

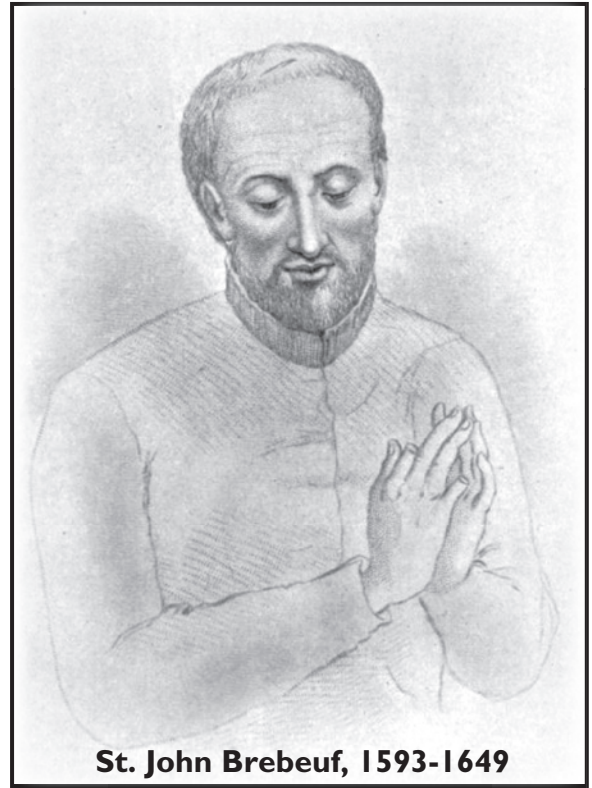


## SAINT JOHN BREBEUF ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH

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**St. John Brebeuf, 1593-1649**

#### MASS SCHEDULE

##### **Masses on the Lord's Day:**

Saturday 5:00pm  
Sunday 10:00am

#### WEEKDAY MASS

Tuesday to Friday 9:15am

#### CHILDREN'S CATECHISM

(Sundays, November to May)

Grade 1-8

#### **PASTORAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF**

Father Patrick Neufeld, Pastor	ext 213
Deacon Michael Thibert	
Irma Pereyra, Faith Formation Coordinator	ext 217
Claudia Sagriotis, Administrative Coordinator	ext 210
Michael Tanasychuk, Finance	ext 211
Eddy Melo, Building Operations	ext 220

#### **Parish Office Hours**

Monday to Friday 8:45am to 4:00pm

Closed for Lunch 12:00pm to 12:30pm

Please note that office hours are subject to change

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:** Last Friday of the month, immediately after the 9:15 am Mass.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** It is offered Saturdays prior to the 5 pm Mass beginning at 4 pm, or by calling the parish office to arrange by appointment.

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

**Baptism of Infants:** 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 Patrick (ext 213) at least six months in advance. Marriage preparation and Church attendance is expected and required.

**Catholic Women's League:** Meets at 11:00am on the first Sunday of the month (October to May)..

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

## April 20/21, 2024: Fourth Sunday of Easter

Saturday, April 20	<b>Vigil: Fourth Sunday of Easter</b> 5pm: For the people
Sunday, April 21	<b>Fourth Sunday of Easter</b> <b>World Day of Prayer for Vocations</b> 10am: Int. of the Members of the Dubois Family 11am: Pancake Breakfast
Monday, April 22	<b>Weekday Ferial</b> No Mass
Tuesday April 23	<b>Weekday Ferial</b> 9:15am: Int. of David Sykes 6:30pm: Conquest (Gym)
Wed., April 24	<b>Weekday Ferial</b> 9:15am: Int. of Nick Sagriotis
Thurs., April 25	<b>Feast: St. Mark, Evangelist</b> 9:15am: Int. of Helen Deegan
Friday, April 26	<b>Weekday Ferial</b> 8:15am: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with Benediction 9:15am: Int. of C.W.L Living and Deceased Members 6pm: Confirmation Candidate & Sponsor Meeting (Parish Hall)
Saturday, April 27	<b>Vigil: Fifth Sunday of Easter</b> 5pm: For the people 6:30pm: Inter Council Charities Drive (ICCD) Dinner & Draw
Sunday, April 28	<b>Fifth Sunday of Easter</b> 10am: Int. of Fr. Mark Tarrant 11:05am: Catechism, Sunday School & Confirmation Class.

### April 21 - World Day of Prayer for Vocations



The Fourth Sunday of Easter, Christians are invited to reflect on the meaning of God's call and pray for vocations.

