



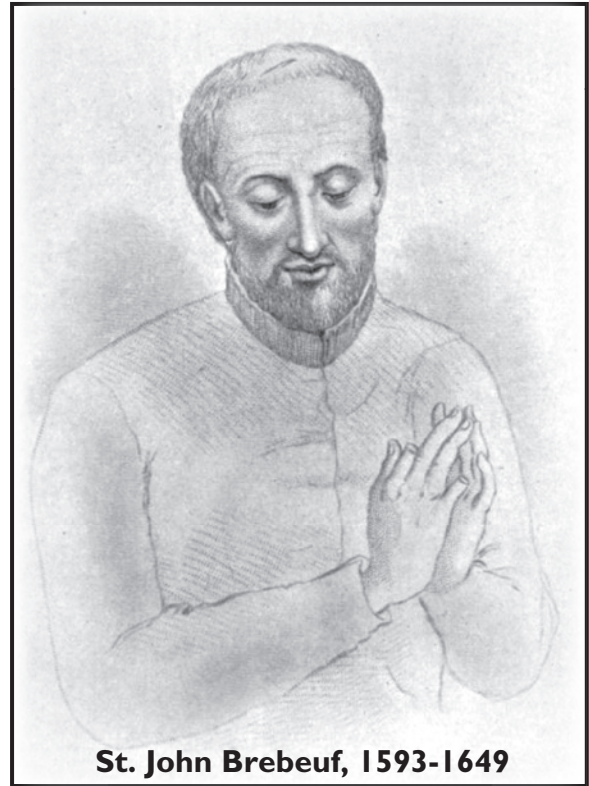
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St. John Brebeuf, 1593-1649

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 11:05am

PASTORAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Father Wayne Morrissey, Pastor ext 213
Deacon Michael Thibert
Claudia Moreta, Pastoral Assistant ext 217
Debbie Dusanek, Administrative Coordinator ext 210
Eddie 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

At this time we ask that all non-essential conversations with parish office staff be conducted by phone or email.

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: Information will be shared through emails and calls.

Knights of Columbus Council 1107: Meetings will be held virtually at 7:30pm, 2nd Wednesday of each month until further notice.

June 19/20, 2021: 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Although faith gatherings are suspended until further notice, Fr Wayne will continue to celebrate Masses privately, praying for the following intentions, and for the health and safety of all St. John Brebeuf parishioners. Mass intentions can be booked through the Parish Office at 204-488-4467.

Saturday, June 19	Vigil: 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time For the People
Sunday, June 20	12th Sunday in Ordinary Time Intentions of all Fathers and Spiritual Fathers
Monday, June 21	Memorial: St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious No Mass
Tuesday June 22	Weekday Ferial For the People 10:30am: Virtual Rosary
Wed., June 23	Weekday Ferial For the People
Thurs., June 24	Solemnity: The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist (Special Patron of French Canadians) For the People 10:30am: Virtual Rosary
Friday, June 25	Weekday Ferial For the People
Saturday, June 26	Vigil: 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time For the People
Sunday, June 27	13th Sunday in Ordinary Time For the People

Virtual Rosary:

Virtual Rosary will be continue to be offered Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10:30 am for the immediate future via Zoom:

<https://zoom.us/join>

Once you have accessed the link, please enter the meeting ID, followed by the pass code.

Meeting ID: 921 8981 5713
Passcode: 91Rx7F

If you experience connection issues, please call Claudia at 204-488-4467 (Ext. 217).

Prayer for Fathers:

God our Father, in your wisdom and love you made all things. Bless these men, that they may be strengthened as Christian fathers. Let the example of their faith and love shine forth. Grant that we, their sons and daughters, may honor them always with a spirit of profound respect. Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen

Prayer Source: *Book of Blessings* by Prepared by International Commission on English in the Liturgy A Joint Commission of Catholic Bishops' Conferences, The Liturgical Press, Collegeville, Minnesota, 1989

