

Christ Our Saviour Parish

Archdiocese of Saint Boniface

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Eucharistic Celebrations

Saturday – 5:00 p.m., Sunday – 11:00 a.m. & 6 p.m. Weekday Masses Tues. - thru Fri. 7 p.m., Sat. - 9 a.m.

May 15th, 2022 5thSunday of Easter

NO CAPACITY RESTRICITONS OR RESERVATIONS

"My children, I will be with you only a little while longer." - John 13:33

Knowing his time was limited and that his hour had come, Jesus spoke directly to the heart of the matter. It was a simple commandment: "Love one another."

It was not the first time he had spoken about love. Jesus had offered clear instructions about loving God above all else. He taught about loving neighbour, loving enemies and doing good to those who inflicted harm. He had been very direct about refusing to hate or seek revenge.

It is even possible to truly love someone who has trespassed against us or someone we hold dear? What is the best way to be loving, fair and kind? We might consider the Gospel for the 3rd Sunday of Easter as am example, where Jesus offered Peter a way back from betrayal. Surely the life of Jesus can guide us.

With God's grace, we can learn to trust the Spirit's quiet inner voice. Listening attentively, we can carefully make our way through times of confusion and struggle to become more faithful disciples. Jesus promises, "See, I am making all things new."

As bread and wine are blessed and shared around the altar, we are strengthened to live a life centred in love. It was said of the early Christians, see how they love one another. May it also be true of us.

Brenda Merk Hildebrand Campbell River, BC

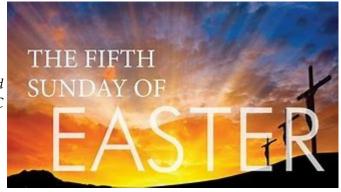
Prayer Requests

Let us keep in our prayers the following people and concerns: For the family and friends of **Derek Kantimer & Mary Dupas**, that God may heal the pain and dispel the darkness and doubt that comes from grief. May they find comfort and support in the love of their community.

Angelene Anderson
Garth & Agnes Bartel
Fred Bulacso
Cathy Elchuk
Romasanta Duaqui
Hunter Friesen
Jake Funk
Doreen Howe
Tina Kaus
Josephine Leddy
Michelle Nagam
Chad Sauerborn
Lawrence Sesiuk
John & Lisa Vincelette
Theresa Zarecki



Maria Antonissen
Alanna Bisson
Fr. Leo Couture
Diane Friesen
Larry Hallett
Agnes Fuchs
Lawerance Hayden
Derek Kantimer
Tanya Lautermilch
Corey Letwinetz
Maurice Poiron
Phyllis Senkiw
Elizabeth Tetrault
Luiz Yanez



Mass Intentions

[May 14, Sat. 5 pm] † Hipolito & Adoracion Martinez by Martinez Family

[May 15, Sun. 11am] Thanksgiving by Josephine & Rommel Huelgas

Sun. 6 pm] ALL PARISHIONERS - Missa pro populo

[May 17, Tue 7 pm] † Mary Dupas by Paula Kehler

[May 18, Wed 7 pm] Special Intention by Anonymous

[May 19, Thu. 7 pm] Dianne Hauri by Werner & Family

[May 20, Fri. 7 pm] † Edel Quinn by legion of Mary, Steinbach

[May 21, Sat. 9 am] Jim & Atalia Hickey by K of C, Stbh

[May 21, Sat. 5 pm] † Hugh MacKay by Marife Japus

[May 22, Sun. 11am] † Monique Boulanger by Bernie & Olive

Sun. 6 pm] ALL PARISHIONERS - Missa pro populo

(\$10 suggested donation) please arrange at the office. † means Deceased

January– April donations 2022	\$ 48,888.56
Our 2022 Apr. Sunday Offering	\$ 3,678.80
2022 Total donations YTD	\$ 52,567.36
May 1 - \$1,517.80; May 8 - \$2,161	
Needs of Church in Holy Land \$1,038+20+30	\$ 1,088.00
Pope's Pastoral Works	\$ 5.00
Parish Expan. Donations - to Apr 30/22	\$ 285,759.88
Parish Expan - May. 1 Auto W/D \$550	\$ 550.00
Total Accumulated Savings	\$ 286,309.88
Thank You!	

