



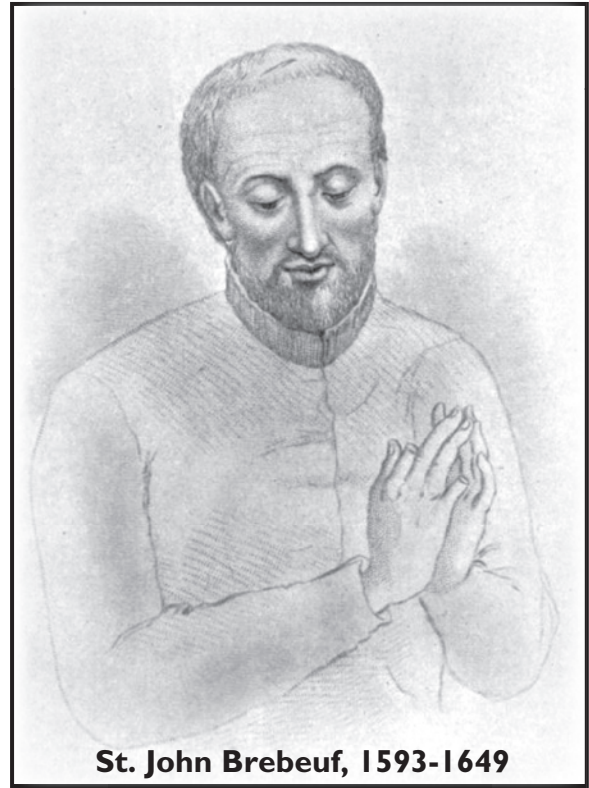
## SAINT JOHN BREBEUF ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH

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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 in the school

#### SHARE THE WORD

*(Sundays, September to May)*

Ages 3-6: Weekly during the 10:00am 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*

*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:** Meets at 11:00am 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).

## September 19/20, 2020: 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, Sept. 19	<b>Vigil: 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> 5pm: Intentions of the Midgley Family
Sunday, Sept. 20	<b>25th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> 10am: For the People
Monday, Sept. 21	<b>Feast: St. Matthew, Apostle, Evangelist</b> No Mass
Tuesday, Sept. 22	<b>Weekday Ferial</b> 9:15am: +Pasquale & +Rosina Mandarino
Wed., Sept. 23	<b>Memorial: St. Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio), Priest</b> 9:15am: +Jim Rodrigues
Thursday, Sept. 24	<b>Weekday Ferial</b> 9:15am: +Aurèle LeClaire
Friday, Sept. 25	<b>Weekday Ferial</b> 9:15am: +Reverend Michael Koryluk
Saturday, Sept. 26	<b>Vigil: 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> 5pm: +Lucille Mahon
Sunday, Sept. 27	<b>26th Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> 10am: For the People

### Masses Have Resumed in the Church:

**Entry and exit for all Masses via John Brebeuf Place only.** The door will be open 30 minutes prior to Masses. Current **maximum capacity is 200** people.

Reservations are no longer required.

**Do not come to Mass or visit the Parish Office if you are feeling ill, particularly if you are experiencing a cough, fever or respiratory symptoms.**

Please note that there is **no Morning Prayer or Rosary** at this time.

**Please sign in** (preferably with your own pen) when you enter the church.

Please **sanitize your hands** as you enter for Mass.

Please maintain **social distancing of six feet** (2 meters) between people while in the building.

For Masses in the church, **please limit seating to designated 'angel' pews.** Unless you have come as a family unit, individual distancing of six feet (2 meters) within pews is required.

Once you have selected seating, please remain in your seat, except for the receipt of Communion. Parents, please keep your children with you.

Please **leave your offering in the designated basket** when you enter for Mass.

Please **exit as soon as Mass ends** without pausing inside to chat.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation as we navigate the changing rules and regulations in place for the safety and well being of all.

### 40 Days for Life:

From September 23 through November 1, you're invited to join other Christians for **40 Days for Life**—40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You're also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil for 1 hour or more from 8am to 8pm, in the public right-of-way outside (Health Science Centre, Women's Hospital) 665 William Ave, corner of Sherbrook. You can already sign up for 1 hour or more on the calendar at [www.40daysforlife.com/winnipeg](http://www.40daysforlife.com/winnipeg).

You are also invited to take part in the annual **Life Chain**, a peaceful and prayerful public witness of pro-life individuals standing for one hour praying for our nation and an end to abortion, October 4, 2020, 2pm to 3pm at HSC Women's Hospital, 665 William Ave. Please bring face masks, avoid casual talk and maintain social distancing. For more information, please contact Maria Slykerman at [clwpgmb26@gmail.com](mailto:clwpgmb26@gmail.com) or 204-452-2459.

