

All Saints

Roman Catholic Parish



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August 25, 2019

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Our Churches

Assumption 2405 - 12 Avenue S.

St. Basil's 604 - 13 Street N.

St. Patrick's Closed

Our Priests

Fr. Kevin Tumback - Pastor
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Mass

Saturday 5:00 p.m. - Assumption Church
7:00 p.m. - St. Basil's 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. - Assumption Church

Tuesday 7:00 p.m. - St. Basil's Church

Wednesday 12:05 p.m. - St. Basil's Church

Thursday 12:05 p.m. - Assumption Church

Friday 9:00 a.m. - Assumption Church

Sacraments

Reconciliation

Saturday 3:30 - 4:30 pm Assumption Church

Sunday 4:30 - 5:30 pm Assumption Church

Tuesday 6:00 - 6:30 pm St. Basil's Church

Thursday 11:00 - 11:30 am 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.

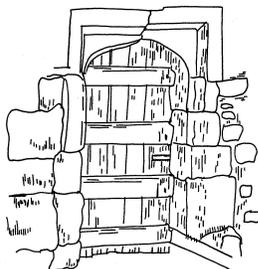
Baptism

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

Try the narrow door

Picture two gates before you. One is wide, attractive, hinting of glorious things beyond. It beckons you. It would be easy to go through. Indeed you could drive a semi-truck through it with all the worldly possessions you would ever need. The other gate is narrow. It looks difficult to get through. One would have to get rid of a lot of excess baggage, carry only what you think is truly essential. Indeed it



would be a struggle to squeeze oneself through the tiny opening. One might wonder if the struggle and sacrifice would be worth the effort. Which gate would you choose? The temptation would be the wider gate. But Jesus said to choose such an easy path would be a mistake. "The gate is wide and the way easy that leads to destruction". He said that many would choose that avenue. But he also said that it is the narrow gate that leads to "life" and that few would choose it because it is the hard way. Christ calls us to discipline ourselves and to choose the way of sacrifice and servanthood. It is that path that leads to the abundant life.

Prayers of the Faithful

Remember the sick of the Parish

Vonda Danielson, Audrey Van Lueken, Cinette Kado, Dorothy Plettell, Rita Lemire, Tony Paladino, Shirley Gallant, Mary-Elaine Bishoff, Cathie McGinty, Angela Tobin, Bea Herbst, Joseph Sikora, Christopher Smith, Fr. Michael Storey, Helen George, Max Stroud, Vivien Kruszewski, Deena Bevers, Bill Gejdos, Alex Wist, Monica Grainger, Geoff Nickol, Andy Aucoin, Matt Harty, Ester Zappone, Marie Rabusic, Lucyna Osko, Cecilia Chapman, Roy Chanda, Cal O'Brien, Lora Allen, Helena Kuzminski Vedres, Carolyn Fargo, Celeste Pryde, Mildred Dunne, Allan Smith & Jean Sevigny;

and the Deceased

Maria Paladino, Filomino D'Agnone, Craig Wojtowicz & Del Homulos.

Anniversaries of Death remembered this week

Frank Vidmar, Laura Miranda Linga, Celso R. Rodriguez Jr., Eric Schill, William Krampf & Albert Iachetta.

Baptisms

Please welcome into our Christian community *EllaMarie Refilwe Susie Saunders-Marulé & Eva Ruth Quaroni* who will celebrate the Sacrament of Baptism this weekend.



Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction

There will be 12 hour Eucharistic Adoration following the 9:00 a.m. Mass at Assumption on **Friday, September 6**. It will close with Benediction at 9:00 p.m.

Sign up sheets are located in the main church entrance of both churches. We need at least two people signed up every hour.

"Ah! How sweet and full of comfort are the moments spent before the Blessed Sacrament! Are you in any trouble? Come and throw yourself at his feet... Do people speak badly of you? Come to him and you will find a good friend who will never fail you."

St. John Vianney



Mass Intentions

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| Tuesday, August 27 | 7:00 p.m. | William Krampf (dec.) |
| Wednesday, August 28 | 12:05 p.m. | Albert Iachetta (dec.) |
| Thursday, August 29 | 12:05 p.m. | Intentions of Chalupka family |
| Friday, August 30 | 9:00 a.m. | Petri family (dec.) |



TIA

Together in Action

started in 1992 to live out Christ's teaching (share our gifts & care for our vulnerable population), to consolidate financial

asks in parishes by various agencies locally, nationally, and internationally, to allows parishioners to financially support over TIA recipients, and to educate parishioners about the plight of others.

One of the recipients of TIA funds is the **Interfaith Food Bank Society of Lethbridge**.

Together in Action provides funding for our Volunteer Program, including the costs associated with volunteer screening, training and recognition who do the bulk of the work at the food bank. We have 8 staff, 60+ weekly volunteers, and over 200 annual volunteers. We could not provide the programs and services we do without the help of our dedicated volunteers. Volunteers contributed 12,000 hours of service to us.

Our parish goal for 2019 is \$76,881.

To date we have collected \$54,330.50.