Most Reverend Richard J. Gagnon, will lead our local church in a Eucharistic Holy Hour as we unite with the faithful of the Universal Church praying to the Lord of the harvest, to send labourers into His harvest. Please join us on **April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2024 at 7:00pm at St. Mary's Cathedral (353 St. Mary's Ave.)**

**Please remember Fr. Patrick and Deacon Michael in your prayers, as they continue to guide us through their ministry.**

### Let us Pray for our sick, homebound and those who need our prayers:

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

Stephanie Blair, Cathy Burke, Jordan Fox, Mario & Maria Chiapetta Janice Harvey, Sr. Cathy Laviolette, Mary-Anne Derrick, Marvin Lavitt, Monica Midgley, Lucille & Biagio Bisignano, Fr. Mark Tarrant, Carol Reznik, Evie Tanner, Jocelyn Edwards, Bruce Andrews, Rossano Di Nicola

*If someone in your family is ill and requests the prayers of the parish community, please contact the Parish Office.*

*"I am the good shepherd. I know my sheep and my sheep know me."  
~ John 10:11-18*

### Music Ministry:

The St. John Brebeuf Music Ministry is seeking singers, pianists, guitarists and other musicians to lead our congregation in song at weekend Masses.

Interested musicians should contact the parish office at 204-488-4467 or email parishoffice@sjbcommunity.ca

### Faith Formation

**CHANGE!** Please note that the *last class for Sunday School, Catechism and Confirmation will be April 28.*

### RCIA Retreat

Saturday, April 20 at 9am (Ste. Marie Room)

### First Eucharist

### **Friendship Party and Rehearsal:**

Friday, May 3 from 5pm - 8pm (Church & Parish Hall).  
RSVP by April 24 at [Friendship Party \(google.com\)](#)

### **First Communion Dates:**

Saturday, May 4 at 5pm  
Sunday, May 5 at 10am  
Sunday, May 12 at 10am



### Confirmation

### **Confirmation Candidate and Sponsor Meeting:**

This meeting is an opportunity for sponsors and candidates to come together, share time, and collectively review their roles as confirmands and sponsors.

Friday April 26, 2024 6pm – 8pm

Kindly register for this event by using this form: [Confirmation's Sponsor Form 2024 \(google.com\)](#)

### **Confirmation Rally:**

Saturday, May 11, 2024 from 9:30am to 3:30pm  
St. Paul's High School

### **Rehearsal:**

Sunday, May 26, following 10am Mass

### **Confirmation Date:**

Tuesday, May 28 at 7pm



# April 20/21, 2024: Fourth Sunday of Easter

## Did you know?

Three times a year, for the last 20 years, St. John Brebeuf Parish has provided an average of 300 - 450 meals to the Immaculate Conception Drop-In Centre.

In previous years, parishioners generously donated stew. It was later decided that offering a balanced meal would be more beneficial. Volunteers began preparing these meals in our parish hall. Due to Covid, this communal effort had to be temporarily paused. However, some special volunteers have continued to prepare these meals off-site, and they hope to return back to our parish in the near future.

We extend our appreciation to Laura & Herman Chan, for their dedication and leadership is spearheading this initiative since 2019. We also extend a big thank you to all volunteers still involved in this ministry, and to our community members, whose generous monetary contributions have made this endeavor possible.



**The Chan Family**

March 11, 2024 - Immaculate Conception Drop-In Centre.

## ICCD (Inter Council Charities Drive) Draw & Dinner

**Attention Parishioners!** Last week to secure your tickets for the ICCD Draw happening on April 27th! Don't miss out on this chance to win exciting prizes while supporting a great cause. Tickets are \$45 and available for purchase at the back of the church or through Tom Crew and Grant Nazarko.

Additionally, consider joining us for the Knights of Columbus ICCD Dinner and Draw, including live music entertainment!

**Where:** St. John Brebeuf Parish  
**When:** Saturday, April 27, 2024  
**Time:** Mass 5pm  
Dinner 6:30pm  
Final Draw 9pm



Visiting us today?

**Welcome!** If you wish to join us, registration forms can be found on the main entrance bulletin boards or at [www.sjbcommunity.ca](http://www.sjbcommunity.ca). Please return completed form via offertory collection or forward to the Parish Office.

Joie de Vivre Choir  
presents

Dr. Stuart Sladden, Director  
Ruth Denton, Assistant Conductor  
Charmaine Bacon, Collaborative Pianist

# In Nature's Realm

*Songs of nature that both surround & inspire us*

**Sunday, May 5 at 7:00 PM**

Bethel Mennonite Church  
465 Stafford Street

**Tickets: \$20**

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[www.joiedevivrechoir.ca](http://www.joiedevivrechoir.ca)



## Natural Family Planning



Married love merges "the human with the divine" and leads the spouses to a free and mutual gift of themselves, a gift providing itself by gentle affection and by deed, such

love pervades the whole of their lives; indeed by its busy generosity it grows better and grows greater (Gaudium et spes, no. 49). NFP cooperates with this free and mutual gift.

To find out about the various methods of Natural Family Planning, and how they can benefit your fertility & marriage. go to [www.ccli.org](http://www.ccli.org). Take a self-paced class today!

## Employment Opportunity



The Archdiocese of Winnipeg is seeking a Social Justice Coordinator. This is a full-time position with benefits.

If you are interested in learning more about this opportunity, please forward your resume to [jacosta@archwinnipeg.ca](mailto:jacosta@archwinnipeg.ca)



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