



April 8, 2018

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday 10th

6^{pm} + Memory of Lena Duchnicki – The Family

Wednesday 11th

9:30^{am} **School Mass**

+ Claude DeBenedet – St. Michael's School Staff & + Will Anderson - St. Francis School Staff

Thursday 12th at Raincrest

10^{am} + John Koles – Margaret Koles and the Intentions of Nicholas Delvecchio – The Rodrigues Family

Friday 13th

9^{am} Deceased Loved Ones of the Bereavement Group.

Saturday 14th

5^{pm} Special blessings and graces for Vince & Barb Godbout on their 40th Wedding Anniversary – Shirley Fraser & Family and Betty Mueller & Family

Sunday 15th (9am at Our Lady of Lourdes)

9^{am} + Deacon Elmer Mainville – The Tuckers

11^{am} + Rolande Lowey – Gertie, Yvette & Rita and + Joseph Harry Pruys – The Choir

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1st reading: (Acts 4.32-35)

2nd reading: (1 John 5.1-6)

Gospel: (John 20.19-31)

After eight days, Jesus came and stood among them.



In your prayers, please remember those who are sick:

Arlene Steinke, Ewan MacKintosh, Rosalie Cousineau, Shirley Fraser, Nick Mutz, Kari Urquart, Ernie McColeman, Queenie Leschinski, Maurice DeGagné, Nicole LePine, Larry Mattson, Dianne Pattison, Noella & Rick Hamilton, David Whalen, Isabella Keuler, Susan Flemming, Cyril Chabot, Monica Hanzuk, Jack Dillon, Art Cross, Nicholas Delvecchio, Catherine MacDonald

*Offertory Collection for St. Mary's
Weekend Of*

Easter Weekend – \$6928.25

Counting Teams

April 9th - Anna



Sunday at 3:00pm we will celebrate the Feast of the Divine Mercy with the Chaplet Prayer and Reflection. Everyone is invited to attend.



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, Jan Glueheisen, Phyllis Johnson (Bruyere), Kayla Bruyere, Brian McPherson, Judy Bird, Vernon Yerxa, Marion Bergland, Wanda Heyens, Mary Lou Parks

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What's going on?!

April 10 – Bereavement Group – 1:00pm

April 11 – School Mass – 9:30am

April 12 – EDGE & LifeTeen Sports Night

April 14 – Vince & Barb Godbout's Anniversary – 6:00pm

April 17 – Associates of Ste. Marguerite d'Youville – 1:00pm

– Parish Council – 6:30pm

April 18 – OLOL Parish Council – 7:00pm

April 19 – Confirmation Rehearsal – 7:00pm

April 20 – Real Men/Beautiful Girl's Night – 6:00pm

April 21 – First Communion Spiritual Retreat – 9:00am – 12:00pm

– Confirmation and Youth Mass

April 22 – OLOL Confirmation

April 24 – CWL Executive Meeting – 1:30pm

April 26 – 4th Degree – 12:00pm

– Feast of Our Lady of Good Counsel – CWL Prayer Service & Rosary – 2:00pm

– EDGE Night – 6:30-8:30

April 28 – Italian Dinner – 6:00pm

ATTENTION ALL PARISHIONERS!!!



**It's Vince & Barb
Godbout's 40th
Wedding
Anniversary! Come
celebrate with us on
Saturday, April 14th
in the Parish Hall.
Dinner at 6:00 pm.
Cash bar. Pick up
your free tickets at
the Parish Office or**

**RSVP to Brandi at 274-9041 or text 275-9258.
Hope to see you all there. Everyone welcome!**

EDGE: Youth groups for grades 6-9



Last Thursday, the EDGE youth talked about the Sacrament of Confirmation as some of our youth will be receiving this sacrament soon. It was a good reminder to those who are already Confirmed that the Fruits and Gifts of the Holy Spirit should be active in our lives on a daily basis! Congratulations to those who will be Confirmed on the 21st! **Our next EDGE night will be a Sports Night on April 12 at St. Michael's.**

LIFE TEEN Youth groups for grades 9-12



Our next Life Night will be held on April 20th. This will be our Real Men's Night (St. Michael's School) & Beautiful Girls Night (St. Mary's)!

Hope to see everyone there!

LIFE TEEN Lunches:

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



SALT & LIGHT DISCOVERY CAMP

Camp will be held July 2nd - 6th this year. This is for youth in grades 7-10. Cost is \$180.00. We are accepting applications now. We are also in need of staff and Jr. & Sr. Counselors. Applications are available at the back of the church for both staff and campers. For more information email: kalidbrady@gmail.com or call/text 1-807-275-9225 or call St. Mary's Parish at 1-807-274-5233.

MISSING OR MISPLACED? There was a 14-16" tall all white statue of Mary, Joseph and Jesus in the Meeting room that is no longer there. If you have it please return it. If you know what happened to it, please let the parish office know.



We would like to joyfully welcome Bryan Strahl and Craig Miller into the Roman Catholic Church. They have entered a new life and received the gifts of the Holy Spirit, to go forth to love and serve the Lord. Congratulations!!

Food for Your Journey - Joy

A group of pilgrims were walking along a road, headed for a sacred shrine, to make a special petition. Each of them was carrying a burden of some sort. But they kept their mind on their goal, and not on what they were carrying. An angel joined the little band and passing from one to another, threw onto the burdens a few little white seeds. These sprouted and grew into a pair of large wings which carried the burdened travellers along the dusty road.

Farther down the same road there was another party of pilgrims moving along with downcast faces and complaining of their heavy loads. The same angel came up to them and kept on going. Someone asked him, "Why didn't you give them wings, too? They are so downcast and gloomy; they need help more than the cheerful ones up front."

The angel answered, "The kind of seeds I have will only grow in the right kind of soil. They need cheerfulness and helpfulness; but an atmosphere of grumbling kills them."

A Smile for Your Journey - Fund-Raising

The church choir was putting on a car wash to raise money for their annual tour. They made a large sign which read, "Car Wash for Choir Trip."

On the given Saturday, business was terrific, but by two o'clock the skies clouded and the rain poured, and there were hardly any customers.

Finally one of the girl washers had an idea. She printed a large cardboard poster which read, "We wash and God Rinses." Business boomed!

2017 Donation Tax receipts are in the lobby. Please pick up your receipt and help us save on postage. Thank you for your generosity!



FESTA ITALIANA
Join us for an evening of
Italian Food & Live
Music on Saturday,
April 28, 2018
Doors open at 6:00pm.

Tickets: \$35.00 (only 80 tickets) Available at the Parish Office until Monday, April 23rd.

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