

St. Mary's Parish

Brooks and Tide Lake Mission

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary

Sept 10th and 11th, 2022

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Office Hours:
Tues 8:00 – 4:30
Wed. 9:00 – 5:30
Thur 8:00 – 4:30
Fri 8:00 – 4:30
Closed Daily 1:00 – 2:00

Masses:
Tue-Wed 7:00p.m.
Thur-Fri 9:00a.m.
Sat - 5:00 p.m.
Sun. 9:00 a.m.
11:00 a.m.
6:00 p.m.

Reconciliation:
Saturday: 4:00 – 4:30
1st Friday of the month 9:30 – 12:00
By Appointment

Mass intentions for this weekend

- Sat. Sept 10** 5:00 p.m. August † and Mary † Loehndorf
- Sun. Sept 11** 9:00 a.m. Herjoat Kaur
- 11:00 a.m. All Parishioners
 6:00 p.m Kyle Larson family AND
 Ray Romans †

Up and Coming Next Week

- Mon. Sept 12** NO MASS
- Tues. Sept 13** 7:00 p.m. Ken Calvert †
- Wed. Sept 14** 7:00 p.m. CWL members past and present
 AND Justin, Kyla, † and Maaike † Graham
- Thurs. Sept 15** 9:00 a.m. Preston Yellowfly
- Fri. Sept. 16** 9:00 a.m Meaghan Patterson
- Sat. Sept. 17** 5:00 p.m. Tom Hembroff †
- Sun. Sept. 18** 9:00 a.m Mary † and Frank † Mudry
- 11:00am. All Parishioners
- 6:00 pm. Denise Brown

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****We ask that all information for the bulletin and anything that needs to be verbally announced during mass, be submitted for approval in writing by no later than noon on Wednesday. Thank you.**

Pastoral Care of the Sick

We are pleased to bring the Sacrament to all ill parishioners. Please notify the parish office if a family member is hospitalized. For anointing of the sick please notify the parish priest. The hospital no longer asks what religion you are and therefore, there will be no record when the ministers check. We don't want to miss anyone.

**MINISTRIES FOR
Sept 17th & 18th 2022**

Ushers:

5:00 pm Earl/Mona
9:00 am Greg/Luka
11:00 am Fred/Pauline
6:00 pm Lynn/Kierra

Greeters:

5:00pm Mona
9:00 am Liboiron family
11:00am Wagner family
6:00pm Liza

Sacristans:

5:00 p.m. Florence
9:00a.m Trena
11:00 a.m Joeven
6:00 p.m Mary Ann

Audio Video:

5:00p.m.
9:00a.m.
11:00a.m.
6:00p.m.

Lectors:

5:00p.m. Connie, Christine
9:00a.m. Olivia, Pat
11:00a.m Kristina, Chris
6:00 p.m Janet, Eva

Eucharistic Ministers:

5:00p.m. Florence, Shelly, Keri
9:00a.m Cathy, Quin, Kaylie
11:00am Ben, Pat, Mary Ellen
6:00p.m. Mary Ann, Linda, Arlene

Altar Servers:

5:00p.m Susanne, Beth, Stanley
9:00a.m Dawn, Lexi, Jordynn
11:00a.m Jessica, Juzella, Ave
6:00 p.m. Agatha, Alfonso, Jarene

Music:

5:00p.m.
9:00a.m.
11:00a.m.
6:00p.m.

Please find a replacement if you are unable to fulfill your scheduled duties.

Welcome to our Parish Family

New Parishioners are warmly welcomed to our faith community. Please visit us at the parish office register as a new member of our parish.

Sacrament of Marriage

Arrangements should be made **at least six months** in advance by calling for an appointment with the Parish Priest. The six months' notice is required to ensure the proper paperwork can be finalized and guaranteed. There will be no exceptions. A marriage preparation course is **mandatory** in our Diocese.

Sacrament of Baptism

Parents must be registering for baptism. Baptism preparation class is mandatory and must be completed prior to booking a date for baptism. To book a date for baptism **you must give two months notice.**

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403-362-4767

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403-362-5030

Prayer Shawls

Please call Christine at
403-362-4796

OR

Sylvia at
403-362-3849

For prayer shawl requests

Pre-Authorized Giving

If you wish to sign up for the Pre-Authorized Giving Plan, please fill out a form and submit it at the parish office. Forms are available by the office.

St. Mary's Prayer Chain

If you would like to have someone added to the prayer chain for intentions or special requests, please call the parish office with the first name, intention, and how long you would like them on the prayer chain.

Magazines

The magazines, in the magazine rack in the front foyer are for sale.

Please check the price list above the rack and pay for anything you would like at the office.