Thank you for your donations but we are still \$22,550.50 short of our goal. We will have a second collection for TIA on the weekend of September 8.

Stewardship Reflection

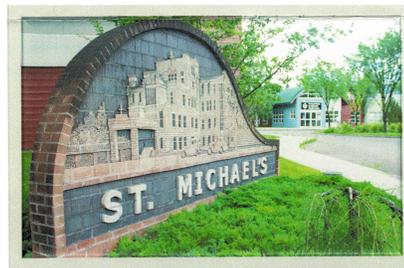
"Indeed, some are last who will be first, and some are first who will be last." (Luke 13:30)

We can be quick to judge, those of us who come to church, sit on parish committees, and call ourselves Catholics. But Jesus explains that the doorway to God's kingdom is narrow. Though we eat at the table and listen to the readings, our place in the kingdom is not guaranteed. Isaiah foretells that God's people come from all nations, all walks of life. Stewardship involves evangelization as much as personal discipleship. The door is indeed narrow but there is a place in the kingdom for everyone.

St. Michael's Health Centre

The Sisters of St. Martha travelled from Nova Scotia to Lethbridge on 1929 to operate what would become known as St. Michael's Hospital. To celebrate 90 years of faith-based compassionate care in Lethbridge, and to share the facility's impact on healthcare in Southern Alberta, Covenant Health is planning a special celebration.

Continuing the Legacy



You are invited to attend an Open House on Thursday, September 19 at St. Michael's Health Centre, 1400 9th Avenue South.

10:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Open House
4:30 - 6:30 p.m. Barbecue & Band

Parish Picnic - Mark your calendar for Sunday, September 22. The parish will supply hamburgers & hot dogs, please bring a salad or dessert to share. After 200



years of service Pat Bogdan is stepping down from coordinating the picnic. Michele Roberts has graciously stepped forward to oversee the running of the picnic, if you would like to help please call her at 403-795-2008.

We will celebrate Mass at the picnic shelter at 2:00. If you wish to serve as a liturgical minister at the picnic please contact Roisin at the parish office. **Please note** that the 6:00 p.m. Mass at Assumption will be cancelled for that Sunday.

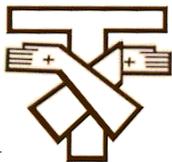
Life is about exploring pasta-bilities - St. Basil's CWL will be making noodles Mondays August 26 & September 9. We will begin at 8:00 a.m. in St. Basil's hall. All help is greatly appreciated.

Extensicare is in need of volunteers beginning in September. The commitment involves helping to bring residents to **10:30 a.m. Mass on the 4th Friday of each month**. This takes about 2 hours. If you can give your commitment to this ministry please call the parish office.

The Harambee Grandmas (part of the Stephen Lewis Foundation's Grandmothers to Grandmothers Campaign, helping families and communities affected by the AIDS pandemic in sub-Saharan Africa) are seeking donations of yarn, clean unused fabric, "fat quarters" and notions for its **Fourth Annual Fabric and Yarn Sale** on October 26. For information call 403 942 3514 or email harambeegrandmas@telus.net



Come Meet the Franciscans -for single men 18-40 years old While still a young man, St. Francis founded one of the largest religious orders in the history of the Church. Following his example of humility, Franciscans have since preached the following of the poor Christ all over the world for over 800 years. Find out more about the Franciscans and join them in scripture sharing, candle making, Mass, hiking, gardening, evening prayer, socializing, and a teaching on the Primacy of Christ during the "Meet the Franciscans" event on Saturday, August 31, 9 am to 9 pm at the Mount St. Francis, Cochrane. For more information call 403-932-2012 or email friardan47@gmail.com



Retrouaille Calgary Weekend Retreat - Retrouaille means "rediscovery". It is a lifeline of hope and healing for struggling marriages, even for couples who are separated or divorced but want to try again. The next weekend retreat is from Friday, Sept. 6 to Sunday, Sept. 8. Contact 403-879-7893 Email: coordinator@RetrouailleCalgary.com

Do you wish to see Communion under both Species continue in our parish?



WE NEED VOLUNTEERS TO BE EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS AT ALL OUR MASSES!

There will be 2 workshops/commissioning with Fr. Kevin for new volunteers to become Eucharistic Ministers. You can come **either** Wednesday, August 28, 7:00 pm at Assumption or Thursday, September 5 at 7:00 pm at Assumption.

Any person who is 16 years or older and has been Confirmed is welcome to become a Eucharistic Minister. Please pray about this call to serve and then join us either Aug. 28 or Sept. 5.

Also anyone wishing to become a **Sacristan** should also attend one of these workshops. We are in need of Sacristans at all of our Masses!

For more information about these ministries please call the parish office at 403-327-8931.

Come to the Outdoor Family Celebration with the Divine Mercy Sisters and Bishop McGrattan on Saturday, Sept. 7. Rosary prayer at 11:30 am, outdoor Mass with the Bishop at noon, followed by BBQ lunch & entertainment. Confessions will be available before the Mass. Bring your special intentions, your family and friends.



