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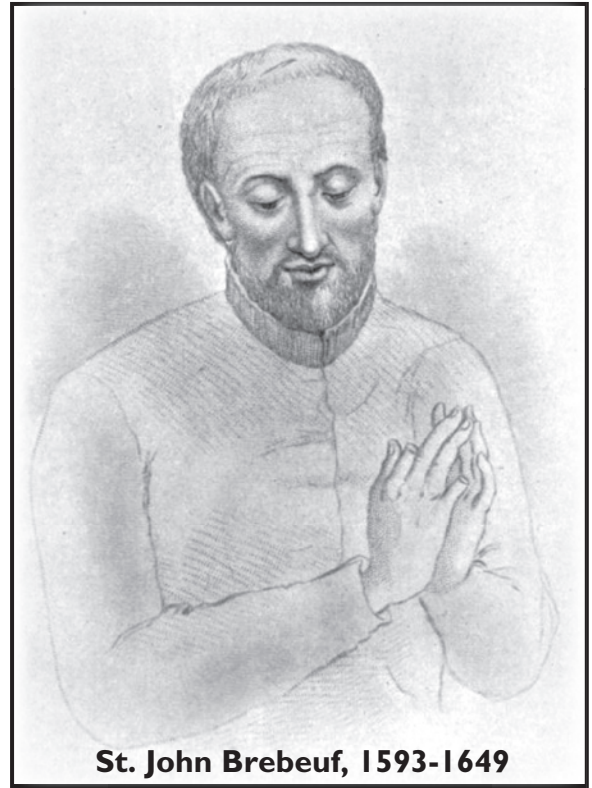
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St. John Brebeuf, 1593-1649

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, September to May)

Grades 1-8: Weekly 10:40am in the school

SHARE THE WORD

(Sundays, September to May)

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

PASTORAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Father Wayne Morrissey, Pastor ext 213

Father Kaleab Eman Abdella, Associate Pastor ext 264

Deacon Michael Thibert

Tom Bailey-Robertson, Pastoral Associate ext 217

Debbie Dusanek, Administrative Coordinator ext 210

Eddie Melo, Building Operations ext 220

Mira Salter, Finance Officer ext 211

Andie Kim, Finance Assistant ext 225

Parish Office Hours

Monday to Friday 8:30am to 4:30pm

Closed for Lunch 12:00pm to 1:00pm

Please note that office hours are subject to change

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.

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 Wayne (ext 213) at least six months in advance. Marriage preparation and Church attendance is expected and required.

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

Catholic Women's League: Meets at 12:30pm 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).

December 2/3, 2017: 1st Sunday of Advent

Saturday, Dec. 2	Vigil: 1st Sunday of Advent 3pm: Kathleen Downs & Michael Duke Marriage 5pm: +Jelisaveta Hollo
Sunday, Dec. 3	1st Sunday of Advent 9:30am: Missa Pro Populo 10:35am: Children's Catechism 11:30am: +Jim Rodrigues 12:30pm: C.W.L. Meeting 7pm: Sunday Vespers (CANCELLED)
Monday, Dec. 4	Weekday Ferial No Mass 1:30pm: Lectio Divina
Tuesday, Dec. 5	Weekday Ferial 8:50am: Morning Prayer 9:15am: Int. of Orest & Carole Kingerski
Wednesday Dec. 6	Weekday Ferial 8:50am: Rosary 9:15am: +Emily Ferguson
Thursday, Dec. 7	Memorial: St. Ambrose, Bishop and Doctor 8:50am: Morning Prayer 9:15am: +Ron Wildeman
Friday, Dec. 8 <i>Mass w/ the School</i>	Solemnity: Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary 9am: +Herman Dombroski
Saturday, Dec. 9	Vigil: 2nd Sunday of Advent 5pm: +Tommy McMahon
Sunday, Dec. 10	2nd Sunday of Advent 9:30am: Missa Pro Populo 10:35am: Children's Catechism 11:30am: +Harold Midgley

Congratulations and Blessings on:

**Michael Duke &
Kathleen Downs
Married on December 2, 2017**

Married in the Lord

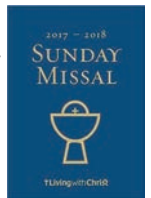


Baptism: Are you expecting a child or contemplating Baptism for your child? For further information, please contact Tom in the Parish Office at (204) 488-4467, ext. 217 or tombr@sjbcommunity.ca

Faith Formation: *Change of Meeting Date!*

The First Reconciliation/First Eucharist Meeting originally scheduled for November 21 at 7pm will now be held **Sunday, January 21, 12:30pm** in the Computer Lab (lower church level adjacent to the elevator). This meeting is for parents only.

Sunday Missals: The 2017-2018 Living with Christ Sunday Missals will be available for your reference in the pews beginning the first weekend of Advent. Those who wish to purchase a personal copy may do so at the Knights of Columbus Table or at the Parish Office for \$5 per copy.



Christmas Plants: Each Christmas season, our parish purchases many poinsettias to decorate our worship space. Parishioners can sponsor plants in gratitude for their loved ones, living and deceased, for only \$10 each from the Parish Office. All sponsored plants will be marked with a gift tag honouring your loved one. See Debbie in the Parish Office to purchase your tags.



Shut-Ins Plant Deliveries: Help will be needed to deliver Plants to our shut-ins Dec. 14-15. Please call the parish office if you can help.

