

April 28, 2024

Our Churches

Assumption St. Basil's St. Patrick's 2405 - 12 Avenue S. 604 - 13 Street N. 917 - 4 Avenue S.

Our Priests

Fr. Kevin Tumback - Pastor pastorallsaints@shaw.ca

Fr. Santiago Torres - Associate Pastor associateallsaints@shaw.ca

Mass Times

Saturday	5:00 p.m Assumption 7:00 p.m St. Basil's
Sunday	7:30 a.m St. Basil's
	Incense will be used
	9:00 a.m Assumption
	11:00 a.m St. Basil's
	6:00 p.m Assumption
Tuesday	7:00 p.m St. Basil's
Wednesday	y 12:05 p.m St. Basil's
Thursday	12:05 p.m Assumption
Friday	9:00 a.m Assumption

Open for Prayer

Assumption Church will be open for prayer Monday to Friday from 9:00am - 4:00pm The church will be locked, please ring the doorbell.

Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesday at Assumption Church from 8 - 11:00 pm Every first Friday at Assumption. Adoration will begin following the 9:00am Mass and end with Benediction at 8:00pm Every third Saturday at St. Patrick's. 10:00am until

noon.

Sacraments Reconciliation

Tuesday 6:00-6:30 p.m. at St. Basil's 8:00-10:00 p.m. at Assumption Saturday 3:30-4:30 pm at Assumption

6:00-6:30 p.m. at St. Basil's Sunday 4:30-5:30 pm at Assumption

Or by appointment, please phone the parish office.

Baptism & Marriage

Arrangements made by calling the Parish Office.

Anointing of the Sick Arrangements made by calling the Parish Office.



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Fifth Sunday of Easter

Sunday Reflection

Let us choose to celebrate

Heavenly Father,

As we celebrate the Sundays of Easter, Lord, let us not forget the joy of the empty tomb. Make a sacred place in our hearts and lives, Lord, for the light of Your resurrection to shine daily. Keep the doors of our love open just as stone was rolled away from Your tomb. Show us Lord that

Easter is not truly a day or a season, it is a choice of our spirit to celebrate you every moment of our lives. Amen.

Prayers of the Faithful

Remember the sick of the Parish

Don Bruchet, Cybele Noronha, Ida Feist, Joseph Kellogg, David Christensen, Josephine Kurjanczyk, Harry Shuya, Barbara Mozgala, Rufino Lim, Rose Bartsoff, Leslie Malabanan, Lawrence Kaupp, Loretta Livingston, Carol Shank, Vickie Richter, Daniel Bosters, Randy Lovich, Al Guthro, Phil Pothier, Stan Wojtowicz & Cecilia Chang.

and the Deceased

Ruth Patez, Tony Paladino, John Zeinstra, Anatolia Alcazar & Jose Tadeo Jr.

Anniversaries of Death remembered this week

Ida Nadeau, Nora Ovejera & Sr. Margaret Mary Arnold.

Baptisms

Please welcome into our Christian community *Kenzington Rayne Keenan & Kalani Jayde Keenan* who will celebrate the Sacrament of Baptism this weekend.

Congratulations

Anniversary Blessings to *John & Elizabeth Unger* who celebrated their 60*th Wedding Anniversar*y this week.

Best wishes are extended to *Sr. Mary Marita Ward* who celebrated her *70th Anniversary* of religious profession.

Next weekend we will begin celebrating First Communion.

Saturday, May 4 at the 7:00 p.m. Mass &

Sunday, May 5 at the 11:00 a.m. Mass

Please be considerate of the families coming to celebrate with the children. If possible you may want to consider attending another Mass.



Eucharistic Adoration

Every Tuesday

at Assumption Church from 8:00 to 11:00pm

Confessions

during Adoration from 8:00 - 10:00 pm

Every First Friday

Assumption Church following the 9:00 a.m. Mass until 8:00 pm.

