

## ST. JOHN BREBEUF ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH

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#### ST. JOHN BREBEUF CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Kindergarten to Grade 8 605 Renfrew Street Winnipeg, Manitoba R3N IJ8 Phone: (204) 489-2115 Fax: (204) 928-7455

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#### MASSES ON THE LORD'S DAY

Saturday 5pm (Vigil of Sunday) Sunday 9:30am & 11:30am Gathering begins 10 minutes before Mass

#### **WEEKDAY MASS**

Tuesday to Friday 9:15am (Check bulletin)

#### CHILDREN'S CATECHISM

(October to May)
Grades 1-6: weekly 10:45am in the school
Grades 7-8 Bi-weekly 10:45am in the school

#### SHARE THE WORD

(October to May)

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

#### PASTORAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM

Father Mark A. Tarrant, Pastor	ext 213
Laura Carreiro, Principal	ext 242
Deacon Joseph McLellan	ext 245
Genevieve Makinson, Finance Officer	ext 211
Noëlla Leeman, Parish Admin. Assistant	ext 210
Deb Bernier, School Admin. Assistant	ext 241
Debbie Dusanek, Communications	ext 214
Eddie Melo, Plant Custodial Manager	ext 220

# Parish Office Hours Monday to Friday 9:00am to 4:00pm Closed for Lunch 12:00pm—1:00pm

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

"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 Parish Office Catechism: Spiritual Journeying: Margaret Kingdon

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturday, 4:15 to 4:45pm (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 Michael Thibert 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 call the Parish Office <u>before</u> contacting a Funeral Home.

**Catholic Women's League:** Meets at 7:30pm on the Fourth Tuesday 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: Lawrie Caron: 981-4096

## APRIL 2/3, 2011 FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

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Saturday April 2	5pm	Vigil: Fourth Sunday in Lent Mass:Intentions of Jennifer Foran
Sunday April 3	9:30am 11:30am	Fourth Sunday in Lent Mass: For the People of our Parish Mass: +Joseph Athayde
Monday April 4	1:30pm	Weekday Ferial Lectio Divina
Tuesday April 5	9:15am 10am 7:30pm	
Wednesday April 6	9:15am 10am 7pm	
Thursday April 7	9am	Weekday Ferial Mass with the School: For the People of our Parish
Friday April 8		
Saturday April 9	5pm	Vigil: Fifth Sunday in Lent Mass: For the People of our Parish
Sunday April 10	9:30am 11:30am	Fifth Sunday in Lent Mass: +Clyde M. Allan Mass: +Kay Donnelly

#### **EASTER FLOWERS**

Each Easter season, our parish purchases many flowering plants to decorate our worship space in celebration of our Lord's Resurrection. Parishioners can purchase plants in gratitude for their loved ones, living and deceased for only \$10 each from the Parish Office. All purchased plants will be marked with a gift tag honouring your loved one. Call 488-4467 (Ext. 210) for further information.

#### APRIL 9/10, 2011—FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT

**Ezekiel 37.12-14** *I will put my spirit within you, and you shall live.* The prophet tells the people they will receive the spirit of God and be given new life.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps 130.1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7b-8

R. With the Lord there is steadfast love and great power to redeem.

**Romans 8.8-11** The Spirit of the One who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you. The Spirit of God enables us to overcome selfishness and live in union with God.

**JOHN 11.1-45** *I am the resurrection and the life.* Jesus, the giver of new life, raises Lazarus from the dead.

#### **SACRAMENTS**

<u>Baptism</u>: For further information please contact the Parish Office at 488-4467 (Ext. 210).

<u>Confirmation</u>: Next Sessions: **April 3 and 17.** Please check www.SJBconfirmation.co.cc prior to attending.

If you have any questions, please contact the Confirmation Team members via email or through the Confirmation website.

#### First Reconciliation/First Eucharist 2011:

**Friendship Party:** Saturday, April 30 from 9am to 1pm. This will include a rehearsal for First Eucharist and lunch.

#### IMMACULATE CONCEPTION DROP-IN CENTRE

On Easter Sunday, April 24, Immaculate Conception Drop-In Centre is counting on the members of the Community of St. John Brebeuf to provide a hot meal for 250 of our city's poorest children, women and men. Your help is needed to prepare a batch (or more) of stew. Meat is provided by the parish and an easy stew recipe is available. Prepared stew should be dropped off at the church on Easter Sunday morning. Many hands are needed. Call Jane at 488-0893 to lend yours.

#### REST IN PEACE

+Emile LeBlanc (Father of Noëlla Leeman)



LET US PRAY FOR OUR SICK AND HOMEBOUND: Therefore...pray for one another, so that you may be healed, (James 5:15)

Allison, Laura Banville, Anna Bartman, Gisèle Bertalanffy, Helen Borody, Meredith Nieman Bullock, Francisco Castaneda, Frank Cielen, Mario Di Fonzo, Angela Dronzek, Gus Fiorentino, Jacqueline Gladding, Rita Goderis, Janice Harvey, Heather, Leslie Hiebert, Alex Hoff, Kay Hunt, Erika Hunzinger, Romulo Magsino, Jim Mahon, Fr. Thomas McGivern, sj, Catherine McLeod, James Mendes, William Mendes, Monica Midgley, Miguel Family, Eric Moscarella, Cosmo Nocida, Jackie Smith, Joyce Smith, Tom Stefanson, Geraldine Walker, Brian Woods.

