

PAROISSE ST. JEAN BAPTISTE PARISH BULLETIN



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19th Sunday In Ordinary Time



Those who receive the Eucharist with eyes of faith can rejoice in Jesus' promise of eternal life.

In the Eucharist, the Lord has given us a great gift: his whole self—body, blood, soul, and divinity. This can be challenging to accept since our eyes see what looks like bread. But those who see and receive this gift with the eyes of faith, trusting in the Lord's words that he is *the bread of life*, can rejoice in his promise of eternal life.

Elijah prays for death but instead awakened by an angel of the Lord who commands him to eat and drink before travelling to the Lord's mountain, Horeb. Paul exhorts the Ephesians to imitate God and treat each other lovingly, Jesus responds to the murmurings of the crowd reaffirming his claim that he is the living bread, come down from heaven, source of eternal life.

New Rebuild Donation options

E-Transfer option:

1. Go to your online bank acct
2. Go to interact e-transfers and enter recipient name:
3. **Diocese of St. Paul.**
4. E-mail address etransfer@dostp.ca
5. Add a message and please state which collection you would like it to go to e.g. Church rebuild

Automatic Withdrawal Option

We are setting up Automatic Bank withdrawals for those parishioners that are interested in looking at this other option for monthly donations. There are some forms at the gym you can also contact the office for any questions at office.sjbp@icloud.com or call 780-939-4412 ext 0.

Pope's Prayer Intentions for August

For political leaders— We pray that political leaders be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and for the common good, especially caring for the poor and those who have lost their jobs.

Thank You

Thank you to the family of Cindy Johnston who had the donations from the funeral going towards the New Building Fund Total donated \$ 120.00

August 4 2024	New Building	\$ 1,610.00
	Fundraising Bucket	\$ 96.05




WEDNESDAY, August 14

6:30 p.m. - Reconciliation
7:00 p.m. - Rosary
7:30 p.m. - Vespers
8:00 p.m. - Mass at the Grotto

*Solemn Mass
Presided by His Excellency
Most Rev. Richard Smith*

*The Blessed Sacrament
Procession with lit candles
will follow the blessing of the
religious articles.*

THURSDAY, August 15

10:00 a.m. - Mass at the Grotto
with the Sacrament
of the Sick

*The Blessed Sacrament
Procession with lit candles
will follow the blessing of the
religious articles.*

August 14 - 15, 2024

Skaro Shrine

106th Annual Pilgrimage 2024





Assumption of the Blessed Mother

DATE		TIME	MASS INTENTIONS
Saturday	Aug 10	5:00 PM	RIP Laurette Vanssevenandt—Family
Sunday	Aug 11	9:00 AM	For Parishioners
		11:00 AM	
Tuesday	Aug 13	8:30 AM	RIP Mamie White—Gary & Janet
Wednesday	Aug 14	10:00 AM	RIP Ray Kramer (2nd Anniv) - Lorette
		5:00 PM	No Mass (Skarow Pilgrimage)
Thursday	Aug 15	10:00 AM	RIP Dominador Valles—Darrah
		5:00 PM	No Mass
Friday	Aug 16	8:30 PM	Souls in Purgatory—Parishioner
Saturday	Aug 17	5:00 PM	Holy Souls
Sunday	Aug 18	9:00 AM	RIP O'Neil Chevalier—Ron & Karen Cust
		11:00 AM	RIP Albert, Anna & Steven—Elizabeth

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PLEASE PRAY FOR those that are infected by illnesses and diseases or struggling and who are going through any medical procedures and treatments. We pray for their healing and recovery.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)

RCIA assists those adults wishing to learn more about the Catholic Church. It is open to unbaptized adults, baptized Catholics who have not received the Initiation sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation, and those practicing Catholics wishing to learn more about their faith (but for the ones who want to learn more Sessions are held September through May. The program is defined by four periods of formation each marked by the celebration of liturgical rites in the parish. If you are interested you can talk to Fr Trini or call the parish Office

Donors for the Statues

Our parish just obtained statues of St. and Our Lady of Miraculous Medal from St. Gregory the Great Parish of Holden, AB they are just asking some donations on our end to help them in their financial difficulties. Tax receipts from St. Gregory Parish will be given to those who will donate. **Please do not write the cheque to St. Jean Baptiste Parish.** You can approach Fr. Trini or the parish office if you will want to donate. Thank you.

Reminder to all Parishioners

A reminder to all Parishioners not to be wandering in the school before or after the Mass. There should not be anyone entering any other sections of the school than the gym.



August 4 2024	Collection	\$ 2,460.00
	Restoration	\$ 450.00

General operations

Revenue	Jun 30 2024	2024 YTD
Sunday collections	15,420	91,163
Rectory rent & other income	1,790	8,760
Total revenue	17,210	99,923
Expenditures		
Salaries and allowances	7,497	49,722
Utilities	1,442	12,152
Taxes & Insurance - paid twice/year	6,206	17,446
Diocesan share of income	1,850	10,940
Other- office, mtce, relig supplies, equip ...	3,154	11,747
Total expenditures:	20,151	102,006
Net income (loss)	(2,941)	(2,084)

2024 St Jean the Baptiste Parish Projected Budget

GOAL: \$ 207,273

From Jan 1 until June 30 2024, we have collected \$99,923 of our goal of \$207,273 for the year.

In order to reach our goal, we need an average monthly collection of \$17,273 or 8.3% of our total goal.

48%

For the first six months of 2024, we have collected an average of \$16,654 per month