



WEEKLY BULLETIN

May 27 - 28, 2023

Solemnity of the Feast of the Pentecost
Pentecost Sunday

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEKEND

Saturday,	May 27 th	5:00pm	Mary Berg & Family
Sunday,	May 28 th	9:00 am	† John Desjardins
		11:00am	All Parishioners
		12:00pm	BBQ Picnic Lunch at the Parish Hall
		6:00pm	Sickel Family

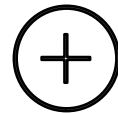


COMING UP NEXT WEEK

Monday,	May 29 th		NO MASS + PARISH OFFICE CLOSED
Tuesday,	May 30 th	7:00pm	† Mary Serniak
Wednesday,	May 31 st	7:00pm	Parmjit Kaur
Thursday,	Jun. 1 st	9:00am	† Mike Orlita & Elaine Orlita
Friday,	Jun. 2 nd	9:00am	† Mitsuo Iwaasa

Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity (Trinity Sunday)

Saturday,	Jun. 3 rd	5:00pm	† Jake Braat
Sunday,	Jun. 4 th	9:00am	Jagdeep Singh & Herjoat Kaur
		11:00am	All Parishioners
		6:00pm	† Barb White



The seven weeks from Easter to Pentecost are celebrated as one great Feast Day. St. Athanasius called them "the great Sunday". Christians sing the "Alleluia" during these days in their rejoicing.

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.

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesdays & Wednesdays at 7:00pm
Thursdays & Fridays at 9:00am
Saturdays at 5:00pm
Sundays at 9:00am, 11:00am & 6:00pm
Special Masses to be announced.

RECONCILIATIONS/CONFESSIONS

Saturdays at 4:00pm - 4:30pm
Every 1st Friday of the month:
9:00am - 12:00pm
Or please call the Parish Office for appointments.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesdays to Fridays at 9:00am - 5:00pm
Closed on Lunch breaks 1:00pm - 2:00pm
Closed on Mondays, Weekends and Special Holidays.
Phone: +1 (403) 362 4466



HOLY MASS MINISTRY SCHEDULES (JUNE 3 - 4, 2023)

If you can't fulfill your schedule, please find a replacement and/or ask your respective ministry coordinator. We thank you for serving in the Holy Masses. May the blessings of the Lord be upon you!

USHERS

Sat. 5:00pm Earl W, Sylvia V
Sun. 9:00am Carina S, Parmjit K
Sun. 11:00am Pauline M, Hayat L
Sun. 6:00pm Bev S, Leena L

GREETERS

Sat. 5:00pm Brian G
Sun. 9:00am Merlyn H, Glen H
Sun. 11:00am Hayat L
Sun. 6:00pm Analyn A

SACRISTANS

Sat. 5:00pm Juliana R
Sun. 9:00am Denise A
Sun. 11:00am Juzella I
Sun. 6:00pm Arlene H

LECTORS

Sat. 5:00pm
Sun. 9:00am
Sun. 11:00am
Sun. 6:00pm

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sat. 5:00pm Shelly J, Vanessa B, Jose P
Sun. 9:00am Terrie H, Ron A
Sun. 11:00am Mary Ellen G, Chris N
Sun. 6:00pm Florence J, Juliana R

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat. 5:00pm Sam, Beth L, Emanuella
Sun. 9:00am Lisa T, Rob H, William
Sun. 11:00am Ave, Jesse, Franklyn
Sun. 6:00pm Jarene N, JJ, Ryeley S

MUSICIANS + CHOIR

Sat. 5:00pm Michelle G, Annette M
Sun. 9:00am Daina R, Mark H
Sun. 11:00am Ashleigh D, Cindy G
Sun. 6:00pm Arvie D, MQP Choir

A/V + LIVESTREAM

Sat. 5:00pm Troy G
Sun. 9:00am
Sun. 11:00am
Sun. 6:00pm MQP Choir

BE PART OF THE HOLY MASS, SIGN UP NOW! CALL THE PARISH OFFICE AT (403) 362 4466.



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To become a parishioner and sign up for donations, please contact us at: (403) 362 4466.



HOLY SACRAMENTS
(Baptism, Reconciliation, First Communion, Confirmation, Marriage, Holy Orders & Anointing of the Sick)

People who wish to receive any of the Holy Sacraments **must be a registered parishioner of St. Mary's Parish: Brooks + Tide Lake Mission.**

For Baptisms, **all requirements must be completed before booking a Baptism date. At least two months notice must be given** in order to complete all the requirements.

