



WEEKLY BULLETIN

June 17 - 18, 2023

11th Sunday in the Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEKEND

Saturday,	Jun. 17 th	5:00pm	Sickel Family
Sunday,	Jun. 18 th	9:00 am	† John Desjardins
		11:00am	All Parishioners
		6:00pm	Alexander & Janette Diaz

PARISH OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

Tuesdays to Thursdays, 9:00am - 5:00pm, Fridays 9:00am - 1:00pm

Closed on Lunch Breaks 1:00pm-2:00pm

COMING UP NEXT WEEK

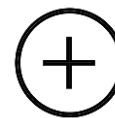
Monday,	Jun. 19 th	NO MASS + PARISH OFFICE CLOSED	
Tuesday,	Jun. 20 th	7:00pm	† Jan Van Steekelenberg
Wednesday,	Jun. 21 st	7:00pm	† Marianne Hirose
Thursday,	Jun. 22 nd	9:00am	† John Renneberg
Friday,	Jun. 23 rd	9:00am	Rev. Fr. Lester Mendonsa

12th Sunday of the Ordinary Time

Saturday,	Jun. 24 th	5:00pm	† Joseph Lundquist
Sunday,	Jun. 25 th	9:00am	† John Desjardins
		11:00am	All Parishioners
		6:00pm	Audrey Rushka



The celebration of the Liturgical Year has a special sacramental power and force which nourishes and strengthens the life of Christians. The reason for the restoration of the Liturgical Year is to help believers through their faith, hope and love to share more fully in the entire mystery of Christ as it is unfolding throughout the year.



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.
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HOLY MASS MINISTRY SCHEDULES (JUNE 24 - 25, 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, Randy C
Sun. 9:00am Carina S, Leena L
Sun. 11:00am Ken F, Del F
Sun. 6:00pm Lynne S, Kiara S

GREETERS

Sat. 5:00pm Evelyn W, Margaret W
Sun. 9:00am Merlyn H, Glen H
Sun. 11:00am Hayat L
Sun. 6:00pm Paragas Family

SACRISTANS

Sat. 5:00pm Juliana R
Sun. 9:00am Danny A
Sun. 11:00am Arlene H
Sun. 6:00pm Mary Ann N

LECTORS

Sat. 5:00pm Mona P, Linda D
Sun. 9:00am Colleen D, Terrie H
Sun. 11:00am Stefanie C, Beth L
Sun. 6:00pm Imelda R, Janet Z

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sat. 5:00pm Florence J, Linda B
Sun. 9:00am Cathy F, Quin K
Sun. 11:00am Joeven N, Luka S
Sun. 6:00pm Juliana R, Jack R

ALTAR SERVERS

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

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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REGISTER NOW!

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 stmb sacraments@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 THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

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

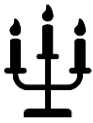
Prayers for those in need and for the Vincentians that they will be open and able to help when help is requested.

TIME - we have an on- call line that pairs two Vincentians together to answer calls but do have an urgent call out for more servants. Please consider offering your time to help us. Appointments are made that work for both the clients and the Vincentians from Tues. to Thursday 9:30am - 3:30pm

TALENT - an open ear to listen, support with encouragement, and help problem solve.

TREASURE - We are now accepting ONLY monetary donations which can be made in several ways. Donation Envelopes can be found on front ledge by office. Online e-transfer donations - please call 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

2023 Donation Envelopes are also in the Parish Foyer ready to be picked up;

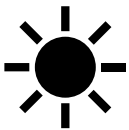
- Enopia, M	- Lual, L
- Kuffner, D	- Igos, J
- Anasco, B	- Domingo, R
- Freimark, C	- Matthews, S
- Pineda, J	- Renneberg, K



HOLY MASS INTENTIONS

2024 Mass Intentions are now open! Mass Intentions from June to August 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.



PARISH OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

Starting June 30, 2023 to August 25, 2023, Parish Office will be open from 9:00am - 1:00pm on Fridays.

