



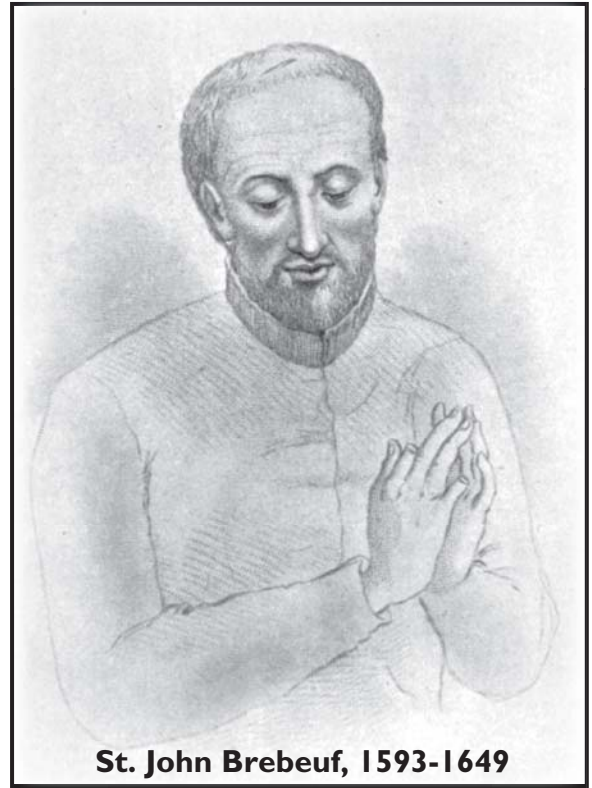
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St. John Brebeuf, 1593-1649

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: 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.

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.

November 21/22, 2020: Solemnity of Christ the King

Although public services are cancelled 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.

Saturday, Nov. 21	Vigil: Solemnity of Christ the King 5pm: For the People
Sunday, Nov. 22	Solemnity of Christ the King 10am: +Julie Anne Cushing
Monday, Nov. 23	Weekday Ferial No Mass
Tuesday, Nov. 24	Memorial: St. Andrew Dũng-Lac, Priest and Companions, Martyrs 9:15am: Intentions of Diana Ludwig
Wed., Nov. 25	Weekday Ferial 9:15am: Intentions of Midgley Family
Thursday, Nov. 26	Weekday Ferial 9:15am: +Deceased McGinn Family Members
Friday, Nov. 27	Weekday Ferial 9:15am: +Bernice Savage
Saturday, Nov. 28	Vigil: 1st Sunday of Advent 5pm: For the People
Sunday, Nov. 29	1st Sunday of Advent 10am: +Jack Yablonski

Updated COVID-19 Public Gathering Restrictions as of November 12, 2020 (Code Red):

As of 12:01am Thursday, November 12, 2020, all churches, chapels and mission places of worship are to suspend all public services for a period of at least four (4) weeks or until further notice.

Therefore, **all public services at St. John Brebeuf Parish are cancelled until further notice.**

The celebration of funeral Masses is permitted within the provincial restriction of five (5) people in attendance.

Live streaming of Sunday Masses (11am) is available at www.archwinnipeg.ca, where you will also find other valuable resources such as the Archbishop's weekly Friday report.

Also during the Code Red Restrictions, the Parish Office is closed until further notice.

Phone messages and emails will be returned as soon as possible: 204-488-4467
parishoffice@sjbcommunity.ca

Updates will be posted on the parish website:
www.sjbcommunity.ca

If the parish does not have your current email address and phone number on file, we ask that you email us so that we may update our records.

From Father Wayne:

This second shutdown is no easier than the first to live with, I find. The routines are more familiar, but the separation from normal social life feels just as strange. I celebrate Mass in our big empty Church all by myself. It reminds me of the timelessness and universality of the liturgy, but nothing makes up for not having the worshipping community there with me. The disruption of life has gone on longer than I thought it would when it started last Spring. With treatments and vaccines on the way, the way back to normal living seems to be in sight. Until better days we are sustained by faith, hope, and knowing we are enduring the shutdown for the common good. Let's support each other with prayer. And pray for those who have suffered more than most. We are already talking about how our communities will get back to normal life in our priests' meetings. May those days come soon!

~Fr. Wayne

From Archbishop Gagnon:

We are all aware that the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic continue. In light of this: ***the dispensation from the Sunday obligation to attend Mass is granted to the faithful through January 1, 2021.*** Obviously this could change depending on circumstances.



