

## September 9 - 10, 2023

## 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in the Ordinary Time

### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEKEND

Saturday, Sep. 9<sup>th</sup> Sunday, Sep. 10<sup>th</sup> 5:00pm Rev. Fr. Marino Infante
9:00 am Greyson de Jong & Elly de Jong
11:00am All Parishioners

6:00pm **† George Rommens** 



## COMING UP NEXT WEEK

| Monday, Sep. 11 <sup>th</sup> |                          |        | NO MASS + PARISH OFFICE CLOSED |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------|--------|--------------------------------|
| Tuesday,                      | Sep. 12 <sup>th</sup>    | 7:00pm | Jasper Patterson               |
| Wednesday                     | v, Sep. 13 <sup>th</sup> | 7:00pm | CWL Past & Present Members     |
| Thursday,                     | Sep. 14 <sup>th</sup>    | 9:00am | † Maria & † Frank Genovese     |
| Friday,                       | Sep. 15 <sup>th</sup>    | 9:00am | Grace & Barrie Orich           |

#### 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in the Ordinary Time

| Saturday, | Sep. 16 <sup>th</sup> | 5:00pm  | † Tony Rommens             |
|-----------|-----------------------|---------|----------------------------|
| Sunday,   | Sep. 17 <sup>th</sup> | 9:00am  | Teresita Diaz              |
|           |                       | 11:00am | All Parishioners           |
|           |                       | 6:00pm  | Jan Kimberly Diaz & Family |

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 + ANOINTING OF THE SICK

We are pleased to bring the Sacrament to all ill parishioners. Please notify the Parish Priest, if a family member is hospitalized. Please call and/or email the Parish Office.

Please provide the name of the person, location, room number and a contact number. We don't want to miss anyone. Thank you!

#### 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 1<sup>st</sup> 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. Ph: +1 (403) 362 4466



### HOLY MASS MINISTRY SCHEDULES (SEPTEMBER 16 - 17, 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!

| USHERSSat. 5:00pmEarl W, Randy CSun. 9:00amCarina S, Parmjit KSun. 11:00amBrian G, Greg PSun. 6:00pmAnna D, Andy D | GREETERS<br>Sat. 5:00pm Evelyn W, Margaret W<br>Sun. 9:00am Liboiron Family<br>Sun. 11:00am Benjamin N<br>Sun. 6:00pm Krista L  |
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| SACRISTANSSat. 5:00pmDenise BSun. 9:00amLorraine SSun. 11:00amFlorence JSun. 6:00pmJanet Z                         | LECTORSSat. 5:00pmAustin L, Karen BSun. 9:00amColleen D, John dJSun. 11:00amKristina BH, Benjamin NSun. 6:00pmJanet Z, Rowena B |
| EUCHARISTIC MINISTERSSat. 5:00pmVanessa B, Andrea SSun. 9:00amLorraine S, Brenda C                                 | ALTAR SERVERS<br>Sat. 5:00pm Sam, Ian, Susanne B<br>Sun. 9:00am Felicity, William, Rob H  |
| Sun. 11:00am Florence J, Chris N<br>Sun. 6:00pm Janet Z, Ruel Z  | Sun. 11:00am Lordjynn Y, Ezra, Josephine<br>Sun. 6:00pm Ryeley S, Jarene N, Justin  |

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



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### PARISH STAFF

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## **Parish Priest**

#### Rev. Fr. Marino Infante (pastor@saintmarysbrooks.com) Administrative Assistant/Bookkeeper Arvie Diaz (secretary@saintmarysbrooks.com)

## **Sacrament Coordinator**

Juliana Ragot (stmbsacraments@gmail.com)

## **CATHOLIC SCHOOLS**

| Holy Family Academy        | 112 - 4 Ave, Brooks, Alberta T1R 0Z1         | +1 (403) 362 8001 | To be |
|----------------------------|--|-------------------|-------|
| Christ The King Academy    | 440 - 1 St W, Brooks, Alberta T1R 1L7        | +1 (403) 362 4767 | ands  |
| St. Joseph's Collegiate    | 408 - 1 St W, Brooks, Alberta T1R 0V8        | +1 (403) 362 5989 | plea  |
| St. Luke's Outreach Centre | Bay 9, 1308 - 2A St, Brooks, Alberta T1R 0V5 | +1 (403) 362 5030 | (403  |

