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St. John Brebeuf, 1593-1649

MASS SCHEDULE

Masses on the Lord's Day:

Saturday 5:00pm
Sunday 9:30am & 11:30am

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: Weekly during the 9:30am Mass

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

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, 4:30pm or by appointment.

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.

Funerals: Please speak to Fr. Wayne **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).

March 30/31, 2019: Fourth Sunday of Lent

Saturday, March 30	Vigil: 4th Sunday of Lent 5pm: +John Scollin
Sunday, March 31	4th Sunday of Lent 9:30am: +Nada Fabijanic 11:30am: +For the People
Monday, April 1	Weekday Ferial No Mass 1:30pm: Lectio Divina
Tuesday, April 2	Weekday Ferial 8:50am: Morning Prayer 9:15am: +Jules Pachkowski 7pm: Holy Rosary Lenten Reconciliation
Wed., April 3	Weekday Ferial 8:50am: Rosary 9:15am: +Fran Van Wallegem
Thursday, April 4	Weekday Ferial 8:50am: Morning Prayer 9:15am: +Laura Hanna
Friday, April 5	Weekday Ferial 8:50am: Rosary 9:15am: +Robert Minkus 9:45am-Noon: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with Benediction 7pm: Stations of the Cross
Saturday, April 6	Vigil: 5th Sunday of Lent 5pm: For the People
Sunday, April 7	5th Sunday of Lent 9:30am: +Bertha O'Brecht 10:35am: Children's Catechism 11:30am: +Harold Midgley 12:30pm: C.W.L. Meeting 1pm: Confirmation Session



Holy Thursday Foot Washing:

Those wishing to have their feet washed at this year's Mass of the Lord's Supper, Thursday, April 18 at 7:30pm, are invited to sign up at the main church entrance.

Ministry of the Word (Readers):

Ministers of the Word are needed for all weekend Masses; particularly 11:30am. For further information or to indicate your interest, please contact Jane at jalderdice@mymts.net or 204-941-9917.

St. John Brebeuf Weekly Offerings:

March 23/24: \$4,178.25

Pre-Authorized Donations for March: \$17,838

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., Marcel Belanger, Shelby Brekelmans, Marie M., Don Barnicki, Gisèle Bertalanffy, Stephanie Blair,
David Bruneau, Cathy Burke, John Derrick, Kathleen Foster, Irene Glass, Janice Harvey, Kay Hunt, J.D.,
Sr. Cathy Laviolette, Rosemarie LeBane, Marvin Lavitt, Robert Lee, Romulo Magsino, Trisha Magnus, Lucille Mahon
Paul Mazur, William Mendes, Monica Midgley, Tiago Miranda, Peter, Marge Slugoski,
Louise Soubry, Brenda T., Henk Vis, Brian Woods

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

Lent 2019:

Fridays during Lent:

Stations of the Cross begins at 7pm
(Please enter via wooden church doors.)



Lenten Reflection Books:

Copies of the little black Lenten Reflection Books for adults are still available at the church entrances.

32nd Annual

Public Way of the Cross:

"Walking Together in God's Embrace"

Friday, April 19

Good Shepherd Parish

1125 Saskatchewan Ave. East

Portage la Prairie

Gathering: 10am

Opening Prayer: 10:30am

Following the closing prayer at the end of the procession, all are invited to the church hall for light refreshments

This year's theme:

"For all who are led by the Spirit of God, are children of God" ~Rms 8:14



Baptism: Are you expecting a child or contemplating Baptism for your child? For further information, please contact Claudia at (204) 488-4467 (Ext. 217).

First Reconciliation/First Eucharist:

Sacrament of First Eucharist:

Coming up:

Rehearsal and Friendship Celebration: Saturday, May 4, 9:30am-2pm (Church and Parish Hall)

Sacrament of 1st Eucharist:

Saturday, May 4, 5pm and Sunday, May 5, 9:30am and 11:30am



Easter Flowers:

For Easter, parishioners can sponsor plants for our worship space in gratitude for loved ones, living or deceased. Tags are \$10 each, and can be purchased at the Parish Office.



