



SAINT JOHN BREBEUF ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH

1707 John Brebeuf Place
Winnipeg, Manitoba R3N 2A2
Phone (204) 488-4467
Fax (204) 489-6097
Email: parishoffice@sjbcommunity.ca
www.sjbcommunity.ca

ST. JOHN BREBEUF CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Kindergarten to Grade 8
605 Renfrew Street
Winnipeg, Manitoba R3N 1J8
Phone: (204) 489-2115
Fax: (204) 928-7455
Email: schooloffice@sjbcommunity.ca



*"Missioned to Stewardship, we
are a community that Lives,
Loves and serves in Christ."*

PARISH CONTACTS

Finance Council: Kevin McCulloch/ Peter Smith
Parish Pastoral Council: Johnston Smith
School Board: Mariella Di Santo & John Osler
Ministers of the Word: Leann Smith
Ministers of the Eucharist: Joe Brekelmans
Altar Servers: Keith Mathewson
Catechism: Parish Office
Spiritual Journeying: Margaret Kingdon

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday, 4:00 to 4:30pm (or by appointment)

Sacrament of the Sick: At home or in the hospital. Please call the Parish Office.

Baptism of Infants: Usually celebrated with the Community on the Day of the Lord. We encourage parents to participate in the preparation process as early as possible. Please call the Parish Office.

Initiation of Adults/ Children: Please call Parish Office for more information.

Sacramental Preparation for School-aged Children: Preparation for First Reconciliation, First Eucharist and Confirmation is provided through our Parish Community. Information is available through the parish office, on line or in the bulletin.

Sacrament of Marriage: Couples planning to get married at St. John Brebeuf must contact Father Mark (ext 213) at least one year in advance. Marriage preparation and Church attendance is expected and required.

Funerals: Please speak to Fr. Mark **before** meeting with the Funeral Home.

Catholic Women's League: Meets at 12:30pm on the third Sunday of the month (September to June).

Knights of Columbus Council 1107: Meets at 7:30pm on the second Wednesday of the month (September to June).

Grand Knight - Mike Garlinski 255-5195

MASS SCHEDULE

Masses on the Lord's Day:
Saturday 5:00pm
Sunday 9:30am & 11:30am

WEEKDAY MASS

Tuesday to Friday 9:15am

CHILDREN'S CATECHISM

(Sundays, October to May)

Grades 1-6: Weekly 10:40am in the school
Grades 7-8: Bi-weekly 10:40am in the school

SHARE THE WORD

(Sundays, October to May)

Ages 3-6: Bi-Weekly during the 9:30am Mass

PASTORAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM

Father Mark A. Tarrant, Pastor ext 213
Deacon Joseph McLellan
Laura Carreiro, Principal ext 242
Tom Bailey-Robertson, Pastoral Associate ext 217
Genevieve Makinson, Financial Administrator ext 211
Eddie Melo, Building Operations ext 220
Debbie Dusanek, Parish Admin. Coordinator ext 210
Deb Bernier, School Admin. Assistant ext 241

Parish Office Hours

Monday to Friday 8:30am to 4:30pm
Closed for Lunch 12:00pm to 1:00pm

For admittance to the Church or the School Office during office hours, please use the intercom button located at the Renfrew School Entrance, the Courtyard or the Parking Lot door.

APRIL 20/21, 2013: FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Today's account from the Acts of the Apostles paraphrases Isaiah 49:6, "I have set you to be light for the Gentiles, so that you may bring salvation to the ends of the earth" (Acts 13:47). Originally spoken about the promised Messiah, these words apply equally to Paul and all who preach the Word. Discipleship guarantees both success and failure. Failure, in this passage, is Paul and Barnabas being expelled by the Jews; success is their disciples' experience of being filled with joy and the Holy Spirit.



The Book of Revelation speaks of Christians who know rejection in the form of persecution. Today's verses promise triumph to those who persevere. "They will hunger no more, and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat...God will wipe every tear from their eyes" (Revelation 7:16-17).

