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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

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.

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

FEBRUARY 9/10, 2013: FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The central characters in today's Scriptures could not be accused of procrastination. The Word is a springboard to action!

Isaiah's call takes place in 739 B.C. The tiny kingdom of Judah was threatened by the Assyrians, the people are in no mood to hear the Lord's message. Nevertheless Isaiah jumps into the fray, saying, "Here am I; send me!" (verse 8).

The impulsive Peter steps forward in the gospel. At first Peter calls Jesus "master." After the miraculous catch of fish, he changes the title to "Lord." Jesus invites Peter to become a different kind of fisherman. Matthew and Mark write that the disciples must leave their nets; Luke says they must leave everything to become his followers.

The Lord calls us today. Perhaps we must leave behind a grudge, let go of a destructive habit, give more of self to spouse and family, find more time for prayer. The challenge is to join Isaiah and Peter in saying, "Here I am, Lord, send me!" Copyright 1993, Liguori Publications \ Liguori, MO 63057-9999 John Craghan, Th.D., S.S.L.



Christian Outreach:

Immaculate Conception Drop-In Centre: Our work for the city's homeless never ends. Immaculate Conception Drop-In Centre urgently needs **men's socks, as well as dark-coloured toques and mitts.**

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.



Winnipeg Harvest Top Ten Most Wanted Items

1. Canned Meat, Fish and Poultry
2. Canned Fruit and Vegetables
3. Canned Stew, Chili, Beans
4. Peanut Butter
5. Baby Food: Jars, Cereal, Formula (Iron Fortified)
6. Whole Grain/Whole Wheat Pasta
7. Rice (Brown, Converted or Parboiled)
8. Canned Spaghetti Sauce or Tomatoes
9. Cereal (High Fibre, Non-Sugar Coated)
10. Canned Soup and Dry Soup Mixes

Please share what you can **each month**. Non-perishable food items accepted at main entrance bin.

Knights of Columbus #1107: Purchase Sobeys Gift Cards, (\$25, \$50 or \$100) after weekend Masses. Cash, cheque, debit, Visa and MC accepted. Redeemable at **Sobeys, IGA and Price Choppers**. Help the Knights to help our church, school and community, or indicate that you would like to donate your gift card to **Winnipeg Harvest** and they will issue you a tax receipt.



Pancake Breakfast: All are invited to a Knights of Columbus #1107 Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, February 10 following both morning Masses in the Parish Hall. Free Will offering. Your support enables our Knights to continue their good works that benefit our parish and school.



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

Countdown to Lent:

You are invited to bring in your blessed palms from last year to be burned for ashes for this year's Ash Wednesday liturgies. A basket is available at the main entrance to the church.



Ash Wednesday Masses
Wednesday, February 13:
9:00am (Mass with the School)
7:30pm

Fast and Abstinence Guidelines:

Fasting: On Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, those aged 18 to 59 should only have one full meal. Two smaller meals, as needed, but eating solid foods between meals should be avoided.

Abstinence from Meat: Those who are 14 years or older are to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday and all the Fridays of Lent.

Fridays during Lent (starting Feb. 15):

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, 10am to Noon, followed by **Benediction**.

Stations of the Cross begins at 7pm

Lenten Reflection Books:

Copies of the **Lenten Reflection Books** for adults and children are available at the church entrances.

Mark Your Calendar:

St. John Brebeuf Community
Boston Booster Dinner & Raffle
Sunday, March 3, 5:00 pm
Boston Pizza, Taylor Location



Tickets for 10 fantastic prize packages, including a Jets Jersey, iPod touch and more on sale soon following weekend Masses: **10 for \$10**. Attendance at the dinner is not required to win. Reserve early for a fun family dinner, featuring games, 'celebrity' servers and great food by calling **925-4106** (ask for a manager). Watch for ticket sales following weekend Masses.

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Saturday, Feb. 9	Vigil: 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time 11am: Funeral Mass: +Ruth Waters 5pm: Missa Pro Populo
Sunday, Feb. 10	5th Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:30am: +Graham Turner 10:30am: K. of C. Pancake Breakfast 10:30am: Catechism 11:30am: +Eileen McGivern 12:30pm: K. of C. Pancake Breakfast 7pm: Confirmation Session
Monday, Feb. 11	Weekday Ferial 11am: Funeral Mass: +Eva Rennie Lectio Divina cancelled
Tuesday, Feb. 12	Weekday Ferial 9:15am: Int. of Shelagh Willcock
Wed. Feb. 13	Ash Wednesday 9am: Missa Pro Populo 10am: Adult Faith Formation 7:30pm: Missa Pro Populo 8:30pm: Knights of Columbus Meeting
Thursday, Feb. 14	Weekday Ferial 9:15am: +Cornelio Parado
Friday, Feb. 15	Weekday Ferial 8:50am: Rosary 9:15am: +Rene Colleye 10am-Noon: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Benediction 7pm: Stations of the Cross
Saturday, Feb. 16	Vigil: 1st Sunday of Lent 9:30am: Parish Pastoral Council Retreat 5pm: +Michael Murphy
Sunday, Feb. 17	1st Sunday of Lent 9:30am: Misa Pro Populo No Catechism 11:30am: +Edward McGivern 12:30pm: C.W.L. Meeting
Monday, Feb. 18	Parish and School Closed

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

Confirmation: Evening #7 for Candidates:
Sunday, February 10, 7pm, Parish Hall.

First Reconciliation/First Eucharist: Evening of Forgiveness, Wednesday, February 20, (4-5:30 pm/ or 5:30-7pm), for children preparing for the Sacrament of First Reconciliation. Please contact Tom in the Parish Office by Feb. 15 to let him know how many from your family will be attending.

Adult Faith Formation: Adult Faith Formation will meet on **Wednesday, Feb. 13** upstairs in the St. Marie Room at 10 a.m following our Ash Wednesday Mass with the School. Our topic is: **Adults Caring for Aging Parents**. All are welcome to this time of prayer and reflection.

Offertory Envelopes: If you haven't picked up your 2013 offertory envelopes (Valid Jan. 1/13), they are now located at the **main church entrance**. Please contact the Parish Office if there are inaccuracies on your box label or if you have any other concerns regarding your envelopes. As some envelope numbers have changed, please recycle any envelopes you may still have from previous years.

Rest in Peace:

- +Ruth Waters**
(Wife of Reid Waters)
- +Eva Rennie**
(Mother of Michael Rennie)
- +Erlinda Blanco**
(Wife of Renato Blanco)
- +Albert Cheys**
(Uncle of Bernice Kleysen)



St. John Brebeuf Parish Weekly Offerings:

Feb. 2/3: **\$4587.00**

St. John Brebeuf offers convenient, pre-authorized offertory options. For more information, please call 204-488-4467.



**Celebrate Catholic Schools
Week: Feb. 11-15, 2013**

**For more information, visit :
www.sjbcommunity.ca/school**

Let us Pray for our Sick and Homebound:

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

Ted 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.

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