## **RCIA + RCIC Coordinator**

Quin Kleiboer (qkleiboer@redeemer.ab.ca)

Maintenance Danny Andres Social Media www.saintmarysbrooks.com @StMarysBrooks

## **REGISTER NOW!**

become a parishioner sign up for donations, ase contact us at: 3) 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 Communions and Confimations), please contact;

#### Sacrament Coordinator - Juliana Ragot at (403) 793 7279, or email at stmbsacraments@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 at (403) 362 4466, or email at pastor@saintmarysbrooks.com** 



#### ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

Are you looking for a ministry that you can do? Altar serving may be the right fit. You must have both Reconciliation and Eucharist. You must attend Mass regularly and be committed to the ministry, both the child and the parents. You may attend more than one training. Each training is about 1 ½ hrs. Thursday, Sept. 7- 6:30pm, Saturday,

Sept. 16- 10:30am & Wednesday, Sept. 20, 4:00pm

SACRAMENT PREPARATION FOR FIRST RECONCILIATION, FIRST COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION 2023

Sacrament Preparation for Reconciliation, Eucharist and Confirmation will be starting up in the fall. In order to take the Sacraments, you must have your Baptism certificate. For Eucharist, you must have completed Reconciliation. For Confirmation, both Reconciliation and Eucharist must be completed and we will require the date of Reconciliation and the Eucharist certificate.

Please remember to register in the parish if you have not already done so previously.

With the new school year upon us, the sacrament preparation classes will also start. We are looking for some catechists to help teach the three sacrament classes (Reconciliation, Eucharist and Confirmation). If you are interested in leading a group or being a spare catechist, please contact Juliana. You will be doing your own stepping up in your faith in this ministry.

Sacrament Registration forms are now available at the Parish Office. Please contact Juliana Ragot at <u>stmbsacraments@gmail.com</u> or at (403) 793 7279.



If you would like us to offer continous 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;

- Chomistek, M Dalope, J
- Marbeda, J Zurbano, S



## HOLY MASS

2024 Mass Intentions are now open! Mass Intentions from September to December 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.



Our TIA Parish Goal is \$28,296.00. We've raised \$13,360.00 as of June 14, 2023.



## 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.



## 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: - Administrative Assistant, (Part
  - time), Feed the Hungry, Calgary
  - Camp Director Archdiocese of Edmonton

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



Our monthly Parish Financial Report for Parishioners will start this September. Stay tuned for the upcoming report!



COFFEE SUNDAY + FELLOWSHIP

There will be no Coffee Sunday July & August 2023 for the 5:00pm, 11:00am & 6:00pm Mass. Check the Parish Hall following the 9:00am Sunday Mass as there may be coffee after. Stay tuned for updates!

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



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!



## The Miracle of Divine Mercy

## **Meditation:**

Write, speak of My mercy. Tell souls where they are to look for solace; that is, in the Tribunal of Mercy [the Sacrament of Reconciliation] There the greatest miracles take place [and] are incessantly repeated. To avail oneself of this miracle, it is not necessary to go on a great pilgrimage or to carry out some external ceremony; it suffices to come with faith to the feet of My representative and to reveal to him one's misery, and the miracle of Divine Mercy will be fully demonstrated (Diary, 1448).

### **My Prayer Response:**

Thank You, Lord Jesus, for teaching us where to find consolation. Thank You for the Tribunal of Mercy where great miracles take place when we reveal our miseries. *\*The words of Jesus appear in boldface type* 



## HEALING AND GIFTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT WORKSHOP

DATES: Friday, October 27, 2023, 6:00 p.m.

Saturday, October 26, 2023, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

St. Mary's Catholic Church

511 - 4th Street West Brooks, Alberta

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

Saturday's Workshops: *Tongues, Prophecy, Wisdom, Knowledge,* <u>Resting</u> in the Spirit & Intro to Healing.

Registration: Lynne Stevens Phone: 403-363-6088 Email:Istevens@redeemer.ab.ca

Cost: Love Offering Saturday Lunch: provided at \$15.00 per <u>person</u> Presented by: Our Lady of Assumption Prayer Community (Lethbridge) Hosted by: Mother of Mary Prayer Group

## Taste And See, That <u>The</u> Lord Is Good. Psalm 34



PARISH CLEAN OUT YARD SALE (Sep. 16, 2023)

As part of organizing and cleaning our Parish, we will have a Clean Out Yard Sale this coming September 16, 2023 from 9:00am - 1:00pm in the Parish Garage. Come and check out the items we have to offer. There will be no prices to be listed, sale by donation.

