

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

Eucharistic Adoration

Friday 9:00 - 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 1 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.**



“RECEIVE THE
HOLY SPIRIT.

May 24, 2026
PENTECOST SUNDAY

MASSES FOR THE NEXT WEEK

Tuesday 26th Rosary 5:40pm

6:00pm + Anna & + Julius Woerz – Margrit Schaum

Wednesday 27th (Rosary @ 9am)

9:20am + Larry Fontana – Ian McLennan

Thursday 28th at Rainycrest

10:00am Intentions of Greta Koreman – Grace Huntley

Friday 29th Rosary & Adoration @ 9am then Mass @

10:00am + Maria Alfredina Neves – John Leschinski

Saturday 30th

5:00pm + Earl Robertson – The Family and The Intentions of The Bereavement Group - Josie Schill

Sunday 31st (9am @ OLOL) The Most Holy Trinity

9:00am + Dolly McPherson – Donna & Kathy

11:00am + Bob Mitchelson – Ted & Jenny Sieders and The Intentions of All Parishioners

Pentecost Sunday

1st reading: (Acts 2.1-11)

2nd reading: (1 Corinthians 12.3b-7, 12-13)

Gospel: (John 20.19-23)

Ministry Schedule

May 23 – Kim/Marie (Lectors), Lynn (EMHC)

May 24 – Michael/Ingrid (Lectors), Greg (EMHC)

May 30 – Gilles/TBD (Lectors), Lynn (EMHC)

May 31 – Ingrid/Kayden (Lectors), Gina (EMHC)

May 26 – Mysteries of the Rosary Group Study
– after the 6pm mass

May 27 – Finance Council Meeting – 1:30pm

May 27 – CWL Crowning of Mary – 6:30pm
followed by reception in parish hall.

May 29 – Youth Night – 5:30 – 8:30pm

June 1-4 – Priest Retreat – no masses

June 3 – CWL Prayer Service, Potluck & General Meeting – 6:30pm

A Study on the
Mysteries of the Rosary

The next gathering will be on Tuesday,
May 26th after 6pm the mass.



Every May, throughout the Church, a simple and beautiful ceremony takes place — a crown of flowers is placed on the head of Mary’s statue, and the Church proclaims her Queen. It is one of the most tender expressions of Marian devotion in the Catholic tradition, and one of the most beloved. Join us for a celebration honouring the Crowning of Mary, our queen & mother on **Wednesday, May 27th at 6:30pm.** There will be a reception in the parish hall following the service.



All Youth of the Parish in grades 7-12 are invited to a Youth Night on Friday, May 29th beginning with a spaghetti dinner at 5:30pm.

Time: May 29th from 5:30pm – 8:30pm

Location: St. Mary’s Parish Hall

Please rsvp by May 27th to Parish office or Ken Desjardins @ 807-276-4079

Parents are invited to attend at 7pm for dessert and for information and forms.

TRINITY SUNDAY

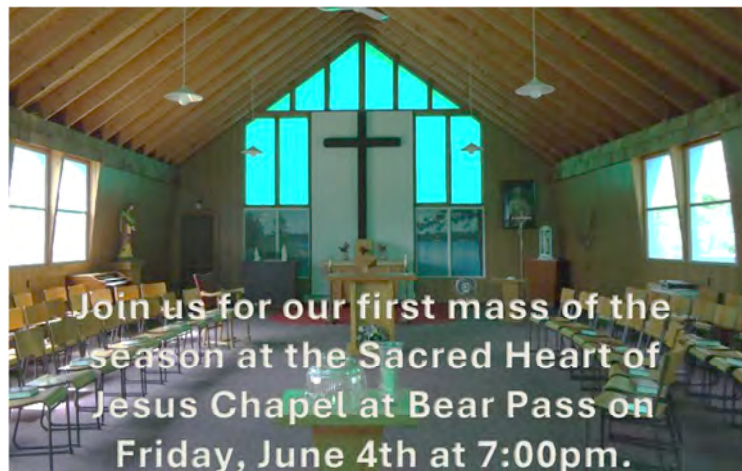
GOD THE FATHER, SON & HOLY SPIRIT



@junevps

THEREFORE GO AND MAKE DISCIPLES OF ALL NATIONS, BAPTIZING THEM IN THE NAME OF THE FATHER AND OF THE SON AND OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

- *Matthew 28:19* -



Join us for our first mass of the season at the Sacred Heart of Jesus Chapel at Bear Pass on Friday, June 4th at 7:00pm.

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



MAY

Month of Mary
the Blessed Mother

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, Joyce Gosselin, Isabella Keuler, Arlene Kolynchuk, Maria Langenfurth, Beatrice Lambert, Tate Foley, Leanne Crompton, Jerry Darvell, Mindy Wallace, Shirley Buttner, Susan Hunking, Amy LaFroy, Rita Moorhouse, Marco Grigio, Paul Noonan, Bernice Kempf, David Lovisa Sr., Frances Valera Bersamin, Scott McLeod, Rod Davis, Frank Ball, Pam Makarchuk, Jill Hebert, Dan Pierroz

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


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