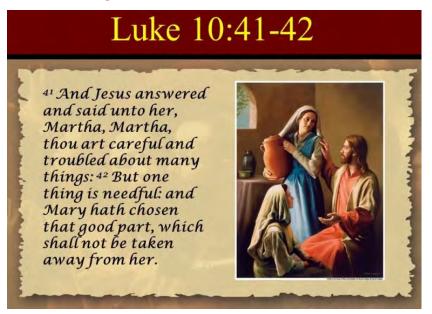
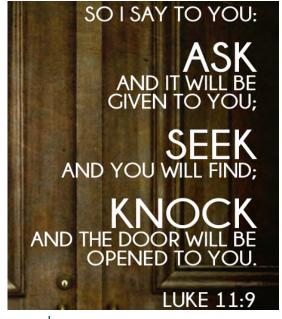
St. Mary's & Our Lady of Lourdes

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.

Mass Schedule

Saturday - 5:00pm, Sunday - 11:00am Tuesday - 6:20pm, Wednesday - 9:20am Friday - 10:00am Thursday - 10:00am @ Rainycrest

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish

Sunday - 9:00am

Sacred Heart Chapel

Friday 7:00pm (June-Sept.)

Eucharist Adoration

Friday 9:20 - 10:00am

Confessions

Wednesday - Friday - 9:00am Saturday - 3:30 - 4:30pm 8:30 - 8:50am @ OLOL or by appointment

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

Baptisms

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

Children's Liturgy

During Sunday masses September thru May

Rosary

Weekdays before mass Sunday 8:40am OLOL

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****



Our Mission is to glorify God by fostering a belonging church where all are loved and led into an authentic, life-changing relationship with Jesus Christ.



At The Feet of Jesus

July 20 & 27, 2025

16th & 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

LORD, TEACH US TO PRAY...

MASSES FOR THE TWO NEXT WEEKS

Tuesday 22nd

6:20pm + Eddie Bruneau – Michelene Mathews **Wednesday 23**rd

9:20am + Leslie Armit - Shelley

Thursday 24th @ Rainycrest

10:00am Intentions of Grandparents and The Elderly

Friday 25th

10:00am + Luke Schill - The Klymko Family

7:00pm + Linda Punstel – Lyle & Linda Fleming and + Leslie Armit – Ray & Family

Saturday 26th

5:00pm + Earl Robertson and The Intentions of Gladys Robertson – Ernie & Janine Cousineau

Sunday 27th (9am @ Our Lady of Lourdes)

9:00am + Madeline Tucker - Louella

11:00am + Miguel & + Marie Vergara - The Family Tuesday 29th

6:20pm + Jack & **+** Laura Dillon – The Leschinski Family

Wednesday 30th

9:20am + Pauline Quigley - Marie Bock & Family Thursday 31st @ Rainycrest

10:00am Intentions of Rainycrest Residents – St. Mary's Parish

Friday 1st

10:00am + Madeline Tucker - Louella and

For mutual coexistence – Let us pray that societies where coexistence seems more difficult might not succumb to the temptation of confrontation for ethnic, political, religious or ideological reasons.

7:00pm + Jo Belluz – Alan & Marie Brady **Saturday 2**nd

5:00pm + Richard A. Hamilton – Noella Hamilton

Sunday 3rd (9am @ Our Lady of Lourdes)

9:00am + Michael James Roach – The Family

11:00am + Tony Morelli – Terry & Kathy Mueller and the Intentions of Eileen & Earl Roth – Greg & Kathy Mercure

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st reading: (Genesis 18.1-10a**) 2nd reading: (**Colossians 1.24-28**)**

Gospel: (Luke 10.38-42)

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st reading: (Genesis 18.20-32) **2nd reading:** (Colossians 2.12-14)

Gospel: (Luke 11.1-13)



Fifth World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly - July 27, 2025

It is with great joy that we prepare to celebrate the Fifth World Day for

Grandparents and the Elderly, an appointment that, year after year, is entering more and more deeply into the pastoral life of our communities. This fifth edition marks a significant milestone, a sign of the growing awareness of the value of the elderly in the Church and society. This year's theme chosen by Pope Francis, 'Blessed are those who have not lost hope' (cf. Sir 14:2), fits into the context of the Jubilee of Hope, and invites us to recognize in the elderly not only recipients of pastoral attention, but witnesses of hope and active protagonists of ecclesial life. Their life and faith experience is a valuable heritage, capable of enriching new generations and strengthening the community fabric.