Confirmation:

Sacrament of Confirmation:

St. John Brebeuf date: Tuesday, June 4, 7pm
Archbishop Richard Gagnon, Presider



Rest in Peace:

+Laura Hanna
+John Willcock



March 30/31, 2019: Fourth Sunday of Lent

Mary's Love So Bright:

Mary's Love So Bright is an opportunity to come together as community to help shine Mary's light on those in need through the donation of our loose pocket change.

A special box has been set up next to Our Lady's statue at the main church entrance. 100% of funds received will be allocated to charitable organizations in our midst. In addition, the net proceeds of all candle donations will be added to this fund.

As you enter or leave the church for Mass, please empty your pockets or purses for the poor, and enjoy the artwork of our children from St. John Brebeuf School. For those wishing to make larger donations, dedicated envelopes are available at the main church entrance, and funds identified as donations to this project will be added to your annual parish tax receipt. Working together, our small change can bring great change for those in need in our community as we spread Mary's Love So Bright!

March 23/24: **\$168.85**



Pilgrim Queen of the Family

The Pilgrim Queen Home Shrine is a simple wooden triptych with the iconic image of Our Lady of Guadalupe as its centerpiece; flanked by a rosary and the four sets of Mysteries on one side, and a pledge to dutifully pray the Rosary on the other. It comes with a Guide of prayers and meditations that help us to focus on Our Lady's prayers, and is an effective means of facilitating family prayer; specifically the praying of the Rosary, and the fostering of devotion to Mary.

Families and individuals can sign up to receive the Pilgrim Queen of the Family into their homes. A sign-up sheet is available at the main church entrance. For more information, please contact Claudia in the Parish Office at 204-488-4467 (Ext. 217). The triptych is on display beside the statue of Mary at the main entrance.

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 when purchasing. A tax receipt will be issued.

Gift cards can be used at Sobeys **and** Safeway stores! **Each dollar donated allows Harvest to leverage \$20 worth of food. 2019 Total to Date: \$1,600**



Archdiocese of Winnipeg South Winnipeg Deanery



Sacrament of Reconciliation in Lent 2019

This year, the priests of our South Winnipeg Deanery made the decision that the parishes would provide three Lenten Reconciliation services in the Deanery:

Tuesday, April 2
7pm

Holy Rosary Church
510 River Ave.

Wednesday, April 10
9:30am

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church
4588 Roblin Blvd.

Wednesday, April 17
7pm

St. Gianna Beretta Molla Church
15 Columbia Drive

If you cannot attend at any of these times, the Sacrament of Reconciliation is offered at St. John Brebeuf Parish on Saturday's at 4:30pm, or by appointment.

Immaculate Conception Drop-In Centre:

On Easter Sunday, April 21

Immaculate Conception Drop-In Centre is counting on St. John Brebeuf to provide a hot meal for over 250 of our city's poorest children, women and men. Your help is needed to prepare a batch (or more) of stew. Meat is provided by the parish and an easy stew recipe is available. Prepared stew should be dropped off at the church on Easter Sunday morning. Call Jane at (204) 488-0893 if you can help.




Development and Peace:

Share the journey with those forcibly displaced in Columbia



In Columbia, over 6.5 million people have been forcibly displaced due to conflict, violence, natural disasters, and development projects. With your support, Development and Peace's partner, the National Agrarian Coordination (NAC), is working with indigenous women, many of whom are victims of forced displacement, to help them gain the skills and confidence to be intermediaries with the authorities. By promoting inclusive and participatory democracies, we are addressing one of the root causes of forced immigration!

Next week is Solidarity Sunday, when the Share Lent collection in support of the work of Development and Peace will take place. Your generosity has a real impact on the lives of our sisters and brothers in the Global South. Donation envelopes are at all church entrances.

 **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. Please return completed form via offertory collection or forward to the Parish Office.



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