Every Third Saturday

May 18 at St. Patrick's Church from 10:00am - noon Rosary at 10:10am - Litany of Mary at 11:00am

New Parish Committees

At our most recent PPC Meeting, after the presentation by Ryan Tarnava and Fr. Kevin regarding the recommendations for our parish accepted by Bishop McGrattan, it was encouraged that we form two committees going forward.

The first committee is the **Unity Committee** (speaks for itself) and the **Mitigation Committee**. The Mitigation Committee will look at the needs of the parish and how we can deal with them, now and in the future.

Anyone who may be interested in being on one of these committees to please submit your name to the parish office. Thank you.



"Share the Mission Award"

Nominations are now welcome for the Holy Spirit Catholic School Division's "Share the Mission Award." This prestigious award recognizes community members, parents, students, and school staff who have:

- Offered outstanding or long term service for the benefit of our students;
- Accepted demanding challenges and set new standards for the rest of us to follow;
- Contributed, through action and deed, to the Catholic atmosphere of our schools;
- Demonstrated involvement and leadership in community / parish organizations;

If you know of an individual or group you would like to nominate, please forward their name to the Holy Spirit School Division Office by June 7, 2024. The

nomination form is available online on the division's website.

For more information, please contact Rhonda Kawa at 403-327-9555.

Mass Intentions

Monday, April 29	7:00 p.m.	Jane Jagelski (dec.)
Tuesday, April 30	7:00 p.m.	Mike Ross (dec.)
Wednesday, May 1	12:05 p.m.	John Shaw (dec.)
Thursday, May 2	12:05 p.m.	Renee Sauer (dec.)
	2:00 p.m. Martha House	Antonia Ambrozic (dec.)
Friday, May 3	9:00 a.m.	Conrad Van Buuren (dec.)
	10:00 a.m. St. Terese	Maria Zalaski (dec.)



Stewardship Reflection

I am the vine, you are the branches. (John 15.5) Abide in Christ so that Christ might abide in you. Then your deeds will bear fruit and glorify God.

Pope's Pastoral Works



A disastrous flood or earthquake strikes a nation at the other end of the world. Immediately many countries rush in food, medicine, blankets, money, and trained people. Prominent among such aid is the financial help offered by the Holy Father to people in need. The annual Pope's Pastoral

Works collection makes these funds available for distribution. In the name of Catholics everywhere, he displays Christ's love and compassion for those who suffer.

Next weekend we will have a second collection for The Pope's Pastoral Works.



St. Francis Xavier Chaplaincy

Saturday, May 11th Pilgrimage with Mass Friday, May 17th Adoration @ Assumption Church. Boardgames to follow in the hall.

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Adoration, Soup Supper, & Presentation on Vocations -This coming Friday, May 3 Adoration will begin after the 9:00am Mass at Assumption, sign up sheets are



in both churches. Soup supper will begin at 6:00 p.m. in Assumption hall. At 7:15 p.m. there will be a presentation on vocations in the church followed by Benediction at 7:45 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

School Retreats - It has been over 10 years since the parish has been providing retreats for the grade 2, 3 & 6 classes from Assumption, St. Mary, St. Paul and St. Teresa schools. We wish to thank all the volunteers who have helped make these retreats a success.

Hospitality Ministers Needed - All weekend Masses could use more help with the Hospitality Ministry. A warm welcome when arriving for Mass is appreciated by all. This is a great way for individuals or families to take the first step at being involved. If you are interested please contact Laura at the parish office.

Mother's Day "Baby Bundles" Diaper Collection Campaign - CWL, in partnership with Interfaith Food Bank, invite our entire faith community to donate disposable diapers & training pants to mothers in need. Any type, any size, any brand. Open packages of diapers are also welcome. Cash donations are greatly appreciated. We will be accepting donations prior to Masses again next weekend. Donations can also be dropped off at the parish office during office hours.

