

All Saints

Roman Catholic Parish



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Pentecost Sunday

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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Sunday Reflection

A Gift of New-ness

The gift of the Holy Spirit which you have received will be a spiritual sign and seal that makes you more like Christ and a more perfect member of His Church.

The Spirit gives Himself to you as a light and power to spread the Good News of salvations. You have a new spirit and heart, new prayers and gifts, new work to do.

Let your Pentecost prayer be that you will be filled with this new-ness of life, work and spirit. That you may join the apostles in the work of God here on earth.

Mass Times

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

NEW

Prayers of the Faithful

Remember the sick of the Parish

Carmen Groten, Vonda Danielson, Lucy Pavan, Math Harty, Joe Kellogg, Kem Brewer & for all those infected with the coronavirus;

and the Deceased

Jim McGinty.

Open for Prayer

Assumption Church will be open for prayer
Monday to Friday from 8:30am - 4:00pm
Saturday 10:00am - 2:00pm
Sunday 11:00am - 2:00pm
Please use the east entrance.
Please respect social distancing of 6 feet

Sacraments

Reconciliation

By appointment.

Anointing of the Sick

Arrangements made by calling the Parish Office.

Stewardship Reflection

No one can say "Jesus is Lord" except by the Holy Spirit. (1 Corinthians 12.3b)

Everything we have and are comes from God, even our faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour. Your faith is a gift. Give thanks to God for this gift of faith.

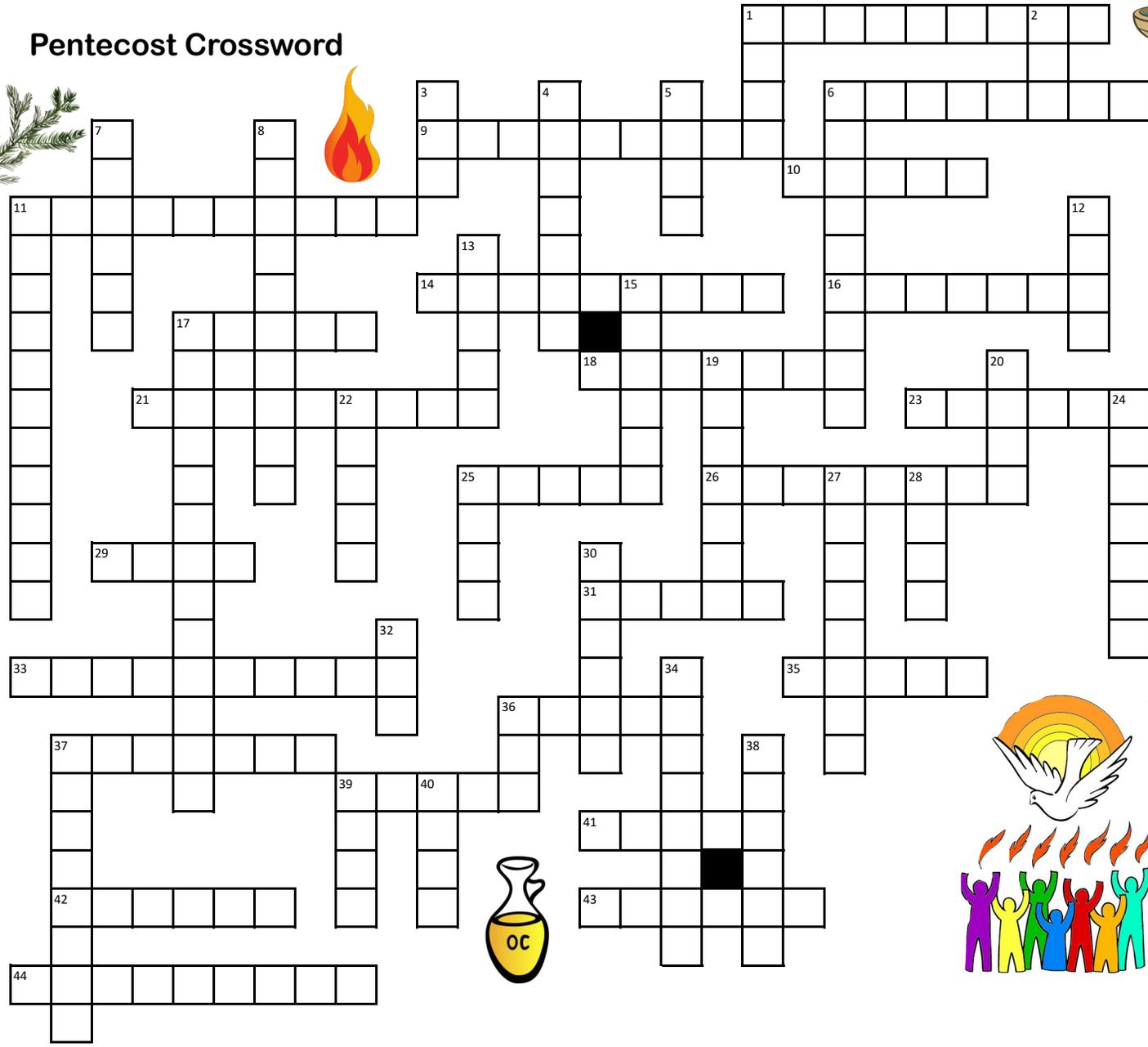
Bishop McGrattan has released an important announcement regarding the public celebration of the Holy Mass. A couple of points to highlight are:

- The public celebration of Mass will . . . take place under diocesan guidelines and directives that will allow for the Eucharistic liturgy to be celebrated in an appropriate and dignified manner. It will follow the restrictions on the maximum number of attendees allowed and ensure that the proper safety and health measures . . .
- The dispensation of the Faithful from their Sunday obligation will remain in place so that those individuals who may be vulnerable because of age, health conditions or who do not feel safe in the public celebration of the Mass at this time may choose to stay home and keep safe. The live streaming of Mass will continue both on weekdays and Sunday in the Diocese.

