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**April 26, 2015**

**Fourth Sunday of Easter**

### Our Churches

**Assumption** 2405 - 12 Avenue S.  
**St. Basil's** 604 - 13 Street N.  
**St. Patrick's** 917 - 4 Avenue S.  
(St. Patrick's is Temporarily Closed)

### Our Priests

Fr. Kevin Tumback - Pastor  
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### Our Deacons

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### Mass

**Saturday** 5:00 p.m. - Assumption Church  
**Sunday** 7:30 a.m. - St. Basil's Church  
9:00 a.m. - Assumption Church  
11:00 a.m. - St. Basil's Church  
6:00 p.m. - St. Basil's Church  
**Tuesday** 7:00 p.m. - Assumption Church  
**Wednesday** 12:05 p.m. - St. Basil's Church  
**Thursday** 12:05 p.m. - Assumption Church  
**Friday** 9:00 a.m. - St. Basil's Church

### Sacraments

#### Reconciliation

Saturday 3:30 - 4:30 Assumption Church  
Sunday 4:30 - 5:30 St. Basil's Church  
Thursday 11:00 - 11:30 Assumption Church  
and by appointment

#### Anointing of the Sick

Arrangements made by calling the Parish Office.

#### Marriage

Arrangements made by calling the Parish Office at least four months prior to setting a wedding date.

#### Baptism

All Saints Parish regularly celebrates the Sacrament of Baptism and offers preparation programs for families wishing to baptize their children. Please call the parish office for more information on this process.



## Sunday Reflection

### Vocations need prayer

"Vocations need a vast network of people who pray fervently to 'the Lord of the harvest'. The more the problem of vocations is confronted in the context of prayer, the more prayer will help those whom God has called to hear his voice."

*Pope John Paul II*

## Prayers of the Faithful

### *Remember the sick of the Parish*

Annie Serbu, Thomas Bass, Garret Monette, Enrica Cattoni, Mary Kusalik, Mary Skrukwa, Julie Manning, Brian Marshman, Doreen Tokariuk, Richard Tumbach, Peter Wagner, Ferne Terlesky, Helene Byrne, Rick Allan, Alex Naumczyk, Chris Orban, Pat Demers, Bill Kelly, Charles Nickol, Larry A, Sylvester Tutak, Marg Garner, George Gangur, Irma Baier, Barbie Brown, Dale Martin Sr., Inez Kelly, Bob Heaton, Juli Ann Calpas, Rick Mahon, Carolyn Farago, Carrie Balkham, Celeste Pryde & Doug Olshaski;

### *and the Deceased*

Lidia Selwaniuk & Stanley Myndio.

### *Anniversaries of Death remembered this week*

Mary Besaw, Darlene Morrison, Raelee Harvey, AnnaMary Bischoff & Robert Braun.



### *Baptisms*

Please welcome into our Christian community *Jackson Peter Wright, Conor Braeden Whelpley, Paisley Ann Unwin & Gervienne Gene Dimapilis* who will celebrate the Sacrament of Baptism this weekend.

# Mass Intentions

Tuesday, April 28	7:00 p.m.	Mildred Lisowski (dec.)
Wednesday, April 29	12:05 p.m.	Herb Garber & family
Thursday, April 30	12:05 p.m.	Clara Garber (dec.)
Friday, May 1	9:00 a.m.	Aurelio Macabinquel (dec.)



# Stewardship Reflection

*The stone that the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone. (Ps. 118.22)*

Discipleship is counter-cultural. Not the conventions of the world but Jesus, the good shepherd, who laid down his life for the sheep, is the cornerstone of our lives.

# Youth Ministry

“So basically one of the greatest things about Arise is the sense of acceptance, safety, and support. At school, even though it's a Catholic school, people easily get made fun of because of their faith. I often got called names at Saint Joe's just because I am active in my faith life. At Arise, people are there because they want to praise Jesus with you and it's such a great feeling because there is no judgement and you can really let your heart speak. No matter what problem someone is facing, everyone is always there to back you up and I love that so so much. So I guess you could say that Arise and the people at Arise are super important and great.”