One Rock 2.0 Young Adult Conference (18-35 years old) is happening on Saturday, Oct. 26! Launch party on Friday, Oct. 25 at the Calgary Italian Cultural Centre. Main Event on Saturday, Oct. 26 at St. Michael Catholic Community. Featuring: Paul J. Kim, Emily Wilson, Joe Melendrez and Ken Yasinski! Register for a booth, volunteer or get tickets at www.onerock.ca

Youth doesn't need to be challenged or coddled. It needs merely to be told there's a job to do - here are tools - do it!

F. E. Mullen

Grocery Card Program - This is an ongoing program to help raise funds for general revenue. Cards for Save-On-Foods and Sobeys/Safeway are available in \$25, \$50 and \$100 denominations. It is dollar for dollar value so when you pay \$100 that is what your card is worth. The purchases must be made with cash or cheque. You can purchase cards after Mass, at the parish office or call Shelley Thom at 403-308-5925.

The parish receives \$5 for every \$100 sold. So far this year we have raised \$3000. Thank you for your support.



This Week in Our Churches

Sunday, August 25

- 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)
- 4:30 p.m. Confessions (Assumption)
- 6:00 p.m. Sunday Eucharist (Assumption)

Monday, August 26

- 8:00 a.m. Noodle Making (St. Basil's hall)
- 9:00 a.m. Rosary (St. Basil's)
- 9:00 a.m. Mass (St. Martha's)

Tuesday, August 27

- 9:00 a.m. Rosary (Assumption)
- 6:00 p.m. Reconciliation (St. Basil's)
- 7:00 p.m. Mass (St. Basil's)

Wednesday, August 28

- 12:05 p.m. Mass (St. Basil's)
- 12:50 p.m. Adoration for Vocations (St. Basil's)
- 7:00 p.m. Eucharistic Minister Workshop (Assumption)
- 8:00 p.m. Charismatic Prayer Group (Assumption hall)

Thursday, August 29

- 11:00 a.m. Confessions (Assumption)
- 12:05 p.m. Mass (Assumption)

Friday, August 30

- 9:00 a.m. Mass (Assumption)

Saturday, August 31

- 3:30 p.m. Confessions (Assumption)
- 5:00 p.m. Sunday Eucharist (Assumption)
- 7:00 p.m. Sunday Eucharist (St. Basil's)

Sunday, September 1

- 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)
- 4:30 p.m. Confessions (Assumption)
- 6:00 p.m. Sunday Eucharist (Assumption)

Take A Chance Raffle

Once again we will be raffling off Fr. Kevin for the Parish Golf Tournament. Tickets are \$5 each and are available after Mass or at the parish office. The winner chooses whose team he will play on.

Fr. Kevin's Cluttered Desk

This past week we celebrated the Feast of Saint Pius X (2 June 1835 – 20 August 1914). He was head of the Catholic Church from August 1903 to his death in 1914. Pius X is known for opposing modernist interpretations of Catholic doctrine, promoting liturgical reforms and orthodox theology. He directed the production of the 1917 Code of Canon Law, the first comprehensive and systemic work of its kind. He advanced the Liturgical Movement as the only Pope to favour the use of the vernacular language in teaching catechesis, he encouraged the frequent reception of holy communion, and he lowered the age for First Communion, which became a lasting innovation of his papacy. In addition, he strongly defended the Catholic religion against indifferentism and relativism. Pius X is one of my favourite Popes for three reasons:

1. He returned the church to a period where children were allowed to receive the Eucharist. "Let the little children come to me and do not get in their way."
2. The teaching of Catechism should be done in the vernacular, the language common to the people. When the catechism was taught in Latin, only a few could be or were taught, many were left with "we are Catholic, we do it this way". Now entire populations could embrace the teachings of the church and the reasoning of the church. He opened the door to bible studies, studies in history of the church and understanding the liturgy.
3. The ordering and organizing of the Churches laws. Do you know how often we run into people believing that something is a rule of the church when in fact it is not?

Saint Pius X was a man of great faith and belief in the people's desire to know more about their faith and a willingness to learn more about their faith. Sadly, even today, we still have a huge part of our population that does not know the teaching of the church. This includes some of our priests, deacons, and religious. Saint Pius X had a great desire for us to learn more and this need is still here today. Today we have many opportunities to learn about our faith. In our Sacramental programs we have a parent element that was never there before. The hope is that if the parents know more they will be able to answer their children's questions and direct their children in the faith. In Sacramental preparation it is not just preparing for the day, it is preparing for the future. How can we prepare children if we have not prepared their parents for the questions and concerns that we know, after all these years, will be coming? Saint Pius X looked forward to a day when Catholics would be more educated about their faith and more willing to share the blessings and joy of that faith. We have done well but more work is needed.

Peace Fr. Kevin

All Saints Parish Golf Tournament

- 1:00 p.m. Shotgun start
- 4 person Scramble format
- \$100 per golfer

Register as an individual or as a team of 4

- \$30 for meal only

Saturday, September 21
Picture Butte Golf Club



Your registration includes:

- 18 holes of golf with cart
- Prizes
- Roast beef dinner
- Lots of fun