In the gospel, when Jesus describes God as greater than all, he is declaring that his leadership does not rely on political strength but rather on faith in God and God's Word. The bond between Jesus and the Father is so strong that no one will ever be able to snatch his sheep out of his hands.

The modern Christian must allow the Word of God to impact daily living. God's Word is reflected in words of support between friends, in words of fidelity between husband and wife, in words of honesty between business associates. Our words join today's Scriptures in calling us to be a light to the nations.

Copyright 1993, Liguori Publications \ Liguori, MO 63057-9999 John Craghan, Th.D., S.S.L.

Winnipeg Harvest: Until there is no longer a need for food banks in our community, we will continue to collect non-perishable food items for Winnipeg Harvest. Please share what you can **each month**. Non-perishable food items accepted at main entrance bin. A complete list of most-needed items can be found at the main entrance bulletin board, including baby food, canned fish and poultry, pasta, rice, beans, peanut butter, and canned soups, vegetables, fruits and stews.



Knights of Columbus #1107: Did you know that your purchase of Sobeys Gift cards can help feed the hungry in our city? **Our Knights are on hand selling cards in \$25, \$50 or \$100 denominations following weekend Masses.** If you would like to donate your gift card to **Winnipeg Harvest**, simply indicate this at the time of your purchase and a tax receipt will be issued.



From Michael Thibert:

In gratitude to the Lord of the Harvest and with a deep sense of faith and thanksgiving for your prayers and support; Holly and I along with our family would like to invite you to my Ordination to the Diaconate. The Sacrament of Holy Orders will be bestowed by His Grace, James Wiesgerber Archbishop of Winnipeg, by the laying on of hands and the invocation of the Holy Spirit on Friday May 24th, 2012 at 7:30pm at St. Mary's Cathedral. Please continue to pray for Christian Vocations.



Rest in peace:

+Armand Poirier

(Husband of Georgina Poirier)

Around the Archdiocese & Beyond:

- + **35th Annual Caritas Award Dinner**, honouring the memory of Blessed Nykyta Budka and 100 years of the Ukrainian Catholic Church in Manitoba, Tues., April 23, Convention Centre. Call (204) 233-4268 for tickets and information.
- + **St. Paul's High School Denim & Diamonds Fashion Show**, Thurs., April 25, Victoria Inn. Tickets \$75 @ https://www.stpauls.mb.ca/events/fashion_show
- + **St. Mary's Academy 'Just Us' Concert** with SMA's performance choir, Con Fuoco, Sun., April 28, 3pm, St. Mary's Academy Alumnae Hall. Tickets \$5 @ (204) 477-0244 (ext. 437)

St. John Brebeuf School presents:

Spring Charity Concert



Thursday, May 2, 2013, 7:00 pm

St. John Brebeuf Church

Admission: Free Will Offering

Proceeds will be donated to **Development & Peace** in support of emergency relief funds and **Humankind International's** "Buy a Brick" campaign for Humankind Academy, Dadaab Refugee Camp, Kenya.

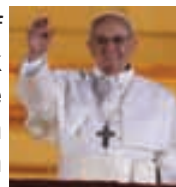


Visiting us today? **Welcome!** If you are new to our area, and are seeking a new parish family, we invite you to join us. Registration forms can be found on the bulletin boards at the main entrances. Please complete and drop in the offertory basket, or forward to the Parish Office. www.sjbcommunity.ca

APRIL 20/21, 2013: FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Saturday, April 20	Vigil: 4th Sunday of Easter 5pm: Missa Pro Populo
Sunday, April 21	4th Sunday of Easter 9:30am: +Cornelio Parado 10:30am: Catechism 11:30am: +Carolyn Shaw 12:30pm: C.W.L. Tea 7pm: Confirmation Session
Monday, April 22	Easter Ferial 1:30pm: Lectio Divina
Tuesday, April 23	Easter Ferial 8:50am: Morning Prayer 9:15am: Int. of Jacquie Jackson 7:30pm: Confirmation Rehearsal
Wed., April 24	Easter Ferial 8:50am: Rosary 9:15am: +Mrs. Schick 10am: Adult Faith Formation
Thursday, April 25	Feast: St. Mark, Evangelist 8:50am: Morning Prayer 9:15am: Int. of Anna Bartman 7:30pm: Sacrament of Confirmation with Archbishop Weisgerber
Friday, April 26	Easter Ferial 8:50am: Rosary 9:15am: +Doris Fraser
Saturday, April 27	Vigil: 5th Sunday of Easter 9am-3pm: Archdiocesan Catechists Workshop 5pm: +Margaret O'Connor
Sunday, April 28	5th Sunday of Easter 9:30am: Missa Pro Populo 10:30am: Last 2012/2013 Catechism class 11:30am: +Bernadette McGivern
Monday, April 29	10:30am: +Lucy (Lou) Fabro Funeral Mass