Corpus Christi Procession - Mark your calendar. Join us on June 2 to celebrate our *gift of the Eucharist*. Come walk the streets with Jesus as we walk and pray for peace in our annual Corpus Christi Procession. For more information visit our parish website.

Lethbridge People of Praise Live-In is hosting a "Getting to Know" weekend retreat May 24-26th at St Joseph's School, Coaldale. Whether you are born again or new to faith in Christ, this weekend is for you.

St. Ambrose CWL council is celebrating its 75th

anniversary on Friday, June 14th starting with Mass at 5:00 p.m. at St. Ambrose Parish; banquet at St. Joseph's School gym at 6:30 p.m. Banquet ticket \$40 each payable by cash, cheque or send e-transfer. Deadline to get tickets is May 31st. For more information, contact Lydia by email at marialydia@telus.net or call 403.345.7788. We hope you could join us celebrate this milestone.

Home Communion - A gentleman on the south side is looking for someone to bring him communion. If you can help please contact the parish office. **Saturday Mass at St. Patrick's Church** - Beginning on Saturday, May 4 and every first Saturday, we will celebrate Mass at St. Patrick's at 10:00 a.m. Church opens at 9:30 with Rosary at 9:45 a.m.

Baptism - All Saints Parish regularly celebrates the Sacrament of Baptism and offers preparation programs for families wishing to baptize their children. The next class is Saturday, May 4, 10:00 a.m. in Assumption hall. No preregistration is required, you may fill out the forms at the class. Please bring the child's birth certificate.

Join Beloved Daughters Ministry for their second annual women's conference entitled, "Worthy and Made New." The Conference will be held from May 3-4 at St. Michael's Church, Calgary. For more information visit: www.beloveddaughtersyyc.com

Assumption Charismatic Prayer Group s hosting another pot luck on Wednesday, May1. Doors open at 5:30 pm, supper at 6 pm with praise and worship starting at 7 pm at Assumption hall. All are welcome.

The **Holy Spirit International Homestay Program** is currently looking for families for the 2024-25 school year. They are receiving students from France, Spain, Japan and China. See the posters for more details or contact Joy Warren at 403-330-7382 or homestay@holyspirit.ab.ca

Upcoming Events at the Martha Retreat Centre - To register call 403-328-3422 or visit martharetreatcentre.ca *Taize Prayer* - 3rd and 4th Thursday of each month, 10:00 – 11:00 am. Taize humbly introduces a very inclusive Christian worship in order to pray with all denominations. Facilitators: Deacon Bob and Joan Williston. *Deepening Centering Prayer Retreat* - Friday, May 3, 7:30 p.m. – Sunday, May 5 1:00 p.m. Enrich your practice of Centering Prayer in this three-day intensive retreat and deepen your relationship with the living Christ. *You are the Heart of our Family* - Mother's Day celebration Friday, May 10, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm. We invite you to share in this joyous occasion dedicated to celebrating mothers, grandmothers, and mother figures alike.

This week on **formed.org**

Who is St. Catherine of Siena?

Join Dr. Tim Gray and Dr. Elizabeth Klein, as they celebrate this holy woman: a nurse and mystic with papal influence who became a doctor of the Church.

Saint Athanasius of Alexandria | Catholic Saints

A bishop and Doctor of the Church, St. Athanasius was the great defender of the Nicene Creed. He was exiled five times from his own diocese. A great teacher, his writings are accessible to both beginners and experts in theology. *Guard What Has Been Entrusted To You* - A Sermon for the Feast of St. Joseph by Bishop Jacques-Bénigne Bossuet.

