# SAINT JOHN BREBEUF ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH 1707 John Brebeuf Place Winnipeg, Manitoba R3N 2A2 Phone 204-488-4467 Fax 204-489-6097

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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**

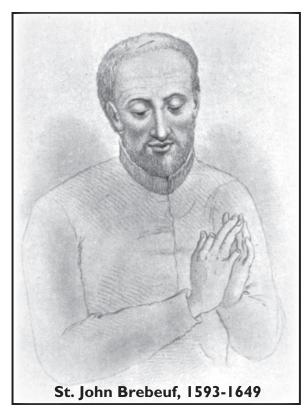
(Sundays, September to May) Grades I-8: Weekly II:05am

#### PASTORAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Father Wayne Morrissey, Pastor ext 213
Deacon Michael Thibert
Irma Pereyra, Faith Formation Coordinator ext 217
Debbie Dusanek, Administrative Coordinator ext 210
Michael Tanasychuk, Finance ext 211
Eddy Melo, Building Operations ext 220

#### **Parish Office Hours**

Monday to Friday 8:30am to 4:00pm Closed for Lunch 12:00pm to 12:30pm Please note that office hours are subject to change



**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** By appointment only. Please contact the Parish Office.

**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 Wayne (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).

Saturday,	Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God
Dec. 31	5pm: For the People
Sunday, Jan. 1	Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God 10am: +Deceased McGivney Family Members
Monday, Jan. 2	Memorial: St. Basil the Great & St. Gregory Nazianzen, Bishops, Doctors No Mass/Office Closed
Tuesday, Jan. 3	Weekday Ferial No Mass 11:30am: +Elfriede Albani Funeral Mass
Wed.,	Weekday Ferial
Jan. 4	9:15am: +Fr. Leonce Albin
Thurs.,	Weekday Ferial
Jan. 5	9:15am: Intentions of Diana Ludwig
Friday,	Weekday Ferial
Jan. 6	9:15am: +Wladimir Petriuk
Saturday,	Vigil: Epiphany of the Lord
Jan. 7	5pm: +Brenda Tarrant
Sunday, Jan. 8	Epiphany of the Lord 10am: For the People Share the Word and Catechism classes resume 11am: CWL Meeting

#### **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!

11:50am: Catechist Meeting

The Knights are also selling Inter Council Charity Drive (ICCD) draw tickets and 50/50 Tickets. Details at the main church entrance.

#### Mark Your Calendars!

The Next Knights of Columbus **Pancake Breakfast** will be Sunday, January 29 following 10am Mass.

#### K of C 2023 Basketball Free Throw Competition:

Sunday, January 29, 11am—11:30am, St. John Brebeuf School Gym. Open to all St. John Brebeuf parish youth Ages 9 to 14 (as of Jan. 1/2023). Please register when you arrive at the gym. For more information, please contact Tom at 204-479-2907.



#### From Father Wayne:

Heavenly Father, thank You for making all things new! As another new year begins, help us to live every day of it for You. May we always have new songs in our hearts to sing to You no matter what comes our way. We trust in You because we know Your mercies are new every morning, and nothing ahead of us will take You by surprise.

I wish all of you a wonderful celebration of New Year's Day 2023, and blessing in the year ahead.

#### 2023 Offertory Envelopes:

2023 Offertory envelope packets are now available for pick-up in the church. If there is not a donation envelope assigned to you at this time, please contact the Parish Office and we will be happy to assign one for you.

At the end of 2022, please recycle any envelopes from previous years to ensure that your donations are being properly recorded, as your number may have changed.

Those wishing to share their gifts through pre-authorized donations will find forms at church entrances and on the parish website.

#### 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)

Marcel Belanger, Stephanie Blair, Cathy Burke, John Derrick, Kathleen Foster, Jordan Fox Janice Harvey, Sr. Cathy Laviolette, René Lachance, Marvin Lavitt, Robert Lee, Romulo Magsino, Elton Malacaman, Trisha Magnus, William Mendes, Monica Midgley, Carol Reznik, Evie Tanner, Lourdes Troncillo-Scott



#### **Our Place/Chez Nous:**

During these cold winter months, the Centre urgently needs:

- Warm Clothing: especially heavy jackets
- Neck Warmers, Gloves, Long Underwear
- Toques, Toques, Toques

For all winter wear donations, dark colours are always preferred. Non-Perishable foods such as Kraft Dinner, Mr. Noodles, and canned soups and beans also needed.

Our parish donation bin is located at the main church entrance.

#### **Sunday Missals:**

The 2022-2023 Living with Christ Sunday Missals are now available for purchase at the Knights of Columbus table following weekend Masses, or through the Parish Office at 204-488-4467 for \$5/copy.



# HAPPY NEW YEAR

#### From Deacon Michael:

Tansi or Hello to all fellow parishioners of the community of SJB,

As we quickly slide into the Spirit of Christmas, I wanted to take this opportunity to express my sincere prayers and thoughts to you all during, not only this Christmas season, but throughout the following year. Christmas is not just a liturgical season, or a short window of time that shifts our attention to the wonderful gift of the WORD becoming flesh - Emmanuel - God is with us. It is the opportunity given to us all to refocus our lives in a manner that aligns with how God gives to us all.

Let this Christmas Season be the beginning of our own transformation towards a love approach to the world around us. Let us smile more, give more, become aware of those in need of our time, presence, and monetary aid. May our giving to those in need be the same as God. Let us fill our food hampers with the spirit of giving - AND may your Christmas season be filled with God's Hope, Love, Joy, and Peace.

Merry Christmas to you all and blessings for 2023 Deacon Michael





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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