

### ST. JOHN BREBEUF ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH

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#### ST. JOHN BREBEUF CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Kindergarten to Grade 8 605 Renfrew Street Winnipeg, Manitoba R3N IJ8 Phone: (204) 489-2115 Fax: (204) 928-7455

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#### MASSES ON THE LORD'S DAY

Saturday 5pm (Vigil of Sunday) Sunday 9:30am & 11:30am Gathering begins 10 minutes before Mass

#### **WEEKDAY MASS**

Tuesday to Friday 9:15am (Check bulletin)

#### 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
Laura Carreiro, Principal	ext 242
Tom Bailey-Robertson, Pastoral Associate	ext 217
Deacon Joseph McLellan	ext 245
Genevieve Makinson, Financial Administrator	ext 211
Eddie Melo, Building Operations	ext 220
Debbie Dusanek, Parish Admin. Assistant	ext 210
Deb Bernier, School Admin. Assistant	ext 241

# Parish Office Hours Monday to Friday 9:00am to 4:00pm Closed for Lunch 12:00pm—1:00pm

For admittance to the Church or the School Offices during office hours, please use the intercom button located at the Renfrew School Entrance, the Courtyard or the Parking Lot door.

"Missioned to Stewardship, we 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 Parish Office Catechism: Spiritual Journeying: Margaret Kingdon

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturday, 4:15 to 4:45pm (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 call the Parish Office <u>before</u> contacting a Funeral Home.

**Catholic Women's League:** Meets at 7:30pm on the Fourth Tuesday of the month. (September to June)

Knights of Columbus Council 1107: Meets at 7:30pm on the second Wednesday of the month (September to June).

Grand Knight - Mike Garlinski 255-5195

#### NOVEMBER 12/13 2011 THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Vigil: 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time			
Sat., Nov. 12	5pm	Mass: Int. of Kevin Nikkel	
33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time			
Sunday, Nov. 13	9:30 am 11:30am 5:30 pm	+Ted Charne Sr.	
Weekday Ferial			
Monday, Nov. 14	No Mass 1:30 pm 7pm	Lectio Divina Mindful Breathing Exercises	
Weekday Ferial			
Tuesday, Nov. 15	9:15am	Mass: +Manuel Inecio	
Weekday Ferial			
Wed., Nov. 16	9:15am 10am 7:00pm	Int. of Tuxedo Villa Residents	
Memorial: St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious			
Thursday, Nov. 17	9:15am 10am	Mass: +Warren Woods Bereavement Group	
Weekday Ferial			
Friday, Nov. 18	9:15am 7pm		
Vigil: Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ the King Baptism Weekend			
Sat., Nov. 19	5pm	Mass: +Elisa Freitas Tulley	
Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ the King Baptism Weekend			
Sunday, Nov. 20	9:30 am 11:30am	Mass: Missa Pro Populo Mass: +Angela Dronzek	

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

Nov. 5/6, 2011 Envelopes: \$6606.00

Please include name and address *each week*. For info. on Pre-Authorized Payments call 488-4467.

Children's Catechesis and Sacramental Preparation, 2011/2012 Session: If you have not yet registered for the 2011/2012 year, forms are available at the main church entrance, the Parish Office, or on the parish web site: www.sjbcommunity.ca For further information, please contact Tom Bailey-Robertson at tombr@sjbcommunity.ca or 488-4467 (Ext. 217).

<u>Catechism:</u> Classes for Year 1 (Age 6) to Year 8 (Age 13) are offered for all children in our parish. Registration required. **Catechists are still needed for the 2011/2012 year.** If you can help, please contact Tom at 488-4467 (Ext. 217). Classes are held Sundays, 10:40am in the school. Registrations still being accepted.

<u>First Reconciliation/First Eucharist:</u> Sacramental preparation is offered for children in Year 2 Catechism and Grade 2, St. John Brebeuf School leading to the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Eucharist in 2012. Registration required. **Parent Info. Evening:** Nov. 29, 7pm, Parish Hall.

<u>Confirmation:</u> Parish youth born in 1997 or earlier who are seeking to embark on the journey to Confirmation are asked to register for the 2011/2012 session. **Evening 3: Nov. 20, 7pm, Parish Hall.** 

Share the Word: Liturgy of the Word for pre-school children aged 3 to 5 that takes place during Sunday, 9:30 am Mass, from Oct. to May. Parent volunteers are needed to guide children through these sessions. A commitment of approximately one Sunday per month is requested. If interested, please contact Anita at 475-0444 or 230-2905. This year's sessions will take place every second Sunday. Next session: Nov. 27.

Praying for the Dead: Catholics believe that after you die you might go to heaven, hell or purgatory. Because of this, we believe that people who have died can be helped by our prayers and we have a strong



tradition of praying for the dead. As well as regularly praying for the dead, and especially those we have loved, we often particularly remember the deceased on the anniversary of their death. November is a month when we remember all the dead. You are invited to write the names of your deceased loved ones in the "Book of the Names of the Dead", which will be in a prominent place during the month of November.

