

#### SAINT JOHN BREBEUF ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH

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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 I-8

#### PASTORAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Father Patrick Neufeld, Pastor ext 213

Deacon Michael Thibert

Irma Pereyra, Faith Formation Coordinator ext 217

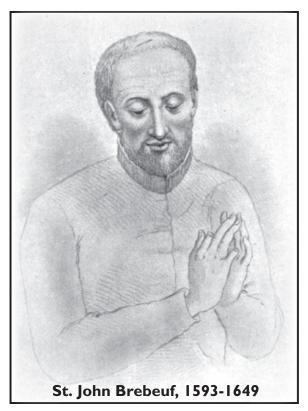
Claudia Sagriotis, Administrative Coordinator ext 210

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#### **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).

#### February 3/4, 2024: Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

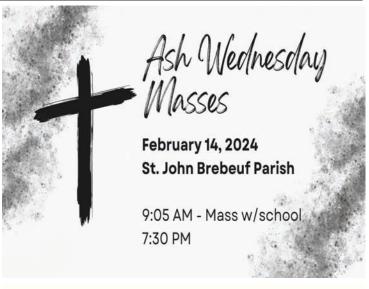
Saturday, Feb. 3	Vigil: Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time 4pm: Sacrament of Reconciliation 5pm: For the people
Sunday, Feb. 4	Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time 10am: Int. of Helen Deegan 11:00am: C.W.L Meeting 11:05: Confirmation, Catechism, Sunday School Sessions
Monday, Feb. 5	Memorial: St. Agatha, Virgin, Martyr No Mass
Tuesday Feb. 6	Memorial: St. Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs 9:15am: +Mary Mason 6:30pm: Conquest (Gym)
Wed., Feb. 7	Weekday Ferial 9:15am: Mass cancelled 10:30am: Funeral Mass +Galdino Fetalvero
Thurs., Feb.8	Weekday Ferial 9:15am: +Francis & +Olivia Mendes
Friday, Feb. 9	Weekday Ferial 9:15am: +Angela Fijal 6pm: Evening of Forgiveness (Parish Hall)
Saturday, Feb. 10	Vigil: Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time 4pm: Sacrament of Reconciliation 5pm: For the people
Sunday, Feb. 11	Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time World Day of the Sick 10am: +Fergie Kate Cuevas 11:05: Confirmation, Catechism, Sunday School Sessions

## **Palms**



Blessed palms are to be disposed of with reverence. They should be burned, buried or returned to the church.

You are invited to bring your blessed palms from last year to be burned for this year's Ash Wednesday liturgies.



#### **Stations of the Cross**

Join us for the Stations of the Cross every Fridays during Lent at 7 pm, commencing on February 23.

## Coming up! Sacrament of First Reconciliation/First Eucharist

First Reconciliation Dates:

- Saturday, March 2 from 9:30am to noon
- Saturday, March 9 from 9:30am to noon
- Saturday, March 16 from 9:30am to noon

Evening of Forgiveness — February 9 from 6pm to 7pm at the parish hall.

This fun-filled event is open to parents and siblings, but it is geared to our registered First Reconciliation candidates.

RSVP by using the following QR Code



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, Ryker Chimuk
Monica Midgley, Lucille & Biagio Bisignano, Fr. Mark Tarrant,

Carol Reznik, Evie Tanner, Jocelyn Edwards

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#### Visitors to the shut-ins

Keeping in touch with parishioners who are in hospitals, care homes or shut-ins remains a priority for us at St. John Brebeuf. When someone can no longer come and join us for prayer, whether for a short period or long term, we have extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist that are happy to make a friendly visit, to share the Eucharist and offer prayer.

If you are aware of anyone who is homebound and would like to receive the Eucharist, please contact the parish office so that we can arrange a visit for you or your loved ones. Visiting, praying for and reaching out to the sick and lonely is one of the works of mercy taught by Christ.

"We [...] are called to adopt the compassion-filled gaze of Jesus. Let us care for those who suffer and are alone, perhaps marginalized and cast aside"



## Official Invitation to 2024 Confirmation Rally! - May 11, 2024



The St. John Brebeuf Confirmation candidates will be participating in the Confirmation Rally organized by the Office of Catechetics and Faith Formation and the Office of the Young and Young Adult on May 11, 2024 from 9:30am to 3pm at St. Paul's High School.

As our Confirmation candidates embark on a journey of faith, unity and enlightenment, we ask that you keep them in your prayers.

#### **Easter Flowers**



For Easter, parishioners can sponsor flowers for our parish in gratitude for loved ones, living or deceased.

Tags are \$10 for Mums, \$15 for Lilies and \$20 for Hydrangeas. They can be purchased at our parish office, or at the back of the church from February 25 to March 10.

#### **Knights of Columbus #1107:**



Our Knights are selling Sobeys cards in \$25, \$50 and \$100 denominations following weekend Masses.

To donate your gift card to Harvest Manitoba, please indicate this when purchasing. A tax receipt will be issued.

Gift cards can be used at Sobeys and Safeway stores!

#### Harvest Manitoba

Together, we can make a profound impact on the lives of those struggling with food insecurity in our community. Here is a list of staple food they can never get enough of:

Canned Fruit
Canned Soup/stew
Canned Vegetables
Canned Tuna
Pasta
Pasta Sauce
Rice
Peanut Butter
Baby Formula/Food

Instant meal



Donation bin located at the main church entrance.

### <u>Catholic Marriage Services at The Wonderful</u> Wedding Show:

The Wonderful Wedding Show, held **February 24 & 25**, **2024**, is the largest tradeshow for local wedding services in Winnipeg. You are invited to visit our Catholic Marriage Services Booth and discover how we, the Catholic Church, can help prepare you and your future spouse for a beautiful & life-long covenant of the Sacrament of Marriage. At our booth, you can also ask any questions about your Catholic Marriage! We look forward to seeing you there and supporting you through your engagement journey!



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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