



ST. DENIS Roman Catholic Parish

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Our Mission Statement:

LOVE GOD, LOVE OTHERS, TRAIN DISCIPLES

Eucharistic Celebrations :

Sunday, June 24th – 9:00 am – Rhéa Poirier (Roland & Yvonne Dequier)

Sunday, July 1st - 9:00 am – Georgette Atkins (Simone & André Lambert)

Sunday, July 8th - 9:00am– Odile Divorne (Divorne family)

Sanctuary Lamp this week: Jean Souque.

God's Share : June 17th - \$350.00 (18) + \$22.00 loose + \$20.00 (dd) = \$392.00

Church Cleaning : May 16th to June 30th – General Spring cleaning

<u>Ministries :</u>	<u>June 24th</u>	<u>July 1st</u>	<u>July 8th</u>
Readers:	Lucille Dheilley	Marcel Dufault	Judith Robidoux
Offerings & Collection:	Marcel Dequier family	Gérald Poirier & Guy Dedieu	Raymond Massinon family
Communion:	Deacon Peter	Deacon Peter	Deacon Peter
Counters:	Raymond & prtnr.	Dorothée & prtnr.	Maurice & prtnr.

Souvenir books for the Bicentennial : Absolute last chance to order TODAY!!!

Blessing of the Shawls of Compassion – Sunday, June 24, 2018

After the mass of Sunday, June 24, we will have the ceremony of blessing the shawls of compassion.

"We do not realize the power of a kind or consoling word, a gesture of compassion, even a smile, can bring comfort and light: do not neglect these little benefits". (Elisabeth Leseur)

Let us pray for all the sick members of our community!

12th Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

June 24th, 2018

Pope's Prayer Intentions for June 2018

Universal: That social networks may work towards that inclusiveness which respects others for their differences.

Pastoral Appointments for 20187

By decision of Archbishop Albert LeGatt, D.D., after consultation with the College of Consultors, the following are the assignments of priests and Parish Life Directors in the Archdiocese of Saint Boniface for the current year. Unless otherwise agreed upon with those concerned, the appointments will be effective August 1, 2018. (quote from the letter of Archbishop LeGatt)

Saint-Claude – Haywood (Saint-Denis)

Father John Tê Nguyen is appointed once again as Priest-Moderator for a one-year mandate. Mrs. Denise Danais is appointed as Parish Life Director, responsible for the coordination of all aspects of pastoral life and activities in Saint-Claude and Saint-Denis (Haywood) Parishes, for a third one-year mandate. In Saint-Claude, the Parish Finance Committee will take on responsibility for directing the financial and temporal administration for a one-year mandate. Mr. Raymond Massinon will continue as Parish Life Director in Saint-Denis Parish (Haywood) for financial and temporal administration for a further one-year mandate.

JUBILATION of July 15, 2018 – On the grounds of the St. Boniface Cathedral, the Archbishop's residence and the University of St. Boniface

For this historical diocesan celebration, many events are being planned (free admission): Historical Re-enactment of the arrival of Bishop Provencher; Solemn Mass presided by Cardinal Gérald Cyprien Lacroix; Afternoon of multicultural and family activities; Evening concert *Thank you - 'Megwetch for Humanity'*. For more details, [view poster](#). [Visit the diocesan website](#).

Please note that there will be no masses in parishes on Sunday, July 15, 2018. Masses will be celebrated on Saturday to allow all priests and as many parishioners as possible to attend the diocesan mass in Saint-Boniface.

Mass at St-Denis Parish will be at 5:30 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. in St-Claude.

Jubilation 07.15.2018 is just one month away (July 15th)! - And we need YOU!

Be part of this amazing family-friendly event, gathering thousands of people from across the province and beyond, to celebrate together 200 years of evangelization in Western Canada! Be part of something amazing! To ensure the success of this celebration, we need many volunteers. There are a great number of roles which still need to be filled, such as: * set-up, * event ambassadors / info tent, * children's area, * volunteer centre, * security / vehicle access. Is your skillset not listed above? Contact us! To sign up as a volunteer or to request more information: Anne-Marie Thibert, Jubilation's event coordinator, team2@mts.net. We hope you'll be part of our team! For more information on the Jubilation event, visit: catholica200.ca ou [Facebook](#).

