

# All Saints

Roman Catholic Parish



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November 6, 2022

Thirty-Second 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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## Sunday Reflection

### From Mouting to Ministry

We can find it terribly easy in our faith to "go through the motions." By the time Jesus arrived on the scene in first-century Palestine, the same thing had happened to the Pharisees and Sadducees. Instead of walking the walk, they were too busy debating and "talking the talk". How much easier it was to argue spiritual concepts, dogma and tradition's details, than to do

the hard work of faith. And keeping themselves distracted wasn't enough, they interfered with others' active ministry too.

Too often, we today find ourselves dealing with arcane questions that divert us from ministry. We get caught up in all consuming debates over the tiniest details, and ignore the hungry, the lost, the sick. If we could just shake off this urge to argue and lose ourselves instead in the passion of faith, we could start ministering instead of mouting. When we begin to do we untie God's hands and He can work the miracles we've been waiting for.



## Mass Times

**Saturday** 5:00 p.m. - Assumption  
**This Mass is Live-streamed**  
7:00 p.m. - St. Basil's

**Sunday** 7:30 a.m. - St. Basil's  
9:00 a.m. - Assumption  
**This Mass is Live-streamed**  
11:00 a.m. - St. Basil's  
6:00 p.m. - Assumption

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

**Wednesday** 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 9:30am - 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 after the 9:00am Mass and end with Benediction at 8:00pm

## 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.

## Prayers of the Faithful

### *Remember the sick of the Parish*

Fr. John Schuster, Deena Bevers, Sheila Horon, Rick Sipos, Ed Verhoeven, Michael Poirier, Mary Ann Helle, Erin Harkness, Joseph Seeman, Patrick Barry, Garry Bishoff, Victor Lund, Vickie Richter, Carmen Groten, Vonda Danielson, Daniel Bosters, Marika Poirier, Irena Gugala, Cinette Kado, Darwyn Kropinak, John Leskosky, Guy Vervoort, Robert Comstock, Wilfred Lencucha, Jeannette Richard & Deacon Michael Pollard.

### *and the Deceased*

Steve Markus, Paulina Thompson & Anna Vo Thi To, the mother of Fr. Cuong Luong

### *Anniversaries of Death remembered this week*

Agnes LaFontaine, Ed Lastuka, Gino Pasquotti, Aniceta Sandoval & Anton Heck.



The parish office will be closed on Friday,  
November 11.



# Eucharistic Adoration



## Every Tuesday

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

**Adoration will be live-streamed**  
from 8pm - 9pm

**Confessions** are available at Adoration  
from 8:00 - 10:00pm

# Youth Ministry

**High School Youth Group** meets every  
Sunday at 7:15pm in Assumption hall.



## Junior High Youth Group

meets every  
Wednesday at  
6:30pm at St. Martha's.



# Stewardship Reflection

*But the Lord is faithful; he will strengthen you and guard you from the evil one. (2 Thessalonians 2.3-3)*

Spreading the Gospel and doing what the Lord commands in pursuit of the life of discipleship makes us targets for the evil one, who wants to derail our good work. Our first defence is to direct our hearts to the love of God and to the steadfastness of Christ.

# Special Upcoming Masses

## All Saturdays in November

10:00 a.m. Mass at Assumption

## CWL Memorial Mass

Wednesday, Nov. 9, 7:00 p.m. at Assumption  
(Livestream will be available)

## Mass of the Angels

Monday, Nov. 14, 7:00 p.m. at St. Basil's  
Social to follow

## Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Monday, Nov. 21, 7:00 p.m. at Assumption

## K of C Memorial Mass

Tuesday, Nov. 22, 7:00 p.m. at St. Martha's

## Anointing Mass

Saturday, Dec. 3, 10:00 a.m. at St. Basil's

# Mass Intentions

Tuesday, Nov. 8	10:00 a.m. Golden Acres	Travaglia Family (dec.)
	7:00 p.m.	Maria Donato (dec.)
Wednesday, Nov. 9	12:05 p.m.	Albert Iachetta (dec.)
Thursday, Nov. 10	12:05 p.m.	Ed Lastuka (dec.)
	2:00 p.m. Martha House	Intention of Sheila Horon
	4:00 p.m. Martha Retreat Centre	John Van Egmond
Friday, Nov. 11	9:00 a.m.	Josh Lorenz (dec.)
Saturday, Nov. 12	10:00 a.m.	Norm Whelpley (dec.)



# Remembrance Day



Please wear a poppy, it is the symbol of remembrance for the sacrifice of those who paid the ultimate price for freedom on behalf of Canada.

We will celebrate daily Mass at 9:00 a.m. at Assumption.

Remembrance Day services in Lethbridge will return to in-person events this year.

Services will be held at the Lethbridge and District Exhibition in the South Pavilion starting at 10:30 a.m. on November 11.