Please read the full letter it is this weeks insert. The Guidelines for the Reintroduction of the Public Celebration of Mass can be found on our website.



Pentecost Crossword



Across

1. After Easter the Easter candle is moved to the ____.
6. Ascension is usually celebrated on this day of the week.
9. The Holy Spirit descended upon the apostles in the ____.
10. The number of gifts of the Holy Spirit.
11. Pentecost celebrates the descent of the ____
14. When is the last Sunday we light the Easter candle?
16. The exact number of people the Holy Spirit descended upon is ____.
17. We ____ 50 days from Easter to Pentecost.
18. The apostles native tongue would have been ____.
21. Pentecost is more understood by ____ than scripture.
23. There are 3 types of baptism acknowledged by the Catholic Church. Water, __ & blood.
25. 50 days after the Passover is the Feast of ____.
26. Another name for the holy spirit.
29. You can be confirmed this many times.
31. Jesus was baptized in the Jordan ____.
33. Pentecost heralds in the great _____, the same one heralded at the end of every mass.
35. Deacons are called to serve at the _____. (Take food to the poor.)
36. Pentecost was a ____ harvest festival for the Jews.
37. Folklore holds that Joseph of Arimathea took the chalice from the Last Supper to this country.
39. The number of days from Easter to Pentecost.
41. We are called to the ____ or Table of the Lord.
42. The Holy Spirit is our ____.
43. This means anointed.
44. There are ____ of gifts, but the same Spirit.

Mass Intentions

Monday, June 1	7:00 p.m.	Intention of Martin Njenga Charles & Anna Szakacs (dec.)
Tuesday, June 2	7:00 p.m.	Conrad Van Buuren (dec.) Eva Yurtela (dec.)
Wednesday, June 3	7:00 p.m.	Nick & Mary Previsich (dec) Intention of Suzanne D'Sa
Thursday, June 4	7:00 p.m.	Souls in Purgatory Intention of Peter Ziknan
Friday, June 5	9:00 a.m.	Intention of Mary Kaguima & Family Intention of the St. Joseph Seminary Class of 2020
Saturday, June 6		Intention of Dennis Green

Fr. Kevin and Fr. Albert will be praying the Mass every day for the needs of the parish and for these intentions. This week the priests will concelebrate each Mass with both intentions being prayed for.

Together In Action - Of the \$2M raised each year throughout our diocese, \$903,000 is allocated to our diocesan programs, \$646,000 is allocated for grants to southern Alberta charities, \$360,000 is allocated to national and international outreach and \$90,000 covers the administrative campaign costs (which is only 4.5% of the campaign's total).

This year our parish goal is \$77,147. We have collected \$27,444. If we exceed our goal this year we have requested that excess funds be used for our Repairs & Maintenance fund. Thank you for your continued support.

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. Please call Shelley at 403-308-5925.

We are still accepting donations at the parish office. Please deposit through the door mail slot. When Masses resume the collection basket will be at the church entrance, there will be no collection during Mass.

If you wish to sign up for our *Pre-Authorized Giving plan* (even as a temporary measure) please fill out the form on our website home page.

Also, we are now set up to accept *e-transfers* at adminallsaints@shaw.ca

Thank you for your continued support of our parish!

Fr. Kevin's Cluttered Desk

As we all hopefully have heard by now, the churches will begin celebrating Holy Mass publicly again on Monday, June 1st. This will result in some changes to our weekday Mass schedule but the weekend Mass schedule will remain the same. The limit of 50 people in the church will be a challenge in the beginning but hopefully we will work that out as quickly as possible. The key will be respecting the needs of others.

The dispensation from Sunday Mass will remain in effect and so there is no need to rush back to the church; one can still watch the live stream or TV Masses and make their Spiritual Communion but we are moving forward and, with prayer, all will be well.

As we celebrate the Feast of Pentecost we are invited to reflect upon the meaning of church in our lives. Pentecost is said to be the birthday of the church, but there were no buildings, and the people still gathered in the square or in the synagogue or in someone's home. It would be many years before we saw the massive churches of Europe and the East. The beginnings of the church were simple: "the meal" and social gathering; the care and love of neighbour and of those less fortunate; the focus on scripture and the Word of God.

For many the hardest part of these days that we have all faced has been the missing of "the meal" and the social gathering. As a people we are called into relationship and this relationship is to bring peace to each other, harmony in the home, harmony in the family, harmony in the workplace, peace to all and for all. This peace that we are called to seek and to live was bought with the blood of Jesus. "Peace be with you", He said, and He showed them His hands and His side. The price was paid, now the calling is to live what has been purchased for us.

As we begin our process of coming back together, let us be ever vigilant of the needs of the other and safeguard their health and wellbeing.

Peace Fr. Kevin

The public celebration of Mass will begin on Monday, June 1. Please see the Mass schedule on the first page.

Each Mass will be limited to 50 people including the priests and those serving. An attendance list will be taken as you enter the church including full name and phone number. This will enable contact tracing and follow up if necessary. This list will be kept at the parish office and shredded if not needed.

The dispensation of the Faithful from their Sunday obligation will remain in place. No one is obliged to attend Mass while this is in effect. If you choose to attend Mass you will be limited to once per week. A Wednesday is just as sacred as a Sunday.