

Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ
(Corpus Christi) June 22, 2025



Bulletin

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH



Discovery Youth Camps!

[Register now!](#)

High School Week (gr. 9-12):

August 4 - 9

Jr. High Week (gr. 7-8):

August 10 - 15

Family Camp Weekend (all ages welcome): August 15 - 17

Many volunteer opportunities.

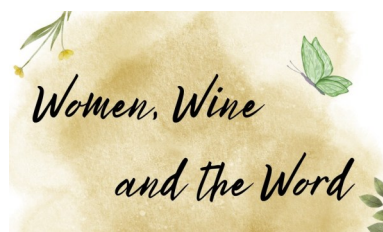
For more information go to saintjoseph.ca/discovery

Celebrating the Feast of Our Mother of Perpetual Help, June 27, on-line, with the Redemptorists.

Join the Redemptorists in prayer and reflection in preparation for this feast day. From June 25 to 27, they are releasing 3 videos on their Facebook page, www.facebook.com/cssrcanada and website, www.redemptorists.ca featuring reflections and prayers from Fr. Thomas O'Rourke, C.Ss.R., Fr. Graham Hill, C.Ss.R., and Fr. David Louch, C.Ss.R., along with some inspiring songs composed by Fr. Eugene O'Reilly, C.Ss.R. Follow their Facebook page to receive the latest videos, and to stay connected with the Redemptorists!

Samaritan's Basket is getting low on toiletries to give to our clients: shampoo, conditioner, toothpaste and toothbrushes. Both travel size and regular would be appreciated.

Sexsmith CWL assists newcomers to our area. If you have any dishes, cutlery, pots and pans you would like to donate please leave your name and phone number at the parish office and a committee member will contact you.



Theme: Connection Speaker: Joanne Chiasson
Save the Date: September 19, 7 - 9:30 pm. Age 18+
Doors open at 6:30 pm. \$30/person .
An inspiring evening of prayer, music, fellowship, raffles, catered charcuterie, refreshments and, of course, wine! Tickets available August 1 on Eventbrite and in the back of the church at the end of August.

Beginning July 1 we move to our summer weekday Mass schedule. There will be no Mass on Wednesday evenings, Saturday mornings, or at the Senior Homes.

Our regular weekday Mass schedule will resume on Tuesday, September 2.

Mass on Tuesday, July 1, Canada Day, and Monday, August 4, Heritage Day, will be at 9 am and the parish office will be closed.

Parish Finances

Joanne Chiasson Ext. 227 finance@saintjoseph.ca

2024 Income Tax receipts are available from the office during office hours. Call to make other arrangements if you cannot pick them up.

2025 Donation envelopes - Available from the parish office during office hours, Monday to Friday, 8:30 am - noon and 1:00 - 5:00 pm.

Donation options: Check our website

Sacraments

Jean-Marc ext. 228 sacraments@saintjoseph.ca

Through the waters of baptism we welcome Nash Matheson, Jaymar Bangcale, Daisy Villanueva and John Agustin to our family of faith. We pray that their journey with our Lord is filled with great joy.

Parents are required to complete Baptism preparation. For information call the parish office or check saintjoseph.ca/sacraments/baptism/ The next Preparation class will be in the fall.

Family & Children Ministry

Kristen ext 230 family@saintjoseph.ca

Check the bulletin board in the church for Family & Children events.



Grade 3 - 6 youth group
2nd & 4th Thursdays, 7 - 8:30 pm
We have wrapped for the summer! Check the bulletin for startup in the fall. Have a wonderful summer!

Moms' Group: Thursdays, 10 - 12 noon. Children welcome. Come as you are for faith, fun and fellowship. Next gathering: June 26

VBS Volunteer Training -

Alternative training dates for all volunteers
Tuesday, June 24, 7 - 8:30 pm, St JP II Room
Wednesday, June 25, 2 - 3:30 pm, St. JP II Room
[Sign up for training dates](#)
[Register to volunteer](#) if you haven't yet.

Liturgy of the Word with Children (Saturdays 7 pm, Sundays 9 & 11 am) All hands on deck! Men, women and youth, our community is growing quickly, and we all need to pray about how to help. Call Kristen if you don't already receive LWWC emails.

Year-Round Work Bees Thursday mornings 10 am - noon. Prep for VBS and other special events. Contact Kristen (you may also help prep outside of these workbee times).

Youth Ministry

April ext 232 youth@saintjoseph.ca

Check out our programs for youth at saintjoseph.ca/ministries/youth.



