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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
Catechism: Parish Office
Spiritual Journeying: Margaret Kingdon

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 2:00pm on the third Sunday 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

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

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.

OCTOBER 20/21, 2012: TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

We tend to envy those who have made it to the top for their power and prestige. On the surface we see privilege and status, but much deeper are the obligations that come with leadership. Today's readings regard the top as the position of greatest service.

The servant in the first reading represents those who are willing to share in a new and daring enterprise. By accepting this call the servant opens himself to suffering on behalf of the people. The leader's suffering will restore all to life with God.

The author of Hebrews portrays Jesus as the model of self-giving -- a model who encourages all people. The author speaks of Jesus' divinity but does not disparage his humanity. Jesus is tempted; he is human. Therefore, the Lord is able to help all who are tempted. Jesus' suffering leads to perfection -- a perfection that results in eternal salvation.

In today's gospel passage, James and John seek positions of honor when the Lord comes into his glory. Jesus explains that real honor is bound up with suffering. The "cup" is nothing less than the passion. Some people exercise their status in a show of power. By contrast, those who aspire to greatness in the Lord's kingdom must be servants. Genuine honor is found only in generous service.



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Christian Outreach:

Immaculate Conception Drop-In Centre: St. John Brebeuf's next service day is **Sunday, November 25**. 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. 25. Please call Jane at 488-0893 to offer your help

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



Knights of Columbus #1107: Purchase Sobey's Gift Cards, (\$25, \$50 or \$10) after weekend Masses. (Cash, cheque, debit, Visa, MC) Redeemable at **Sobeys, IGA and Price Choppers**. Help the Knights to help our church, school and community, or to donate your gift card to **Winnipeg Harvest** and they will issue you a tax receipt.



World Mission Sunday: Today is World Mission Sunday, when every Catholic community and parish worldwide takes part in a global effort to bring spiritual and material help to our brothers and sisters who long for hope and love that comes from knowing Christ's love for them. Your kind support will assist all missionaries across the world, and help new churches grow, be strong and vital faith communities. Please continue to pray for all those who serve in mission countries and be generous in your support of their work.



Singers Required: *Celebrating our Journey Together: Building Community in the Archdiocese of Winnipeg Since Vatican II* invites singers to join the choir for the Music Through the Ages on Friday evening, Oct. 26. If you have been involved in music ministry, can read music, and love to sing, join us! Practice is Monday, Oct. 22, 7-9pm, St. Vital Church.

Changes in the Mass:

Q: Has the Mass always been the way it is now?

A: The way we worship now has a long and complicated history. The most recent changes that came from the Second Vatican Council are what most adults talk about when they refer to "the changes." While retaining the basic purpose of the ritual, Mass has its deepest origins in the Jewish "Sabbath Suppers." Down through the years it has included many cultural and ritual variations. We tend to think that the Mass is an action that never changes. This is far from the truth. Just as one example, the language of the Mass has changed from Hebrew to Greek to Latin to the vernacular. The way we worship is not a museum piece but the living, breathing, changing work of a people seeking to touch God through word and gesture, song and prayer, sign and symbol. You may have heard that there are more changes coming. This should reassure us that the church is still living and growing.

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Funeral Planning Workshop: A Funeral Planning and Advance Directives Workshop will be held **Nov. 6, 7-8:30pm** in the Parish Hall. It's been said that the only guarantees in life are death and taxes; this workshop will help you plan for both. Learn about what goes into a Christian funeral, and get advice on advance medical directives and estate matters. Making end-of-life decisions ahead of time will save your family from feelings of confusion and uncertainty during the most difficult of times. Live with peace of mind knowing your affairs are in order.

