

St. DENIS Parish

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Our mission statement: LOVE GOD - LOVE OTHERS - TRAIN DISCIPLES

Eucharistic Celebrations: St. Claude – Haywood - Pavilion

Sun. Sept.	. 7 th 5:00 pm . 8 th 9:00 am H . 8 th 11:00 am	 + Liturgy of the Word and Communion with Deacon Landry + Liturgy of the Word and Communion with Deacon Landry + Liturgy of the Word and Communion with Deacon Landry
Tue. Sept. Wed. Sept. Thu. Sept.	. 9 th private . 10 th private . 11 th private . 12 th private . 13 th private	 + All souls – Fr. Peter
Sat. Sept.	. 14 th 5:00 pm	 + Parishioners – Fr. Peter + Henri Gauthier – funeral offerings
Sun. Sept.	. 15 th 9:00 am H	0
Sun. Sept.	. 15 th 11:00 am	 + Parishioners – Fr. Peter + George Le Floch – funeral offerings

Ministries:	September 8 th	September 15 th	September 22 nd
Readers:	Simone Lambert	Annette Bernard	Judith Robidoux
Collection:	Michel & René	Eugene & Albert	Raymond & Gérald
Counters:	Raymond & prtnr.	Dorothée & prtnr.	Jean & prtnr.
Cross bearers :	Gérald Poirier	Eugene Bazin	Michel Dufault

<u>God's Share :</u> Sept. 1st - \$320.00 (15) + \$20.00 loose + \$30.00 (2-DD) = **\$370.00**

<u>Insurance :</u> Sept. 1st - **\$340.00** (3)

Kid's Bulletin – You will find copies of The Kid's Bulletin on the tables in the back of the church. Please take a copy home with you. There will be a bulletin every week featuring the Sunday's faith message. Fun for parents & grandparents as well!

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time B -September 8th, 2024

Prayer intention of Pope Francis for September 2024 - For the cry of the Earth

We pray that each one of us will hear and take to heart the cry of the Earth and of victims of natural disasters and climactic change, and that all will undertake to personally care for the world in which we live.

Let us pray: - For the conversion of Christians, especially those of our parishes. - For peace among all nations.

Parish Life:

Week of holidays – Father Pëter is taking a week of holidays from September 6 to 12. In case of emergency please call Father Carrière at 204-791-0369.

Back to School Prayer for Children



Dear Lord,

As our students begin a new school year, we pray that you will keep them in your care. Send your Spirit to open their minds to all that is true and beautiful and good Help them to see the gifts and talents you have given them and to use them well. Help them to grow in knowledge and wisdom. Help them to be kind to others and lead others to be kind to them.

Give their teachers patience and understanding and help them teach what is just and true. Send your angels to guide and guard our children and to keep them from all harm. Open their young hearts to your presence

and enfold them in your peace and protection.

Hold them in the palm of your hand and bring them home safely at day's end. Amen.



* World Suicide Prevention Day – September 10, 2024



1 in 20 Canadians are struggling with thoughts of suicide. "Start the conversation today. Every chat, no matter how small, builds a more supportive and understanding society. Together, we can make a difference and prioritize suicide prevention, ensuring everyone gets the help they need." (Canadian Association for Suicide Prevention). #WorldSuicidePreventionDay #StartTheConversation Sara Riel training courses on suicide prevention : https://sarariel.ca/courses/

* Breakthrough Course for Marriages in Distress



For couples who could use some help in their marriage... The "BreakThrough Course" is an online course developed by Catholic Marriage Leaders who run the SmartLoving Ministry in Sydney, Australia. The BreakThrough online course helps marriages under stress by working with individual spouses. This course will help to: *Identify conflict triggers *Learn strategies to de-escalate an argument

*Find constructive ways to re-establish connection Register for SmartLoving BreakThrough here:

https://smartloving.org/saintboniface

Cost for the program: \$18 US

**In the Archdiocese of Saint Boniface, we have trained 'BreakThrough' Companions. A Companion is a person who accompanies you as you progress through the material. Their role is to support you, encourage you, pray with you, and help you apply the frameworks into your life. If both spouses are doing BreakThrough, they do the online learning separately from each other and will meet individually with a Companion.

To be assigned a Breakthrough Companion, please contact the Office of Marriage, Family and Life at <u>mfl@archsaintboniface.ca</u> or 204-594-4732. There is no cost for this service. More resources and help for struggling couples are at:

https://www.archsaintboniface.ca/main.php?p=404#gsc.tab=0

* Marriage Tips

When things are really busy, take fifteen minutes for each other, even if it's only once a week. Make this time together a top priority.

Pray through Mary to Jesus. She will help you. "In the difficult moments of life, Christians can turn to the Mother of God and find protection and care," says Pope Francis.

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«The people begged him to lay his hand on him»



Today, the liturgy takes us contemplate the healing of a "deaf man who had a speech impediment" (Mk 7:32). As in other cases (the Bethsaida and Jerusalem blind men, etc.), the Lord surrounds the miracle with a series of outward motions. In such miracles, the Fathers of the Church see the overemphasized harmonic involvement of the Humanity of Christ. An involvement developed in a double way: one, the "abasement" and the closeness to us of the Verb incarnated (the touch of his fingers, the depth of his gaze, his sweet and intimate voice); on the other hand,

the attempt to awaken in the man the confidence, the faith and the conversion of his heart.

The cures of the sick Jesus carries through mean indeed much more than merely relieving the pain or recovering the health. They are meant to achieve that those He loves overcome their blindness, their deafness or their stagnant immobility of the spirit. And, ultimately, a true communion of faith and love.

At the same time, we can see how the grateful reaction of the recipients of this divine gift is to proclaim God's mercy: "the more he ordered them not to, the more they proclaimed it" (Mk 7:36). They bear witness of the divine gift, they deeply experience his mercy and are full of a deep and genuine gratitude.

For all of us it is also of crucial importance to know and feel that we are loved by God, the certitude we are the object of his infinite mercy. This is the driving force of generosity and love God is requesting from us. Many are the ways that will carry us to make this discovery. Sometimes, it will be the intense and sudden experience of the miracle and, quite often too, the gradual discovery that all our life is nothing but a miracle of love. In any case, it is necessary we first realize our own indigence, with a true humility and the capacity to listen reflexively to God's voice.

Évangeli.net - Fr. Fernando MIGUENS Dedyn(Buenos Aires, Argentina)