Tuesdays-Thursdays will be from 9:00am - 5:00pm



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 \$13,360.00 as of June 14, 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
 - Family Faith Coordinator - All Saints, Lethbridge
 - Maintenance Worker (Part-time) - Sacred Heart, Calgary
 - Assistant Coordinator (Casual) - Feed the Hungry, Calgary
 - High School Math Teacher/Tutor - St. John Choir Schola, Calgary
 - Retreat Leaders - FacetoFace Ministries
 - Housekeeper (temporary Full-time) - Dorchester House, Calgary
 - Parish Engagement & Volunteer Coordinator (Full-time) - St. Peter's, Calgary
 - Administrative Assistant/Bookkeeper (Part-time) - St. Anthony's, Drumheller
 - Bookkeeper/Accountant (1 Year Term) - FCJ Centre, Calgary

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

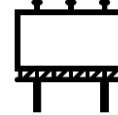


SUNDAY COFFEE + FELLOWSHIP

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!

Want to learn more about 1st Friday and 1st Saturday Devotions and how very important it is for our world today - check out <https://www.youtube.com/live/p55FH8AAyUA?feature=share>

Then join Father Chris Alar on YouTube Friday night and Saturday to pray the Devotion.



A Marvel to Angels and Man

Meditation:

[Souls who love Me dearly] will be a marvel to Angels and men. Their number is very small. They are a defense for the world before the justice of the Heavenly Father and a means of obtaining mercy for the world. The love and sacrifice of these souls sustain the world in existence. The infidelity of a soul specially chosen by Me wounds My Heart most painfully. Such infidelities are swords which pierce My Heart (Diary, 367).

My Prayer Response:

Lord Jesus, raise up yet more souls who are faithful to Your loving mercy. The world desperately needs their defense of love, their prayers, and their sacrifices. It is a marvel of Your mercy that they sustain the world in existence. **The words of Jesus appear in boldface type*



HEALING AND GIFTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT WORKSHOP

DATES:
Friday, June 16, 2023, 6:00 p.m.
Saturday, June 17, 2023,
8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

St. James Catholic Church
338060 32 St E, Okotoks, AB T1S 1A2

Adoration available starting at 6 am
 Saturday morning

Friday's Workshop:
Receiving the infusion of the Holy Spirit.

Saturday's Workshops:
Tongues, Prophecy, Wisdom, Knowledge,
Resting in the Spirit & Intro to Healing.

Registration: Email:
calgarylivein@telus.net
or Val @ 403-808-7081

Cost: Love Offering
Saturday Lunch: provided at
\$15.00 per person

Presented by: Our Lady of
Assumption Prayer Community
(Lethbridge)

Hosted by: CALGARY LIVE-IN
RETREAT SOCIETY

Taste And See, That The Lord Is
Good. Psalm 34



HATS AND CARDS FOR CANCER PATIENTS

834 knitted hats have been handmade and delivered to the Tom Baker Cancer Centre, Alberta Children's Hospital, Medicine Hat Cancer Clinic, Lethbridge Cancer Clinic and Brooks Health Centre.

Thank you to all who donated the wool and to the United Church Ladies for the great wool.

Thank you also to the Grade 2 students at Holy Family Academy for the kind, homemade greeting cards which are attached to each hat. Some samples are shown above.



Adoration + Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesdays to Fridays Daily
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

ADORATION + EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Come and spend time with the Most Blessed Holy Sacrament this Summer!

Every 1st Friday of the month:
9:30am-1:00pm (Main Sanctuary)

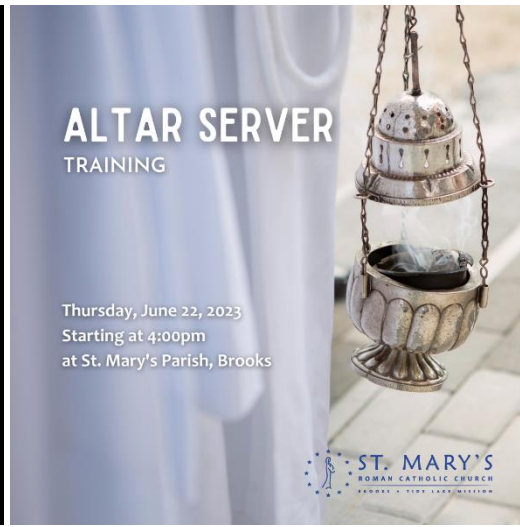
Every 3rd Wednesday of the month:
2:00pm-6:15pm (Main Sanctuary)