For Reconciliation, First Communion and Confirmation, **all requirements, including classes/sessions must be completed to be eligible for Sacraments.**

For Marriages, **all requirements must be completed before booking a Marriage date. At least six months notice must be given** in order to ensure the proper paperwork can be finalized and guaranteed. There will be no exceptions.

The **proper order** of receiving the Holy Sacraments are; **(1st) Baptism, (2nd) Reconciliation, (3rd) First Communion, (4th) Confirmation, (5th) Marriage or (5th) Holy Orders - if going to priesthood.** People are not eligible get the next sacrament without receiving the previous one; (example: A person cannot receive the First Communion without receiving his/her Reconciliation first.)

For more information, including Sacrament Preparation classes and sessions (Baptisms, Reconciliations, First Communion and Confirmations), please contact;
Sacrament Coordinator - Juliana Ragot at (403) 793 7279, or email at stombsacraments@gmail.com

For those who wish to become a deacon, enter into priesthood, and for receiving the Anointing of the Sick, please contact the Parish Office;
Secretary - Arvie Diaz at (403) 362 4466, or email at secretary@saintmarysbrooks.com



**DIOCESE OF CALGARY:
2022 IMPACT REPORT**

Please take a moment to read through the Impact Report which you can access from www.catholicyc.ca/2022impactreport. We hope that the report will serve as a Testament to the incredible work that we have accomplished together and as an inspiration for all that we can achieve

NEWS from Saint Vincent de Paul:

Please continue to support our efforts to help those most in need. There are several ways to support:

Pray for all those in need.

Time – we have an on call line that pairs 2 Vincentians together to answer calls and have an urgent need for more servants. Appointments are made that work for both the client and the Vincentians. Tues. to Thurs. 9:30-3:30

Talent – an open ear to listen, support with encouragement problem solve

Treasure – Monetary donations can be made in several ways –

Donation envelopes found on front ledge by office.

Online e-transfer donations using phone number **403-363-7710**

"I would like to embrace the world in a network of charity." Blessed Fredrick Ozanam



ST. MARY'S PARISH: PRAYER CHAIN

If you would like us to offer continuous prayers for someone you know, please contact the Parish Office with their name, your special intention and for how long you would like them in the prayer chain. Thank you!



TAX RECEIPTS AND DONATION ENVELOPES

2022 Tax Receipts have been mailed out.

2023 Donation Envelopes are also in the Parish Foyer ready to be picked up;
- Enopia, M - Kuffner, D



HOLY MASS INTENTIONS

Mass Intentions from May to July 2023 are currently full. The Diocese of Calgary does not allow multiple intentions on a single Mass.

Please contact the Parish Office to get a Mass Intention schedule.



PRAYER SHAWL COMMITTEE

If you would like to get a prayer shawl, please call Christine at (403) 362 4796 or Sylvia at (403) 362 3849.



TOGETHER IN ACTION: 2023 UPDATE

Our TIA Parish Goal is \$28,296.00. We've raised \$4,065.00 as of April 11, 2023.



CAREER OPPORTUNITIES IN THE CALGARY DIOCESE

There are a number of employment opportunities that are currently available in the Diocese of Calgary:

- Calgary Diocese Parishes & Beyond:
 - Admin. Assistant (Part-time) - Our Lady of the Rockies, Canmore
 - Assistant Coordinator (Casual) Feed the Hungry, Calgary
 - Cook (Part-time) - St. Mary's Cathedral, Calgary
 - Family Faith Coordinator - All Saints, Lethbridge
 - Maintenance Worker (Part-time) - Sacred Heart, Calgary
 - Archive & Marriage Office Administrators - Diocese of Victoria

Visit www.catholicyc.ca/careers for more information and details.

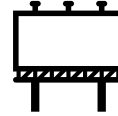


SUNDAY COFFEE + FELLOWSHIP

Come and join us after the Holy Mass.

June 3 after 5:00pm Mass
June 11 after 9:00am Mass
June 18 after 11:00am Mass
June 25 after 6:00pm Mass

For more information, please contact: Linda Bidyk at (403) 501 9404

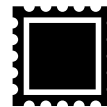


WEEKLY BULLETIN ADVERTISEMENT

Do you have a business that you wanted to advertise? Slots are open in our printed and digital Weekly Bulletin for only \$100.

Please contact the Parish Office and/or email us at accounting@saintmarysbrooks.com to get started.

Please note that this is only available to the current registered parishioners of St. Mary's Parish: Brooks + Tide Lake Mission.



USED STAMPS FOR MISSIONS

Do you have used stamps laying around? Don't throw it out. A parishioner collects them to be sent to Calgary for Missions. Please bring your used stamps in the parish foyer. Thank you!