Grade 7 - 9: 7 - 8:30 pm, St JP II Room
Please join us for our year-end party on June 21st. Join us for pizza and Youth Choir practice at 5:30, sing at 7 pm Mass and year end party to follow in St JP II Room



Gr. 7 - 12:
Next choir: June 21
Begins with pizza at 5:30 in the parish office.

Singers & musicians welcome! Join us following Mass for the Corpus Christi procession around the church property.

HS (High School) Youth Group: Gr. 9 - 12, 8 - 10 pm
June 21, after 7 pm Mass.

Save your Bottles for our Youth Groups: Drop them at any Bottle Depot with this information on them: St. Joseph Youth Group #1479-2351. Your donations and assistance are greatly appreciated!

Young Adults

@ignitegrandepairie or StJoesYoungAdults



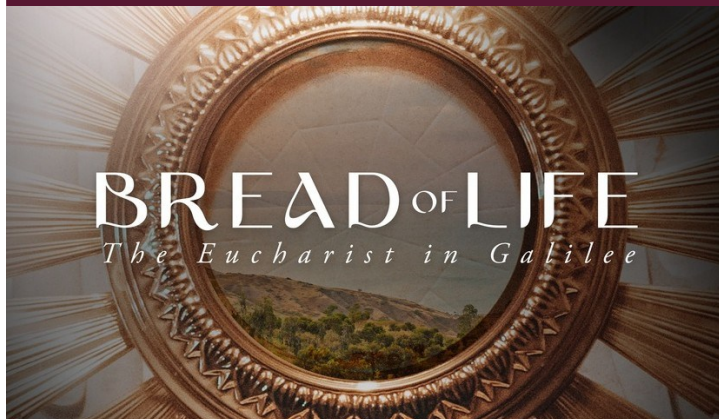
Check their Facebook page for gatherings.

Mass Intentions

June 23 - 28

✠ -Mass for someone deceased
Mon. 23, 12:15 pm: ✠ Titus Nunes
Tues. 24, 7 pm: ✠ Jan Latos
Wed. 25, 12:15 pm: Doug & Carrie Heitrich
7 pm: ✠ José Joa
Thurs. 26, 7 pm: ✠ Wade Kaczkielo
Fri. 27, 12:15 pm: ✠ Lucy, Casey & Derrick Glodek
Sat. 28, 9 am: ✠ Henriette Jourbarne

Adult Formation



FORMED: The Bread of Life: The Eucharist in Galilee

Christ's teaching about the Eucharist is the crescendo of Jesus' entire ministry: all his work in Galilee prepared for and pointed to the Eucharist. Join Dr. Tim Gray for an exciting five-part series about Jesus' teaching on the Eucharist.

Sign up for FORMED on our website: saintjoseph.ca

COR: Men's group study - Forms & strengthens Catholic men in faith and virtue through prayer, formation & fraternity. For information contact Patdeluca9@gmail.com

Ladies' Bible Study, which meets Wednesday mornings, is done for the summer. They will resume meeting in the fall.

Christian Meditation - Sundays at 3 pm in the chapel. All are welcome for this prayer of silence, stillness and simplicity. *Last session before summer, June 29.* For information contact Mia, miklge@telus.net

PLEASE PRAY FOR

The sick, especially

Henry Sliger	Mary Anne Halwa
Annette Cymbaluk	Frederick Dodd
Sherrie Ratvay	Marie Guest
Renata Zarzycka	Tessie Foster
Ivan Romkes	Femy Rouleau
Marilyn Lawless	Chelsea & Casey Kent

Marc Gauthier, father of Donna Mostowy
Kevin Moeller, grandson of Ellen Gerke
Helen Hobley, sister of Alice Brick

The deceased, especially Cecile Thibeault

General Information

Gift Shop Coordinator Needed (volunteer position)

Duties include: managing volunteers and inventory. Contact the parish office.

Applications for the CWL Frances Pronovost

Scholarship are being accepted until June 30.

For information email cwlstjosephgp@gmail.com or contact the parish office.

Knights of Columbus Scholarships:

3 scholarships worth \$500 each available for graduating students enrolled in a post-secondary program:

The Agnes Kinderwater - Office/Admin business

The Father Neil Corbett - Arts or Sciences, University

The Mike Lynch - Vocations and or/Trade School

Applications available at all Catholic High Schools and the parish office. Completed applications can be dropped off at the parish office. *Deadline: July 31*

The Gift Shop will have irregular hours during the summer. Check after weekend Mass.

