Donnell – Anna McNay

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup>**

+ Mary Saranchuk – The Family

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup>**

+ Becky Ball – Laura Dillon & Family

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup>**

+ Otto Mueller – Shirley Fraser & Family

**Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup>**

+ Becky Ball – The Kayser Family

**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup>**

+ Lyle Hudson – Pat Hudson

+ Becky Ball – Nora Paulenko

**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup>**

+ Ray Cousineau – Frank & Monique Strain

**Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup>**

+ Becky Ball – Margrit Schaum

**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup>**

+ Bill Sranchuk – The Family

**Friday 29<sup>th</sup>**

+ Linda Soldera – The Morrison Family

**Saturday 30<sup>th</sup>**

+ John Ossachuk – The Armstrongs

**Sunday 31<sup>st</sup>**

+ Becky Ball – Nina, Brent & Jordan Sokoliuk



**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

*Offertory Collection for St. Mary's*

*Weekend Of*

*March 15 – May 3*

*\$12,063.33*



**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

Offertory Collection for Our Lady of Lourdes

*Weekend of*

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*\$501.88*

Father Biju is offering private masses for your intentions. You can view the

**Sunday Live Mass at 10:00am @**

**[https://m.youtube.com/channel/UCEAdWiYD222](https://m.youtube.com/channel/UCEAdWiYD222OkcfSgto-VxA)**

**OkcfSgto-VxA**

There are several options to view Masses online and on TV, here are a few suggestions:

Internet:

[www.dailytvmass.com](http://www.dailytvmass.com)

[www.catholicTV.org](http://www.catholicTV.org)

[www.mass-online.org](http://www.mass-online.org)



Television:

VisionTV (Bell Channel 261, Shaw Direct Channel 394 and Tbaytel Channel 675)

EWTN (Shaw Channels 292,559 and 285)

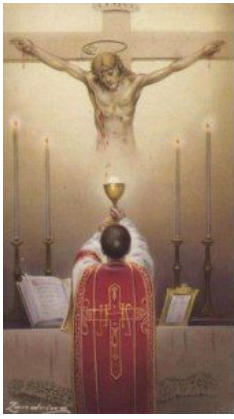
Faith TV (Bell Channel 591)

Joy-V (Bell Channel 656)

YesTV (Bell Channel 651)

Many parishioners are also praying the rosary daily at 3:00pm. Please join them from home!





**CONGRATULATIONS ON  
YOUR 13<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY  
OF PRIESTLY ORDINATION  
FATHER BIJU!  
(May 1, 2007)**

**Thank you for your  
loving service to the  
Church. May God bless  
you abundantly in your  
priestly ministry.**

**Prayers to Saint Michael the Archangel**

*St. Michael the Archangel,  
defend us in battle.*

*Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of  
the Devil.*

*May God rebuke him, we humbly  
pray,  
and do you,*

*O Prince of the heavenly hosts,  
by the power of God,  
thrust into hell Satan  
and all the evil spirits,  
who prowl about the world  
for the ruin of souls.*

*Amen*



**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 – Friday or leave a  
message and we will get back to you!**

**Sign  
ME  
UP!**

The next Blessed Conversations  
Virtual gathering will be on  
Wednesday, May 13<sup>th</sup> at 7pm. If  
you would like to join, contact  
Johanna Strahl at 271-5491,  
or johanna.strahl1@gmail.com



**MOM, IT'S SO GREAT  
HOW MUCH CLOSER  
WE'VE GOTTEN SINCE  
YOU STARTED TEXTING  
INSTEAD OF CALLING.  
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HAPPY ♥ MOTHER'S DAY**

**Words from the Pastor**

Praise be to JESUS CHRIST.

Finally we are stepping in to summer. The migrants' birds started coming back, grass began to turn green and trees started sprouting. At the fall the trees shed it's leaves with a hope that they will get it back in spring. Though the snow covers the grass knew that one day, when the sun rises, the snow will melt away and they will get their green blanket back. The migrant birds fly in with a new hope for a better life, though it is not secured. It is a lesson of hope that we learn from the nature.

The Covid 19 Pandemic too taught us a lesson. Many of the things that we thought 'is a must' in our life we realize they were not. We did survive without them. It didn't cause any damage to our lives. May it be our shopping, staying indoors, travels, visits, etc. When we look back we realize that a lions part of things we did in our life were of no use or little use. I believe it's a time to introspect into our lives, how do we live it?

The Bible readings of 5th Sunday of Easter too speaks about hope. 1Peter 2, 4-9 we see "the stone that the builders rejected has become the corner stone". But there is a hidden danger in it. The same stone becomes a stumbling rock for some others, that make them fall. In other words when the Plan of God for us goes against our plans we may get disturbed and sometimes go away from God or reject God. The hope that the Lord gives us we see in today's Gospel (John 14.1-12) "Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God, believe also in me". Do we really mean when we say I believe in God and trust in Him?

The question for our reflection is 'Do we rely on God in all the situations of our life, no matter whether it is good or bad?'

Let this time be a time of blessings and may God protect you all from all the possible dangers.

I also remember and assure my humble prayers for all the mothers on Mother's Day. Happy Mother's Day.

**With LOVE and Prayers  
Father Biju Mathew**