Sharing Your Gifts:

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all who have donated to the parish during the pandemic. As the costs of running the parish continue during this challenging time, we ask that you consider sharing your gifts through one of our convenient **pre-authorized giving options**.

Your offering will be deducted from your bank account or credit card once per month. Forms and further information are available at www.sjbcommunity.ca. Envelope holders can consider mailing their offerings to the parish office.

Baptism:

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

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, Marie M., Gisèle Bertalanffy, Stephanie Blair, John Derrick,
Kathleen Foster, Irene Glass, Janice Harvey, J.D., Sr. Cathy Laviolette, René Lachance,
Marvin Lavitt, Robert Lee, Romulo Magsino, Elton Malacaman, Trisha Magnus,
William Mendes, Monica Midgley, Tiago Miranda, Marge Slugoski, Evie Tanner, Brenda T., Henk Vis

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

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Children's Faith Formation 2020-2021 (Online Format):

Online classes began Sunday, October 18 and will continue as per the schedule (available at www.sjbcommunity.ca). Please note that:

- Grades 4 to 6 start time will change to **Noon to 12:30pm** to accommodate families with more than one child.
- The scheduled class time for the other grades remains at **11:30am to Noon**.

Registrations are still being accepted for the 2020-2021 year at <http://www.sjbcommunity.ca/faith-formation/>
Registered students will receive a Pflaum booklet and will be working with online resources, crafts and fun activities at home. A catechist will contact you to provide an online link for the classes.

1st Reconciliation/1st Eucharist:

Parents of children in grade 2 who have not registered are asked to register online at www.sjbcommunity.ca as soon as possible for the Sacramental preparation for 1st Reconciliation and 1st Eucharist. This year, parent meetings will be held online, and books will be provided by the parish. Candidates will be asked to sign up for a one-on-one 1st Reconciliation with Fr Wayne on one of three Saturday's during Lent. There will be in-person rehearsal and the Sacrament of 1st Eucharist will take place in the spring. Please watch the parish bulletin and website for a list of important dates, available soon.

Sacrament of Confirmation:

Parents of children in Grade 8 (and those in higher grades who have not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation) are asked to register online at www.sjbcommunity.ca for preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation. Classes will be held online this year, with books provided by the parish. There will be in-person rehearsal and Confirmation Mass next spring. A list of important dates is available on the parish website.

For further information, please leave a message for Claudia Moreta, Pastoral Assistant at 204-488-4467 (Ext. 217) or email cmoreta@sjbcommunity.ca

On the Way Magazine - Now Available!

We are pleased to publish the 2020 Fall edition of *On the Way*, a publication of the Archdiocese of Winnipeg. The theme of this issue is "Hope".

Since access to our churches is limited at the present time, physical copies of this edition of *On the Way* will not be distributed to the parishes. Instead, you may enjoy the magazine through any of your devices, come back to it anytime on our website, or you may print your own copy at home.

We sincerely thank our contributors for sharing their precious stories of faith. Within our families and as a community, let us continue to reflect on the providence of God in our lives, always and everywhere.

Archbishop Richard Gagnon said in his article, "We have all the necessary means to assist one another in maintaining our communities and for re-building them during this pandemic. Through solidarity, mutual outreach, good inter-community communications (telephone and social media), rich and persevering spiritual practices, and careful protection, especially among the most vulnerable, we will be successful with God's help. We must never take our families for granted, nor should we take our communities for granted."

Our Place/Chez Nous:

Our Place/Chez Nous is re-opening for the sorting and distribution of clothing, especially warm clothing, now that winter is coming:
Parkas, Boots, Toques, Mitts, etc.

We appreciate your ongoing support of our work with our friends on the street, and welcome any clothing donations you are able to give us. For pick-up and/or delivery, please contact Larry at 204-474-1247 or John at 204-488-4076.



Life's Vision Online Events:

The Dying Healed Program (Nov. 23, 30 & Dec 7, 7pm to 8:30pm online) prepares the average person to visit and provide companionship to vulnerable people experiencing loneliness due to illness, disability and end of life issues. Email lifsvision@shaw.ca or call (204) 223-8047 to register.



Development and Peace:

As our parish Development and Peace collection has once again been delayed due to church closure, those wishing to donate can do so directly through Development and Peace: www.dev.org



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*November is the month when we remember all the dead.
Please pray for all who have gone before us.
May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.*



If you wish to join St. John Brebeuf Parish, registration forms can be found at www.sjbcommunity.ca. Please return completed form to the Parish Office via email or mail.



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