Unite Yourself with Me

My daughter, do not omit Holy Communion unless you know well that your fall was serious; apart from this, no doubt must stop you from uniting yourself with Me in the mystery of My love. Your minor faults will disappear in My love like a piece of straw thrown into a great furnace. Know that you grieve Me much when you fail to receive Me in Holy Communion (Diary, 156).

My Prayer Response:

Lord Jesus, may my minor faults disappear in the fire of Your love when I receive You in Holy Communion. In no way do I want to grieve You. (The words of Jesus appear in boldface type.)

Understanding Divine Mercy – “Explaining the Faith Series” - Fr. Chris Alar

Few people understand what Divine Mercy is and why it is so critical for our times. Have you ever wondered, “Who is St. Faustina?”; Would you like to know how to receive the extraordinary promise Jesus offers only on Divine Mercy Sunday? Ever asked “How could a merciful God allow so much suffering?”

God’s mercy is always with us and is greater than any sin, even suicide. Divine Mercy is an ocean, next to which any sin, no matter how grave, is a mere drop. All sins are forgivable except one – refusing to accept God’s mercy.

Our faith offers us endless ways to invite the grace of God into our lives and any painful situation. Divine Mercy is always the answer In the face of persecution that came, the disciples could have lost hope. But Jesus had told them – and demonstrated in His own life- that we must go through the Crucifixion before we experience the Resurrection.

The above is from the book “Understanding Divine Mercy” and great teaching titled Divine Mercy 101/102 can be found at <https://www.youtube.com/live/6GYhxxVCApc?feature=share>

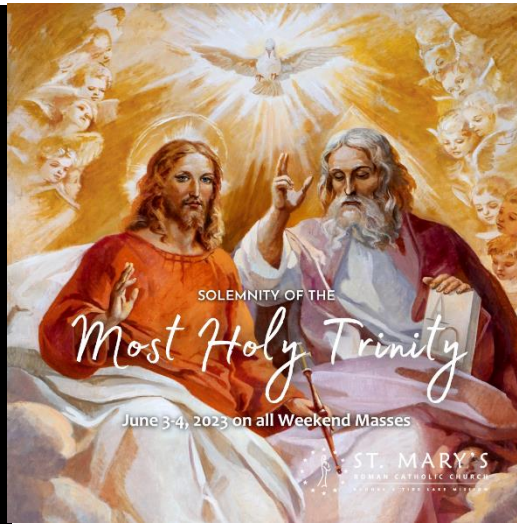


ADORATION + EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Adoration and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament daily from Tuesdays to Fridays from 2:00pm - 5:00pm at the Adoration Chapel.

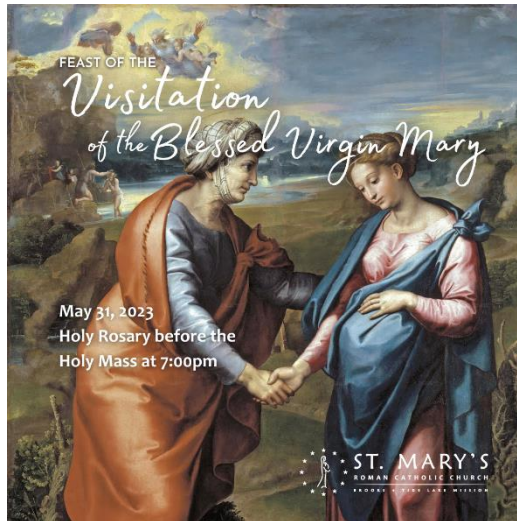
Every 1st Friday of the month
9:30am - 2:00pm

Every 3rd Wednesday of the month
1:00pm - 6:45pm at St. Mary's Parish,
Brooks



SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY (Jun. 3-4, 2023)

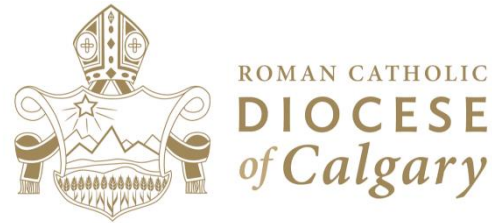
Join us to celebrate the mystery and the glory of the Most Holy Trinity on the Weekend Holy Masses of June 3-4, 2023.



FEAST OF THE VISITATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY (May 31, 2023)

Join us to celebrate the Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary on May 31, 2023 at the 7:00pm Holy Mass.

A Holy Rosary will happen before the Mass.



PRIESTLY ORDINATION

Rev. Mr. Santiago Torres, a transitional deacon currently completing studies at St. Joseph Seminary, Edmonton, has been called to ordination to the Holy Priesthood at St. Mary's Cathedral, Calgary, on the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, Friday, June 16, 2023 at 7 pm.