19th Manitoba Passion Play, La Rivière, Manitoba – July 2018

Come and experience the life of Christ unfold before you in a beautiful outdoor setting. The performances of the Passion Play will be held for 2 weekends: **Saturday, July 7 & Sunday, July 8 at 6:30 PM.** Outdoor Mass presided by Fr. Ramiel Alvarez on Sunday, July 8 at 3 PM. **Friday, July 13, Saturday, July 14 & Sunday, July 15 at 7:30 PM.** Come early to hike the Outdoor Meditation Trail, Way of the Cross. Food concessions or pack a picnic. A free pass is offered to all priests who wish to attend the Passion Play. For more information or to purchase tickets: 1-888-264-3038, info@passionplay.ca or www.passionplay.ca. [View pamphlet.](#)

Catholic School of Evangelization (CSE) is Celebrating 25 years of Catholic Camps in Saint-Malo – Friday, July 6, 2018: 25 years of bringing the Good News of the Gospel to our youth! 25 years of lifelong friendships being created! 25 years of creating leaders amongst our youth! 25 years of God providing for our camp needs! This is a reason to celebrate! The CSE invites you, your family and your friends to join us in celebrating the 25-year anniversary of the Saint-Malo Catholic Camps on Friday, July 6th. Mass will be presided by Archbishop Albert LeGatt at 4 PM, St. Malo Catholic Church; followed by a BBQ supper in the backyard of the CSE - please bring a salad or snack to share! For any questions or comments: camps@catholicway.net or 204-347-5396.

Canoe/Camping Trips This Summer

Are you 13 years old or older? Do you want a challenge while having fun? Are you interested in an adventure, in a 3 to 6-day canoe trip with wilderness camping every night? Fr. René Chartier plans to undertake a few canoe trips this summer (between July 16 and August 10). There are possibilities for types of trips: the route, level of difficulty and length of the trip will be determined by those interested. For more details and information: Father René Chartier, rccanots@live.com or 204-883-2658.

Canadian Certificate in Youth Ministry Studies, Saskatoon, SK - August 9-12, 2018

The Western Canadian Association of Catholic Youth Ministers will be sponsoring, once again, the Summer Seminar that offers training in Youth Ministry. There are 8 courses that lead towards the certificate and they are offered on a 3-year rotation. For more information or to register: www.wcacym.ca or contact Mireille Grenier, mgrenier@archsaintboniface.ca, 204-594-0278.

For the sake of pleasure ...

To all young and not so young people, Deacon Peter is a sports enthusiast. He loves fishing, badminton, ping-pong, etc. Are there people who would like to make an appointment with him?

Although the soccer season is over, do you know any young people who would like to form a team? Deacon Peter excels at soccer and would like to join a group just for the sake of fun. Invite friends and contact him personally at 204-952-4531. He is with us from Wednesday evening to Sunday. He will be happy to accept invitations for an opportunity to meet people.

Marriage Tip:

Store clerks are taught to say, "Have a nice day!" to each customer. The marriage version is "How was your day?" Such a simple question, but it says, "I care about you and how you spend the time when we're apart." Listen carefully to the answer.

12th Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

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His name will be John

In the Jewish tradition, the eldest son would bear his father's name. As the son is the image of the father, he would keep his memory alive. Having a son meant survival and if the son bore the father's name, his place in history would be recorded and remembered. This tradition continues today.

In the English-speaking world, the practice is common, and we distinguish the son from the father by adding "Junior".

Elizabeth and Zachariah were an elderly couple and the son born to them was a blessing from God, one that they had always hoped for. The Lord demonstrated the magnificence of His mercy. On the eighth day, it was the tradition to name the child. People said that his name should be Zachariah, like his father. However, Elizabeth said: *No, he is to be called John.* They asked Zachariah, who could not speak. *He wrote on a tablet: His name is John. ... Immediately his mouth was opened and his tongue freed and he began to speak, praising God.*

What can we learn from the passage? The name, Zachariah means: *the Lord has remembered.* John means: *the Lord has been gracious and has shown favor.* Jesus means: *the Lord saves.* There is continuity. The elderly Zachariah received God's benevolence. A son was born to him. John witnessed God's benevolence. He assumed the role of precursor and announced the coming of *One* who was greater. Jesus brought salvation and accomplished God's work among us.

June 24th is our summer solstice and light is at its peak. St. John's birth celebrates the splendor of summer and the power of divine love. This exuberant light announces another birth that is to come, at Christmas, when Christ will bring everlasting light. Happy Saint John the Baptist!

André Beauchamp

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