

ST. DENIS Roman Catholic Parish

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Our Mission Statement: LOVE GOD, LOVE OTHERS, TRAIN DISCIPLES

Eucharistic Celebrations:

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

Saturday, July 14th – 5:30 pm – Larry Lapointe (St. Denis Choir)

Sunday, **July 15th – 11:00 am – Jubilation mass at St. Boniface Cathedral**Sunday, **July 22nd - 9:00 am – Georges & Marie Bernard** (Bernard family)

Sanctuary Lamp this week: Vacationers.

God's Share: July 1^{st} - \$425.00 (18) + \$24.35 loose + \$20.00 (dd) = \$469.35

<u>Church Cleaning</u>: July 1st to August 15th – Rachel Massinon & Yvonne Cantin

July 22nd July 8th July 14th Ministries: Janice Souque Lucille Dheilly Readers: Judith Robidoux Offerings & Raymond Massinon Jean Souque Eugene Bazin & Collection: family family Albert Furet Communion: Deacon Peter Deacon Peter Deacon Peter Counters: Maurice & prtnr. Annette & prtnr. Lucille & prtnr.

Accueil d'Age d'Or – Haywood :

Noon meal Tuesday July 10, please give your name(s) to one of your contacts or phone 204-379-2477 before Monday evening. Adults \$8.50, all welcome.

Pope's Prayer Intentions for the Month of July 2018

Evangelization: That priests, who experience fatigue and loneliness in their pastoral work, may find help and comfort in their intimacy with the Lord and in their friendship with their brother priests.

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

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

July 8th, 2018

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

All are invited to join us in celebrating 200 years of the Catholic Church in Western Canada on Sunday, July 15, 2018. Please view the <u>Information Sheet</u> containing the logistical details and the <u>most recent Calendar of Events</u>. To view all Catholica and Jubilation information, please visit the diocesan website:

https://www.archsaintboniface.ca/main.php?p=795.

We are looking forward to celebrating with you!

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.

Ecumenical Prayer Service - Friday, July 13, 2018

All are invited to a special evening Ecumenical Prayer Service with our sister Christian churches to celebrate the 200th anniversary of the Catholic Church in Western Canada on Friday, July 13, 7:30 PM, St. Boniface Cathedral. This is a year to celebrate 200 years of faith and Christian community, committing ourselves anew to sharing the Good News of Jesus. It is also a time to give thanks for all that was light and to ask for forgiveness for all that was darkness, committing ourselves anew to true reconciliation and unity, justice, harmony, compassion, inclusion, tolerance and peace. For more information: Greg Barrett: barreg63@gmail.com.

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.

Marriage Tip:

A good argument can be a labor of love. Have something sensitive or difficult to talk about with your spouse? Try holding hands and maintaining direct eye contact when you are discussing a disagreement.

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.

Stewardship Reflection - 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time - July 8, 2018

"As the Lord spoke to me, the spirit entered me and set me on my feet, and I heard the one who was speaking say to me, 'Son of man, I am sending you..." Ezekiel 2:2-3
God asks each of us to do some special work for Him. He gives us the resources we need to do His work. However, do we listen to God when He calls? Do we get up on our feet and use our talent to do the work He asks of us? Remember, God doesn't call the equipped, he equips the called.

Community Event: "Les Familles de Saint-Claude Families"



An 800 page book in English & French about families in the St. Claude area from 1892-2016. Available November 2018. Send advance orders & prepayment of \$55.00 per book before August 15, 2018 to Box 131, St. Claude, MB R0G 1Z0. If you do not have an order form contact Liliane at glber@inetlink.ca 204-379-2587 or (cell) 204-745-0616

Thought of the Day:

Happy is the person who rejoices in the good that is done, whoever the author is, and who thus learns to give thanks. (*André Beauchamp*)



Jesus plays golf. He hits the ball. It goes up, lands in a tree, and goes down to the ground. There, a little rabbit takes it, and hops away. A fox catches the rabbit and takes him away. But in the sky a hawk sees the fox, dives and catches it. When the raptor has resumed altitude, the ball drops and lands in the hole.

Jesus then raises his head to heaven, and says: "Dad, let me play alone."

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People from here and elsewhere...

There is a popular saying: A prophet is not without honor save in his own country. Jesus experienced this difficult truth. Traveling through his place of origin (Nazareth and surroundings), Christ preached at the synagogue and healed people. Far from welcoming him, the people from his village began to taunt him. Who does he think he is? We know his father, mother and his relatives. And they took offense at him (Mk 6:3).



Our attitude towards exceptional people can be strange. It is as if their success somehow diminishes us. Probably, unconsciously, we also would like to experience fame, success, make money, or be a movie star, an artist or minister. Contemplating the good fortune of *one* of us, we may feel personally inadequate and become resentful and jealous.

We may have these feelings but how do we act toward new immigrants? They have arrived, adapted to our lifestyle, logged long hours, worked hard and have succeeded. Does that make us resentful and feel diminished? How is it that someone achieves such success and not be *from here*? We are struggling and endure difficult circumstances and we may feel that new people steal our jobs, win awards, and become stars!

In fact, we can become permanently dissatisfied with life in general. We can resent people from here though they come from here. We can also resent people who come from elsewhere because they come from elsewhere. It takes a lot of maturity to celebrate another's success. It seems to be even more difficult if the successful person brings new ideas and could be regarded as a prophet. Why is this? A prophet often upsets the status quo. A prophet may proclaim, denounce, and unmask. Even worse, this prophet sometimes speaks in the name of God, justice, and truth.

Each one of us should look in the mirror. Our anger against others is often the reaction to recognizing our own shortcomings. Happy are those who enjoy the good that happens in life, whether or not they initiated it. Happy are those who give thanks for someone else's good fortune. These are the wisest and best approaches to life.

André Beauchamp / Translated by Honore Kerwin Borrelli