

All Saints

Roman Catholic Parish



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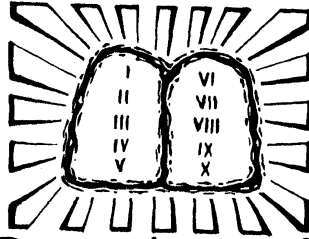
Sixth Sunday of Easter

Our Churches

Assumption 2405 - 12 Avenue S.
St. Basil's 604 - 13 Street N.
St. Patrick's 917 - 4 Avenue S.

Our Priests

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Do you love me?

Sunday Reflection

Rules to make life better

God's commands are not heavy to bear, if we truly love Him. Diligent obedience lightens our hearts, letting our soul soar higher to lose itself in the love of God. It is, instead, the heavy burden of sin and guilt that drags us down in life. If we are willing

to shuck off that load of selfishness, willfulness or laziness, we will find each day's road shortened by the lightness of our step. God has given us rules to make life better, not worse, like the safety instructions on a kerosene lamp. Obey the rules, and we have a light to guide us. Refuse and we may burn our shelters to the ground.

Mass Times

Saturday 5:00 p.m. - Assumption
7:00 p.m. - St. Basil's
Sunday 7:30 a.m. - St. Basil's
Incense will be used
9:00 a.m. - Assumption
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 9:00am - 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 following the 9:00am Mass and end with Benediction at 8:00pm
Every third Saturday at St. Patrick's. 10:00am until noon.

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

Don Bruchet, Cybele Noronha, Ida Feist, Joseph Kellogg, Josephine Kurjanczyk, Harry Shuya, Barbara Mozgala, Rufino Lim, Rose Bartsoff, Leslie Malabanan, Lawrence Kaupp, Loretta Livingston, Carol Shank, Vickie Richter, Daniel Bosters, Randy Lovich, Maria Bouw, Bart Hribar, Katherine Cross Child & Cecilia Chang.

and the Deceased

Danila Prodan & Vera Linders.

Anniversaries of Death remembered this week

Wedad Cassis, Christel Twigg, Carmen Groten, Ben Arnold, Juana Macabinquel & Leo Golsteyn.

Baptisms

Please welcome into our Christian community *Everette Maxton Day Chief* who will celebrate the Sacrament of Baptism this weekend.



Next weekend we will continue celebrating First Communion.

Saturday, May 11 at the 5:00 p.m. Mass &
Sunday, May 12 at the 9:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m. Masses

Please be considerate of the families coming to celebrate with the children. If possible you may want to consider attending another Mass.



Eucharistic Adoration

Every Tuesday

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

Confessions

during Adoration from 8:00 - 10:00 pm

Every First Friday

Assumption Church following the 9:00 a.m. Mass until 8:00 pm.

Every Third Saturday

May 18 at St. Patrick's Church from 10:00am - noon
Rosary at 10:10am - Litany of Mary at 11:00am



Stewardship Reflection

Love one another as I have loved you. (John 15.12)

Loving one another enables us to share in the divine life of the Trinity. God the Father loves us through the gift of the Son. We return this gift by showing the same love to our neighbour.

New Parish Committees

We are forming two new committees as we move forward.

The first committee is the **Unity Committee** (speaks for itself) and the **Mitigation Committee**. The Mitigation Committee will look at the needs of the parish and how we can deal with them, now and in the future.

Anyone who may be interested in being on one of these committees to please submit your name to the parish office. Thank you.

Masses sent to the retired priests in our diocese in April

- Omer Charest (dec.)
- Jack Erker (dec.)
- Elaine Raymond (dec.)
- Renee (Melenka) Sauer (dec.) (multiple)
- Jennet Sleightholm (dec.)
- Alfred Wagner (dec.)
- Stang Families
- Intention of BettyAnn Bishoff
- Intention of Pat & Cliff Bogdan
- Intention of Melinda Dyck
- Intention of Virginia Erick
- Intention of Deanna Maniquet
- Intention of Mike & Michele Roberts



Mass Intentions

Monday, May 6	7:00 p.m.	Carmen Groten (dec.)
Tuesday, May 7	7:00 p.m.	Juana C. Macabinquel (dec.)
Wednesday, May 8	12:05 p.m.	Lidia Coslovi (dec.)
Thursday, May 9	12:05 p.m.	Jack Whimster (dec.)
	2:00 p.m. Martha House	Intention of Shane Brooks
	4:00 p.m. Retreat Centre	Rev. Fr. Claire Watrin (dec.)
Friday, May 10	9:00 a.m.	Carol Squire (dec.)
	10:00 a.m. Edith Cavell	Omer Charest (dec.)

Family & Life Week

May 13 - 19, 2024

You belong! Let's strengthen our family life! Families: please sign up to receive quick, short, and easy-to-do daily prayer and suggested activities for each day of the Family & Life Week (May 13-19). Together, let's weave moments of connection, laughter, strengthen bonds, foster joy, and create cherished memories. Who knows, maybe your family will win the mystery prize - to be announced on May 19!