-Christina Shmidt Grade 10

**Arise** high school youth group meets every Monday at 6:30 p.m. at Assumption hall.

**Pulse** junior high youth group meets every Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. at St. Martha's Church.

The **One Rock Festival of Faith** is an annual festival for young adults and their families held in the diocese of Calgary, and supported by the dioceses of Alberta and NWT. This year, One Rock 2015 is the 6th year of the Festival, and it will be held on the Redwood Meadows Fair Grounds near Bragg Creek on August 14, 15 and 16. For more information, please visit [www.onerock.ca](http://www.onerock.ca).



# Sacraments

## Congratulations

On Tuesday, April 28th at the 7 p.m. Mass at Assumption Church there will be three young people celebrating sacramental initiation in the Catholic Church: Midnite Toker (Baptism); Janelle Wipf (Profession of Faith and First Eucharist); Jaylon Wipf (Profession of Faith and First Eucharist.) Please pray for these fine young people!

## First Communion

There will be 70 young people celebrating their First Communion on Saturdays, May 2nd and 9th at the 5 p.m. Mass; and on Sundays, May 3rd and 10th at the 11 a.m. Mass.

## Confirmation

The next Confirmation Candidate / Parent Workshop is Thursday, April 30th, 7 p.m. in Assumption hall. Pulse sessions continue on Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m. at St. Martha's.

Confirmation with Bishop Henry is Sunday, May 31st, 2 p.m. in Our Lady of the Assumption Church.

For further information please call Gary at the parish office, 403-327-8931.

# Together in Action

## “Holding fast to our HOPE.”

We, as Catholics and as people working together to create a safer, better world for all, must engage at some point in helping each other to become better people. Whether that's through a counselling program, a food program, marriage preparation and education, or learning how to become a better parent, these are all things that help each and every one of us live safer, better lives. Giving to one another helps us grow and learn how to live together in what can be a difficult world.

No matter how much we would all like someone else to take care of all of the world's challenges, it is ultimately up to each one of us to stand up and say, “I know I can make a difference – no matter how small – and I commit to making that difference.” It would take an incomprehensible amount of tax dollars to even come close to delivering the effective and efficient programs that charities can deliver. The charities and services that carry out the work of the Diocese on behalf of all of the parishes, impact the lives of many thousands of people. Thank you for your support.

The TIA target for our parish is \$72,345. To date we have collected \$30,760.

**Volunteers Needed** - Arise youth group is always looking for and welcoming volunteers that will be role models to youth, able to encourage participation, lead and participate in games and talks and much more. For more information contact Sarah at lethbridgecatholicyouth@gmail.com



**Are you ready? .... It's comin'!**  
All Saint's Parish is excited to invite your children to take part in **Comin' Alive Camp 2015!!**

This is the 10th Anniversary for this great camp that brings children, youth and adults together to celebrate our Catholic faith through stories, crafts, games and so much fun! We offer a half day camp from July 7-10, 2015 for children entering Grade 1-7, led by youth from Grade 8 and up and planned and supervised by Parish volunteers. We hope to see you there! The registration form is on our website and at the parish office.

**Comin' Alive Camp Youth Crew** - This is a great opportunity for those *going into Grade 12* to get about half of your RS 35 "*Faith in Action*" required hours. The crew is open to those Gr. 8 and up. For more information call Jennie Elder at 403-393-2546. Forms are on the parish website. [www.allsaintslethbridge.org](http://www.allsaintslethbridge.org)

We celebrate the **Feast of the Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)** in 6 weeks. All are welcome to attend a planning meeting this Tuesday, April 28 following the 7:00 p.m. mass in the lower meeting room.



**Spring Social** - The hall was decorated for Spring, there was coffee with flavoured creamers, specialty teas, special punch and Pies, Pies, and more Delicious Pies. The piano music was heavenly! People joined in conversations and stayed. The Raffle was a hit and numerous winners went home with treasures. There were sales of orange marmalade and rosaries. After the 5:00 mass, with Father Kevin's persuasion, the leftover pies flew out the door of the hall. Thank you every one for attending, purchasing, donating (prizes and pies) and volunteering your time. We raised \$785 for the "Needs of the Parish".

