

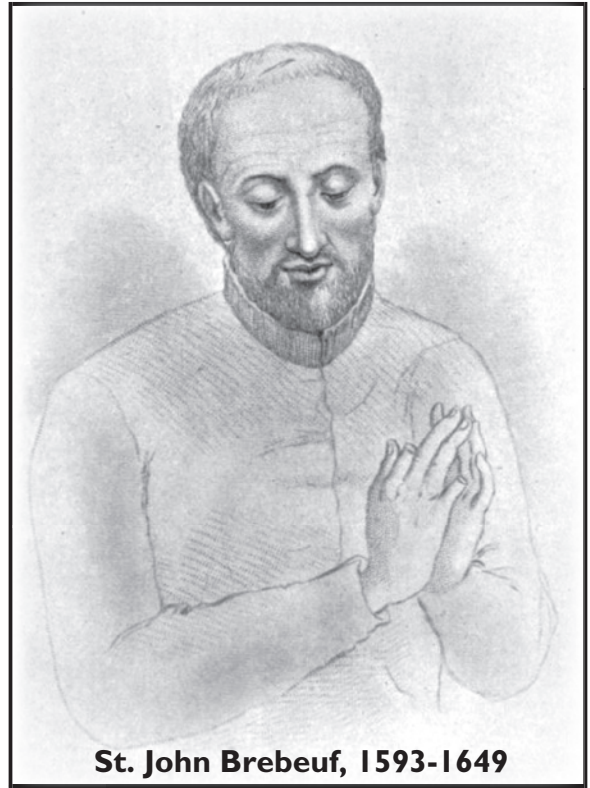


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**St. John Brebeuf, 1593-1649**

### 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 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).

## June 3/4, 2017: Solemnity of Pentecost

Sunday, June 4	<b>Solemnity of Pentecost</b> (Fr. Mark actual 25th Anniversary of Ordination) 10am: Intentions of Fr. Mark Tarrant
Monday, June 5	<b>Weekday Ferial</b> No Mass
Tuesday, June 6	<b>Weekday Ferial</b> 8:50am: Morning Prayer 9:15am: +Claro Venzon
Wed. June 7	<b>Weekday Ferial</b> 8:50am: Rosary 9:15am: +Cornelio Parado
Thursday, June 8	<b>Weekday Ferial</b> 8:50am: Morning Prayer 9:15am: +Harold Midgley 10:15am: Boulton Bay Mass
Friday, June 9	<b>Weekday Ferial</b> 8:50am: Rosary 9:15am: +Fr. Eduard Rheaume, OMI
Saturday, June 10	<b>Vigil: Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity</b> 1pm: Kevin Ross & Erica Defoort Marriage 5pm: Intentions of Fr. Mark
Sunday, June 11	<b>Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity</b> (Mass with Baptism) 10am: Missa Pro Populo

**Baptism:** Are you expecting a child or contemplating Baptism for your child? For further information, please contact Tom in the Parish Office at (204) 488-4467, ext. 217 or tombr@sjbcommunity.ca

**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 at (204) 488-4467 ext. 217. Sessions are held Sundays from 10:30-11:30am.

### **Archdiocese of Winnipeg**

**Holy Hour for Vocations:** Recently we have celebrated the "Good Shepherd Sunday", the World Day of Prayer for Vocations. We would like to unite our prayers to those of the Universal Church in asking the Lord to "send labourers into his harvest" (cf. Lk 10:2) - that He would raise up from our midst priests and religious who would serve God and His people with their whole hearts. Come join us in praying for this intention on **June 25th, 2017 at 7:00pm** at St. Mary's Cathedral (353 St. Mary Ave.), Archbishop Richard Gagnon, Presider. For further information, please contact Peter Nemcek, Vocations Director: 204-452-2227 or pnemcek@archwinnipeg.ca



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

**Sobeys Cards:** 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 when purchasing. A tax receipt will be issued. Gift cards can be used at Sobeys and Safeway stores!



### **St. John Brebeuf Parish Weekly Offerings:**

**May 27/28: \$5,582**

For the sake of our earth, please consider sharing your gifts through pre-authorized donations.

### **Least Coin Collection:**

A 2nd collection of pocket change taken immediately after the offertory. Used for our ongoing ministry of charity.

**May 27/28: \$739**

**2017 Total to date: \$9,953**

### **Sharing God's Gifts:**

Our Target: **\$56,290**

Donations and Pledges to date: **\$10,860**

In this transitional year, please consider making a pledge to ensure that we are able to fulfill our share of supporting the pastoral work of the Archdiocese.

Pledge forms/Envelopes are available at main church entrances or contact Mira at 204-488-4467 (Ext. 211) to learn more about our convenient donation options, or to make a pledge.



### **Serena Manitoba:**

Serena offers a comprehensive course on the Sympto-Thermal Method of natural family planning.