St. Francis Xavier Chaplaincy

Saturday, May 11th

- Pilgrimage to St. Isidore's Church in Allerston
- 9:00 am - Coffee & pastries at Assumption hall
- 10:00 am - Depart for Allerston
- 11:00 am - Mass
- 12:00 pm - Packed lunch
- 1:00 pm - Writing-on-Stone Provincial Park

Friday, May 17th

Eucharistic Adoration -6:30 pm at Assumption Church.
followed by Board Games in the hall.

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Hospitality Ministers Needed - All weekend Masses could use more help with the Hospitality Ministry. A warm welcome when arriving for Mass is appreciated by all. This is a great way for individuals or families to take the first step at being involved. If you are interested please contact Laura at the parish office.

St. Basil's CWL Ladies - Please note that there is a *time change* for our next couple of meetings. Our General Meeting is May 15th at 7:00pm. in St. Basil's hall. The June 12th meeting will also be a Pot-luck at 5:30pm and will include award presentations. All ladies are welcome.



Assumption CWL's May General Meeting will be held on Tuesday May 7 at 7 pm in Assumption hall. There are many issues of interest to be discussed and we will be treated to a presentation and slide show of the October 2023 Eucharistic Miracles Pilgrimage by Dorothy Boras and Renee Spohn. You will also have an opportunity to donate to our Baby Bundles for Mom's Diaper Drive. Please join us.

St. Ambrose CWL council is celebrating its 75th anniversary on Friday, June 14th. Banquet ticket \$40 each payable by cash, cheque or send e-transfer. Deadline to get tickets is May 31st. For more information, contact Lydia by email at marialydia@telus.net or call 403.345.7788. We hope you could join us celebrate this milestone.

Corpus Christi Procession - The Corpus Christi procession is a centuries-old tradition of the Catholic faith to process the Real Presence of Jesus - the Eucharist - in public. Join us on June 2 to celebrate. Come walk with Jesus as we pray for peace in our annual Corpus Christi Procession. For more information visit our parish website.

Lethbridge People of Praise Live-In is hosting a "Getting to Know Jesus" weekend retreat May 24-26th at St Joseph's School, Coaldale. Register online at www.lethbridgelivein.ca or pick up a form from the parish office. For more information contact Peter Van Uden at 403-654-0369 or petervanu@outlook.com Back up forms are also available at the parish office.



Marian Family Mass - Friday, May 31 at the Van Uden place in Barnwell. Welcome at 4pm, Rosary at 4:30pm and outdoor Mass at 5pm. Potluck to follow. Please text 403-894-1471 to RSVP and for exact address.

The **Holy Spirit International Homestay Program** is currently looking for families for the 2024-25 school year. They are receiving students from France, Spain, Japan and China. See the posters for more details or contact Joy Warren at 403-330-7382 or homestay@holyspirit.ab.ca

PRAISE & WORSHIP NIGHT

Every Tuesday at St. Martha's Church.

Mass at 7:00 p.m.

Praise & Worship 8:00 to 9:00 p.m.

EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

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If you have witnessed an accident in the parking lot at Assumption please contact the parish office. There have been several hit-and-run incidents over few weeks.

Catholic Education Week - May 5-10, 2024. Please take an opportunity to read the letter from The Catholic Bishops of Alberta and the Northwest Territories. This may be a great time to check you city property tax bills to ensure you are supporting Catholic Schools. Thank you.

Home Communion - A gentleman on the south side is looking for someone to bring him communion. If you can help please contact the parish office.

Upcoming Events at the Martha Retreat Centre - To register call 403-328-3422 or visit martharetreatcentre.ca
You are the Heart of our Family - Mother's Day celebration Friday, May 10, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm. We invite you to share in this joyous occasion dedicated to celebrating mothers, grandmothers, and mother figures alike.
Music on the Grounds - Henk van Ginneken & Cathy Hawley on Saturday, May 25th, 5:30 pm. Bring your lawn chair or a cozy blanket, and embrace the serenity of the surroundings. Additionally, for those seeking to enhance their experience with a delightful outdoor picnic supper, we are pleased to offer hamburgers, beef on the bun and other treats available for purchase.

This week on **formed.org**

Saint John Paul II | Lukas Storyteller (animated)

Lukas tells his friends a captivating tale of a young Karol Wojtyła, who would one day become Pope John Paul II! The kids wouldn't believe the adventures young Karol had, and inspired them to create their own unforgettable day.

The Fountain of Salvation | The Bible and Baptism |

Episode 1 Dr. John Sehorn, Academic Dean of the Augustine Institute Graduate School of Theology, sits down with Fr. Isaac Morales, OP, a Dominican friar to discuss Fr. Isaac's book *The Bible and Baptism: The Fountain of Salvation*. This episode dives into how Baptism is the fountain of salvation for the Christian.