Please bring your grandparents and elderly to the weekend masses on July 26th & 27th and join us for snacks & refreshments after the mass.

July 26



St. Anne & St. Joachim

Parents of the Virgin Mary, grandparents of Jesus Christ.

Patron Saints of

Grandparents & the Elderly



6:20pm **Tuesday** Wednesday 9:20am Thursday @ Rainycrest 10:00am Friday 10:00am

(Rosary @ 9:00am followed by Adoration @ 9:20am then mass)

Friday @ Sacred Heart of Jesus Chapel

(Bear Pass) 7:00pm 5:00pm Saturday 9:00am (OLOL) Sunday

11:00am

We pray the rosary before the weekday masses. If you would like a decade of the rosary prayed for your intentions, contact the Parish Office at 274-5233 or stmarys@tbaytel.net.

The Parish Office is open Monday - Thursday, 9:00am until 3:00pm.

July 20th - Footprints: The Path of Your Life – Eleven young men from the

United States walk the Way of St. James pilgrimage: Sts. Joachim & Anne – though they never appear in Canonical Scripture, Sts. Joachim & Anne, grandparents of Jesus, hold a place of great importance in the Church's tradition; Saint Mary Magdalene – Join Dr. Ben Akers & Taylor Kemp for a discussion on the life & witness of St. Mary Magdalene.

July 27th – The Violinist: Stories of Solanus Casey – A must-watch documentary that chronicles the inspiring life of a humble Capuchin friar.; Ignatius of Loyola: This film brings to life the story of St. Ignatius of Loyola, the founder of the Jesuits.; St. Alphonsus Lijuori: Born to a noble Italian family and known as the "Prince of Moral Theologians", he was a great preacher, lawyer, bishop, theologian, and Doctor of the Church. Learn this and more on Formed.org! Please check it out. Our parish has a subscription to Formed. You have free access to this great faith platform.

http://watch.formed.org/this-week-on-formed

Ministry Schedule

July 19 – Shelley/Anna (Lectors), Lynn (EMHC)

July 20 - Marie (Lectors), Greg (EMHC)

July 26 - Shelley/Gilles (Lectors), Lynn (EMHC)

July 27-Miranda/Jeremiah(Lectors), Gina(EMHC)

FUNDRAISER FOR OUR SACRED HEART OF JESUS CHAPEL

The winner of the Weber BBQ is David Boileau!

Congratulations David. A big thank you to Kenny Desigrdins for the donation of the BBQ. We collected \$1,217.00 to help with repairs at our Sacred Heart of Jesus Chapel at Bear Pass!

Thank you all for your generosity.

Please pray for......

ST. MARY'S - Shirley Fraser, Noella Hamilton, David Whalen, Frank Strain, Ewan MacKintosh, Dave Egan, Kathleen DeGagné, Greg Gustafson, Linda Blanc, Lillian Bodnar, Sue Sivonen, Anna Busch, Lorraine Smith, Loretta Foran, Theresa Olson, Yves Aucoin, Ronald Haukaas, Anita Artyszuk, Betty Mueller, Joyce Gosselin, Isabella Keuler, Arlene Kolynchuk, Maria Langenfurth, Beatrice Lambert, Tate Foley, Evan Armit, Leanne Crompton, Janice Parks, Jerry Darvell, Mindy Wallace, Lucille Botsford, Shirlev Buttner, Susan Hunking, Amy LaFroy, Lawrence Desserre, Rita Moorhouse, Marco Grigio

OUR LADY OF LOURDES - Curtis Jourdain, Mary Lou Parks, Dale Krueger, Roger Fillion, Brian McPherson, Laverne (Gabby) Caul, Marilyn Perreault, Heather Jeffers, Candace Tucker

Offertory Collection for Weekend of

July 6, 2025: St. Mary's - \$1621.70

Sacred Heart - \$70.00 Our Lady of Lourdes - \$900.50

July 13, 2025: St. Mary's - \$1684.65 Sacred Heart - \$190.00

Our Lady of Lourdes - \$723.65

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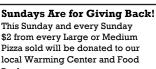


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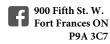
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