

**MEN'S RETREAT 2026** — Called to Be Heroic Apostles in Action - Villa Madonna, March 20–22. Theme: On Fire with the Spirit. Sent with Purpose. Igniting Heroic Faith. This retreat invites you to step away from the noise of daily life and rediscover what it means to live as a missionary disciple of Jesus Christ. All men in the Diocese of Saint John, ages 19+ yrs are invited to participate with Mass and Adoration, Friday, March 20 - Sunday, March 22, at the Villa Madonna. (Deadline for registration is March 6). For more information and to register on-line <https://events.insogan.org/CHAA>, or contact Mark Nagas: [menoffaith.nb@gmail.com](mailto:menoffaith.nb@gmail.com)

**SPRING CHATS 2026** - (with guest speakers) at **Portland United Church** - beginning at **6:30 p.m.** each evening, followed by tea/coffee.

**March 24** - Bird's eye view of greater Saint John with Sean Bryon;  
**April 1** - Relevant Life Planning (Wills, Power of Attorneys, etc.)  
with Kelli Lester;

**April 7** - Port of Saint John with Craig Bell-Estabrooks;

**April 15** - Nepal/Mount Everest with Kathy Keith.

See 'yellow' posters at all church entrances.

**March 25<sup>th</sup> - FLING INTO SPRING BINGO** - \$1,000.

Jackpot - \$20/person at the door. Early Bird Games at 6 p.m., and Regular games at 7 p.m. Full canteen service.



#### WEEKLY EXPOSITION OF THE MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT

**CATHEDRAL:** Monday-Friday for one hour following 12:10 pm Mass

**ST. MARK'S CHURCH:** Wednesday 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm

**PAROISSE ST-FRANÇOIS-DE-SALES:** Friday from 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

**ST. PIUS X CHURCH:** Tuesday from 5:00 pm – 5:30 pm followed by Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Help and Mass.

**Lighter Moments:** The sergeant, explaining the routine to the new recruits:

"There will always be a choice in your meals.

Take it or leave it".

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## **Holy Redeemer Parish**

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**Msgr. Brian Henneberry, V.G., Pastor**

**Rev. Dr. Michael McGowan, Parochial Vicar**

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

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

#### **Weekday Liturgies**

**Monday - NO MASS**

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

**Wednesday - NO MASS**

**Thursday - 9:00 a.m. Mass**

**Friday - NO MASS**

#### **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**



**Third Sunday of Lent  
March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

Masses for the week of March 9<sup>th</sup>, 2026

Monday		- NO MASS
Tuesday	5:00 p.m.	- Adoration - Novena Mass - Peter Miller (a)
Wednesday		- NO MASS
Thursday	9:00 a.m.	- Helen O'Connor
Friday		- NO MASS
Saturday	4:00 p.m.	- Memorial Mass
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	- Diana MacNeill
	11:00 a.m.	- For the People



**PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL**

For Pope Leo and the entire Church that we may spend some time with Jesus in a quiet place that we might listen to Him. We pray to the Lord.

For all who are preparing for Baptism at Easter. We pray to the Lord.

For our Diocesan Church and each parish family: that our thirst to know Christ may increase as we encounter Him with the woman at the well. We pray to the Lord.

For our children and grandchildren and all students returning to school and places of study this week and for their safety. We pray to the Lord.

For the poor and homeless, especially families with children. We pray to the Lord.

For the sick and for their families. We pray to the Lord.

For the youth attending this weekend's High School Retreat at the Villa, that they may be strengthened to testify to his presence in their lives. We pray to the Lord.

For those who have died NN..... We pray to the Lord.

Juanita Black, Joanne (Simon) Manore, Betty (Randon)Tait,  
Evelyn Layden, Gary Shannon, Mike Stewart, Judy Ann Morgan

**DEVELOPMENT & PEACE SHARE LENT** - Share Lent's Solidarity Sunday is celebrated on the Fifth Sunday in Lent (March 22) in parishes across Canada with special collections. You can assist by giving generously to this campaign. If you do not use Sunday envelopes, you will find special envelopes marked for this collection at all entrances (and remember to put your name on them).

**CHRISM MASS** - Bishop Riesbeck invites the faithful of the diocese to the Chrism Mass, which is being held on Tuesday, March 31, at 6:30 p.m. at the Cathedral. Come and celebrate with our priests as the oils are blessed and distributed throughout the diocese for the Sacraments in the upcoming year. Reception to follow in the Cathedral rectory.

**MEMORIALS WILL BE CELEBRATED** - Saturday, March 14<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 p.m. for: John & Therese O'Keefe, Malcolm & Daniel Cobham, Dianne & Tony Dowd, Olin (a) & Betty Adams, Betty Howlett (a), Dave & Rita McCambridge, Jim Morris (a), Dick & Ethel O'Neill, Joe & Sarah McMackin, Mary Connell (a), and all deceased members of their families, for the Souls in Purgatory and 2 Special Intentions.

**Sunday Offerings** (Including PAD) - March 1 - \$4,963.00



**ST. PATRICK'S ANNUAL LUNCHEON** - here at St. Pius X/Holy Redeemer Parish, **Friday, March 13<sup>th</sup>** - Soup, chowder, tea biscuits and dessert will be served between **12 noon and 1:30 p.m.**, with beautiful music by "Del Worden & Friends". 50/50 tickets. \$15/person at the door.



**EASTER FLOWERS** - donations in memory of loved ones may be put in an envelope and dropped in the Sunday offertory by Sunday, **March 29<sup>th</sup>**. Please remember to put your name and envelope number - together with the name/names of those being remembered, - and they will be prayed for on Easter Sunday, April 5<sup>th</sup> at the 11:00 a.m. Mass. They will also be remembered at all Masses during the Easter season.

**PARISH SOCIAL (Easter egg hunt)** - will be held Easter Sunday, **April 5<sup>th</sup>** in the parish hall following the 11:00 a.m. Mass. Donation of "Easter eggs" (**individually wrapped, please**) will be accepted each week until then - baskets have been placed at the "side" entrances.