Please do not bring any items to donate for the yard sale. Thank you!





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 - <u>rorich25@gmail.com</u> Mona Patterson -<u>mpatters56@gmail.com</u>

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.catholicyyc.ca/blog/letthe-little-children-come-tome#adoration



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#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: CAMPOUT (Sep. 8 - 10, 2023)

The Annual K of C Washer – Roo/Goofy Golf Campout is slated for the weekend of September 8 – 10, 2023 at the Bow City Campground. This event is open to not just members of the K of C but the Parish in general.

There are 11 sites available on a firstcome, first-served basis. Costs are \$35 for a powered site, \$30 for nonpowered and \$20 for tenting. These can be paid via e-transfer to Bro. Jim Brack at knights5116@outlook.com, a cheque payable to the Knights of Columbus Council 5116 or by cash. We are asking for prepayment to help us confirm attendance.

The Knights will be providing smoked brisket, pork loin, and corn-on-the-cob for the Saturday evening meal. Please bring your own utensils. If you're planning to come for the games and supper only, please advise us ASAP, the number of people, adults/children attending in order for us to properly gauge the numbers for the games and supper.

The games will start at 1:00pm sharp. I'm looking for swag for giveaways as well as firewood for the evening campfires if allowed. You can email or message me at <u>djklein1@telus.net</u> or by calling (403) 376 4683 for further info. Thanks!

- Bro. Dan Klein



## PLEASE TURN OFF YOUR PHONES DURING HOLY MASS

Ringtones, little beeps and dings disrupts the celebration and disrespects the sanctity of the Holy Mass.

Always remember, when attending the Holy Mass, please turn off your phones, put it on silent or on airplane mode. Thank you!



#### SAFETY REMINDER: USE DESIGNATED CROSSWALKS

For your safety, we want to remind all of our visitors and our parishioners to use the designated crosswalks in front of the church, especially during Mass times. Do not randomly jaywalk across the road. Thank you!

FIRST RECONCILIATION, FIRST COMMUNION 8 CONFIRMATION ST. MARY'S 25, 2022 Men m Our Lady ilgrimage of Love

FOR YOU AND YOUR CHILD TO

2023 REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN FOR

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**MEDJUGORJE** & CROATIA JUNE 7-JUNE 25, 2023

12 Days - Medjugorje, B/H 5 Days - Trogir, Croatia \$4200.00 inclusive (price may change slightly) CALL: Chic and Marie Paolini 403-271-8587 EMAIL: fcpaolini@shaw.ca

MEDJUGORJE ONLY

#### MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE (Apr. 25 - May 8, 2024)

Reg and Kim Orich will be offering an information night on Monday, September 11th at 7:00 P.M. in the Parish Hall about the upcoming Medjugorje Pilgrimage in late April of 2024. People are booking NOW! Call 403-793-5014 and talk to Kim if you would like clarification before coming.



#### **RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS & CHILDREN 2023** (RCIA + RCIC)

ARE YOU SOMEONE OR DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO...

Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic?

Was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist?

We offer an opportunity to come together in a small group to learn more about our faith. Sessions focus on the teachings and experience of Church and prepare individuals to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist during the Easter season.

You are welcome to participate in the process with your questions, your insights, and your faith story in a warm, accepting setting.

For more information, please contact Quin at <u>gkleiboer@redeemer.ab.ca</u> or the Parish Office at (403) 362 4466.



# **TRAINING 2023**

The Diocese of Calgary is offering a Pastoral Care Ministry Training for those who feel called to assist their parish in a healing ministry to the sick, elderly, dying, homebound and bereaved members. This workshop is applicable for new or those previously trained in Pastoral Care Ministry.

Note that fee should not be a deterrent. No one will be denied participation. You can contact the Pastoral Ministry Office via email to make other arrangements.

- Locations
  - Medicine Hat: Friday to Saturday, Sep. 22-24
  - Calgary: Saturdays, Nov. 11 & 25

Register now at catholicyyc.ca/pastoralcare - or call 403-218-5547



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