This Week in Our Churches

Sunday, April 28

7:30 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist (St. Basil's)
	Incense will be used
9:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist (Assumption)
10:30 a.m.	Confirmation Retreat (Assumption hall)
11:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist (St. Basil's)
4:30 p.m.	Confessions (Assumption)
6:00 p.m.	Sunday Eucharist (Assumption)
7:00 p.m.	High School Youth Group (Assumption hall)

Monday, April 29

7:00 p.m. Mass (Assumption)

Tuesday, April 30

6:00 p.m.	Confessions (St. Basil's)
7:00 p.m.	Mass (St. Basil's)
8:00 p.m.	Eucharistic Adoration (Assumption)
1	with Confessions

Wednesday, May 1

12:05 p.m.	Mass (St. Basil's)
5:30 p.m.	Prayer Group Pot-Luck (Assumption hall)
7:00 p.m.	Prayer Group Meeting (Assumption hall)
7:00 p.m.	RCIA (UMR)
7:00 p.m.	Jr. High Youth Group (St. Martha's)

Thursday, May 2

10:00 a.m.	Paladino Funeral (Assumption)
12:05 p.m.	Mass (Assumption)
2:00 p.m.	Martha House Mass

Friday, May 3

9:00 a.m.	Mass (Assumption)
	followed by Eucharistic Adoration
10:30 a.m.	St. Terese Villa Mass
6:00 p.m.	Soup Supper (Assumption hall)
7:00 p.m.	Marriage Prep (UMR)
7:15 p.m.	Presentation on Vocations (Assumption)

Saturday, May 4

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9:00 a.m.	Marriage Prep (UMR)
9:30 a.m.	St. Patrick's opens with Rosary at 9:45
10:00 a.m.	Mass (St. Patrick's)
10:00 a.m.	Baptism Prep (Assumption hall)
3:30 p.m.	Confessions (Assumption)
5:00 p.m.	Sunday Eucharist (Assumption)
6:00 p.m.	Confessions (St. Basil's)
7:00 p.m.	Sunday Eucharist (St. Basil's)
	with First Communion

Sunday, May 5

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7:30 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist (St. Basil's)
	Incense will be used
9:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist (Assumption)
11:00 a.m.	Sunday Eucharist (St. Basil's)
	with First Communion
2:00 p.m.	Marriage Prep (UMR)
4:30 p.m.	Confessions (Assumption)
6:00 p.m.	Sunday Eucharist (Assumption)
7:00 p.m.	High School Youth Group (Assumption hall)

Fr. Kevin's Cluttered Desk

I am the vine and you are the branches has an entirely new meaning in our world today. Think of it this way, the internet is the vine, and your cell phone is the branch connected to the vine. If you are not connected, then you are in deep trouble. If your connection is not strong, something might get dropped. If your reception/connection drops, where does that leave you? And then there is the part about does your connection take you to the "correct" spot. Jesus is the vine that connects all of us to God the Father. Jesus is the vine that feeds us and nourishes us so that we might grow and mature as God's holy children. And just like the branches on a vine, we need to be pruned (Confession), fed (Eucharist) and empowered (Confirmation) and for some grafted (Marriage) onto other branches. St. John tells us, the way to stay attached to the vine is by loving God and neighbour and keeping God's commandments. But just as important and maybe even more is our reception of the Eucharist. In our world today how many people would like to live without their internet connection? Could they survive? Yes, I am sure they could, but would they respond to things in a timely manner, would they be able to stay connected to family and friends? One might want to try going with no internet for a day or two and see how that works. No credit or debit card, you would have to pay cash, no emails, no texting, no looking things up on your phone or computer or iPad, no social media, and for some no TV or security checking your house or doorbell. Now the reality is people would survive but maybe not as comfortably. In the same way people do appear to survive without Jesus in their lives but how well do they survive after death?

Peace Fr. Kevin

COMING ALIVE CAMP

"Weapons of Faith"

August 12-16

Save the date! From 8:00am-12:30pm every day during this week, kids will have the amazing experience of a Catholic camp aimed to draw them closer to God!

Registration is \$25 per child or \$60 per family of 3 or more (immediate family only).

Register before July 4 and get a T-shirt,

Registration forms available at the parish office or online at www.allsaintslethbridge.org

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Youth Leaders wanted - If you are interested in helping out at the camp you can find more information and a registration form on our website or at the parish office,