WE STILL NEED VOLUNTEERS

If you wish to sign up for a ministry, please call the office at 403-362-4466.

SACRAMENTS

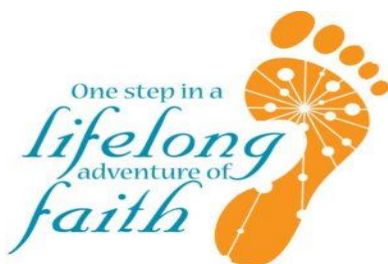
Registrations for the Sacraments of First Reconciliation, First Eucharist, and Confirmation will start again later this year. Children who have completed Grade 1 by the end of June are eligible to start classes for Reconciliation then go straight on to First Eucharist later the same year if desired.

Confirmation is for people 12 years old or older, including adults. Candidates need all three Sacraments prior to being Confirmed. Watch the Bulletin for updates and start dates.

Baptism, First Eucharist, and Reconciliation certificates are required for all Sacraments.

Early registrations are encouraged so watch the Bulletin for updates on when the registration forms are available.

Anyone receiving Sacraments or training must be registered parishioners of St. Marys.



K of C Campout

Brothers and fellow parishioners our annual campout is fast approach 9th-11th @ the Bow City Campground. I'm happy to report that all 11 sites have been spoken for but if there are some of you that still wish to camp let me know and I'll see if some of the overflow sites are available. Just a few things to thank you to all that have prepaid and for those that owe for the 2nd year myself or a Brother knight will collect on the weekend, cash preferred paying by cheque please make the cheque out to Bow City Campground. Unfortunately Father will not be able to come out for the 11 AM mass funeral at that time. The games will begin at 1 PM sharp on Saturday. Danny and his team will be cooking up the Saturday evening meal after the games. For those of you planning on coming out for the games and support could please give me a heads up so we can plan accordingly that would be appreciated. I'm also looking for extra firewood, swag for giveaways and extra washer-roo boards and goofy golf sets. You can contact me djklein1@telus.net or phone/message me @ 403 376-4683.

Thank You.

Bro. Dan



Holy Family Request

Do you sew? Do you have a relative or friend who sews? Holy Family Academy is looking for volunteers to sew bags for our students chairs. Students will keep books in them so they always have reading material handy, as well as other resources they may need close. We will provide the pattern, and the material. Please contact me by email at mfleck@redeemer.ab.ca OR call the school at 403-362-8001 if you, or someone you know, is willing to help.

Thank you!

Best,
Mike

Mike Fleck

Principal



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Strength for the Task at Hand

Meditation:

One time during the novitiate, ... I was very upset because I could not manage the pots, which were very large. The most difficult task for me was draining the potatoes, and sometimes I spilt half of them with the water I complained to God about my weakness. Then I heard the following words in my soul, **From today on you will do this easily; I shall strengthen you.**

That evening, when the time came to drain off the water from the potatoes, I hurried to be the first to do it, trusting in the Lord's words. I took up the pot with ease and poured off the water perfectly. But when I took off the cover to let the potatoes steam off, I saw there in the pot, in the place of the potatoes, whole bunches of red roses, beautiful beyond description [Then] I heard a voice within saying, **I change such hard work of yours into bouquets of most beautiful flowers, and their perfume rises up to My throne** (*Diary*, 65).

My Prayer Response:

Lord Jesus, when the work before me is overwhelming, thank You for teaching me through St. Faustina that You give me the strength needed for the task.

**The words of Jesus appear in boldface type*



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The Paradoxical Commandments

On this 25th anniversary of Mother Teresa's death, Bishop McGrattan highlights the words of "The Paradoxical Commandments," embraced by this saint of the poor.

When Mother Teresa first heard these words, written by Dr. Kent M. Keith, an American lawyer, writer and leader in higher education, she was moved to put them on the wall of one of her homes for children in Kolkata. They are a sure guideline for finding personal meaning in the face of adversity and transcend all creeds and cultures. They very aptly describe Mother Teresa's way of dealing with such a huge number of people throughout her lifetime.

- People are often unreasonable, irrational, and self-centred. **Forgive them anyway.**
- If you are kind, people may accuse you of selfish, ulterior motives. **Be kind anyway.**
- If you are successful, you will win some unfaithful friends and some genuine enemies. **Succeed anyway.**
- If you are honest and sincere people may deceive you. **Be honest and sincere anyway.**
- What you spend years creating, others could destroy overnight. **Create anyway.**
- If you find serenity and happiness, some may be jealous. **Be happy anyway.**
- The good you do today, will often be forgotten. **Do good anyway.**
- Give the best you have, and it will never be enough. **Give your best anyway.**
- In the final analysis, it is between you and God. **It was never between you and them anyway.**



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