#### **Martha Retreat Centre Programs**

For info/register: 403-328-3422 or [marthare@telusplanet.net](mailto:marthare@telusplanet.net)  
*Centering Prayer* every Tuesday at 1:30 pm.

*6-day Silent Guided Retreat* ("Return to Galilee") April 30, 7:30 p.m. to May 7, 9:00 a.m. Galilee is the place where the early disciples were first called, where everything began! In this retreat we will explore what it might mean "to go to Galilee" and remember our own Galilee Moment.

**Married Couples Retreat** - May 8-10, at Mount St. Francis Retreat Centre. To register please call or email: Jordy & Linda Ketchum - 403-830-6210 [linda.ketchum@telus.net](mailto:linda.ketchum@telus.net) or Mauricio & Erina Leiva - 403-289-1758.



**5th Annual Western Tailgate Party** - Saturday, May 23 at Exhibition Park. Steak dinner, entertainment, games, prizes, dancing, silent & live auctions. Tickets are \$60 each, \$55 if purchased before May 1, \$400/table of 8, \$500/table of 10. Call Leslie Gatner 403-381-3307.

**All Saints Lobster Supper**- Friday, June 5, 2015 Meal includes Lobster, clam chowder, salad, baked potato and dessert for \$45.00 a person. There is also an hors d'oeuvre of Mussels for \$10. Deadline for tickets is Wednesday, May 27, 2015. Contact Norm Whelpley @ 403-328- 7078.



*"The Catholic Church in Dialogue with the Modern World: A Workshop"* Hear Dr. Agnes De Dreuzy (Catholic University of America), Dr. Peter Baltutis (St. Mary's University), and Deacon Adrian Martens speak on how we can promote dialogue and closeness with Christ in a world that so desperately needs him. May 2nd, 10:30am-4:00pm, at the Catholic Pastoral Centre, Calgary. RSVP by April 30th to Caroline Silveira, 403-218-5523, or [caroline.silveira@calgarydiocese.ca](mailto:caroline.silveira@calgarydiocese.ca).

**Labyrinth Celebration!** Celebrate the 7th Annual World Labyrinth Day! The FCJ Centre invites you to "Walk as One", joining others around the globe to create a wave of peaceful energy washing across the time zones. Come dressed for the weather and wear sturdy walking shoes! Saturday, May 2, 2-3pm. Cost: FREE (Suggested Offering \$20). For more information please call (403) 228-4215.

**Ladies Twilight Retreat at Mount St. Francis** - Please join us for a ladies evening retreat led by Fr. Bob Mitchell OFM on Tuesday, May 19, 2015. Registration begins at 6:00pm. Dinner at 6:30. At 7:30 Fr. Bob will lead a talk entitled "Mary - the Perfect Christian" which will be followed by 30 minutes of silent reflection. We will wrap the evening up in the chapel with a few moments to reflect as a group with Fr. Bob. Cost for the evening is \$25 per person, including dinner. Dietary restrictions can be accommodated with advance notice. To register, please contact Cindy MacKenzie at 403-851-0917 or [cindymackenzie@telus.net](mailto:cindymackenzie@telus.net).



The **Lethbridge Soup Kitchen** is having a **Garage Sale and Bake Sale** on Saturday, May 9th from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at First Baptist Church, 1614 - 5 Avenue South. If you have items to donate, please drop them off at First Baptist Church on Friday, May 8th from 1:00 - 4:30 p.m. If you need help getting your items to the church, please call the Soup Kitchen (403-320-8688) before noon on the Friday.

**Pemican Lodge** - If anyone can play the organ and would like to entertain the residents at Pemican Lodge please call Ron Appleford at 587-425-1212.