The Ascension | Sacred Art

Join Dr. Ben Akers and Taylor Kemp to expand your knowledge of sacred art. In this episode they discuss *The Ascension of Christ* by Jacopo Tintoretto.

This Week in Our Churches

Sunday, May 5

- 7:30 a.m. Sunday Eucharist (St. Basil's)
Incense will be used
- 9:00 a.m. Sunday Eucharist (Assumption)
- 11:00 a.m. Sunday Eucharist (St. Basil's)
with First Communion
- 2:00 p.m. Marriage Prep (UMR)
- 4:30 p.m. Confessions (Assumption)
- 6:00 p.m. Sunday Eucharist (Assumption)
- 7:00 p.m. High School Youth Group (Assumption hall)

Monday, May 6

- 1:30 p.m. Prodan Funeral (St. Basil's)
- 6:00 p.m. Confirmation Session (Assumption hall)
- 7:00 p.m. Mass (St. Basil's)

Tuesday, May 7

- 6:00 p.m. Confessions (St. Basil's)
- 7:00 p.m. CWL Meeting (Assumption hall)
- 7:00 p.m. Mass (St. Basil's)
- 8:00 p.m. Eucharistic Adoration (Assumption)
with Confessions

Wednesday, May 8

- 12:05 p.m. Mass (St. Basil's)
- 7:00 p.m. Parish Council Meeting (Assumption hall)
- 7:00 p.m. Prayer Group Meeting (Assumption)
- 7:00 p.m. Jr. High Youth Group (St. Martha's)

Thursday, May 9

- 12:05 p.m. Mass (Assumption)
- 2:00 p.m. Martha House Mass
- 4:00 p.m. Martha Retreat Centre Mass
- 6:00 p.m. Confirmation Session (Assumption hall)

Friday, May 10

- 9:00 a.m. Mass (Assumption)
- 10:00 a.m. Edith Cavell Mass
- 7:00 p.m. CCH Grad Mass (Enmax Centre)

Saturday, May 11

- 8:00 a.m. SFXC gather for pilgrimage (Assumption hall)
- 1:00 p.m. CASE Workshop (UMR)
- 3:30 p.m. Confessions (Assumption)
- 5:00 p.m. Sunday Eucharist (Assumption)
with First Communion
- 6:00 p.m. Confessions (St. Basil's)
- 7:00 p.m. Sunday Eucharist (St. Basil's)

Sunday, May 12

- 7:30 a.m. Sunday Eucharist (St. Basil's)
Incense will be used
- 9:00 a.m. Sunday Eucharist (Assumption)
with First Communion
- 11:00 a.m. Sunday Eucharist (St. Basil's)
- 4:30 p.m. Confessions (Assumption)
- 6:00 p.m. Sunday Eucharist (Assumption)
with First Communion

Fr. Kevin's Cluttered Desk

Blessings of Cinco de Mayo, or the fifth of May be with all of you. Cinco de Mayo is a holiday that celebrates the date of the Mexican army's May 5 1862 victory over France at the Battle of Puebla during the Franco-Mexican War. The day, which falls on Sunday this year, is also known as Battle of Puebla Day. While it is a relatively minor holiday in Mexico, in the United States and other parts of the world, Cinco de Mayo has evolved into a commemoration of Mexican culture and heritage, particularly in areas with large Mexican American populations. So get out your cookbook and try something of the Mexican variety. What has this got to do with the 6th Sunday of Easter? In our readings today we are reminded that God shows no partiality, we are all God's children and God loves every one of us unconditionally and expects us to do the same. Equality in the eyes of God has nothing to do with sameness, but everything to do with respect and honor for difference. God created all of us and God does not create junk. When God created us God created us in "His likeness and image", which makes everyone of us beautiful and wondrous in His eyes. Having said that God did not create us "the same" for we are not all the same, but we were all created with gifts and talents to be used to build up God's kingdom here on earth. What does this require from each of us? It requires us to lift each other up, support each other, and encourage each other to discover and use the gifts God has given us. We need to rejoice that we are not the same and at the same time rejoice and celebrate our differences and the many gifts God has given us. So eat a little Mexican food, or maybe some Spanish food, or listen to some Mexican music, but always rejoice in and with all of God's children.

Peace Fr. Kevin



COMING ALIVE CAMP

"Weapons of Faith"

August 12-16



Save the date! From 8:00am-12:30pm every day during this week, kids will have the amazing experience of a Catholic camp aimed to draw them closer to God!

Registration is \$25 per child or \$60 per family of 3 or more (immediate family only).

Register before July 4 and get a T-shirt,

Registration forms available at the parish office or online at www.allsaintslethbridge.org

Youth Leaders wanted - If you are interested in helping out at the camp you can find more information and a registration form on our website or at the parish office,