Know someone who can't come to Mass due to illness or infirmity? Our Communion Team takes the Blessed Sacrament to those who are homebound, in the hospital and senior's homes. Please call the parish office for details or to sign up.

Ivan & Sylvia Romkes 65th Wedding Anniversary Celebration, July 26. Please join them from 1 - 4 pm, in Liguori Hall, to celebrate this wonderful occasion.

June 21 - 29 Dates to Remember

Sat. 21: 5:30 pm, Youth Choir pizza & practice
8 - 10 pm, HS Youth Group/EDGE, St JP II Room

Sun. 22: 3 pm, Christian Meditation, chapel

Tues. 24: 7 - 8:30 pm, VBS Volunteer training,
St JP II Room

Wed. 25: 2 - 3:30 pm, VBS Volunteer training,
St JP II Room

Thurs. 26: 10 am - noon, Mom's Group, St JP II Room

Sat. 28: Sun. 29: 3 pm, Christian Meditation, chapel

The Salvation Army Food Bank Needs are even greater in summer months when children do not have access to school breakfast/lunch programs.

Items they need: Canned - soup/meat/fish/vegetables/tomatoes/fruit, tomato sauce, beans, Kraft dinner, 1L juice, pasta, coffee, tea, hot chocolate, baking goods, rice, cookies, crackers, kids snacks/juice boxes, peanut butter/jam, condiments, jello/pudding, etc.

If everyone donates a little it can add up to a lot. Please place food donations in the creche in the entrance to our church.

2025 Lac Ste Anne Pilgrimage, July 19 - 24

For information and the schedule go to <https://www.dostp.ca/lac-st-anne-pilgrimage>

Centennial of Holy Family Parish, Grimshaw, Aug. 30 - 31

Saturday, Aug. 30, 10:00 am Mass

Presider, Archbishop Pettipas, C.Ss.R.

6:00 pm, Dinner at Legion *

Sunday, Aug. 31, 10:00 am

Mass. Pancake breakfast to follow

*RSVP for supper before July 31 to the parish office, 780-332-4406, Eileen, 780-332-2382 or holyfamilychurchgrimshaw@gmail.com

Sunday Readings

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Service to Others

Genesis 14:18 - 20. Melchizedek's blessing of Abram

1 Corinthians 11:23 - 26. The Lord's supper

Luke 9:11b - 17. Multiplication of the loaves

Passage: I received from the Lord what I also handed on to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took a loaf of bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, "This is my body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of Me."

1 Cor 11:23 - 24

Question: When have you been most blessed and when have you felt a little "broken" in your service to others?

Child: Why is it important to keep on giving, even when you are tired?

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Frequently Asked Questions

Office Hours: Mon - Fri, 8:30 am - noon, 1 - 5 pm

Sunday Masses

Saturday evening 7:00 pm

Sunday morning 9:00 & 11:00 am

Daily Masses (September - June)

Monday, Wednesday & Friday 12:15 pm

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 7:00 pm

Saturday 9:00 am

Senior's Lodge Masses at 10:30 am:

1st Tuesday - The Gardens 1st Friday - Heritage Lodge

2nd Friday - Wild Rose Manor

3rd Friday - Pioneer Lodge

Confessions: Saturday evenings, 5:30 - 6:30 pm, or by appointment (call the parish office)

Devotions to our Mother of Perpetual Help at Wednesday Masses

Baptism for Infants & Young Children:

Check saintjoseph.ca/sacraments/baptism/ or call Jean-Marc, ext. 228 (even prior to the birth of your child) about Baptism preparation for parents.

Marriage: Couples wishing to be married in a Catholic Church must begin preparation *at least 8 months* prior to their wedding date. Call Karen G, ext. 224, or email adultsacraments@saintjoseph.ca
Interested in joining the church or completing Sacraments for adults? Contact Karen G, ext. 224, or email adultsacraments@saintjoseph.ca

Parish Pastoral Council: st.joes.ppc@gmail.com

Catholic Women's League: cwlstjosephgp@gmail.com

Knights of Columbus: kofc3241gp@gmail.com

Prayer Chain Requests: Confidentiality assured. stjosephprayers@gmail.com, or call the parish office

Religious Gift Shop/Library: Irregular hours in summer. Check after weekend Mass.

Information Centre in church New? Know of any newcomers/visitors to our parish? Questions/need information? On weekends see volunteers at the Centre.

Event Promotion: Fill in a Request to Promote form on our website saintjoseph.ca/contact/promote/. Bulletin submissions due noon Wednesdays. Maximum poster size 8.5 X 11. All requests subject to approval.