Jubilee Fund Art & Antique Auction
Oct. 23, Canad Inns Polo Park

Registration, Viewing & Refreshments: 5:30 pm
Live Bidding: 7:00 pm. Admission: \$10 donation.
To view items: visit www.jubileefund.ca



Visiting us today? Welcome! If you are new to our area, and are seeking a new parish family, we invite you to join us. Registration forms can be found on the bulletin boards at the main entrances. Please complete and drop in the offertory basket, or forward to the Parish Office. www.sjbccommunity.ca

OCTOBER 20/21, 2012: TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday, October 20	Vigil: 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time 5pm: Missa Pro Populo
Sunday, October 21	29th Sunday in Ordinary Time World Mission Sunday 9:30am: +Theodore Zacharow 10:30am: Catechism 10:30am: K of C Pancake Breakfast 11:30am: +Rafael Cabuyao 12:30pm: K of C Pancake Breakfast 2pm: CWL Meeting 7pm: Confirmation Parent/Candidate Mtg.
Monday, October 22	Weekday Ferial No Mass 1:30pm: Lectio Divina
Tuesday, October 23	Weekday Ferial 9:15am: +George Ferris
Wed., October 24	Weekday Ferial 8:50am: Rosary 9:15am: +Eduarda Pereira 10am: Adult Faith Formation 7:30pm: Parish Pastoral Council Mtg. 7:30pm: Rosary Group
Thursday, October 25	Weekday Ferial 9:15am: +Carolyn Shaw
Friday, October 26	8:50am: Rosary 9:15am: +Dennis & Fernando Luis Duarte 7pm: 50 Years, Vatican II: St. Vital Parish
Saturday, October 27	Vigil: 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time 9am: 50 Years, Vatican II: St. Vital Parish 5pm: Missa Pro Populo
Sunday, October 28	30th Sunday in Ordinary Time 9:30am: +Paulette Wawruch 10:30am: Catechism 11:30am: +Joan Sutherland

Registration for Sunday School and Sacramental Preparation: Registration continues for the 2012-2013 children's faith formation programs: catechism classes (Gr. 1-8), First Reconciliation and First Eucharist (grade 2), Confirmation (Gr. 9), and Share the Word (Liturgy of the Word for ages 3-5). Pick up your registration form at the church entrance, or visit the Faith Formation page at www.sjbcommunity.ca to download a copy. Please return to Parish Office.

Baptism: Are you expecting a child or contemplating Baptism for your child? We are returning to seasonal Baptismal Weekends. Our next Baptism Weekend will be **February 9/10, 2013**. For information, please contact Tom Bailey-Robertson at 488-4467 (Ext. 217) or tombr@sjbcommunity.ca

First Reconciliation/First Eucharist: Sacramental preparation is offered for children in Grade 2, leading to the Sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Eucharist in 2013. Registration required.

Parent Information Evening: Tuesday, October 30, 7pm, Parish Hall.

Confirmation: Parish youth in Grade 9 seeking to embark on the journey to Confirmation are asked to register for the 2012/2013 session.

Parent and Candidate Information Evening: Sunday, October 21, 7pm, Parish Hall

RCIA: Ever consider deepening your relationship with God? Share God's call together through the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults. Contact Tom at 204-488-4467 or tombr@sjbcommunity.ca for further info.

Sharing God's Gifts:

Our Target: **\$66,520**

Current Pledges & Donations: **\$43,380**



St. John Brebeuf Parish Weekly Offerings:

Oct. 13/14: **\$3343.86**

Pre-Authorized Donations for October: **\$22,988.50**

Rest in Peace: +Ita Egan

We welcome into the Church and God's family:

Chelsea Lukawy, Darcy Dansereau-McLeod,

Matthew McLeod & Jackson McLeod

who celebrated the Sacraments of Initiation

(Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist)

Shannon Cisneros

who was received into the Catholic Church, Confirmed

and entered into Full Communion

Jeremy De Villa, Jack Karpinski & Quinn Karpinski,

and Annika & Jacob Zirino

who celebrated the Sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation

Sunday, October 14. May God bless you and your families!

Let us Pray for our Sick and Homebound:

Therefore...pray for one another, so that you may be healed (James 5:15)

Gisèle Bertalanffy, Erlinda Blanco, Helen Borody, David Bruneau, Frank Cielen, Allison Filmon Carvey, Mario Di Fonzo, Irene Glass, Janice Harvey, Leslie Hiebert, Kay Hunt, Joseph Koogler, Marvin Lavitt, Stella Ledger, Kelly M., Romulo Magsino, Jim Mahon, Trisha Magnus, Paul Mazur, Catherine McLeod, William Mendes, Monica Midgley, Eric Moscarella, Armand Poirier, Louise Soubry, Jack Tarnava, Tom Stefanson, Julia Van De Spiegle, Geraldine Walker, Brian Woods



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

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