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

## APRIL 2/3, 2011 FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

#### **CHRISTIAN OUTREACH**

In April, we are seeking donations of non-perishable food items for Winnipeg HARVEST\_ **Harvest.** a non-profit. community-based organization that gathers and shares surplus food with over 40,000 people who come each month.

Our Place/Chez Nous has an urgent need for the following items: white and black socks, underwear, jeans. sweatshirts, running shoes, sheets, blankets, pillow cases, bath towels, laundry soap, coffee, whitener, sugar, toothbrushes, non-perishable food items (soups, noodles, mac. and cheese, stew, beans, pasta sauce)

#### ST. JOHN BREBEUF SCHOOL

Grade 8 Grad Wine Raffle: The SJB Grade 8 class is having a wine raffle in support of their graduation, purchase of shoes for underprivileged children, and a donation to our school. Grade 8 parents will be selling tickets after Masses April 2, 3, 9 & 10 for the April 27 draw. Details from Lana Abbott at 889-8741.

**Employment Opportunity:** St. John Brebeuf School invites applicants for a Part Time Clerk Receptionist. Details at main entrance bulletin board and www.sibcommunitv.ca/school.

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #1107

On March 29, the 1.8 million members of the Knights of Columbus marked the 129th Anniversary of the granting of a charter to the Order by the State of Connecticut. In 1882, Venerable Fr. Michael McGivney and a small group of Catholic men founded a fraternal organization designed to provide assistance for widows and orphans of members. All practical Catholic men are invited to help Winnipeg (St. John Brebeuf) Council #1107 celebrate Founder's Day by calling Brother Bob Girouard, membership director at 488-2968 and ask to join the Order.

Please support the Sobey's Gift Card Fundraiser. \$25 and \$50 Sobeys Gift Cards available after weekend Masses & Parish Office. Details at main entrance.

#### SJB MIXED BRIDGE & LUNCH

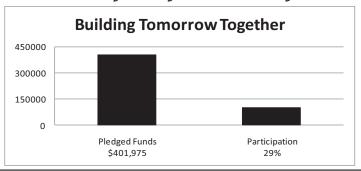
Sat., Apr. 16, Parish Hall. Lunch: 11:30 am, Bridge: 1:00 pm. Tickets \$15, Parish Office, or from Maura/489-6540 or Marg/489-7097.

#### St. John Brebeuf Parish Weekly Offerings March 26/27 2011 Envelopes: \$4,259.20

Please pick up your new 2011 envelopes at the main church entrance and mark with your name & address.

#### SJB CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

"Serve joyfully, Give generously, Live responsibly, Possess sensibly"



#### **LENT 2011**

Fridays during Lent: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, 10:00 am to 12:00 pm followed by **Benediction** 



Stations of the Cross begins at 7:00 pm.

#### **Lenten Reconciliation Services**

Our Lady of Perpetual Help				
St. Gianna's	Wed.	Apr. 6 <sup>th</sup>	.7:30	pm
Holy Rosary				
St. Vital	.Tues.	Apr. 12 <sup>th</sup>	7:30	pm
Our Lady of Perpetual Help	.Wed.	Apr. 13 <sup>th</sup>	7:30	pm

#### FROM ARCHBISHOP WEISGERBER

The collection for Good Friday is an ordered collection throughout the world. This collection supports the Church in the Holy Land. I'm sure we are all aware of the difficulties facing individual Christians and the Church as a whole in the land of the Church's birth. It is vital that we try to be generous in helping our "Mother Church".

The Custody of the Holy Land continues in its path for the protection and preservation of the Holy Places in Jesus' land, keeping liturgy alive in places of worship, caring for pilgrims, enhancing apostolic works and supporting the Christian Community. Some Pilgrim-focused projects include **Mount Tabor** - Sanctuary of the Transfiguration: Restoration of the Shrine of the Transfiguration at Mount Tabor

Gethsemane - Final phase of the recreation of the Kidron Valley, for the reception of His Holiness Pope Benedict XVI

#### D & P SHARE LENT CORNER

Next Sunday is the Development \*\*\* 2011 \*\*\* and Peace Share Lent Collection.



Your generous donations contribute to Building a World of Justice in more than 70 countries. THANK YOU! Note: Specific Emergency Relief donations for Japan may be sent to Development and Peace via a cheque marked "Japan Reconstruction." See www.devp.org for additional ways to participate.

Visiting us today? Welcome! If you are new to our area, and are seeking a new parish family, we invite you to join us. Forms may be found on the bulletin boards at the main entrances. Please fill out and drop in the collection basket or contact the Parish Office for further information about our parish and school, or, visit our web site at www.sjbcommunity.ca.

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