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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
Noella Leeman, Parish Admin. Assistant	ext 210
Deb Bernier, School Admin. Assistant	ext 241
Debbie Dusanek, Communications	ext 212
Eddie Melo, Plant Custodial Manager	ext 220
Michael Thibert, Pastoral Services	ext 214

Parish Office Hours

Monday to Friday 9:00am to 4:00pm

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
Catechism:	Parish Office
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 **before** 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

JANUARY 1/2, 2011 EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Saturday January 1 2011	10:30am	Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God Mass: For the People
Sunday January 2	9:30am 11:30am	Epiphany of the Lord Mass: +For the People Mass: +Parents of Lois Callander
Monday January 3		Weekday Ferial Office Closed
Tuesday January 4	9:15am 7pm 7pm	Weekday Ferial Mass: +Maria Greco RCIA Diocesan D & P Meeting
Wednesday January 5	9:15am	Weekday Ferial Mass: +Maria Greco
Thursday January 6	9:15am 10am 7:30pm	Weekday Ferial Mass: +Doug Rennie Bereavement Group JustFaith
Friday January 7	9:15am 6pm	Weekday Ferial Mass: +Josie Sangalang Grand Knight's Dinner
Saturday January 8	5pm	Vigil: Baptism of the Lord Mass: +Imelda Savage
Sunday January 9	9:30am 11:30am	Baptism of the Lord Mass: For the People Mass: +Deceased Members of St. John Brebeuf Choir

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS



Our next gathering is: **Tuesday Jan. 4, 7pm**

Topic: *God the Son, Jesus*

If you feel the call to a deeper understanding of God's love, please contact Mike Thibert at 488-4467 (214).

ST. JOHN BREBEUF PARISH WEEKLY OFFERINGS

December 18/19 Envelopes: \$12,544.56

Electronic Debit (December): \$16,861.16

SHARING GOD'S GIFTS



Our Target: **\$66,640.00**

Current Pledges & Donations: **\$48,211.00**

Thank you for your support.

JANUARY 9, 2011 BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Isaiah 42.1-4, 6-7 *Here is my chosen servant in whom my soul delights.*

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: 29.1-2,3ac-4. 3b+9c-10

R. *The Lord will bless his people with peace.*

Acts 10.34-38 *The Lord anointed him with the Holy Spirit.*

MATTHEW 3.13-17 *When Jesus had been baptized, he saw the Spirit of God coming upon him.*

SACRAMENTS

Baptism: Baptism Weekend will be **January 8/9, 2011**. Our next Baptismal preparation will be on **Sunday, January 16, 1pm**. For further information, please contact Mike Thibert in the Parish Office.

Confirmation: Next Session: **January 9**. Please check www.SJBconfirmation.co.cc prior to attending.

CHILDREN'S CATECHESIS

First Reconciliation/First Eucharist 2010/2011:

Reconciliation Learning Stations: Tuesday, January 18, 2011, 4-7:30pm. More information to follow.

Epiphany Reflection...



The word epiphany means "showing forth" or "manifestation." We don't know much about the magi, the "wise men," to whom tradition has assigned names and stories as colourful as their costumes. But we do know two very important things about them. We know they came "from the east." They were not of the chosen people, but foreigners, Gentiles. And we know that they were "overjoyed" at where the star led them, that they acknowledged Jesus as king and God. From the first moments of his life, Jesus breaks through the boundaries that we human beings set up to separate ourselves from one another. When it comes to God's love, there are no outsiders.

REST IN PEACE



George Buchholz †
(father of Sylvia Hood)

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, Leslie Hiebert, Alex Hoff, Kay Hunt, Erika Hunzinger, Martin Lyons, Romulo Magsino, Jim Mahon, Catherine McLeod, James Mendes, William Mendes, Monica Midgley, Miguel Family, Eric Moscarella, Cosmo Nocida, Claudia Sagriotis, Bronwen Sheridan, Fr. Stack, Jacquie Smith, Joyce Smith, Leonard Stone, 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 printed, we require permission requesting that their name be added to or removed from the prayer list.

