



## SAINT JOHN BREBEUF ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH

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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

#### 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, 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 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).

# June 15/16: 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

To err is human, to forgive is divine. Few of us would argue this wisdom, but none of us has been perfect in our observance! When the hurt is deep, the pain tends to be lasting, and it easily freezes over into hostility and bitterness.

The author of the Second Book of Samuel reviews God's graciousness to David. The Lord gave David the throne of King Saul, Saul's wives, and the united kingdom of Israel and Judah. In return David commits adultery with Bathsheba and murders her husband, Uriah. David's offenses were punishable by death (Exodus 20:13-14). Instead there is divine forgiveness. "The LORD has put away your sin; you shall not die" (2 Samuel 12:13).



Psalms 32 deals also with human sinfulness. The psalmist urges us to follow the example of a God who immediately bestows favor upon the one who admits guilt and asks forgiveness. The God of this psalm is not the celestial bookkeeper meticulously tabulating sins; rather, God is shelter and protector. "Happy are those whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered" (Psalm 32:1).

Luke illustrates heavenly forgiveness in the story of the Pharisee and the repentant woman. The Pharisee would establish a kingdom of borders where the righteous are set apart from the sinners. Jesus, the invited guest, teaches about the heavenly kingdom where division is demolished by forgiveness.

The repentant woman enjoys a clearer vision than does the righteous Pharisee. The latter is able to recognize Jesus as a rabbi and perhaps a prophet, yet he overlooks traditional signs of Near Eastern hospitality. The woman sees Jesus as one who forgives and welcomes him by anointing his feet. She embraces the protocol of God's kingdom where there are no divisions.

Our attitude must be Christ's. Where we have allowed hurt and pain to become bitterness and division, we must break down the barriers and embrace especially those most in need of forgiveness. The Pharisee has no place in our hearts. To forgive is to love and to love is to live in Christ and the kingdom.

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### **Urgent Appeal**

**Winnipeg Harvest is in dire need of the following items to fill the shelves for our city's hungry:**

1. Canned fish and poultry— tuna or salmon (packed in water) chicken or turkey
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7. Rice— brown, converted or par-boiled
8. Canned spaghetti sauce or tomatoes
9. Cereal— high fibre, non-sugar coated
10. Canned Soup— lentil, pea, vegetable

Cash/Sobey's card donations also gratefully accepted. **Each dollar donated allows Harvest to leverage \$20 worth of food.**

**From the Parish Office:** Staff members are in and out of the Office due to the nature of their responsibilities, or may be away on vacation. **Please call before you come** to ensure that the person you need to see will be available to assist you, and you won't have made a wasted trip! Please note: We are **closed for lunch weekdays 12pm to 1pm.**

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

*Did you know that your purchase of Sobey's Gift cards can help feed the hungry in our city?*

**Our Knights are on hand selling cards in \$25, \$50 or \$100 denominations following weekend Masses.**

To donate your gift card to **Winnipeg Harvest**, simply indicate this at the time of your purchase and a tax receipt will be issued. To date, our parish donation total is **\$3000!**



### **St. John Brebeuf School**

#### **St. John Brebeuf Community Carnival:**

The St. John Brebeuf Community Carnival Committee would like to thank the Knights of Columbus Council #1107, Natural Bakery, all of our vendors and our wonderful volunteers for their help in making our carnival a great success! Many thanks also to all who attended!



**Retirement Celebration:** Please join us for a retirement celebration for Mrs. Margaret Lafreniere, Thursday, June 20 following the 9:00 am Mass with the School, Parish Hall.



#### **Grad Mass:**

All are invited to attend the St. John Brebeuf School 2013 Graduation Mass, Sunday, June 23, 4pm, St. John Brebeuf Church.



For information regarding St. John Brebeuf School, please visit [www.sjbcommunity.ca/school](http://www.sjbcommunity.ca/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](http://www.sjbcommunity.ca)**

## June 15/16: 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, June 16	<b>11th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> 10am: +Cosmo Nocida
Monday, June 17	<b>Weekday Ferial</b> No Mass
Tuesday, June 18	<b>Weekday Ferial</b> 9:15am: +Eva Rennie 7pm: School Board Meeting
Wed., June 19	<b>Weekday Ferial</b> 8:50am: Rosary 9:15am: +Eleanor & Casey Ciastko 10am: Tuxedo Villa
Thursday, June 20	<b>Weekday Ferial</b> 9am: Mass with the School 6pm: Serra Club Barbeque
Friday, June 21	<b>Memorial: St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious</b> 8:50am: Rosary 9:15am: +Doris Fraser
Saturday, June 22	<b>Vigil: 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> 5pm: Missa Pro Populo
Sunday, June 23	<b>12th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> 10am: +Beatrice Green 4pm: St. John Brebeuf School Graduation Mass (All are invited)

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



**Mass Times subject to change.**  
**Regular schedule resumes Sept. 14/15**

**Baptism:** Are you expecting a child or contemplating Baptism for your child? We have returned to seasonal Baptismal Weekends. Our next Baptism Weekend will be **Aug 24/25, 2013**. For information, please contact Tom in the Parish Office.

**First Eucharist:**

Congratulations to Alexander Miles, who was welcomed to the Lord's Table as he celebrated the Sacrament of First Eucharist, Sunday, June 9 at the 10am Mass.



**C.W.L.:** The **June 16** meeting is cancelled. Starting this fall, monthly meetings will be held at 12:30pm on the **FIRST** Sunday of each month from October to May.



**Note to Liturgical Ministers:**

Please check in at the Sacristy prior to summer Masses to see if your help is needed to fill in for those who may be away.

Hospitality Ministers are asked to indicate their availability for the summer months by signing the sheet at the main church entrance.

**St. John Brebeuf Parish Weekly Offerings:**  
**June 8/9: \$3408**

**Rest in Peace:**

+Peter Parson



**"A Swing & A Prayer"** 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary - Golf for Vocations  
 SUNDAY, JULY 21, *St. John Brebeuf Parish Hall, 6pm-11pm*  
*Pre-tournament BBQ & Dance with special Guests - The Beatles*  
 MONDAY, JULY 22, *Breezy Bend Golf & Country Club*  
 You don't golf? That's ok! You can still help. We are in need of prizes. You, your company or organization could sponsor a hole or an event. For more information on Sponsorship Opportunities contact:  
 Phone: 204-452-2227 ext. 228



St. John Brebeuf Parish is hosting the 10th Anniversary Swing and a Prayer Pre-Tournament Barbeque, Sunday, July 21. **Many volunteers are needed to make this a successful event!** We need committee members, servers, and help with set-up and clean-up. Volunteers will receive dinner and enjoy the entertainment.  
**Please call the Parish Office at 204-488-4467 to offer your help!**

**Let us Pray for our Sick and Homebound:**

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

Don Barnicki, Ted and Margaret Bencharski, Nick 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, Therese LaClare, Marvin Lavitt, Robert Lee, Kelly M., Romulo Magsino, Trisha Magnus, Jim Mahon, Paul Mazur, Catherine McLeod, William Mendes, Monica Midgley, Eric Moscarella, Louise Soubry, Jack Tarnava, Bill Thiessen, Suzanne Thille, 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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