### Sharing Your Gifts:

While we continue to face the challenges of Masses at limited capacity, 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 a time when our attendance is limited, 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 on the parish web site at [www.sjbcommunity.ca](http://www.sjbcommunity.ca), or contact the Parish Office at 204-488-4467 (Ext. 211). Envelope holders not attending Mass can consider forwarding cheques to the office.

We welcome into the family of God and the Community of St. John Brebeuf

**Nathan & William Sierhuis**

who celebrate the Sacrament of Baptism at St. John Brebeuf Church on September 20, 2020



**May God Bless you and your family!**

### Baptism:

Are you expecting a child or contemplating Baptism for your child? For further information, please contact Claudia at (204) 488-4467 (Ext. 217). Please note that per the recent Archdiocesan COVID-19 Directive, the current limit for Baptism attendance is 10 people.

### 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, Peter, 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.*

## September 19/20, 2020: 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

### **Children's Faith Formation 2020/2021: UPDATED**

Please register online at [www.sjbcommunity.ca](http://www.sjbcommunity.ca) for the 2020/2021 Sunday School program (Grades 1 to 8), resuming this fall (date TBA).

### **Volunteers Needed:**

Volunteer Catechists are needed for the following grades for the 2020/2021 year:

Grade 7/8: (Duties: Preparing and presenting weekly lesson based on Pflaum lesson guide)

An excellent opportunity for those who need Christian Service Hours or those who love working with children or plan to work with them some day. Commitment: weekly on Sunday's from 11am to 11:30am plus prep time, set up and clean up. Program runs from September through April. Parents: Please note that Grade availability depends on the number of teachers who volunteer their time for the year.

### **Share the Word:**

The **Share the Word** pre-school catechism program is postponed until further notice.

### **1st Reconciliation/1st Eucharist:**

Parents of children in grade 2 are asked to register online at [www.sjbcommunity.ca](http://www.sjbcommunity.ca) 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](http://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 will be provided soon on the parish website.

For further information, please contact Claudia Moreta, Pastoral Assistant at 204-488-4467 (Ext. 217) or email at [cmoreta@sjbcommunity.ca](mailto:cmoreta@sjbcommunity.ca)

### **Employment Opportunity:**

#### **Custodian Position**

St. Paul's High School is seeking a **custodian** to maintain, protect and clean school facilities. The ideal candidate will be experienced in a custodian role, have physical endurance and a keen eye for detail.



#### **Custodian Qualifications/Skills:**

- Knowledge of standard cleaning methods and procedures
- Ability to stand, walk, and bend for many hours
- Ability to perform repetitive motions for long periods of time
- Experience using cleaning equipment, including vacuum cleaners, floor buffers and cleaning solutions
- Background in handling, mixing and using cleaning chemicals
- Knowledge of occupational hazards safety rules
- Communications skills
- Ability to lift heavy objects, climb ladders and work at particular heights

For a complete job description, visit [www.stpauls.mb.ca](http://www.stpauls.mb.ca)

To apply, please email your resume to:

[bholden@stpauls.mb.ca](mailto:bholden@stpauls.mb.ca) or call 204-296-4872

### **From Archbishop Gagnon:**

In a memo dated May 21, 2020, I granted a general dispensation from the Sunday obligation to attend Mass to all the faithful through Sunday, September 6, 2020. 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.



A number of questions have arisen relative to choirs and congregational singing at Mass. Congregational singing and choirs at Mass, according to Provincial guidelines, "should not be allowed." The use of a single cantor with an accompanist is being recommended.

The Government of Manitoba recently introduced a four-tier colour-coded "Pandemic Response System" that allows public health officials to modify COVID-19-related restrictions in particular parts of the Province.


#### **South Winnipeg Deanery: Yellow (Caution)**

- Limit on faith gatherings (Mass) 30% church capacity\*
- Weddings & Funerals: 50 indoors, 100 outdoors
- Maintain physical distancing, Face Masks recommended

For further information, visit: [www.gov.mb.ca/covid19/](http://www.gov.mb.ca/covid19/)

and [www.archwinnipeg.ca](http://www.archwinnipeg.ca)

(\*St. John Brebeuf limit at this time is 200)

 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](http://www.sjbcommunity.ca). Please return completed form via offertory collection or forward to the Parish Office.





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