

St. Mary's & Our Lady of Lourdes

serving the Roman Catholic Communities of Fort Frances and Couchiching First Nation



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Join Us!

To become a parishioner, please
complete a Parish Registration form
at the entrance of the church.

(events celebrated at Our Lady of
Lourdes Parish are denoted by OLOL)

Mass Schedule

Saturday - 5:00 pm

Sunday - 9:00 am OLOL - 11:00 am

Tuesday - 6:00 pm

Wednesday, Friday, Saturday - 9:00 am

Thursday (Rainycrest) - 10:00am

Rosary

Weekdays following mass

Sunday 8:40 am OLOL

Holy Hour

Friday 9:30 - 10:30 am

Children's Liturgy

During Sunday Masses
September thru May

Baptisms

Please call 3 months in advance
Baptism Preparation Class every 2nd
Tuesday of the month at 6:30pm

Reconciliation

Weekdays 8:30 - 9:00 am

Saturday 4:30 - 5:00 pm

Sunday 10:00 - 11:00 am

8:30 - 9:00 am OLOL

or by appointment

Anointing of the Sick

Please call to request a visit, or in an
emergency ask hospital staff for
"Roman Catholic Priest on call"

Marriage

Please call 6 months in advance

Becoming Catholic (RCIA)

Process begins in September,
please call at any time

*****OUR MISSION*****



We are bonded together by a deep, personal faith in Jesus Christ,
and called to the fullness of Christian life by virtue of
Baptism and Confirmation and the perfection of love.



*"Blessed are you who are poor,
for yours is the kingdom of God."*

February 13, 2022
6TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday 15th

6pm + Nora Paulenko – St. Mary's Catholic
Women's League and for the Intentions of
Ann Struys – Bryan & Johanna Strahl

Wednesday 16th

9am + Nora Paulenko – Grace Huntley

Thursday 17th @ Rainycrest

10am + Nora Paulenko – Margrit Schaum

Friday 18th

9am + Nora Paulenko – Marie Bock

Saturday 19th

9am + Nora Paulenko – Bob & Paulette DeVos

5pm + Doreen & Allan Toffan – The Family and
+ Otto Mueller – Betty & Family

Sunday 20th (9am @ Our Lady of Lourdes)

9am + Carolyn Stamarski - Rick

11am + Tante Mien Van Delft – Greg & Kathy
Mercure

February 13, 2022

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st reading: (Jeremiah 17.5-8)

2nd reading: (1 Corinthians 15.12, 16-20)

Gospel: (Luke 6.17, 20-26)

***Blessed are the poor, but woe to you who
are rich.***

Ministry Schedule

Feb. 12 – Kim (Lector), Monique (EMHC)

Feb. 13 - Jessica (Lector), Bryan (EMHC)

Feb. 19 - Anna (Lector), Lynn (EMHC)

Feb. 20 – Jessica (Lector), Greg (EMHC)

**THE ELEVATOR IS NOT WORKING AND
WILL BE INOPERABLE UNTIL AT LEAST
THE FIRST WEEK OF MARCH.
SORRY FOR THE INCONVENIENCE!**

Lent 2022 Timeline

Important dates for this year's Lenten season.

First Sunday of Lent – March 6th

March 2 Ash Wednesday

April 10 Palm Sunday

April 14 Maundy Thursday

April 15 Good Friday

April 16 Holy Saturday

April 17 Easter Sunday

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK



THE MOST POWERFUL HEALING PRAYER BY ST. PADRE PIO

Heavenly Father, I thank You for loving me.

I thank You for sending Your Son,
Our Lord Jesus Christ, to the world to save and to
set me free.

I trust in Your power and grace that sustain and
restore me.

Loving Father,
touch me now with Your healing hands,
for I believe that Your will is for me to be well in
mind, body, soul and spirit.
Cover me with the most precious blood of Your Son,
our Lord, Jesus Christ from the top of my head to
the soles of my feet.

Cast anything that should not be in me.
Root out any unhealthy and abnormal cells.
Open any blocked arteries or veins and rebuild and
replenish any damaged areas.
Remove all inflammation and cleanse any infection
by the power of Jesus' precious blood.
Let the fire of Your healing love pass through my
entire body

to heal and make new any diseased areas
so that my body will function the way You created it
to function.

Touch also my mind and my emotion,
even the deepest recesses of my heart.

Saturate my entire being with Your presence,
love, joy and peace and draw me ever closer to You
every moment of my life.

And Father, fill me with Your Holy Spirit
and empower me to do Your works
so that my life will bring glory and honour to Your
holy name.

I ask this in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Amen.

*Dear friends, Let's pray this most powerful healing
prayer everyday and start experiencing the healing
power of God in our lives.*

In love and Truth,
Rev. Gino Mathias



You are invited to join in the Synodal discussions after mass on your choice of the following dates:

Saturday, Feb. 26 @ St. Mary's 6:00-7:30pm

Sunday, Feb. 27 @ OLOL 10:00-11:30am

Sunday, Feb. 27 @ St. Mary's 12:00-1:30pm

COVID protocols will be observed.

Refreshments will be served.

There are sign up sheets at the back of the church to determine numbers.

More info to come!

Forms are in the lobby for those who would like to consider the questions before the discussions. The questionnaires can be handed into the office at any time or placed in the basket at the back of the church.



"Together We Journey, Listen and Discern"

ANNUAL DIOCESAN MINISTRY CAMPAIGN 2021

The campaign concluded on December 31st.

St. Mary's collected \$17,042.50

Our Lady of Lourdes collected \$ 3,200.00

The outstanding balances will be paid out of our General Accounts.

St. Mary's balance \$7,957.50

Our Lady of Lourdes' balance \$ 800.00

*In the spirit of giving,
we thank you for
your generosity!*

Pray for the sick

If you know people on the prayer list that are doing well, please have them contact the parish office to remove their names.

ST. MARY'S

**In your prayers, please
remember those who are sick:**

Shirley Fraser, Queenie Leschinski,
Maurice DeGagné, Larry Mattson, Noella & Rick
Hamilton, David Whalen, Isabella Keuler, Laura
Dillon, Keagan Evans, Julie Halvorsen, Patrick
McColeman, Bridger Hands, Mary Kolynchuk, Lori
Woodgate, Ewan MacKintosh, Father Ben
Hadrich, Lolly Brunetta, Pat Hudson, Kathleen
DeGagné, Greg Gustafson, Brian Cawston, Casey
Hendrikx, Linda Blanc



*Offertory Collection for St. Mary's
Weekend Of
Feb. 6 - \$1932.25*



OUR LADY OF LOURDES PARISH NEWS

**In your prayers, please
remember those who are sick:**

Doug Cross, Curtis Jourdain, Mary Lou Parks,
Shirley A. Bruyere, Sue Foran-Ross, Dale Krueger,
Angela Bruyere, Steven "Beaver" Morrisseau,
Janice Parks

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WEEKLY INSPIRATIONAL QUOTES

**If God is slow in
answering your
request, or if you ask
but do not promptly
receive anything,
do not be upset,
for you are not wiser
than God.**

The third Sunday of every month will be Food Box Sunday. Bring non-perishable food items for the needy.

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