

Welcome to ...

St. John Brebeuf Parish

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“Missioned to Stewardship, we are a community that lives, loves and serves in Christ”.

Parish Office Hours:

Monday-Friday 9:00 am-4:00 pm

For admittance to the Church or School Offices, Mon. - Fri. please use the intercom button located at the Renfrew School Entrance, the Courtyard Door and/or the Church Parking lot door. Thank you

Masses on the Lord's Day:

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

Gathering begins 10 minutes before all weekend Masses.

Weekday Liturgies:

Tuesday to Friday **9:15 am** (subject to change)

Children's Catechism (October - May)

Grades 1-6: Weekly, 10:45 am in the school

Grades 7-8: Bi-Weekly, 10:45 am in the school

Share the Word (October - May)

Ages 3-6: Weekly, during 9:30 am Mass

(Catechism schedule subject to change)

PARISH PASTORAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE TEAM:

Rev. Fr. Mark A. Tarrant, Pastor ext. 213

Reverend Mr. Joseph McLellan, Deacon ext. 245

Debbie Dusanek, Communications Coordinator ext. 212

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Michael Thibert, Pastoral Services Coordinator ext. 214

PARISH CONTACTS:

ALTAR SERVERS: Keith Mathewson

CONFIRMATION: Will Gould and Greg Schmidt

FINANCE COUNCIL: Kevin McCulloch/Peter Smith

MINISTERS OF THE WORD: Leann Smith

MINISTERS OF EUCHARIST: Joe Brekelmans

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL: Johnston Smith

CATECHISM: Parish Office

SPIRITUAL JOURNEYING: Margaret Kingdon

SCHOOL BOARD: Mariella Di Santo & John Osler

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday 4:15 - 4:45 pm (and by appointment)

Baptism of Infants:

Baptisms are usually communally celebrated four times a year. We encourage expectant parents to participate in the preparation process as early as possible. Please call the parish office.

Baptism & Initiation of Adults and Children of Catechetical Age:

The Sacraments of Initiation are celebrated after a period of prayer, instruction and preparation. Please call the parish office, ext. 214.

Sacraments for School-Aged Children:

Preparation for First Reconciliation, First Eucharist, and Confirmation is provided through our parish catechesis. Further information will be given in the bulletin.

Sacrament of Marriage:

Couples planning on being married at St. John Brebeuf must contact Fr. Mark at least one year in advance. Marriage preparation and Church attendance is expected and required.

Sacrament of the Sick

At home or in the hospital. Please call the parish office.

Funerals:

Please call the parish before contacting a funeral director.

Catholic Women's League:

The CWL meets at 7:30 pm on the fourth Tuesday of the month (Sept - June).

Knights of Columbus Council 1107:

The Knights meet at 7:30 pm on the second Wednesday of the month (Sept - June)
Grand Knight: Lawrie Caron 981-4096

OCTOBER 16/17, 2010 TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass for the Intentions Week

We join in prayer with those who have requested Masses to be offered for their loved ones.

Mon. Oct. 18th **No Mass**
 Tues. Oct. 19th 9:15 am Morning Prayer
 Wed. Oct. 20th 9:15 am Morning Prayer
 Thurs. Oct. 21st 9:15 am Morning Prayer
 Fri. Oct. 22nd 9:15 am +Obéline & Albert LeBlanc

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Sat. Oct. 23rd 5:00 pm Parishioners' Intentions
 Sun. Oct. 24th 9:30 am +Mercedes Callander
 Sun. Oct. 24th 11:30 am +Rose Marie Nicholson

Please keep Fr. Mark and all our priests in your prayers this week as they attend the Archdiocese of Winnipeg Priests' Study Days.

MASS READINGS FOR OCTOBER 23/24, 2010
Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sirach 35.15-17, 20-22 *The prayer of the humble pierces the heavens.* A wise teacher talks about the power of prayer, especially prayer that comes from a humble heart.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps 34.1-2, 16-17, 18+22
R. The poor one called and the Lord heard.


2 TIMOTHY 4.6-8, 16-18 *From now on, there is reserved for me the crown of righteousness.* Paul expects to be condemned to death. He rejoices that he has remained faithful to Christ and that the trial has been another opportunity for proclaiming the gospel.

LUKE 18.9-14 *The tax collector went home justified; not so the Pharisee.* Jesus tells a parable about a Pharisee and a tax collector. It warns us that our preconceived ideas about who will or will not be saved might not coincide with God's views.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

Our journey begins **Tues, Oct. 19, 7:00 pm**
Topic: Light of Faith

If you feel the call to a deeper understanding of God's love, and have not yet received the Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation, please contact Mike Thibert at 488-4467 (Ext. 214).



ST. JOHN BREBEUF PARISH WEEKLY OFFERINGS
October 9/10 Envelopes: \$5,354.47

SACRAMENTS

Baptism:
 Our next Baptism Weekend will be **January 8/9, 2011**. Dates for the next Baptismal Preparation class TBA. For further information, please contact Mike Thibert in the Parish Office.

First Reconciliation/First Eucharist:
 Our first meeting for parents will be **Sunday, Oct. 17, 10:35 am** in the School Library.

Confirmation:
 Youth born in 1996 or earlier must register by **Oct. 17, 2010** to participate in this year's program. Our first session will be held **Sunday, Oct. 17, 7:30 pm** in the Parish Hall. Visit www.SJBconfirmation.co.cc for more information about the St. John Brebeuf Confirmation program.