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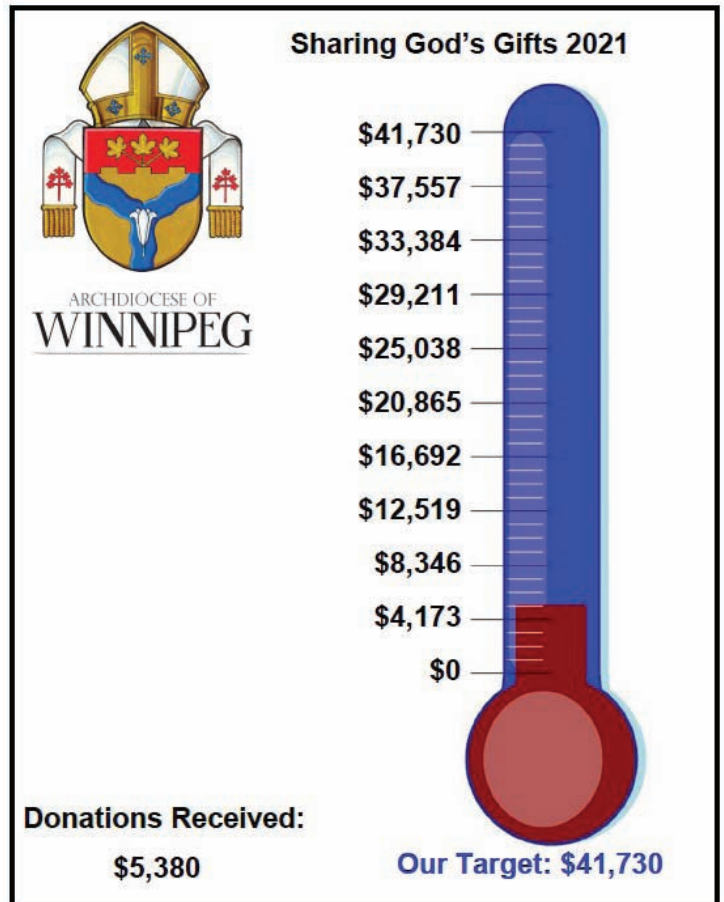
Suspension of Faith Gatherings:

As announced on May 27 by the Provincial Government, all Faith Gatherings, including in-person Masses, continue to be suspended. The celebrations of weddings, funerals and baptisms are permitted, with a maximum of ten (10) attendees. The restrictions will be in place until at least June 26, 2021*. (*Subject to change)

The Parish Office remains closed to the public. All messages are returned as soon as possible.

From Father Wayne:

The virus has deprived us of so many community celebrations over the last fifteen months. This time it's Fathers' Day. We can't gather to celebrate fathers as we would like to, but there can be small, family celebrations of fatherhood. They are very important and will remind us of what is most wonderful about fathers, without forgetting the many fathers who are kept apart from us by distance and isolation. Knowing the long ordeal of the pandemic is coming to an end lifts many spirits these day. We hope and pray the end is in sight. Phased reopening is to start on July 1 and St. John Brebeuf will be ready to go right away. It's clear we won't be at full capacity in the beginning. Reservations for Sunday Mass might still be needed. But I hope things will loosen up fairly quickly. The important thing is to able to celebrate Mass as a community. It might be a while before some familiar things like communion from the cup and shaking hands come back. But we can do what we have to do to be happy, safe and well. In the meantime hold on to an optimistic faith and have a wonderful Fathers' Day. God bless all the fathers we celebrate, honour and love!





BASEMENT RENOVATIONS & RESTORATION PROJECT PROJECT UPDATE

June 2021

St. John Brebeuf Parish and School are set to embark upon renovation and restoration activities over the next number of months. This communique is to provide parishioners with a background to the project along with a project status update.

Background

Over the past number of years, the Parish and School have been in discussion regarding proposed renovations that would provide for much needed upgrades to various areas in the Church Basement that are utilized by the Parish and the School. The specific areas in question requiring renovations and upgrades include the Kitchen/ Servery, Basement Washrooms and the Music Room that is adjacent to the Kitchen/ Servery.

In July 2020, the Parish experienced a water event at the Basement level caused by rupture of an original water pipe that resulted in flooding and significant damage to the Kitchen/ Servery, existing Music Room, Basement Washrooms, Offices along the Basement corridor as well as the corridor itself. Since the restoration of the affected areas became the subject of an insurance claim; the Parish and School elected to integrate the proposed renovations and upgrades to the Kitchen/ Servery, Main Washrooms and Music Room into an overall project. The capital cost of the project is estimated at approximately \$450K and will be partially offset by the insurance claim amount and is being cost-shared between the Parish and the School.

Project Status

In the Fall of 2020, a project Working Group was formed, that included representation from the Parish and the School, and focussed upon the specific needs, details, scheduling and internal management of the project. In the Winter of 2020, a Design Consultant was commissioned towards the development of design and tender documents that would form the basis of the renovations and restoration. In the Spring of 2021, a Construction Manager was engaged to assist in the development of capital cost budgets, proposed construction scheduling and constructibility reviews. Once an approved project budget was confirmed, the Construction Manager would assume the role of the General Contractor and be responsible for the overall renovations and restoration project.

In June 2021, and based upon a formal submission to the Archdiocese of Winnipeg, SJB received approval to proceed with the project. Accordingly, the General Contractor is currently mobilizing and demolition and renovations are set to begin within the next week. The project schedule indicates the work should be completed in approximately 3 months targeting the Fall of 2021 as re-opening of the Church Basement area.

Anyone wishing further information or has queries related to the project is welcome to contact the Parish Office where you will be directed to the appropriate responder.



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