# This Week in Our Churches

## Sunday, April 26

- 7:30 a.m. Sunday Eucharist (St. Basil's)
- 9:00 a.m. Sunday Eucharist (Assumption)
- 10:00 a.m. Pancake Breakfast (Assumption hall)
- 11:00 a.m. Sunday Eucharist (St. Basil's)  
*Coffee Social hosted by CWL*
- 1:00 p.m. Baptisms (St. Basil's)
- 4:30 p.m. Confessions (St. Basil's)
- 6:00 p.m. Sunday Eucharist (St. Basil's)

## Monday, April 27

- 9:00 a.m. Rosary (St. Basil's)
- 9:00 a.m. Mass (St. Martha's)
- 6:30 p.m. Arise (Assumption hall)
- 6:30 p.m. Choir Practice (Assumption)

## Tuesday, April 28

- 9:00 a.m. Rosary (Assumption)
- 6:00 p.m. RCIA Adapted (UMR)
- 7:00 p.m. Mass (Assumption)
- 7:00 p.m. Transitions (St. Basil's boardroom)
- 8:00 p.m. Corpus Christi Meeting (LMR)

## Wednesday, April 29

- 9:30 a.m. Mother's Rosary (St. Basil's hall)
- 12:05 p.m. Mass (St. Basil's)
- 12:50 p.m. Adoration for Vocations (St. Basil's)
- 6:30 p.m. Pulse (St. Martha's)
- 6:30 p.m. Choir Practice (LMR)
- 7:00 p.m. RCIA (UMR)
- 8:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting (Assumption hall)

## Thursday, April 30

- 11:00 a.m. Confessions (Assumption)
- 12:05 p.m. Mass (Assumption)
- 6:30 p.m. Confirmation Workshop (Assumption hall)
- 7:00 p.m. Choir Practice (St. Basil's)

## Friday, May 1

- 9:00 a.m. Mass (St. Basil's)
- 10:00 a.m. Good Samaritan Mass
- 1:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration (Assumption)

## Saturday, May 2

- 3:30 p.m. Confessions (Assumption)
- 5:00 p.m. Sunday Eucharist (Assumption)

## Sunday, May 3

- 7:30 a.m. Sunday Eucharist (St. Basil's)
- 9:00 a.m. Sunday Eucharist (Assumption)
- 11:00 a.m. Sunday Eucharist (St. Basil's)
- 1:00 p.m. Baptisms (Assumption)
- 4:30 p.m. Confessions (St. Basil's)
- 6:00 p.m. Sunday Eucharist (St. Basil's)

## Fr. Kevin's Cluttered Desk

The 50 days of Easter are the prime times to celebrate baptism and 1st Communion. During this period the joy of the Easter Vigil in which new Catholics were joined to the church is lived out over and over through our celebrations of Baptism and 1st Communion. A calling to surrender to God's will in our lives.

One of the great beauties of Baptism is when we experience the fullness of baptism seen in a full immersion. The baptism is a dying to sin and rising again as a new adopted child of God. In the early church it was a re-entering of the womb of life. As the waters of our mothers wombs protected us and sustained us, the waters of baptism give us the special protection that comes from God's grace. Our returning to the womb also signifies a letting go, a humility of surrender to the Father's will. This is more clearly seen in the baptism of an adult but even for the child we experience the letting go through the eyes of the mother and father as they recognize God has entrusted His child to them for its care and upbringing in the faith. This is no longer just their child, this is God's and their child, who will need to be nurtured and cared for as it grows in the faith.

Some of these may even find themselves called to religious life or the priesthood, some may have to experience much discernment to find their way. I equate this to my being asked/ told to step out from the seminary and take some time to ensure the priesthood was my calling. (The short and polite form of my experience.) Stepping out was like returning to the womb, begin again to see/hear God's call and will.

A friend once said, the scariest words one could ever speak were "here I am Lord I come to do your will." Surrender to God in all things and the joy of your heart will be revealed.

Peace Fr. Kevin

## Vocations Prayer

Precious Lord,  
Send us the shepherds  
we so desperately need  
in this time of scattered  
flocks.

Nurture your children  
with godly leaders that  
will lift our hearts and  
minds to you.

And may we, in turn, lift  
up in prayer those who serve us with such  
tender care.

Amen.

