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CONFESSION

Before all Masses or
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BAPTISM

Contact the parish office for
baptism registration.
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MARRIAGE

Contact the parish office at least
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SICK & SHUT-IN VISITS

For a home visit,
Holy Communion,
Anointing of the Sick:
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SOCIAL COMMITTEE

Parish social committee:
Contact the parish office.

BOOK TABLE

Contact Liz Aucoin:
450-681-1492

RCIA (Adult faith education)

Contact Fr. Joy Abraham
at the parish office.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Kevin Reda, co-ordinator
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Contact Jack Jenkins:
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sion. Contact the parish office.

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Contact James Johnson
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March 3rd, 2024 3rd Sunday of Lent

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Tuesday after 9 am Mass

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Friday after 9 am Mass

ADORATION

Tuesday to Friday 9:30 to 10:30

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Sunday Masses:
Saturday (Vigil) . . . 5:00 p.m.
Sunday . . . 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday to Friday 9 am

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday church & office closed.
Tuesday to Friday
9:00 am to 12:00 & 1:00 – 4:00 pm
Filomena De Melo, secretary
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RELIGIOUS ED (Faith First)

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3rd Sunday of Lent

The image in this weekend Gospel of Jesus (John 2.13-25) overturning tables is in forceful contrast to the gentle images of our Lord with children and healing the sick. In the temple Jesus witnesses the injustice taking place in his Father’s house and is moved to take a stand. Animals for sacrifice are being sold to travelers for unfair prices. Money changers are making a profit off those who travelled from afar. The temple was no longer a holy place where one could encounter God.

While jarring, this Gospel reminds us of the new life that is found only in Jesus. Through Jesus’ life, death and resurrection, all people may now encounter the love of the living God. Through baptism, we as Christins welcome Christ to dwell within us. We meet God not only in bricks-and-mortar churches: an encounter with God is just a breath-a heart-beat-away.

Like the merchants in the Gospel today, we can lose sight of the peace that comes from simply being in the all-loving presence of God. As we continue our Lenten journey towards the resurrection, may we cleanse our hearts of the greed, gluttony, and selfishness that form a barrier between us and the true love of God. May our hearts be converted to love, peace and new life.
from Living with Christ by Elizabeth Chesley-Jewell

RCIA: The Scrutiny, 2024

It is a time of reflection and self-examination for those who are preparing to receive the Sacrament of Baptism or be received into full communion with the Church during the Easter Vigil. These Elects and Candidates are already in the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) here at our parish. On the third, fourth, and fifth Sundays of Lent, the newly named “Elect” participate in three successive rites called the Scrutinies. These rites, with roots dating back to the early Church, take place during the Sunday Mass, each thematically linked to the Gospel reading for that Mass.

The Scrutinies are God’s way of taking a close, loving look at the Elect. God does not scrutinize the Catechumens to find what’s wrong with them but to celebrate all that’s beautiful, good, and true in them. Jesus scrutinizes us with Divine Light, revealing all that is valuable within each of us. He also reveals to us how we are hurting, sick, or sinful. This is not to reject us but to call us to new life and healing. May these Scrutinies call both our Elect and us into the living waters of baptism, to the light of holiness, to a new life in Christ, through His Resurrection. This Scrutiny leads the Elect to focus on conversion and on the new life that will begin through the sacraments.

We are “called to universal holiness” and look forward to the renewal of our baptismal promises at Easter, and so, during the season of Lent we journey with the Elect and Candidates. Their powerful and bold witness inspires each of us to strengthen our relationship with the Lord.

LENTEN CONFESSION

Our Parish Lenten Confession will take place on **Saturday, March 9th from 10 am to 12 noon.** A few priests will be present to hear your confession. Come and do your confession. No appointment is required.

Recent Offerings, February:

Sunday offering: \$10621.10; Building Fund: \$1484.25; PAD: \$3187; E-Transfer: \$855; Ash Wednesday: \$2037.50; Pancake (Net) \$877.25.

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mar. 3	Exodus 20.1-17	John 2.13-25
Mar.4	2 Kings 5.1-15	Luke 4.24-30
Mar.5	Daniel 3.25,34-43	Matthew 18.21-35
Mar.6	Deuteronomy 4.1,5-9	Matthew 5.17-19
Mar.7	Jeremiah 7.23-28	Luke 11.14-23
Mar.8	Hosea 14.1-9	Mark 12.28b-34
Mar.9	Hosea 5.15-6.6	Luke 18.9-14



Sanctuary Lamp: Mary E. Foster

Saturday, March 2

5:00 James McIntyre by Muia family
John Robbie by Charlotte & Andrew
Deceased members of Francalancia & Hosni by Mirella S.

Sunday, March 3, Third Sunday of Lent

8:30 Lizzie Espranza by Patricia Perez
10:30 For Parishioners

Tuesday March 5

Mary E. Foster & deceased members of family by Spouse
Special Intention Rosa Romero by Ingram family
Gordon Stone by Mary Stone

Wednesday, March 6

Rosa Santamaria by Eddy
Francoise Gagnon by Jacques & Doris

Thursday, March 7

Mary E. Foster by Mary Stone

Friday, March 8

Special Intention for Carlos Romero by Ingram family
Charlie Rochefort by Deirdre R.
Mr. & Mrs. Santamaria by Eddy

Saturday March 9

5:00 Souls in Purgatory by Connie & Sergio
Aurelio Figuracion by family
Muriel Martin by Mariani family

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen

Pope’s Prayer Intention for March: We pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world inflame the Church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm.