

All Saints

Roman Catholic Parish



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March 17, 2019

Second Sunday of Lent

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.



Sunday Reflection

Don't look in, look up!

As Lent begins we naturally turn our eyes inward to contemplate the state of our hearts and souls. Ash Wednesday's call to repentance and introspection echoes through these first days.

But today's gospel says "Look up, not in!". Christ appears on the mountain in all His glory, shining His example for us to follow. If we keep our eyes turned inward we will stumble in our own darkness. Instead let us keep our eyes firmly fixed on His blessed face, walking the Lenten road with sure and steady steps guided by His hand.

Prayers of the Faithful

Remember the sick of the Parish

Ange Randa, Cathie McGinty, Angela Tobin, Carmen Groten, Bea Herbst, Monica Grainger, Dorothy Plettell, Marilyn Arnold, Joseph Sikora, Christopher Smith, Fr. Michael Storey, Helen George, Max Stroud, Vivien Kruszewski, Deena Bevers, Bill Gejdos, Hal Meckelborg, Marcela Alas, Geoff Nickol, Andy Aucoin, Helena Kuzminski Vedres, Matt Harty, Ester Zappone, Joe Chenier, Marie Rabusic, Lucyna Osko, Jeff Olson, Rick French, Cecilia Chapman, Betty van Gaal, Roy Chanda, Cal O'Brien, Lora Allen, Maitlynn Miller, Carolyn Farago, Celeste Pryde, Joanne Young, Eva Yurtela, Helen Bervens, Ronald Risling, Al LaPlante, Colleen Doubinin, Edith Andre, Maria Paladino, Maryanna Litke, Herbert Sweetgrass, Christopher Powers, Rolph Thoma, Sheila Red Crow, Stena Meheden, Clarence Old Shoes, Cecilia Chapman & Lena Chief Calf;

and the Deceased

Deeanna Akroyda, Sophie Lacny, Mina Penner & Joseph Sokac.

Anniversaries of Death remembered this week

John Brunner & Laurel Anderson.

Hospital Stays

Changes have been made to the hospital system.

If a family member or friend has been admitted to the hospital and have been missed by Spiritual Care, please call the parish office and we will be able to pass on the information. Thank you.



Adoration

Every Friday in Lent we will have 12 Hour Eucharistic Adoration at Assumption. Adoration will begin after the 9:00 a.m. Mass and will close with Benediction at 9:00 p.m.

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

During Lent, reconciliation will be available during Adoration from 10:00 a.m. until noon.



Jesus waits for us in the Blessed Sacrament. He waits for our little Acts of faith, adoration, love, thanksgiving, repentance, reparation and charity that we can offer Him as we contemplate -- His Divine Majesty -- in the Blessed Sacrament.

All Star Saints



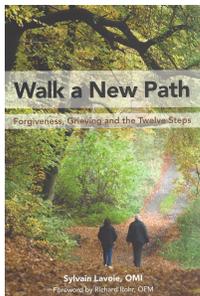
All Star Saints is a Catholic after school program for youth in kindergarten to grade five.

It runs on Thursdays from 4:00-5:00 pm at St. Basil's hall until June 13th. Each

session focuses on a bible story, and will include music, prayer, lessons, games and crafts. A small snack is also provided.

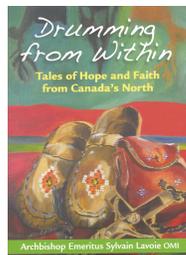
There is no deadline for registration so if you would like to join later this spring, that is okay too! For more information, please contact Katelyn Rabl at lethbridgecatholicyouth@gmail.com

Registration forms can be found on our website allsaintslethbridge.org



Archbishop Emeritus Sylvain Lavoie, our Pre-Lenten Retreat leader, has sent additional copies of two of his books:

Walk a New Path (7 copies) and **Drumming from Within** (1 copy)



If you are interested in purchasing a book they are available in the parish office for \$20 each.

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, March 19	7:00 p.m.	Amelia & Anthony Kuziomko (dec.)
Wednesday, March 20	12:05 p.m.	Gola Mucciarone (dec.)
Thursday, March 21	12:05 p.m.	George Wolosuk (dec.)
Friday, March 22	9:00 a.m.	Robert Aksnowicz (dec.)
	10:30 a.m. Extendicare Mass	Herman Van Lent (dec.)



Stewardship Reflection

Our citizenship is in heaven (Philippians 3.20)

We identify ourselves by the groups in which we have membership: family, church, sporting teams, clubs. Over time, these groups form us and we conform to the values they promote. As disciples, our first membership is with the company in heaven where Christ transforms the body of our humiliation that it may be conformed to the body of his glory.

Together in Action



Your Gift's Impact

Your contribution and generosity make a real difference in the lives of thousands of people. Together in Action supports diocesan ministries and programs in the 68 parishes across southern Alberta. It funds grants for almost fifty local charities and national and international partners.

We know that whatever little we give God, he multiplies. Your giving impacts children, women and men in your community, province, country and around the world.

Thank you for responding

Your gift is a source of mercy and love in the life and mission of the Church. Please give generously.

This year our parish goal is \$76,881. We are requesting that any of our surplus funds be directed to our Building Fund.

Ecumenical Lenten Lunch & Devotion - Thursday, March 21st at St. Augustine's Anglican Church, 411-11th Street South. It begins at noon. All are welcome and are encouraged to attend.

Campus Care Bags - please remember to return your bag *next weekend, March 24*. The sorting will take place on Saturday, March 30th, 10 am at Immanuel Lutheran Church. Coffee & donuts will be served! If you can help, please contact the parish office. *Your assistance is appreciated!*

Passion Reenactment practices will begin 1:00 pm Sunday, March 31 at Assumption Church. New members are welcome! If you are interested in joining us, please come at that time. For more information: Richard Shelton 403-381-6670 or Rosemarie Tavernini 403-329-1052.

 **Children's Choir** - A choir will be formed for the 9 and 11 Masses *Easter morning*.

Children ages 5-12 are invited to attend Friday afternoon rehearsals at St. Basil's, 2:00pm. Call the parish office to register. There is no cost.

All parishioners are invited to **celebrate the one year anniversary of our family from Syria**. The Wahbehs arrived in March 2018, and it's time to share their successes. A potluck supper will be held on Saturday, March 30th following the 5:00 Mass in Assumption hall. Please join us on this great occasion, and show the family their importance to our Parish community.

Eucharistic Ministers Needed - Richly rewarding ministry of service to our elderly at Legacy Lodge and St. Michael's Health Centre. Please contact Sr. Josephine Keyzer at 403-328-7877.

All men are invited to join **That Man Is You!** We meet for breakfast on Fridays at 6am in the CCHS East Campus cafeteria.

March 22: Evolution and Faith

- The Church and Evolution
 - Can We Believe Parts of the Evolution Theory?
 - What Can't We Believe as Catholics?
 - The Heresy of Evolutionism
 - Avoiding Theological Assumptions
 - The Providence of God
 - Going Deeper than Darwin
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Lenten Soup Suppers every Friday in Lent. A simple meal of soup, buns and cheese will be served in Assumption hall at 6:00 p.m. There is no charge but donations are appreciated, all proceeds go to the Lethbridge Food Bank. If you can help by providing a meatless soup call Roy at 403-915-7820.

Seamstress for sewing repairs, alterations and dressmaking - All Saints sponsored Syrian refugee, Salwa, has over 20 years of experience sewing and teaching sewing. For your sewing needs call for an appointment. 403-929-5751.



Martha Retreat Centre Programs - 403-328-3422 or marthare@telusplanet.net

Centering Prayer - every Tuesday from 1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

Oasis Day - Thursday March 21st. Come away to experience the voice of God during the Lenten Journey.

Moment by Moment - Saturday, March 23, 9-4. This one-day silent retreat gives participants a time to step away from the regular pace of life and practice present-moment awareness.

Lenten Twilight Retreat - Monday, March 25, 5-9 pm. (Not Tuesday, March 26 as previously advertised.) Through Scripture, reflection and sharing we let God clothe us with goodness and mercy.

A silent retreat for men - March 29-30 at the Martha Retreat Centre. Contact Savio (baptistas@holyspirit.ab.ca) or Mark Nixon (marthare@telusplanet.net) for more information or to register. The retreat begins at 7pm on Friday and ends at 4pm on Saturday. There is an option for an overnight stay at the Retreat Centre.

A silent retreat for ladies will be held at Mt St Francis Retreat Centre in Cochrane the weekend of March 22-24. The theme is *"Who do you say I am?"* For more information or to register, please contact Teresa at 403-329-8967 or Jane at 403-857-8000.

Healing & Gifts of the Holy Spirit Workshop - Friday, March 29th & Saturday March 30th. Presented by Assumption Prayer Community & hosted by Lethbridge Christian Tabernacle, 1805 - 9 Avenue N. Registrations: Laurie 403-634-5445 or Email eldee115@gmail.com

All are welcome to the KC Council 1490 **Social Night** on Tuesday, March 19. Jill Manning will be the guest speaker, she is the Director of Operation at ARCHES & she will be doing a presentation on the Supervised Consumption Services site that is downtown. It will be held at Columbus Hall, 125 13th Street North at 7:00 p.m.

Oberammergau 2020 - A single lady is looking for a traveling companion to share accommodations for either Switzerland and Germany with Passion Play 9 days \$4,999 land only or Imperial Cities with Passion Play 11 days \$5,499 land only. She is interested in May or later September. Call Pat Hoyt 403-381-6605 to inquire.

Rosary at Assumption before weekend Masses - If you would like to volunteer to lead the rosary the sign up sheet is on the bulletin board in the main entrance of church.

This Week in Our Churches

Sunday, March 17

- 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)
followed by a Coffee Social hosted by CWL
- 4:30 p.m. Confessions (Assumption)
- 6:00 p.m. Sunday Eucharist (Assumption)

Monday, March 18

- 9:00 a.m. Rosary (St. Basil's)
- 9:00 a.m. Mass (St. Martha's)
- 6:00 p.m. Confirmation Workshop (Assumption hall)
- 7:30 p.m. St. Vincent de Paul Meeting (St. Basil's hall)

Tuesday, March 19

- 9:00 a.m. St. Paul School Gr. 3 Retreat (St. Basil's)
- 9:00 a.m. Rosary (Assumption) - CANCELLED
- 10:00 a.m. Sokac Funeral (Assumption)
- 5:15 p.m. Consoling the Heart of Jesus (St. Basil's bdrm.)
- 6:00 p.m. Confessions (St. Basil's)
- 7:00 p.m. Mass (St. Basil's)

Wednesday, March 20

- 12:05 p.m. Mass (St. Basil's)
- 1:00 p.m. Adoration for Vocations (St. Basil's)
- 5:30 p.m. RCIC (UMR)
- 6:30 p.m. Choir Practice (LMR)
- 6:30 p.m. Pulse (St. Martha's)
- 7:00 p.m. RCIA (UMR)
- 7:00 p.m. Penitential Service (St. Ambrose, Coaldale)
- 8:00 p.m. Charismatic Prayer Group (Assumption hall)

Thursday, March 21

- 11:00 a.m. Confessions (Assumption)
- 12:05 p.m. Mass (Assumption)
- 12:00 p.m. Lenten Lunch (St. Augustine's Church)
- 1:30 p.m. Bible Study (UMR)
- 4:00 p.m. All Star Saints (St. Basil's hall)
- 6:00 p.m. Confirmation Workshop (Assumption hall)
- 7:00 p.m. Penitential Service (St. Catherine's, Picture Butte)
- 7:00 p.m. Bible Study (UMR)
- 7:00 p.m. Choir Practice (St. Basil's)

Friday, March 22

- 6:00 a.m. TMIY (CCH East)
- 9:00 a.m. Mass (Assumption)
followed by 12 hour Eucharistic Adoration
- 10:00 a.m. Confessions (Assumption)
- 10:30 a.m. Extencicare Mass
- 2:00 p.m. Children's Choir Practice (St. Basil's)
- 3:00 p.m. Arise (Assumption hall)
- 3:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross (St. Basil's)
- 6:00 p.m. Soup Supper (Assumption hall)
- 6:30 p.m. Spanish Prayer Group (St. Basil's hall)
- 7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross (Assumption)

Saturday, March 23

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

Sunday, March 24

- 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)
with Children's Liturgy

Fr. Kevin's Cluttered Desk

Sister used to tell us many things and a few things of those things stuck with me. Custody of the eyes was one. Everything we see and everything we watch has an effect on us and our mind. It affects how we look at the world and how we problem solve. The other part of that was, keep your eyes focused on what is important. This one took a little longer to sink in.

Keeping our eyes focused on what is important is hard when you're a teenager. There are so many things you think are the most important things in the world, but as time goes on you learn that it was not so. How many of us grew up playing a sport and dreaming of being a professional in that sport? The dream was important but the reality did not materialize for many of us. That person who was the focus of our lives when we were teenagers, are they even part of our lives today? For some yes, for others not so much. Some things in our lives are fleeting and our focus changes over the years, but there are some things that should never leave or never stop being a focus in our lives. These things are family and God. A good friend of mine once challenged me on "what was the deepest desire of my heart" and then I would know my focus in life. How do we keep focused? We return to the heart of things.

Lent is the season when we need to spend some time working on our heart and what is really going on in our hearts. A parishioner once told me that they never go to the Stations of the Cross anymore because they cry during the stations. My response to them was, if a person did not cry or feel some sort of pain during the praying of the stations then they had missed something. Another parishioner told me that they had taken all the crucifixes out of their house and replaced them with just crosses, because a cross with Jesus hanging on it made them feel guilty. Since our sins put him on the cross, maybe we should feel a little guilty when we gaze upon a crucifix. Our faith is not a "head" thing, it is a deep inner feeling of connectedness with Jesus. Each of us is called to grow that relationship. On God's side the relationship is perfect for he laid down his life for love of each of us. On our side of the relationship there is always room for growth and improvement. So let both your heart and eyes focus on Jesus, the suffering one, the broken one, the one who loves you unconditionally.

Peace Fr. Kevin