The Cenotaph Service will start at 10:40 a.m. near City Hall. It will be conducted entirely by the local 20th Independent Field Battery R.C.A.

A fly-past of the RCAF C-17 transport plane from the City of Lethbridge 429 Squadron is scheduled to take place at 11:00 a.m. if operations allow.

The Lethbridge Military Museum is scheduled to be open on Remembrance Day from noon to 4pm. Masks will be required to enter and while visiting.

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Canadians pause today in silence to remember those who died in war and to pray for the victims of aggression and inhumanity throughout the world.

There will be a **Memorial Mass** for all deceased members of the CWL on Nov. 9th at 7 pm at Assumption Church.

**CWL Dues for 2023** - The \$40 fee should be marked *Assumption* or *St. Basil's CWL*. It can be put in the collection basket at Mass, or dropped off at the parish office.

**Mass of the Angels** will be celebrated at St. Basil's on Monday, November 14 at 7pm. Everyone is invited to attend this special mass for those who have been touched by the loss of a child, before or after birth. Coffee and hot chocolate will be served by St. Basil's CWL following the Mass.



**Pancake Breakfast** - Come join the Assumption K of C for breakfast next Sunday, November 13, following the 9:00 Mass in Assumption hall. Everyone is welcome.

**Advent Candles** - We have Advent candle for sale in the parish office. Cost is \$10/set.

**2023 Sunday Missals** are available at the parish office for \$5 each. The 2023 Children's Missal should arrive soon.

**2023 Donation Envelopes** can be picked up at Assumption hall. If you would like a box of envelopes or if you would like information on Pre-Authorized Giving please contact Karen at 403-327-8931 or [adminallsaints@shaw.ca](mailto:adminallsaints@shaw.ca)

**If you have moved within the past year** you may want to make sure you gave a change of address to the office.

**Join the Servants of the Cross For I Am More - Advent Special!** Fridays During Advent beginning on Nov. 18th. Via Zoom 7:30-9:00pm ET. Let's walk together this Advent and exchange the lies we believe for the truth that God says about us. We will read together Chris Stefanick's book called *I Am* \_ and discover God's tender love for each of us. To register please visit <https://servantsofthecross.ca/engage/i-am-more/>



**St. Basil's CWL Noodles & Nibbles sale** is today, Sunday, Nov. 6 from noon until 3:00 at St. Basil's hall. This instead of their Annual Tea & Bake Sale. Please use the South entrance. Everyone is welcome.

**Lethbridge People of Praise are planning on having a retreat for back up** (those who have made a Live-In) on Nov 25 - 27 weekend instead of a Live-In. It will be run similar to the Live-In, but is only for those who have done a Live-In. There will be a back-up meeting on Nov 7 & 21 at 7:00 pm in Coaldale at St Ambrose Church. To register for this back-up retreat please contact Katie Lindsay at 403-382-1235 or email [Katie.lindsay51@gmail.com](mailto:Katie.lindsay51@gmail.com); or Peter Van Uden at 403-654-0369 or email [petervanu@outlook.com](mailto:petervanu@outlook.com)

**Parish Pastoral Council** - We are looking for 7 people interested in making up the PPC. Nominations can be submitted to Fr. Kevin or the office. The next meeting is Wednesday, November 16.

We need a few people who would be willing to fill in running the **Live-streaming** equipment at the 5:00 pm and 9:00 am Masses. You will not be needed weekly, but maybe a couple times a month. Please contact the parish office.

**Open House at the Martha Retreat Centre** - Tuesday, November 15th, 2022, 6:30 - 8:00 pm. Would you like to learn more about the Centre and how to invest in the work here? We invite you to attend an Open House on Tuesday, Nov. 15th. Do you have a vision for the future of the Centre? Will you consider investing in the work of the Centre? Come to learn about the Centre and share your ideas of growing the sustainability of the Centre. Call 403-328-3422 to register or email [admin@martharetreatcentre.ca](mailto:admin@martharetreatcentre.ca)

**Healing & Gifts of the Holy Spirit Workshop** - Dec. 9 & 10 at FCJ Christian Life Centre, Calgary. Presented by: Our Lady of the Assumption Prayer Community. There will be a love offering for meal and facility cost. Registration: Email [kfabbi@gmail.com](mailto:kfabbi@gmail.com) or phone Ken at 403-331-8923

**St. Augustine's & St. Joseph's Annual Fall Supper** - Sunday, Nov. 20 at Taber Civic Centre. Tickets: Adults: \$15, Children Aged 6-10: \$6, Children 5 and under: Free. Take Out is Available. Tickets available through St. Augustine's church office, Johnsons Drug Store or Pharmasave Taber.