PASTORAL ASSIGNMENTS

Rev. Robert Dielissen, currently Pastor of St. Paul's Parish, Airdrie, has returned to the parish at Easter after a health leave of absence.

Bishop McGrattan expresses his appreciation to **Rev. Thomas Vadassery** for being the Administrator of the parish during Rev. Dielissen's leave of absence.

Rev. Nathan Siray, currently Pastor of St. Anthony's Parish, Calgary, will be away from the parish mid-May to mid-August for the summer semester of his canon law studies.

Rev. John Kohler, currently completing doctoral studies in Biblical Theology at the Gregorian University in Rome, will be replacing Fr. Siray from mid-May to mid-August.

DEACON RETIREMENT

Deacon Robert McLean, previously assigned to St. Paul's Parish, Airdrie, has retired effective January 2023.

"ANNUAL" GENERAL MEETING



**JUNE 11 AFTER 11 AM MASS
COME TO FIND OUT HOW
OUR PARISH IS DOING!!**

LUNCH PROVIDED
BRING YOUR
CONCERNS!! SUGGESTIONS!!
PRAISES!! PRAYERS!!
QUESTIONS????

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SEE YOU THERE!!!

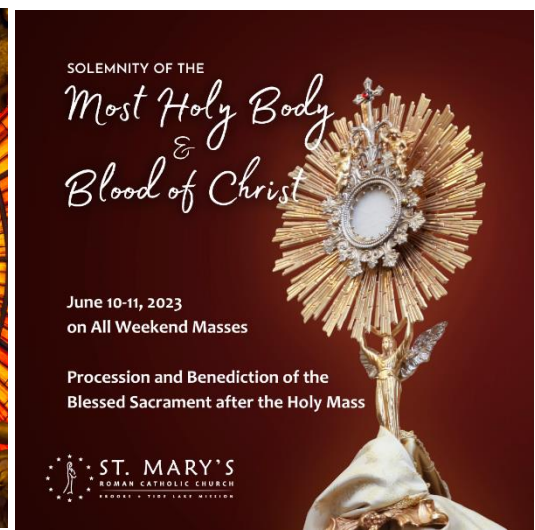


June 9, 2023
7:00pm at
St. Mary's Parish, Brooks

**MASS OF CONFIRMATION
(Jun. 9, 2023)**

Join us to celebrate and to witness the Confirmation of St. Mary's Parish Candidates of 2023.

A concelebrated Holy Mass with Bishop William McGrattan and Rev. Fr. Marino Infante will happen on June 9, 2023 at 7:00pm.



SOLEMNITY OF THE
**Most Holy Body
&
Blood of Christ**

June 10-11, 2023
on All Weekend Masses

Procession and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament after the Holy Mass



**SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY
BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST
(Jun. 10-11, 2023)**

Join us to honor the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ on the Weekend Holy Masses of June 10-11, 2023.

An Indoor Procession and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will happen every after Mass.

**PARISH PENTECOST MASS
AND PICNIC**

WHEN: SUNDAY MAY 28

WHERE: ST Mary's Church and Hall

WHAT: ROSARY AT 10:25

MASS AT 11:00 AM

LUNCH AT 12:00 NOON

PARISH COUNCIL, THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS,
CWL ARE SERVING HAMBURGERS & ICE CREAM

THE OTHER MASSES WILL BE AT REGULAR TIMES

**COME CELEBRATE THE
DESCENT OF THE HOLY GHOST**



**FOR ECCLESIAL
MOVEMENTS
AND GROUPS**

"Let us pray that ecclesial movements and groups may daily rediscover their mission, an evangelizing mission, and that they place their own charisms at the service of the world's needs."
- Pope Francis -



A MESSAGE
from THE
BISHOP OF
CALGARY



As the Bishop of Calgary I urge the faithful to continue to oppose the expansion of the legal access to euthanasia/assisted suicide in our country of Canada.

As a society we must be committed to address the social factors which adversely affect those most vulnerable and who will be forced based on their life's circumstance to consider MAiD - mental health, old age and infirmity, loneliness, marginalization, stigmatization, poverty, and abandonment.

As a society we must respond to these individuals and the condition of their lives in ways which demonstrate that they possess inherent value and **that they are loved.**

+ William T. McGrattan
Bishop of Calgary
May 9, 2023



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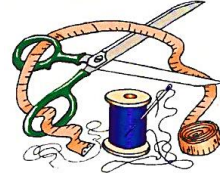


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