Tuesdays:
2:00pm-5:00pm (Adoration Chapel)

For more information please contact:
Reg Orich - rorich25@gmail.com
Mona Patterson -
mpatters56@gmail.com

In our diocese, a wide range of Adoration hours are offered at parishes across the Diocese. Adoremus! Let us adore Him! Check out other parishes' adoration hours on the link below:

<https://www.catholicyc.ca/blog/let-the-little-children-come-to-me#adoration>



ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

Thursday, June 22, 2023
Starting at 4:00pm
at St. Mary's Parish, Brooks

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING (Jun. 22, 2023)

Serve the Lord in a whole new level! Be part of the Holy Mass by becoming an Altar Server.

You must have both First Reconciliation, First Eucharist, and you must be regularly attending Weekend Masses.

No age limit, families are welcome. Altar Server Training is on Thursday, June 22, 2023, starting at 4:00pm and continuing until; the last person trained is ready. (About 1.5 hours)

For more information, please call Juliana at 403 793 7279.



ORDINATION

OF SANTIAGO TORRES TO THE
PRIESTHOOD OF JESUS CHRIST

JUNE 16, 2023

When: Friday, June 16 at 7 pm - St. Mary's Cathedral. Door opens at 6 pm.

Livestream of the Ordination Mass available through the Diocesan Facebook Live.

SAINT MARY'S VBS CAMP 2023

20.00 per child.
10.00 per sibling.

July 10th to 13th.
Monday to Thursday
8:30 am to 12 pm

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You can register at the church office. You can also fill out this form, and pay the first day of camp:

<https://forms.gle/PUD2JHreFs3x5Zqw9>

VBS Camp Form, Register here: <https://forms.gle/YntSkq7XNrXsMSsZ6>



ROMAN CATHOLIC
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of Calgary

PRIEST RETURNING TO THE DIOCESE

Rev. Anthony Pudota, currently in his home diocese in India for the past year, has resolved his immigration status and will be returning to the Diocese before August 2023.

Rev. Domingo Bongalos, currently serving in the Diocese of Paranaque, Philippines, has resolved his immigration status and will be returning to the Diocese before August 2023.

PASTORAL ASSIGNMENTS

Rev. John Gannon, L.C., currently Pastor of Ascension Parish, Calgary, is on a three-month leave of absence.

Rev. John Luxbacher, L.C., will be the Administrator of the parish during the leave.

PRIEST APPOINTMENT

Rev. Valentine Suum, in addition to being the Associate Pastor of St. Patrick's Parish, Calgary, has been appointed Spiritual Advisor for the Legion of Mary.



STAND FIRM - PRO-LIFE NEWS

submitted by Mona Patterson

The theme for this year's March for Life - held in Ottawa in May was "STAND FIRM" A bold, theme, which called all to be firm, truthful, in a loving way in a very hostile environment. EWTN had the event televised and as I watched (unfortunately not all) it struck me how courageous and passionate the marchers were speaking up for all life. For that I am very grateful! I'd like to share a brief report from Campaign Life Coalition News.

"In Canada, abortion on demand continues, as the federal government is still threatening to strip pregnancy care centres(which includes our local "Crossroads Clinic") of charitable status, access to chemical abortion is expanding, pro-life speech and expression continues to be under attack, and on the other end of the spectrum, euthanasia is drastically increasing. Evil abounds, but Our Lord is on the move. "Stand firm" is a call to be strong for those who are weak and vulnerable. We will not compromise on life. We will not be swayed by popular opinion. We will stand firm for the right to life for every human being from conception to natural death, without exception. The violence of abortion and euthanasia will be met with the gospel of peace. We must remember we are not just fighting for lives, we are fighting for souls."

As I share this, please consider "standing firm" when conversation comes up, speaking truth with love and patience. Study the Catholic teaching on "MAID" and be very aware as we all have loved ones who may be offered this solution as the answer to suffering. Prayerfully reflect on ways you can reach out to those in need of hope and support. Locally, support Crossroads Clinic, as they continue to reach out to those struggling in these very challenging times. (Enter a team in the golf tournament - Papa's and Putts!!)

Stand Firm!



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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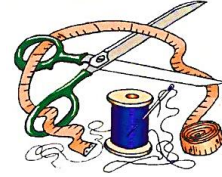


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