Let us Pray for our Sick and Homebound: Therefore...pray for one another, so that you may be healed, (James 5:15) Allison, Anna Bartman, Gisèle Bertalanffy, Helen Borody, Sr. Bernard Degannes, Francisco Castaneda, Frank Cielen, Mario Di Fonzo, Gus Fiorentino, Rita Goderis, Janice Harvey, Heather & Mark, Leslie Hiebert, Alex Hoff, Kay Hunt, Erika Hunzinger, Madison Konevsky, Romulo Magsino, Jim Mahon, Paul Mazur, Fr. Thomas McGivern, Catherine McLeod, James Mendes, William Mendes, Monica Midgley, Miguel Family, Eric Moscarella, Cosmo Nocida, Mary Paquette, Jackie Smith, Tom Stefanson, Julia Van De Spiegle, Geraldine Walker, Brian Woods, Wajih Zeid.

If someone in your family is ill and requests the prayers of the parish community, please contact the parish office. To have names printed, we require permission requesting that their name be added to or removed from the prayer list.

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**Christian Outreach:** November 2011

Our Place/Chez Nous:

#### **Urgent Appeal from Our Place/Chez Nous:**

As the colder weather approaches, Our Place/Chez Nous has an urgent need for warm winter clothing and footwear. Most needed items include:

- + Long Underwear and Socks
- Dark-Coloured Mitts, Toques & Gloves
- + Fleece Wear and Sweaters
- Warm Winter Outerwear & Footwear
- Sheets, Towels, Men's Jeans and Running Shoes Please drop off donations at main church entrance bin.

Our Place/Chez Nous Backpack project: New and gently used backpacks, along with toiletries, dark coloured toques, mitts, gloves, Christmas candies and granola bars.

**Spare Change for the Poor:** Spare change & bills for Our Place/Chez Nous.

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Immaculate Conception Drop-In Centre: St. John Brebeuf's next service day is Sunday, November 27. Your help is needed to prepare a batch or more of stew using meat provided by the Parish. Prepared food is to be dropped off at the church the morning of Nov. 27. Please call Jane at 488-0893 to offer your help.

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Winnipeg Harvest: Until there is no longer a need for food banks in our community, we will HARVEST continue to collect non-perishable food items for Winnipeg Harvest. Please share what you can.

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

Sobeys Gift Card Fundraiser: Purchase Sobeys Gift Cards, \$25, \$50 or \$100 denominations after weekend Masses. Cash, cheque, debit, Visa and MC accepted. Redeemable at Sobeys, IGA, Price Choppers. Your purchase of Sobeys Gift Cards can help the hungry in our midst. Indicate that you would like to donate your Sobeys Gift Card to Winnipeg Harvest, and they will send you a tax receipt in recognition of your donation.

<u>Serra Club:</u> Serra Club's Archbishop's Burse Dinner, Nov. 24, 2011, Caboto Centre. Tickets: \$80, through Guy Coughlin, 953-4600. Proceeds to help defray the costs for Seminarians.

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

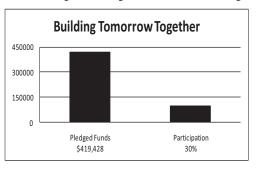
Our Target: \$67,880.00

Current Pledges & Donations: \$38,785.00

Donation envelopes available at both church entrances.

#### St. John Brebeuf Capital Campaign:

"Serve joyfully, Give generously, Live responsibly, Possess sensibly"



#### **Pastoral Associate:**

#### The "Investment Banker" of God's Gifts

When I ask people why they do not come to church, the number one answer is unequivocally, "I don't get anything out of it." We hear today in Matthew's Gospel that it is God who expects to get something out of us. This can be intimidating-as it was for the third slave who buried God's talent out of fear. What do we possibly have to offer to God? The good news is that God blesses us with gifts, so we need not fear that God demand of us something we are not capable of. Baptized and Confirmed in Christ, we share in Jesus' three-fold identity as priest, prophet, and king\queen. God equips us to bless the world and make it holy (our priestly mission); to proclaim the good news of the Gospel (our prophetic mission); and to govern what has been entrusted to us as stewards (our royal mission). God calls for us to joyfully invest the gifts given to us, rather than hide them. A pastoral associate is a lay minister who helps the faithful discern and form their gifts to serve the Church's three-fold mission. My job is to help the St. John Brebeuf community invest their gifts in servant-leadership. God has given you gifts; come and see me if you feel like they are buried. ~Tom Bailey-Robertson

#### **Development and Peace:**

#### **Ecological Justice Solidarity Card Signing!**

- + Show your support for Small Scale Farmers
- Cards available next week after Mass or sign online: www.devp.org/devp.org/devpme/main-eng.html
   Caritas relief for Africa and Turkey is ongoing. Use the D&P emergency envelopes at both church entrances or donate online at http://www.devp.org

<u>Friday Night at the Movies:</u> "Invictus", Nov. 18, 7pm, Parish Hall. Details at main entrance bulletin board.

Visiting us today? **Welcome!** If you are new to our area, and are seeking a new parish family, we invite you to join us. Forms may be found on the bulletin boards at the main entrances. Please fill out and drop in the collection basket or contact the Parish Office for further information about our parish and school, or, visit our web site at www.sibcommunity.ca.

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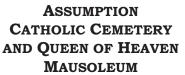
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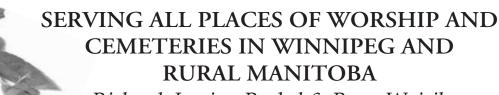
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