JANUARY 1/2, 2011 EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

CHRISTIAN OUTREACH AT ST. JOHN BREBEUF PARISH

Our January Outreach Project is:
Immaculate Conception Drop-In Centre:
Warm Socks for Cold Feet



Immaculate Conception Drop-In Centre is a safe, non-judgmental meeting place located at 181 Austin St., where the city's most marginalized citizens come each Sunday to visit the Clothing Depot for warm socks and winter wear, and share fellowship and a hot meal prepared by local churches and charitable organizations.

The Centre's most needed item is **SOCKS**.
 Also needed: Mitts, Hats, Winter Jackets, Boots, Running Shoes Sweaters, Long Underwear & Fleece Wear

Winnipeg Harvest: Non-perishable food items.

CHRISTIANS OF THE HOLY LAND

It's the most wonderful season of all for me, Advent. I love the music, the spirit and the prayers as we get closer to celebrate Christmas. I wonder if you noticed, but this year there is no box office Christmas movie. A sign of the times perhaps! If you still have not been to Bethlehem, you must make time to go. It's a wonderful mystical place full of Holy Spirit. We are so very blessed to have so many religious sites commemorating the earthly ministry of Jesus still standing. Let us pray for the Holy Land and its remaining Christian Palestinian community. Let us remember that people are the Church and that we must never allow our Mother Church to die. Let us pray for Peace, even though it seems the peace process is still eluding us. Pray for the Christian presence in the Holy Land this Christmas as they will pray for you. Next Christmas in Bethlehem God willing, mark your calendars. Merry Christmas.

Rami Qumsieh—A concerned Catholic Palestinian from Bethlehem www.HolyLandDirect.com

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTIONS

January 2nd – Epiphany

Stewardship—Faith on Fire, Hearts and Minds Transformed—Why did the men from the East bring gifts? Was it because they felt that Jesus, Mary, and Joseph needed them? Or was it because *they needed to give*? At the start of this New Year, today might be a good time to reflect on why you give to our parish, to our Archdiocese, or to other charities. It is only in finding our own need to give that we discover giving that is truly sacrificial and joyful. Good stewardship is the result of being grateful which thus prompts our desire to give.

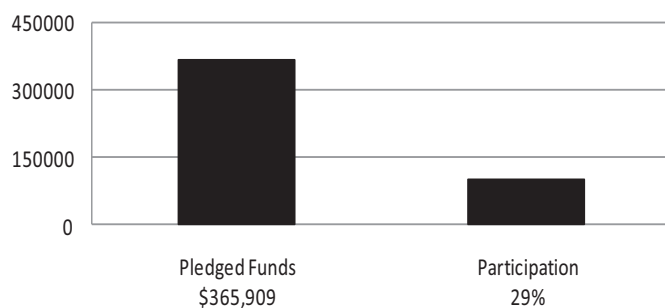
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SJB CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

*“Serve joyfully, Give generously,
 Live responsibly, Possess sensibly”*

Building Tomorrow Together



BUILDING TOMORROW TOGETHER WALL OF SUPPORT PROJECT



Are you a current or former student of St. John Brebeuf School? For only **\$75.00** per person, SJB students and Alumni can purchase a tile, which will be imprinted with your name and handprint and embedded into a permanent **Wall of Support** in the school. Tax receipts will be issued. Registration forms at main church entrance. For more information call Rick at 996-1902.

INFORMATIONAL OPEN HOUSE

St. John Brebeuf School invites you to an informational **Open House**, Thurs., Jan 27, 7:00 pm, 605 Renfrew St. For more information, contact Mrs. Deb Bernier at 489-2115 (Ext. 241),



CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

Catholic High Schools are now accepting applications for 2010/2011 school year.

Information Evenings/Open Houses:

- St. Paul's High School**—Wed. Jan. 12, 7pm
- St. Mary's Academy**—Tues. Jan. 18, 7pm
- St. Boniface Diocesan** —Wed. Feb. 16, 7:30pm
- St. Maurice High School**—Thurs., Feb. 17, 7pm

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #1107



Sobey's Gift Card Fundraiser: Purchase Sobey's Gift Cards, \$25 and \$50 denominations after weekend Masses or Parish Office. Cash, cheque, debit, Visa and MC accepted. Help the Knights to help our church, school and community.


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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