The 2022 Offering Envelope Boxes are ready to be picked up. Please pick them up as soon as possible, to quickly clear up much needed space.

If you don't currently have your own envelopes, please fill out the form provided and drop it in the box on the table, or bring it to the office or give to Olive.

Olive Froese, Collections Coordinator

My Offering

Something to consider ... As the new offering envelopes are available, there is a

form available on the table beside donation boxes with information regarding **Monthly Automatic Withdraw / Direct Deposit** for Sunday Offering. We would encourage you to consider this as an option for your regular offering.

Financial Admin Board

Stewardship "I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another." (JOHN 13:34)

"As I have loved you," this is the hard part – Jesus's love is unconditional; our love usually comes with strings attached. It is easy to love someone when they love you back. But it takes mercy and compassion to love someone when you feel unappreciated, feel used or feel like your opinion doesn't matter. It takes courage and the grace of God to "love my neighbor" when they may be someone you don't like, someone you don't know or someone that doesn't look like you.

SPRING CLEANING TIME AT CHRIST OUR SAVIOUR PARISH

We, the I

Parish Financial
Administration Board
would like to encourage
you to come out on



Saturday, May 28/22, June 4/22 anytime between 9:45 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and help clean our church and grounds.

Attached is our annual Cleaning Checklist to show what we wish to accomplish. Each person or family is not limited to one task but encouraged to take on as many as they feel capable of doing. We will have this check list at church that day.

Bring some cleaning materials, e.g. cloth, gloves, pails and garden tools. Soap & cleaners will be provided.

Fortunately, this year, we are not limited to a number of people allowed inside, so come when you can give some time.

"Covid19 Protocol for Mass" (Extended)

After discussion by the Parish Pastoral Council, including Father Ed, our mask policy for Masses has been extended until the end of summer (Labour Day). It will be re-evaluated again at that time, based on feedback from parishioners and the Covid-19 situation.

Our mask policy for Masses will be as follows:

- The 5 p.m. Saturday Mass and 11 a.m. Sunday Mass will continue to be considered, "Masks mandatory."
- The 6 p.m. Sunday Mass will be considered, "Masks recommended."
- Weekday Masses will be considered, "Masks recommended."
- If someone attends a "Masks mandatory" Mass without wearing one, they will be offered a mask when they enter the church. If they wish to remain unmasked, they will be allowed to attend regardless.

Please remember to be gentle with one another, and to pray for one another, even as we may make different choices about these matters.

Additionally, for those who are not able to attend mass, the Eucharist will be served outside the main entrance after the 11 a.m. mass from 12:30-1:00 p.m.

Neil MacNeil, on behalf of Father Ed and the COSP Parish Pastoral Council



Please join us on Saturday, May 28th, for this family -friendly event where we come together for life.

Archdiocesan News

To see the full Newsletter, visit the Archdiocese of Saint Boniface website at www.archsaintboniface.ca

•Fertility Health Awareness Seminar (Spring 2022—

Calling all engaged couples... and anyone interested in learning more about Natural Family Planning! Find out about the various methods of NFP, and how they can benefit your fertility & marriage. This Fall, the Archdiocese of St. Boniface is pleased to offer, free of charge, a Fertility Health Awareness Seminar, at the St. **Boniface Cathedral:**

May 28th (1:00-4:30 pm) - Serena, NaPro & Creighton, and FEMM methods. Deadline to register is May 16. Link to register: bit.ly/fhas-registration. For more info, visit www.bit.ly/mfl-boniface or contact the Office of Marriage. Family and Life of the Archdiocese of St. Boniface - Sophie: mfl@archsaintboniface.ca; 204-594-0274 OR Nadine: mfl2@archsaintboniface.ca: 204-594-0295.

Receiving Communion at Mass

So as to be attentive to vulnerable people (people with preexisting medical conditions, those who are not fully vaccinated), masks must be worn by pastors, deacons and extraordinary ministers of Communion while distributing Communion.

