

DUE TO THE CORONA VIRUS, we have not been able to have our Memorial Mass on Saturdays. The best option appears to be that we list all the names, together with their scheduled dates, for the month of **MAY**. They will be remembered **Saturday, July 4th, during our 4 p.m. mass. This Mass will be available on the Internet on Sunday, July 5th any time after 9:00 a.m.**

**May 2 - Nicholas Dobbelsteyn, Murray McGowan, Joseph Melanson,
John & Marie Melanson**

May 9 - Helen & Norman Antoine

May 16 - Mildred Wilbur (a), Edel Quinn

May 23 - Souls in Purgatory, Eleanor Hanlon & d.m.f.

May 30 - Pierrette Higgins, Rose McLaughlin, Souls in Purgatory

CONGRATULATIONS To the following children who received First Communion on May 24th, June 16th and June 23rd, 2020. Please keep these young people, and their families, in your prayers.



**Hannah Alwin
Zachary Bernatchez
Ileana Bregel
Noah Burnham
Jacob Dobbelsteyn
Pierce Draper
Quinn Draper
Aliza Goggan
Sara Hachey
Wellington Ifeanyi-Okereh
William Magee
Matthew Minshall
Teagan McKenna
Charles Nicholson
Maximus Searle
Lucas Tait**

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Msgr. Brian Henneberry, V.G., Pastor

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Thursday - 9:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Weekday Liturgies

Tuesday - 5:30 p.m. (Novena Mass)

Wednesday - 9:00 a.m.

Thursday - 12 Noon

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil at 4:00 p.m.

Sunday at 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Tuesday - 5:00 - 5:30 p.m.

Saturday - 3:00 - 3:45 p.m.

Sacrament of Baptism

By appointment only. Please call the Rectory

Sacrament of Marriage

A six (6) month prior notice is requested

Ministry to the Sick

Please contact the Rectory if you or someone you know would like to be visited at home or in hospital



June 28th, 2020

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



PRAYER FOR CANADA

O God, you created the earth to be our dwelling as we journey toward our heavenly home.

We praise you for the riches of this land that feeds and sustains us. We thank you for the kindness of those who welcomed the newcomers who settled here.

We thank you for the faith of those who worked to build a just society that honours you.

We ask you to send your Spirit upon our gatherings. Open our hearts with gratitude for your blessings; with repentance for our failures; and grant us an unshakeable hope, to build a future that glorifies you in all things.

We ask you this through Jesus Christ, your Son and our Lord. Amen.

INTRODUCTION TO THE PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

How often has a child approached a parent and said, with arms outstretched, "Do you love me this much?" And to a young heart's delight, Dad or Mom with arms stretched much farther than a child could imagine replies, "I love you MORE than this!" This little exchange captures a truth that is more often lived than explained.

In a very different kind of language Jesus describes what love makes possible. It is beyond our imaginations and quite often exceeds our limited reach. Sometimes the people we love are limited to a small circle of people on whom we are dependent. In some ways it can be selfish. Jesus challenges us to reach out beyond what is most familiar. He shows us how to love even a stranger or someone who is not able to give us anything in return.

Parents are like that. Seeing the Canadian flag this Canada Day will remind us of the many thousands who sacrificed in war and conflict and the many generations who worked hard to ensure a future for unseen generations. We can only marvel at their love and look to Jesus to help us imitate them.

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

For Pope Francis, Bishop Christian and all who carry out the ministry of the apostles in the Church. We pray to the Lord.

For our great country, Canada, as we mark her 153rd birthday with sober reflection and quiet gratitude. We pray to the Lord.

For our Diocesan Church of Saint John and all churches as we slowly return to familiar ways of gathering and worshipping together. We pray to the Lord.

For our graduates who are marking their accomplishments in creative ways and for their continued success and health. We pray to the Lord.

For those who still bear the burdens of the pandemic, the sick and health workers, the isolated elderly and separated families, the poor and families stressed by loss of employment, income or their homes. We pray to the Lord.

For special needs you have brought with you today. We pray to the Lord. For those who have died, NN..... that they might live in newness of life and their families be consoled and encouraged in faith and hope. We pray to the Lord.

Bernadette Murphy, Louis Sharkey, Ruth Barry,
Leo Daigle, Theresa Lagasse, Robert Hamity

The church is still locked due to the corona virus. Msgr. Brian Henneberry, VG will be offering an online mass at 9 a.m. each Sunday. You can watch at HolyRedeemerSJ.com. Weekend Masses have resumed via lottery ONLY.

This system will remain in place for the time being as we are required by law to track attendance, i.e. we need the names and contact information of all those in attendance at each Mass.

*Our office remains closed, but you may contact us by calling 653-6830 or by e-mail to stpiusx@nb.aibn.com. All telephone messages will be returned. **Reminder** - *Canada Day, July 1st* - is a holiday and there will be no staff at the church. We hope everyone enjoys this time off.*

SALT & LIGHT TV - you can watch Daily Mass from Loretto Abbey - 7:30 am/ 12:00 pm/ 4:00 pm/ 11:30 pm