St. John Brebeuf Parish Weekly Offerings:

November 18/19: \$3,546

Least Coin Collection:

November 18/19: \$366

2017 Total to date: 19,291.44

Sharing God's Gifts:

Our Target: **\$56,290**

Donations received to date: **\$48,800**



Rest in Peace:

+Leokadia Maslanka



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

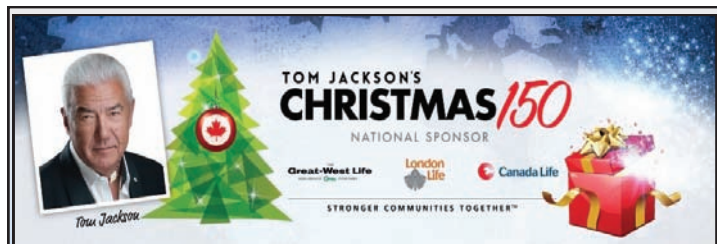
Therefore...pray for one another, so that you may be healed (James 5:15)

Marie A., Jan B., Shelby Brekelmans, Marie M., Don Barnicki, Gisèle Bertalanffy, Stephanie Blair, David Bruneau, Cathy Burke, Kathleen Foster, Irene Glass, Janice Harvey, Kay Hunt, J.D., Sr. Cathy Laviolette, Marvin Lavitt, Robert Lee, Romulo Magsino, Trisha Magnus, Paul Mazur, William Mendes, Monica Midgley, Tiago Miranda, Eric Moscarella, Peter, Adeline Schmidt, Leonard Schmidt, Louise Soubry, Brenda T., Brian Woods, D. 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.

December 2/3, 2017: 1st Sunday of Advent



Thursday, Dec. 7, 7pm
St. Mary's Academy, Alumnae Hall
Doors open at 6:15 p.m. Rush Seating
Tickets \$40 each
All proceeds benefit Winnipeg Harvest.
Bring a tin for the bin.

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/tom-jacksons-christmas-150-tickets-38597144097>

Archdiocese of Winnipeg

Advent Reconciliation Schedule:

December 12, 6pm-6:45pm	St. Gianna's
December 12, 9:30am-11:30am	Holy Rosary
December 12, 7pm-9pm	Holy Rosary
December 15, 4pm-5pm	St. Ignatius
December 16, 9:45am-10:45am	St. Ignatius
December 16, 2pm-4pm	St. Vital Parish
December 16, 2pm-5pm	St. John Brebeuf
December 18, 7pm-8:30pm	St. Ignatius
December 19, 9:30am-10:45am	St. Ignatius
December 19, 6pm-6:45pm*	St. Gianna's
and 8-9pm	
December 20, 9:30am-11am	OLPH
December 22, 4pm-5pm	St. Ignatius
December 23, 9:45am-10:45am	St. Ignatius

(*weekly Novena Mass is celebrated at 7pm)

Knights of Columbus #1107: Our Knights are selling Sobeys cards in \$25, \$50 or \$100 denominations following weekend Masses. To donate your gift card to Winnipeg Harvest, indicate this when purchasing. A tax receipt will be issued. Gift cards can be used at Sobeys **and** Safeway stores! **Each dollar donated allows Harvest to leverage \$20 worth of food. 2017 Total to date: \$10,600**



Keep Christ in Christmas Colouring Contest:

Children are invited to submit a hand drawn picture (up to 8 1/2" x 14") or collage to the Parish Office by the end of December. Contest open to children K-7 and up. Prizes in each category. Please visit the Knights of Columbus table, main church entrance, for details.

Our Place/Chez Nous:

As winter approaches, the centre urgently needs:

- + Men's jeans, sizes 32 and 34
- + Large Mitts

Donations accepted at the main church entrance.



Spare Change (and bills) for the Poor: During Advent, we are collecting change and bills for Our Place/Chez Nous. Donation Jar will be located at the main church entrances.

MASS ETIQUETTE- 20 THINGS TO DO AND NOT DO IN MASS:

9. Please be quiet while in church. Once you enter the sanctuary, it is not the time or place to visit with those around you. If you must talk, please do so as quietly and briefly as possible. Remember that your conversation might be disturbing someone who is in prayer.

Source: www.aggiecatholicblog.org

CWL:

Following Mass the first two weekends of Advent (Dec 2/3, 9/10), the CWL will once again sell Mary's Angels for \$5 each, in support of the Marian Hour Centre.



From Sr. Michelle Garlinski:

Dear Parishioners of St. John Brebeuf,
It was my pleasure and privilege to serve in the community from 1996-2005. During this time I journeyed with you and your families through graced moments of joy and sadness. You were a very significant part of my journey as I deepened my faith and heeded God's call. I'm asking for your prayers as I make my profession of 1st Vows as a Sister of the Holy Names of Jesus and Mary on January 3, 2018. It is with the same Religious Community that was instrumental in the pioneering of St. John Brebeuf School. God was truly preparing me while I was with you. Continued blessings and prayers to you and your families and you will be forever in my heart.

-Sr. Michelle Garlinski, snjm



ALL ARE INVITED TO THE

St. John Brebeuf School Christmas Concert


Wednesday, December 20

Matinee: 1:30pm Concert: 7:00pm

St. John Brebeuf Church

Admission: Free Will Offering

Refreshments follow, courtesy of the SJB Parent Council

 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. Please return completed form via offertory collection or forward to the Parish Office.

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