- At this time, it is recommended that all people receive Holy Communion only on the hand, in order to reduce the risk of contagion as much as possible (1).
- Communicants who hold to receiving Holy Communion on the tongue should be served at the end of the **Communion line**, with the minister using hand sanitizer after each communicant.
- (1) "The prudent option is to remain offering The Eucharist on the hand," - Canadian Federation of Catholic Physicians and Societies executive member. According to the Ad hoc Committee of Catholic Doctors for the US Catholic Medical Association, "Communion should be received in the hand, because newly available evidence shows that viral burden of COVID-19 is highest in oral secretions. (saliva on the tongue)" Please note that the CMA has changed its position as more conclusive scientific evidence was found. In March 2020, it described Communion on the tongue as a low risk activity, but now has raised it to a level of a more dangerous practice..

Marian Hour Walk for Mary

The 22nd Annual Walk for Mary will be held on **Sunday**, May 22, 2022 at Holy Eucharist Parish, located at Watt and Munroe.

Please join us in Walking and Praying together for peace and democracy in Ukraine.

Registration starts at 1:30 pm followed by the walk at 2:00 pm. Pledge forms are available at: archeparchy.ca (under events). See attachment for details.

For more information call Joan Lewandowsky at 204 669 3666 or mobile 204 295 2276 or zenova@mymts.net (More details on extra sheet at the end of the bulletin.)

Christ Our Saviour Youth Ministry

cospyouthministry@gmail.com 204-346-2603

A love that does not endure is not love. We share love not only in deed but in word, Offering witness to the ways God is moving and loving in our world. Sharing glory stories celebrates God. undergoing hardship is not just a possibility of living the Christian life or entering the Kingdom of Heaven... according to Saints. Paul and Barnabas- it is a necessity.

Youth ministry following the 6 p.m. Mass 7-8:30 p.m. in the Church Basement.

May 15. Pass it over

May 22, NO youth MAY LONG

May 29, NO Youth Confirmation Ceremony

June 5, Happy Day

We, **Southern Health**, welcome you to join us to view the 2022 Virtual Service of Remembrance & Interment

A recorded memorial service for families who have experienced loss due to miscarriage, stillbirth or newborn death. Service will be available to view:

May 6th through August 31st at:

https://www.crissingsfuneralcare.ca/ https://birchwoodfuneralchapel.com/

Sponsored by: Chaplain Lydia Summerville Dueck, Bethesda Region Health Centre; Crossings Funeral Care; Birchwood Funeral Chapel; BRHC - Surgery/Obstetrics Unit.

Baptism Preparation Seminars

If your child was baptized during the pandemic, and you have not attended a Baptism Prep Class, attendance at a Baptism prep class is still required.

Please call or email the office to register for one of the following sessions:

> Saturdays, 10:00 - 11:30 a.m: At the church REVISED dates: May 14; May 28 (back on); Cancelled, June 4 & June 11

CHANGE OF DATE ... AGAIN Parents, wishing to have their child baptized at Christ our Saviour Parish, must attend a baptism

preparation class. Baptism preparation classes are an important way for parents and sponsors (God-parents) to come to a deeper understanding of their faith commitment in the sacrament of Baptism.

Formation session for parents and godparents will be scheduled at Christ Our Saviour Church. Parents and the 2 principal sponsors (God-parents) should attend the session.

Please Contact the church office at your earliest convenience for information. If you have not completed an application

> requesting Baptism, contact the parish office: 204-326-3411; or call or email: Barb MacNeil 204-434-9191 or nmacneil@escape.ca

Barb MacNeil Sacrament of Baptism Ministry



PARISH LIFE

Weekday Masses this week:

Tues. thru Fri. 7p.m., Sat. 9a.m.

Sunday School

Classes start at 9:45

Special Events

May 14, Baptism Preparation Seminar

May 15, Youth Night, Pass it over

May 22, NO Youth MAY LONG

May 28, Walk for Life

May 28, Spring Cleaning

May 29, NO Youth Confirmation Ceremony

June 4, Baptism Preparation Seminar

June 5, Happy Day

June 12, Tick Tick Boom!

June 26, OUTDOOR MASS and Picnic at

A.D.Penner Park

Christ Our Saviour Parish Directory

Nimfa Villegas

Church Expansion

Other Ministries

Baptismal Preparation

Knights of Columbus

Missionary Families of Christ

Prayer Intentions

Ladies Auxiliary

Youth Ministries

* Vacant *

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Communion to the Confined

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Office hours: 9:30-4:00 Tuesday, Thursday & Friday

Marriage Tip Temper Taming Tip #1: Check your own temperature first. Maybe you're tired after a long day or feel stressed or worried. Try strengthening your resistance. Taking a short nap helps some. Others may listen to quiet music, take a bath or a walk. Experiment.