From the Holy Father: "I would like all of us to ask ourselves this question: [ask yourself, ask myself] Do we worship the Lord? Do we turn to God only to ask him for things, to thank him, or do we also turn to him to worship him? What does it mean, then, to worship God? ... All of us, in our own lives, consciously and perhaps sometimes unconsciously, have a very clear order of priority concerning the things we consider important. Worshipping the Lord means giving him the place that He must have; worshipping the Lord means stating, believing—not only by our words—that He alone truly guides our lives; worshipping the Lord means that we are convinced before him that He is the only God, the God of our lives, the God of our history." +Francis, Bishop of Rome – Sunday Homily April 14th, 2013



Baptism: Are you expecting a child or contemplating Baptism for your child? We have returned to seasonal Baptismal Weekends. Our next Baptism Weekend will be **May 25/26, 2013**. For information, please contact Tom Bailey-Robertson at (204) 488-4467 (Ext. 217) or tombr@sjbcommunity.ca

First Eucharist 2013:

Friendship Party: Saturday, May 4, 9:30am to Noon.
First Eucharist: Sunday, May 5, 9:30am and 11:30am Mass. Please contact Tom Bailey-Robertson to confirm your Mass choice.

Confirmation:

Evening #11 for Candidates: Sunday, April 21, 7pm,
Confirmation Rehearsal: Tuesday, April 23, 7pm,
Sacrament of Confirmation with Archbishop Weisgerber: Thursday, April 25, 7:30pm

Catechism:

The last class for 2012/2013 will be April 28.

Adult Faith Formation:

Next session: Wednesday, April 24, 10am following morning Mass in the St. Marie Room.
Topic: **"Let the children come to me– Welcoming youth in Church"** All are welcome to this time of prayer and reflection.

St. John Brebeuf Parish Weekly Offerings:

April 13/14: \$4752.00

Pre-Authorized donations for April: \$22,903.50

Let us Pray for our Sick and Homebound:

Therefore...pray for one another, so that you may be healed (James 5:15)

Don Barnicki, Ted and Margaret Bencharski, Nick Bencharski, Gisèle Bertalanffy, Helen Borody, David Bruneau, Frank Cielen, Allison Filmon Carvey, Mario Di Fonzo, Irene Glass, Janice Harvey, Leslie Hiebert, Kay Hunt, Joseph Koogler, Marvin Lavitt, Robert Lee, Kelly M., Romulo Magsino, Trisha Magnus, Jim Mahon, Paul Mazur, Catherine McLeod, William Mendes, Monica Midgley, Eric Moscarella, Armand Poirier, Louise Soubry, Jack Tarnava, Bill Thiessen, Suzanne Thille, Julia Van De Spiegle, Geraldine Walker, Brian Woods



If someone in your family is ill and requests the prayers of the parish community, please contact the Parish Office. To have names published, we require permission requesting that their name be added or removed from the prayer list.

