



ST. DENIS Parish

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Eucharistic Celebrations:

Sunday, **May 12th - 9:00am – Intentions of Therese Furet (Cécile & Albert Furet)**

Sunday, **May 19th - 9:00am – Ernest & Anna Antoine (Marie Rose Antoine)**

Sunday, **May 26th - 9:00am – Jean Fifi (Simone & André Lambert)**

Sanctuary Lamp – this week: For all the mothers.

God's Share: May 5th - **\$353.00** (19) + **\$2.00** loose + **\$20.00** (dd) = **\$375.00**

Church Cleaning: Apr. 1st to May 15th – Yvonne Bazin & Simone Lambert

<u>Ministries :</u>	<u>May 12th</u>	<u>May 19th</u>	<u>May 26th</u>
Readers:	Janice Souque	Annette Bernard	Lucille Dheilley
Offerings & Collection:	Jean Souque family	Marcel Dheilley family	Raymond Massinon family
Communion:	Michelle Dheilley	Judith Robidoux	Lucille Dheilley
Counters:	Michelle & prtnr.	Jean & prtnr.	Raymond & prtnr.

House for Sale: The rectory of the parish remains for sale as well as the adjoining lots along Duke Ave. If you know of anyone interested please refer them to one of the trustees. We have lowered the asking price to \$150,000. See poster.

Meal at Accueil d'Âge d'Or in Haywood: Tuesday, May 14th at noon –
Please call your contact person or phone 204-379-2477 to give your name before Monday evening. Everyone welcome. \$8.50 for adults.



Forth Sunday of Easter

May 12th, 2019

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Prayer Intention for the month of May 2019

The Church in Africa, a Seed of Unity: That the church in Africa, through the commitment of its members, may be the seed of unity among her peoples and a sign of hope for this continent.

Let us pray for our Priest Moderator, Father John and for Deacon Peter Le.

Let us pray for all members of our community who suffer from illness, surgeries, bereavement, discouragement, loneliness of loss of faith.

Month of Mary: Thursday, May 16, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

Let us keep our devotion to the Virgin Mary during the month of May. There will be the recitation of the Rosary on Thursdays, May 16, 23 and 30, 2019 at the St. Claude Church at 7:00 p.m. Welcome!

Gospel of Life Mass – St. Boniface Cathedral on Tuesday, May 14, 2019

Come pray a pro-life rosary, with mass to follow in support and honour of all life from conception to natural death. The mass will have a special focus on the end of life. Archbishop LeGatt will be presiding. St. Boniface Cathedral, 180 Avenue de la Cathedrale, Winnipeg.

Rosary: 6:30PM (Cathedral grounds) Mass: 7PM.

For us parishioners, we can recite the rosary for life on Thursday, May 16.

Priestly Ordination of Deacon Peter le Van Ngu – June 1, 2019

The Holy Mass of Ordination to the Priesthood will take place on **Saturday, June 1, 2019 at 10 AM at the St. Boniface Cathedral.** A reception will follow the Holy Mass of Ordination in the Cathedral Parish Hall. We hope many of you will be able to participate in this celebration with Deacon Peter.

Reverend Peter Le Van Ngu will celebrate his first Mass of Thanksgiving on Sunday, June 2, 2019, at 5:00 PM at St. Philip Minh Parish. **As indicated in this invitation, please confirm your attendance for the reception of Sunday, June 2, 2109 with Deacon Peter directly at the following address: peterleordination@gmail.com** . R.S.V.P. by May 20, 2019.

Closure of the St. Claude Parish Office:

The Parish Office will be closed from Monday, May 13 to Monday, May 20 inclusively. If there be any emergencies or for funerals, please call **204-870-0225**. I will be taking some holiday time. Thank you for your comprehension. *Denise*

Summer Chapel Information Now Available

A complete list of summer chapels is now available. Get your brochure *on the back tables* or visit the diocesan website (under the "Parishes" tab) for individual Summer Chapels.

2019 SPRING BAZAAR RESULTS

INCOME:	Silent Auction	\$1,610.00	
	Raffle Tickets	1,235.00	
	Bingo	811.35	
	Breakfast	1,224.00	
	Kitchen	421.15	
	Bake Sale & plants	274.50	
	Donation	<u>1,100.00</u>	
	TOTAL INCOME:		6,676.00
EXPENSES:	Raffle prizes	350.00	
	Food & Supplies	348.06	
	Caretaker	<u>125.00</u>	
	TOTAL EXPENSES:		<u>823.06</u>
NET PROFIT:			<u>\$5,852.94</u>

Church and Hall : **\$2,926.47** each.

Merci – Thank You to everyone who donated, volunteered their time and came to enjoy our bazaar. Your support is greatly appreciated.



Happy Mothers' Day!

The life of a child is not easy. While he was well, warm, fed continuously, he suddenly finds himself in the light, in the cold and undergoing hunger at least every 3 hours! Fortunately, Mom is there to feed him and warm him up against her.

Then he tries to walk but he falls time and again. Fortunately, Mom is here to hold his hand and accompany him. He tries to eat alone but the mouth is not always easy to find, and he puts it everywhere! Mom guides his movements and cleans up.

A child cries because at school nothing is easy, that he must learn and succeed, that he must impose himself in front of his comrades, that he has to make friends. Mom finds him at night and welcomes him for a hug that erases all the annoyances of the day.

And then later, we all know it ... an adult is always the child to his Mom! When difficulties or happiness come, it is to Mom that he confides. Mom is still here.

I think indeed, dear Mums, that you are all well deserving, not because you must support your chicks, who are sometimes ugly ducklings, but because you give them all your love.

Fourth Sunday of Easter (C)

May 12th, 2019

Safety and Security



The fourth Sunday of Easter is called "Good Shepherd Sunday" and is celebrated by the Church as a day of prayer for priestly and religious vocations. For some time now, among those for vocations, prayers for laypeople have been added to the Mass. The liturgy of this Sunday's Mass offers excerpts from chapter 10 of St. John's Gospel where Jesus defined himself as the Good Shepherd who, unlike a hired hand, gives his life for his sheep.

This Sunday, the last verses of this Gospel recap the theme. We learn that Jesus takes care of those whom the Father has entrusted to Him and leads them to eternal life which, I believe, will be an unlimited "love conversation" with God. The unity of Christ with the Father will be a communion of life and love between them.

Jesus fulfills this "pastoral mission" by making it his priority to know his sheep. They recognize him, listen to his voice and follow him. Since the Second Vatican Council, approximately fifty years ago, the title of the Good Shepherd has been used to designate priests who exercise their ministry. This title also extends to anyone who has a pastoral mission in the Church. Pope Francis emphasized in the Apostolic Exhortation, *The Joy of the Gospel [Evangelii Gaudium]*, that evangelizers, acting with humility and compassion must be close to their brothers and sisters. *Evangelizers thus take on the "smell of the sheep" and the sheep are willing to hear their voice.* Further on in the document, the Pope continues with advice for evangelizers who deal with human realities: *To understand this reality we need to approach it with the gaze of the Good Shepherd, who seeks not to judge but to love.*

This year Good Shepherd Sunday coincides with Mother's Day. Since the first centuries, the Christian family has been the model as a domestic church, the smallest Christian community called to have their lives centered on Christ. We know that mothers, at the heart of their family, fulfill a true ministry of communion, of education to love, to share and to solidarity. We wish all mothers a Happy Mother's Day! We acknowledge that our mothers are Good Shepherds, because they gave their children life and protect them. Today, many fathers have undertaken this role by generously and happily investing time with their families.

Yves Guillemette, priest

Translated by Honore Kerwin Borrelli