

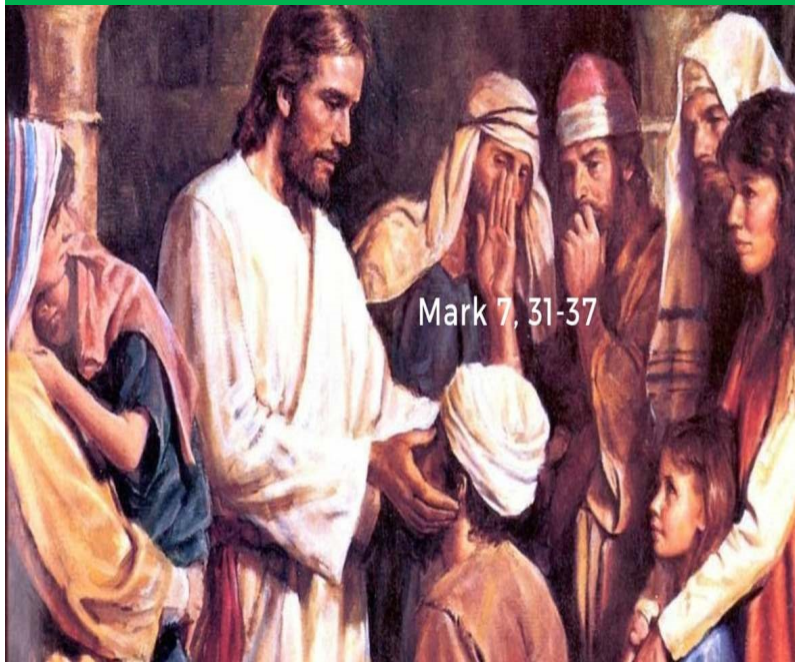
PAROISSE ST. JEAN BAPTISTE PARISH BULLETIN



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September 8, 2024
23rd Sunday In Ordinary Time



Mark 7, 31-37

God's loving presence is with us always.

God is with us, intimately close, just as Jesus was to the man in the Gospel today. In the Mass, Jesus reaches out to touch us and offer his healing. May we always be granted an open heart and clear vision to see his loving presence among us.

In the first reading, the prophet Isaiah speaks for the Lord, saying to the frightened to be *strong and fear not!* In the Letter from Saint James, we are encouraged to show no partiality because God chose the poor in the world to be heirs of the kingdom. In the Gospel, Jesus heals a deaf man with a speech impediment and all are *exceedingly astonished.*

Blue Mass and KofC Breakfast

On September 29, 2024 there will be just one mass for the celebration of Blue mass and it will be at 10:00 AM. The Knights of Columbus Breakfast will be on that Sunday also September 29th from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm at the Rendez-Vous centre.

Calling for Volunteers

Calling all designers, carpenters, and/or cabinet makers to assist our parish in designing and building a permanent Donor Recognition tree. This exciting project needs your expertise. For more information please contact Ron Cust at ron.cust@gmail.com or 780-783-5134

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.

It Happens on Our Doorstep!

