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MASS SCHEDULE

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

SHARE THE WORD

(Sundays, September to May)

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

PASTORAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Father Mark A. Tarrant, Pastor ext 213

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

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 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).

July 2/3, 2016: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, July 3	14th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Mass with Baptism) 10am: +Frank Cielen	
Monday, July 4	Weekday Ferial No Mass	
Tuesday, July 5	Weekday Ferial 8:50am: Morning Prayer 9:15am: +Mimi Trainor	
Wednesday July 6	Weekday Ferial 8:50am: Rosary 9:15am: +Jim Rodrigues	
Thursday, July 7	Weekday Ferial 8:50am: Morning Prayer 9:15am: +Peter Clarke	
Friday, July 8	Weekday Ferial 8:50am: Rosary 9:15am: +Catherine Pearse 10:30am: +Alice Antoniuk Funeral Mass	
Saturday, July 9	Vigil: 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time 5pm: +Camsee and Lenny Rocke	
Sunday, July 10	15th Sunday in Ordinary Time 10am: Missa Pro Populo	

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time:

Isaiah 66:10-14; Psalm 66; Galatians 6:14-18; Luke 10:1-12,17-20

Humans, all of us, can be very contradictory creatures. Think, for example, of all the times we have a very clear and accurate notion of what's required for our welfare and still fail to make that choice. This brings to mind the old joke: God must have a flat forehead from all the times God smacks hand against brow in frustration over our inconsistencies.

Communication is something essential to our welfare. Advertisers know this and have many variations on the theme "reach out and touch someone." Yet how many times do we choose not to communicate, to withdraw in silent isolation? Today's readings are about communicating God's Word, a mission that is shared by all of us who have been gifted with faith.

The author of Third Isaiah (Chapters 56-66) brings a message of hope. Jerusalem is a nursing mother: "That you may nurse and be satisfied from her consoling breast" (Isaiah 66:11). The Lord, our God is a loving mother: "As a mother comforts her child, so will I comfort you" (66:13). For this prophet, God is compelled to reach out.

Paul speaks today in Galatians about "brand marks." In Paul's time, brand marks showed that a person belonged to someone else. Circumcision was this kind of mark for the followers of the Jewish law. The Christian sign of belonging and commitment is the cross. Life has meaning in Jesus' cross and the new life brought about by Jesus' death and resurrection (Galatians 6:15; 2 Corinthians 5:17). This cross bridges our communication, vertically God and horizontally with one another.

Luke is the only evangelist who speaks about a mission of the seventy-two. Matthew, Mark, and John all have a mission of the Twelve. Luke is anticipating the proclamation of the Good News to the Gentiles. The disciples speak the ultimate message of the Lord, "Say to them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you'" (Luke 10:9). We are today's disciples. Our mandate is the same -- to speak by our words and deeds the love of our God.

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Baptism: Are you expecting a child or contemplating Baptism for your child? We have returned to seasonal Baptismal Weekends. For further information, please contact Tom in the Parish Office: 204-488-4467.

RCIA:

This is the time to deepen your relationship with God. If you are considering being baptized, becoming Catholic, or if you just want to learn more, consider joining the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults). Contact Tom in the Parish Office at 204-488-4467 ext. 217. Sessions are held Sundays from 10:30-11:30am.

St. John Brebeuf Parish Weekly Offerings:

Regular Offertory June 25/26, 2016: \$3,121

Least Coin Collection:

Each weekend, a second collection of pocket change will be taken immediately following the offertory. These funds will be used for our ongoing ministry of charity, beginning with support of refugees.

June 25/26, 2016: \$458

Total collected to date: \$31,419.22

Winnipeg Harvest:

Hunger doesn't take a holiday.

Please share what you can every month.



Summer Mass Schedule:
Masses on the Lord's Day:
Saturday: 5pm Sunday: 10am
Weekday Masses: Tues. to Fri. 9:15am

Regular Schedule resumes September 18, 2016
Mass times subject to change.



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., Marie M., Don Barnicki, Gisèle Bertalanffy, Stephanie Blair, David Bruneau, Kathleen Foster,
Mario Di Fonzo, Irene Glass, Janice Harvey, Edith Heinrichs, Leslie Hiebert, Kay Hunt, J.D., Carol Kruse, Paul L.,
Marvin Lavitt, Robert Lee, M.M., Debra M., Kelly M., Romulo Magsino, Trisha Magnus, Paul Mazur,
William Mendes, Monica Midgley, Eric Moscarella, Peter, George Reznik,
Adeline Schmidt, Louise Soubry, Brenda T., Joan Vadas, Geraldine Walker, Brian Woods

If someone in your family is ill and requests the prayers of the parish community, please contact the Parish Office.