SBC's Annual Golf Tournaments June 7th at Quarry Oaks (Steinbach) and

<u>Iune 21st at Minnewasta (Morden)!</u>

Join us for a round on the green in support of students in Christian Higher Education and our mission of empowering servant leaders as they follow Jesus, serve the church, and engage the world. Visit SBCollege.ca/golf for information and to register as an individual or team!

> Brighton Thiessen Communications & Marketing Coordinator Steinbach Bible College www.SBCollege.ca Ph: 204-326-6451

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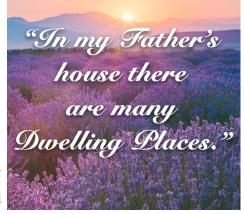
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BULLETIN ARTICLES POLICY Bulletin Deadline: Thursday 10:30 a.m.

A reminder to ALL contributors to the bulletin that all material MUST BE APPROVED by Parish Council, the Office Administrator or our parish priest. We will NOT accept or publish material (including inserts) that have not been signed by one of these people. Please sign bulletin entries and provide a phone number in case more details are needed. **Thank you for your consideration.**

Marian Hour

Radio Rosary on CKJS Marian Hour Centre, Box 235, 971 Corydon Ave. Winnipeg, Manitoba, R3M 3S7

April 27, 2022

Dear Friends,

The Rosary is a weapon for these times. St. Padre Pio

These past two years has shaken and changed how we live our daily life. Despite the challenges, moments of seclusion, and the anxiety of dealing with Covid 19, the one thing that remains constant is our **faith**. Now Catholics are confronted with war, one of the primary weapons to be drawn is the **ROSARY**, imploring heavenly aid for a swift return to peace.

How we pray has also been impacted these past years. Unfortunately, this means of connecting through live streaming is not available to everyone. The radio ministry brings to life the spiritual richness that comes from praying the Rosary. You can help ensure that the Rosary can be there for those that might otherwise no longer pray with others.

The 22nd Annual Walk will be hosted at Holy Eucharist parish – Watt and Munroe Street on Sunday, May 22nd, 2022 starting at 2 pm. This year we will be praying together unless Covid 19 restrictions come into play we will have to pray virtually.

If necessary due to restrictions, we invite you and your friends to participate with us online at www.holyeucharist.ca and then click on the livestreaming icon. All are welcome.

In these most difficult times let us turn to our Mother Mary for comfort and protection. Please help us in keeping the *Rosary Program on the Air* by your generosity and charitable donations.

If you have any questions or concerns feel free to contact Joan at 204-669-3666 or 204-294-2276 for more information zenova@mymts.net

Walking and Praying to together for peace and democracy in Ukraine.

Marian Hour Centre Walk for Mary Committee



WELCOME

Dear parishioners,

We'd like to introduce you to Deacon Charles Baumgartner and his wife Gail.

Deacon Charles comes to us from northwestern Ontario, where his work background is in healthcare as a pharmacist. Having felt the call to serve God as a member of the clergy, he was ordained as a Permanent Deacon in 2013, and Gail mandated to a Ministry of Service.

If you are unfamiliar with the role of a deacon in the Catholic church, they are authorized to (among other things):

- preside over Weddings, Baptisms and Funerals;
- bring Communion to the sick;
- preach, and;

following the example of the 1st Deacon, St. Stephen (Acts Chapter 6), deacons are encouraged to do charitable works in the community.

Now that he has moved to be with us here, Deacon Charles has kept very busy! He has been visiting the sick in hospital (along with Dianne Hauri), conducting a "Liturgy of the Word" service every second week in Woodridge, attending many of the committee meetings here at COSP, visiting and conducting services at care homes, assisting at Mass, and serving God in so many other ways. He has been blessed in his role, and accepts his role as a true Leader in the Church. We, in turn, have been blessed by the presence of both Deacon Charles and Gail here with us. If you haven't met them yet, do approach them - they would love to meet you!

Neil MacNeil Pastoral Council Chair