Next class:

Saturday, July 29, 2017, 10am-12:30pm

Registration fee: \$150/couple

Information/Registration: mbserena@gmail.com



### **Summer Mass Schedule:** (May 21 -Sept 10, 2017)

**Masses on the Lord's Day:**

Saturday: 5pm Sunday: 10am

**Weekday Masses:** Tues. to Fri. 9:15am



### **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., Joe Brekelmans, Marie M., Don Barnicki, Gisèle Bertalanffy, Stephanie Blair, David Bruneau, Cathy Burke, Kathleen Foster, Irene Glass, Janice Harvey, Leslie Hiebert, Kay Hunt, J.D., Carol Kruse, Paul L., Sr. Cathy Laviolette, Marvin Lavitt, Robert Lee, M.M., David M., Debra M., Kelly M., Romulo Magsino, Trisha Magnus, Paul Mazur, William Mendes, Monica Midgley, Tiago Miranda, Sandra Moore, Eric Moscarella, John Mulhern, Peter, Adeline Schmidt, Louise Soubry, Brenda T., Joan Vadas, W.J., Geraldine Walker, Brian Woods

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

## June 3/4, 2017: Solemnity of Pentecost

**Pentecost Sunday: Acts 2:1-11; Psalm 104; 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13; John 20:19-23**

Voices that were once easily ignored or dismissed now have a platform in the mainstream. People were once encouraged to hide their differences; now we are finding encouragement to embrace and celebrate diversity. This awakening to the experiences of people from the margins stretches the fabric of our society. It challenges the supposed unity that once existed. Politically, this phenomenon has given rise to populist movements that have promised their adherents protection against the emerging reality of pluralism. We might sit back in our chair and cluck our tongues at the naivety of a movement that treats society like a room with a door that can simply be shut and locked, but that doesn't remove the genuine appeal that such a notion has. Even in our open-mindedness, there's probably some group of people that we wouldn't object shutting the door on in the name of unity.

What to make of our differences is a real paradox. Ignoring them results in a false harmony; uncritically accepting them pushes away others. The scene at Pentecost in the Acts of the Apostles saw a gathering of devout Jews from around the Mediterranean. Though they were all ancestors of David, they were prevented from understanding each other due to the many different languages they spoke. Yet, the Holy Spirit rushed in and rested on them, allowing the crowd to understand the group Galileans. The disciples of Jesus addressed the crowd and testified to the great work of God's power manifest in the life, death, and resurrection of Christ. The group was not made to speak one single language. Rather, the Spirit gave understanding to each, so that they heard the apostles' preach to them in their own language. Their diversity was maintained, even as the Holy Spirit brought them together as one.

Today, more than ever, we gather in need of this same Spirit. God brings us together while preserving the unique perspective each of us brings. The Holy Spirit draws from our varied array of experiences to work for the common good of all, so we can enjoy true peace in our community. The peace that God brings is not founded on a glossy uniformity, where each disciple is molded the same way. Nor is God's peace a capricious free-for-all, subject to the fickle whims of individuals. We can offer to God the messiness of our lives, our conflicts and our failings. The Holy Spirit weaves these tenuous threads together, finding a place in our common story for each of our experiences. God places these alongside each other, so even the ugliest parts of our lives take on new significance. The Spirit spins the fraying ends together, so what seemed like a weak link in the chain suddenly emerges as the cornerstone of our renewal. So we can dare to listen to stories and perspectives we would rather shut out, because the Holy Spirit connects us together in ways we wouldn't have imagined.

~Tom Bailey-Robertson, Pastoral Associate

### First Eucharist 2017

On May 27th & 28th, thirty-three of our St John Brebeuf School and Parish Year Two Catechism program were welcomed to the Lord's Table as they celebrated the Sacrament of First Eucharist.

Congratulations to our 2017 First Eucharist Candidates:

Maeve Boland	Thomas Hamedani	Leandro Melo	Noah Senkowsky
Isabella Cesario	Khanh Hoang	Giuseppe Morganti	Grace Shilliday
Xabi Clemente	Tomas Holtmann	Bella Penner	Kylie Suarez
Javier Cordova	Eden Jones	Niccolo Pawarchuk	Gabriela Suver
Ella Denis	Michael Kenny	Daria Piotrowicz	Pietra Velloso
Lana Simoune Enriquez	Emerson Kollinger	Mila Redekop	Caelen Yung
Ivan Frayer	Vivienne Lam	Jaiden Rolstone	Hannah Zakaluk
Ava Grande	Hailee Linsangan	Nino Santos	Aragorn Jordan Zosa

Special thanks to all who journeyed with the children through the year of preparation, and those who made the Friendship Party possible:

Knights of Columbus #1107, St John Brebeuf C.W.L.  
Sylvia Hood, Carol Maynard, Debbie Sommerfelt



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](http://www.sjbcommunity.ca). Please return completed form via the offertory collection or forward to the Parish Office.

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