**Join a Guided Pilgrimage to Rome with St. Mary's University** - May 13-28, 2023 - Led by Dr. Peter Baltutis. This travel study course explores the development of Christian spirituality from its origins to the present day through the lens of Rome. This course examines how Christians throughout history have approached God in prayer and practice, and how these diverse spiritualities have intersected with art, architecture, politics, and culture. Deadline for applications: Wednesday, November 30, 2022 - email [peter.baltutis@stmu.ca](mailto:peter.baltutis@stmu.ca)

**K of C Council 1490 will be hosting a Cake Auction** Friday, November 18th at 7:00 pm at the Knights of Columbus hall, 125 - 13 Street North, in support of the CCH Santa's Anonymous Food Hamper Program. Please bring your baked goods, homemade preserves, crafts, or other items to the Auction. An Auctioneer will be on hand to keep things lively. Snacks and coffee will be served. Please bring your goodies the night of the event and support a great cause.



# This Week in Our Churches

## *Sunday, November 6*

- 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)
- 12:00 p.m. Noodles & Nibbles Sale (St. Basil's hall)
- 4:30 p.m. Confessions (Assumption)
- 6:00 p.m. Sunday Eucharist (Assumption)
- 7:15 p.m. High School Youth Group (Assumption hall)

## *Monday, November 7*

- 9:00 a.m. Assumption Gr. 3 Retreat (Assumption hall)
- 6:00 p.m. Confirmation Workshop (Assumption hall)

## *Tuesday, November 8*

- 10:00 a.m. Golden Acres/Blue Sky Mass
- 6:00 p.m. Confessions (St. Basil's)
- 7:00 p.m. Mass (St. Basil's)
- 8:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration (Assumption) with confessions

## *Wednesday, November 9*

- 9:00 a.m. St. Mary Gr. 3 Retreat (Assumption hall)
- 12:05 p.m. Mass (St. Basil's)
- 4:00 p.m. Little Saints (St. Basil's hall)
- 5:30 p.m. RCIC (UMR)
- 6:30 p.m. Jr. High Youth Group (St. Martha's)
- 7:00 p.m. CWL Memorial Mass (Assumption)
- 7:00 p.m. RCIA (UMR)

## *Thursday, November 10*

- 12:05 p.m. Mass (Assumption)
- 1:30 p.m. Lectio: Eucharist (UMR)
- 2:00 p.m. Martha House Mass
- 4:00 p.m. Martha Retreat Centre Mass
- 6:00 p.m. Confirmation Workshop (Assumption hall)
- 7:00 p.m. Lectio: Eucharist (UMR)

## *Friday, November 11*

### *Remembrance Day*

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



## *Saturday, November 12*

- 10:00 a.m. Mass (Assumption)
- 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)

## *Sunday, November 13*

- 7:30 a.m. Sunday Eucharist (St. Basil's)
- 9:00 a.m. Sunday Eucharist (Assumption)
- 10:00 a.m. KC5726 Pancake Breakfast (Assumption hall)
- 11:00 a.m. Sunday Eucharist (St. Basil's)
- 4:30 p.m. Confessions (Assumption)
- 6:00 p.m. Sunday Eucharist (Assumption)
- 7:15 p.m. High School Youth Group (Assumption hall)

## **Fr. Kevin's Cluttered Desk**

In my not so many years as a priest, I have celebrated many funerals and it is always interesting how people look at death and life after death. As we approach the end of this liturgical year, we again look at death and what it might mean to us. We reflect on the Sadducees and how they reject life after death. We reflect on the words of Moses and how God is the God of the living and not of the dead. We are reminded that our true home is in heaven, and this is just a temporary stop on the way to heaven and eternal life with God. We are reminded that eternal life will be different, there will be no more marrying or giving in marriage. We are reminded that there will be no more weeping or sadness only joy with the Lord. We are also reminded that it is not angels sitting on clouds playing harps, we will be like angels but greater than the angels for we are children of the resurrection. When I think of my dad in heaven, for I am sure that is where he must be, I see him sitting in a rocking chair looking out at a beautiful sunset with a glass of dark Navy rum and coke in his hand and completely at peace. He might be talking with someone, and I have seen that also, but what always comes to mind is peace. Now am I sure that is what heaven is like, in all honesty I don't know, but it is the vision I have. Jesus came to bring us joy and peace, the words Jesus spoke to His disciples after the resurrection were, "peace be with you". So, the image of peace always comes to my mind. How others see peace and joy I am sure is very different and that is okay for whatever it is I am sure God's understanding of peace is greater than ours. I am sure that not everyone likes to think about death and life after death, but we will all get there one day, not that we are in a hurry to get there and the timing of getting there should always be in God's hands, but a little reflection never hurt anyone. So, what does your image look like, how do you see, life after death?

Just for fun, another way of looking at life after death is through the marriage lens. On their wedding day the couples' single lives are laid to rest and a new life begins for them. Death to the single life and a resurrection into the married life where two shall become one. Our prayer for eternal life might then be to be one with Jesus Christ forever.

**Peace Fr. Kevin**

## **Today is Catholic Education Sunday**

Let us unite with our community to support and give thanks for Catholic education in Alberta.

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