Catholic Women's League Corpus Christi Council invites you to a discussion on

Human Trafficking & Sexual Exploitation

Presented by CEASE

Centre to Empower All Survivors of Exploitation & Trafficking

When: Saturday, September 21, 2024

Time: 10:00 am

Where: Parish Hall

Corpus Christi Parish



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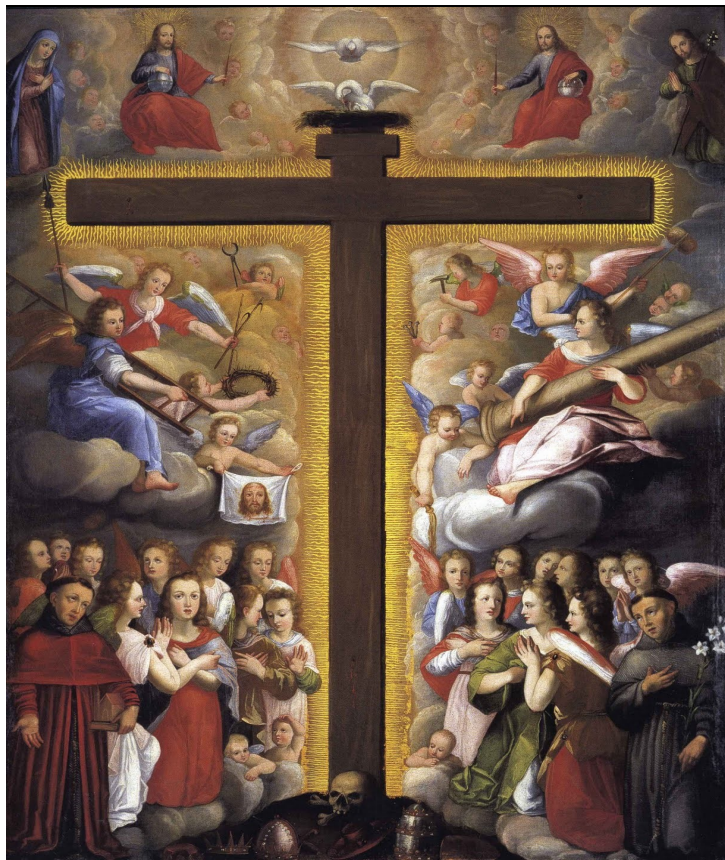
LOOKING FOR Children's Liturgy Leaders

Children's Liturgy runs
at 9AM Sunday masses
from September to
Early June

CONTACT MARYANNE @780.691.5954 FOR MORE
INFORMATION



Children's Liturgy
Begins
Sunday, September 8
@9AM Mass



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 The First Class starts on Sept 17th.

SAVE the DATE

Save the Date - After a sold out event last year, St. Jean Baptiste parish is once again holding a Fall Supper. This is on Sunday, Oct 6th. If you are able to lend a hand, please contact Noreen at noreenradford@outlook.com. Ticket sales will start the beginning of September.



July E-Transfers	Collection	\$ 1,095.00
	New Building	\$ 1,155.00
September 1, 2024	Collection	\$ 3,205.00
	Restoration	\$ 445.00

DATE	TIME	MASS INTENTIONS
Saturday	Sept 7 5:00 PM	RIP Rebecca Champagne—Lorette
Sunday	Sept 8 9:00 AM	RIP Don Elmore
	11:00 AM	For Parishioners
Tuesday	Sept 10 8:30 AM	NO MASS
Wednesday	Sept 11 10:00 AM	NO MASS
	5:00 PM	NO MASS
Thursday	Sept 12 10:00 AM	NO MASS
	5:00 PM	NO MASS
Friday	Sept 13 8:30 PM	NO MASS
Saturday	Sept 14 5:00 PM	RIP Arthur Hebert—Rita & Family
Sunday	Sept 15 9:00 AM	RIP Rene Chevalier—Denise & Family
	11:00 AM	RIP Albert, Anna & Steven—Elizabeth

General operations

Revenue	Jul 31 2024	2024 YTD
Sunday collections	13,865	105,028
Rectory rent & other income	1,070	9,830
Total revenue	14,935	114,858

Expenditures

Salaries and allowances	7,536	57,259
Utilities	2,056	14,207
Taxes & Insurance - paid twice/year	0	17,446
Diocesan share of income	1,664	12,603
Other- office, mtce, worship supplies, equip ...	2,111	13,858
Total expenditures:	13,367	115,373
Net income (loss)	1,568	(516)

Notes:

Under UTILITIES

The waste removal was missed in a previous month (in May) so there were two entries in July to account for this. It was missed because the withdrawal does not come out of the bank account until the following month.

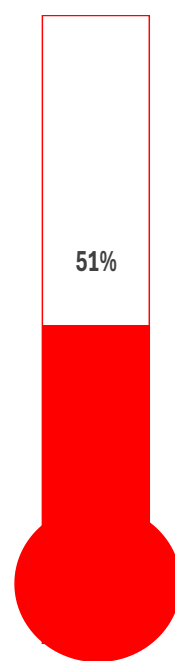
The Security amount is a semi annual payment. The first payment was in January for \$307.50 and the second payment was for July 22 for \$307.50

2024 St Jean the Baptiste Parish Projected Budget

GOAL: \$ 207,273

From Jan 1 until July 30 2024, we have collected \$105,028 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.



51%

For the first seven months of 2024, we have collected an average of \$15,004 per month