July 9/10, 2016: 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, July 10	15th Sunday in Ordinary Time 10am: Missa Pro Populo
Monday, July 11	Memorial: St. Benedict, Abbot No Mass
Tuesday, July 12	Weekday Ferial 8:50am: Morning Prayer 9:15am: +Deceased Pemberton Family members 1:30pm: Portsmouth Residence Mass
Wednesday July 13	Weekday Ferial 8:50am: Rosary 9:15am: +Cornelio Parado
Thursday, July 14	Weekday Ferial 8:50am: Morning Prayer 9:15am: +Renata Morrow 10:15am: Boulton Bay Residence Mass
Friday, July 15	Memorial: St. Bonaventure, Bishop, Doctor 8:50am: Rosary 9:15am: +Mary Maledy
Saturday, July 16	Vigil: 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time 1:30pm: Barry Nisby & Amanda Laing Marriage 5pm: +Josephine de Coteau
Sunday, July 17	16th Sunday in Ordinary Time 10am: Missa Pro Populo

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time:

Deuteronomy 30:10-14; Psalm 69; Colossians 1:15-20; Luke 10:25-37

Unconditional love is an other-worldly ideal. Forces here on earth limit our generosity. Business teaches us debits and credits, law enacts statutes of limitation, athletics value strictly enforced rules of the game. No wonder we struggle to accept the reality of a God infinite in mercy and compassion.

Deuteronomy talks today about the people of Israel who have suffered a curse rather than blessing because of their violations of the covenant. The author, however, is unequivocal in reminding the wayward that God's capacity for forgiveness cannot be exhausted. The Lord, our God's arms are outstretched to those seeking forgiveness; God requires only the resolution to try again.

Paul, in our passage from Colossians, is making a point: God restored harmony to the universe through the action of Christ. In Christ, God has destroyed all those barriers that keep humans from God, from the created world, and from themselves. Unity is the result of Christ's act of reconciliation. The price of this compassion is high: "Making peace through the blood of his cross" (Colossians 1:20; also Romans 5:9-11; Ephesians 2:13-18).

Luke, as opposed to Matthew and Mark, has the lawyer speak the great law of love for God and neighbor. The lawyer asks: "And who is my neighbor?" (Luke 10:29). The evangelist wants to teach us that all who show mercy are able to belong to God's family.

The parable illustrates this teaching. The legalism of the society prescribed a ritual impurity for anyone touching the corpse of a Jewish traveler. Thus the priest and the Levite passed by the man victimized by robbers. The Samaritan becomes the unlikely hero. As a non-Jew he is an outcast or a "non-neighbor," yet he alone opts for the higher law of compassion. He is a hero because he is a genuine neighbor.

What kind of neighbors are we? If the measure is "How far do I have to go?" then ours is a this-world compassion. If the measure is "What more can I do, especially for the poor and abandoned?" then ours is an other-worldly and Godlike mercy.

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From the Parish Office:

Please call before coming to the Parish Office during the summer, as the person you need to see may be on vacation. Closed 12-1 daily, and summer hours are subject to change.

Canadian Catholic Youth Ministry Network

On November 18-20, 2016, the Archdiocese of Winnipeg, Archdiocese of St. Boniface and Ukrainian Catholic Archeparchy of Winnipeg will be hosting the Canadian Catholic Youth Ministry Network's (CCYMN) bi-annual national conference.

This training conference will help equip those who serve young people in our families, parishes, schools and communities to face the contemporary challenges of our time. It will be an unforgettable experience of learning, evangelization and friendship! For more information about the conference and the organization, please visit: www.ccymin.ca, email 2016ccymn@gmail.com or call 204-452-2227 (Ext. 273) or 204-594-0278.

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 at purchase. A tax receipt will be issued.

2016 total to date: **\$6,580**

Sobeys cards can also be used at Safeway.

Rest in Peace:

+Alice Antoniuk
(Wife of John Antoniuk)

+Dennis Waroway
(Father of Jennifer Waroway)



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**

The Art of Rasen Haddad:

Rasen Haddad is an Iraqi refugee from Qaraqosh now living in Jordan. He is an artist/art teacher who studied at Mosul University. His art, created mostly with pens because of the difficulty of obtaining oil or acrylic colours, is currently on display in our main church entrance. His work depicts the three parts of his story— before, during and after the crisis. Haddad left Iraq in 2013 and fled to Jordan with his wife, Shahad. They will be relocating to their new home in Melbourne, Australia later this month.



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