CHILDREN'S CATECHESIS


Share The Word...Children:
 A program for 3-6 year olds to experience God's love through prayer, stories, songs and crafts during the 9:30 am Mass from October-May. First session: **October 17**. Registration is encouraged, as this helps us in our planning for the program. Parent volunteers are also needed. Please contact Anita Cohen at 475-0444 or 230-2905.

Catechism 2010/2011:
 If you have not yet registered for Catechism classes, (Year 1 (Age 6) to Year 8 (Age 13)), it is not too late. Classes begin **Sunday, Oct. 17, 10:35 am** in the school.

Registration forms for all St. John Brebeuf Catechetical and Sacramental Preparation programs are available at the main church entrance or www.sjbcommunity.ca

REST IN PEACE

†Douglas Lloyd Claver Rennie
 †Patricia Tarnava
 †Barbara Keks



LET US PRAY FOR OUR SICK AND HOMEBOUND: *Therefore...pray for one another, so that you may be healed, (James 5:15)*
 Allison, Laura Banville, Anna Bartman, Gisèle Bertalanffy, Meredith Nieman Bullock, Frank Cielen, Mario Di Fonzo, Angela Dronzek, Gus Fiorentino, Jacqueline Gladding, Rita Goderis, Janice Harvey, Leslie Hiebert, Alex Hoff, Kay Hunt, Erika Hunzinger, Bernice Lawrence, Martin Lyons, Romulo Magsino, Jim Mahon, James Mendes, William Mendes, Monica Midgley, Miguel Family, Eric Moscarella, Cosmo Nocida, Imelda Savage, Leonard Schmidt, Bronwen Sheridan, Fr. Stack, Jacquie Smith, Joyce Smith, Geraldine Walker, Brian Woods.

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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.

CHRISTIAN OUTREACH AT SJB



During the month of October, as we give thanks for our many blessings, we will focus our outreach efforts on feeding the hungry in our midst through donations of non-perishable food for Winnipeg Harvest.

Most Wanted Items include:

- + Canned meat, fish & poultry, stew, chili beans, spaghetti sauce, tomatoes and soup
- + Jars of peanut butter and baby food
- + Iron fortified baby formula
- + Dried pasta, soup mixes and rice
- + High fibre, non-sugar coated cereal

Thank you for sharing what you can!



Immaculate Conception Drop-In



Centre: Each Sunday, 200-300 of Winnipeg's poorest are served a hot lunch at 181 Austin St. with the help of local churches and service organizations. St.

John Brebeuf's next service day is **Sunday, November 28**. 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. 28. Please call Jane at 488-0893 to offer your help.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTIONS

**October 17th – 29th Sunday
in Ordinary Time**

In hearing God's Word today we find a consistent theme... To be persistent. Persistence is a wonderful virtue that we should all cultivate as disciples and stewards. Through our baptism and confirmation we have all been given a responsibility to share the gift of our faith... To evangelize. This is not easy in our society today, but with God's grace we can all do it in our own way. Evangelization requires patience, persistence and above all prayer. Be a good steward and share the gift of faith!

MOVIE AND DISCUSSION

The St. John Brebeuf Development & Peace group presents:

Blue Winnipeg 2009— *Countering the Threat to Public Water*, by Maude Barlow

Friday, Oct. 22, 7:00 pm, St. John Brebeuf Parish Hall
Admission: Non-perishable Food donations for Agape Table.



SJB CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

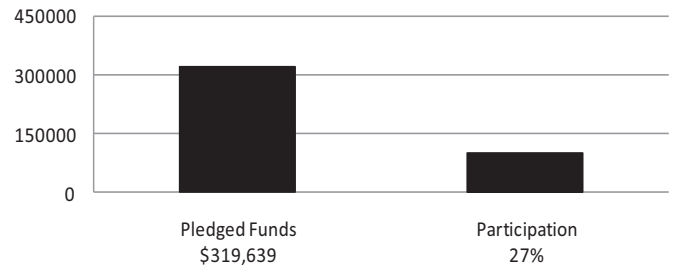
*"Serve joyfully, Give generously,
Live responsibly, Possess sensibly"*

*Small Acts of Stewardship:
Week of October 18th*

"Stewardship is the act of organizing your life so that God can spend you."



Building Tomorrow Together



LEAVE YOUR MARK ON SJB: BUILDING TOMORROW TOGETHER WALL OF SUPPORT PROJECT



Are you a current or former student of St. John Brebeuf School? For only **\$75.00** per person, SJB students and Alumni can purchase a tile, which will be imprinted with your name and handprint and embedded into a permanent Building Tomorrow Together **Wall of Support** in the school. Tax receipts will be issued. Registration forms and further details at main church entrance. Next hand printing during the Christmas season.



WORLD MISSION SUNDAY



Next Week is World Mission Sunday. Every parish across the world will celebrate World Mission Sunday next week. It is a global sign of the Universal Church and mission. Your prayers and donations will help support churches, hospitals, schools and vocations in countries where the Church is beginning, where it is new. World Mission Sunday is our chance to assist Catholic Communities throughout the world become self sufficient and flourish. By sharing the gift of faith we can bring hope and love to those who need it most.


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.sjbcommunity.ca.

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