DONALD C. BROCK LL.B.
 Brock and Associates
 Barristers & Solicitors
 dbrock@brocklegal.ca
 1240-363 Broadway Ave.
957-5959

COUGHLIN
INSURANCE BROKERS
Business • Residential • Life • Auto
 4-1170 Taylor Ave. (next to Sobeyes) **204-953-4600**

 **Prendiville Industries**
 PRESSURE TREATED LUMBER
 Winnipeg
 See your local building supply dealer
 for all your pressure treated lumber


Roy McPhail - P.Eng.
 103 Cunningham Ave. **489-0018**
 Roy.McPhail@almitra.ca www.almitra.ca


Birchwood
 AUTOMOTIVE GROUP
 Parishioners - Robert Chipman, Mark Chipman,
 Patrick Hasselmann
 www.birchwood.ca

ASSUMPTION
CATHOLIC CEMETERY
AND QUEEN OF HEAVEN
MAUSOLEUM
3990 Portage Avenue, Winnipeg
888-7557

 **Saint Charles**
 Catholic School
Put a little faith
in your child's education.
 All Day Every Day Kindergarten
 Extended Hours Before and
 After School Care
 Violin Enrichment Program
 K-8 French • Competitive Sports
 Hockey Skills Development
 Arts and Drama Programs
 Academy Kids Daycare located on the premises
 (204) 837-1520
 sec@stccs.ca • www.stccs.ca

Swish Maintenance Limited
 Quality Cleaning Products
 Since 1956
 9-1680 Notre Dame Ave.
786-8994


reflections
 Dental Health Centre
DR. KEN HAMIN
 717 Harrow St. 204-777-6453
 www.smiles-smiles.com

- ♦ burial plots
- ♦ mausoleum crypts
- ♦ outdoor crypts
- ♦ cremation plots & niches
- ♦ memorials & vases


A Tradition of Faith Throughout Our Lives

LARSEN'S MEMORIALS
 Since 1897
 Granite & Bronze
 Memorials & Markers
 1801 Notre Dame Ave. 633-5053
 www.larsensmemorials.com


ACCURATE
 Lawn & Garden
 ...since 1955
 344 Pembina Hwy.
204-284-5950
 john@accuratelawn.ca

Le Claire
 BROTHERS
 FUNERAL PRODUCTS AND SERVICES
 Aurèle J. LeClaire, Funeral Director & Parishioner
 Reginald LeClaire, C.E.O.
 Manitoba Independent
 Since 1993 helping families make financially sound funeral
 arrangement decisions at an emotionally difficult time.
 603 Erin St. (at Portage Ave.)
Res 489-6996 Bus 775-2220

 **DINICOLA ENTERPRISES**
 • Ceramic Tile • Granite
 • Slate • Marble
 Winnipeg, MB 204.831.9755


FOUR GENERATIONS OF FAMILY SERVICE
TRADITION. DIGNITY. SERVICE.
THE COUTU FAMILY,
PROUDLY SERVING THE COMMUNITY
SINCE 1895
680 ARCHIBALD ST. 253-5086

Personal Pre-Planning
Flexible Payments
100% Service Guarantee
Burial & Cremation
Mausoleum/Niches
Receptions
Aftercare Planning


Gregory J. Burner
 Family Service Counselor
 Parishioner
"Dignity Matters"

Avenue Dental Co. • complete dental care
Dr. Andrej Brasko, DMD • family dentistry
Dr. Anton Brasko, DDS • crown & bridge
 2027 Portage Ave. **837-8559** • dentures
 • emergencies

Klassen Funeral Home
 1897 Henderson Hwy.
 204 338 0331

Thomson Funeral Home
 669 Broadway Ave.
 204 783 7211


"SILVER HEIGHTS"
FOODFARE
 MEAT DEPARTMENT (204) 885-2387
 GROCERY DEPARTMENT (204) 885-2381
 2285 Portage Avenue
"WE DELIVER"

Remember...
 Let our advertisers know
 you saw their ad here. 



Please Patronize
 Our Advertisers!
 For advertising
 space call
1-800-268-2637

ALL BELIEFS and FAITHS
Wojcik's Funeral Chapel & Crematorium Inc.
"Where care and compassion come from understanding"
SERVING ALL PLACES OF WORSHIP AND
CEMETERIES IN WINNIPEG AND
RURAL MANITOBA
Richard, Louise, Rachel & Ryan Wojcik
Three Locations Now Serving You



2157 Portage Ave. at Sharp Blvd. Beausejour 1020 Main St. at Manitoba Ave.
897 - 4665 268 - 2263 586 - 8668