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St. DENIS Parish

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

Euch	aristic Ce	elebrations:	St. Claude – <u>Haywood</u> - <u>Pavilion</u>	
Sat.	Feb. 15 th	5:00 pm	 + Parishioners – Fr. John + Odette Bazin – Bazin family 	
Sun.	Feb. 16 th	9:00 am H	+ Parishioners – Fr. John + Marcel & Odile Marin – Eugene & Yvonne Bazin	
Sun.	Feb. 16 th	11:00 am	 + Parishioners – Fr. John + Firmin & Elodie Bérard – Norman & Paulette Bérard 	
Tue. Wed. Thu.		private private private	 + All souls – Fr. Peter + All souls – Fr. Peter 	
Sat.	Feb. 22 nd	5:00 pm	 + Parishioners – Fr. Peter + Georgette Théroux – funeral collection 	
Sun.	Feb. 23 rd	9:00 am H		
Sun.	Feb. 23 rd	11:00 am	 + Parishioners – Fr. Peter + Carol Rocan – Elaine Le Floch 	

<u>Ministries:</u>	February 16th	February 23rd	March 2 nd
Readers:	Simone Lambert	Annette Bernard	Judith Robidoux
Collection:	Eugene & Albert	Raymond & Gérald	Jean & Janice
Counters:	Eugene & prtnr.	Denise & prtnr.	Michellle & prtnr.
Cross bearers:	Gérald Poirier	Eugene Bazin	Michel Duàfault

<u>God's Share:</u> Feb. 9th - \$435.00 (16) + \$0.00 loose + \$30.00 (2-DD) = **\$465.00**

<u>*Missions in Canada:*</u> Feb. 9th - **\$10.00** (1)

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6th Sunday in Ordinary Time C - February 16, 2025

Pope Francis' prayer intention for February 2025 - For vocations to the priesthood and religious life

Let us pray that the ecclesial community might welcome the desires and doubts of those young people who feel a call to serve Christ's mission in the priesthood and religious life. Let us pray: - For the conversion of Christians, especially those of our parishes. - For peace among all nations.

PARISH LIFE:

+ We recommend to your prayers *Carol Rocan* who passed away in BC on Friday, January 24 at the age of 67 years. Our condolences to her sister Odile Chappellaz, her family, relatives and friends who are grieving.

+ We recommend to your prayers *Sister Cécile Aimé* who passed away on Monday, February 10 at the Portage Hospital. No funeral details available. Our condolences to the Community of the Daughters of the Cross, her family, relatives and friends who are grieving.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND:

In your charity, please notify Father Peter (204-952-4531) of anyone you know who is sick or has been hospitalized, or if a member of your family wishes to receive the Sacrament of the Sick.

Request Prayers for Someone Who is Sick: We invite you to send us the names of those are ill so that our community of faith can pray for all the sick and suffering members of God's family. Parish email: <u>stclaudeparish@gmail.com</u>

This month, we keep in our prayers... **Raymond Lambert** (Son of Alphonse & Rita)... *May God grant him healing and comfort.*

CONFESSIONS:

Father Peter is available for confessions during the Holy Hour on Thursday morning in St. Claude and Friday morning in St. Denis, Haywood from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. & before and after every mass.

Know that hearing confessions is his pastoral priority, please do not hesitate to call him at 204-952-4531 for an appointment to reconcile with God and receive His forgiveness and spiritual healing, especially during this Jubilee Year 2025.

Rejoice and leap for joy; for surely your reward is great in Heaven.

Signs of Hope: The Desire for Peace and Justice



"We are called to be signs of hope in a world thirsting for peace and justice."

Let us be active witnesses to the Gospel, bringing healing to the broken, comfort to the suffering, and justice to the oppressed. As followers of Christ, we are called to be instruments of His peace. **Reflection Question:** How can you be a sign of hope to those in need of justice or peace? What are two concrete ways you will bring hope to your family or friends, at work or in the community?

Scripture: "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God." (Matthew 5:9)

* CCRS OF MB – "Jubilee with The Apostles & Evangelists" Pilgrimage – October 19 to 30, 2025



Join us on an incredible pilgrimage to Italy from **October 19th to the 30th, 2025**: We will visit many of the most beautiful cathedrals of the world! A wonderful opportunity to visit the remains of many apostles and evangelists and walk thru the "Holy Doors" of the four major Basilicas of Rome during the Jubilee Year. All details are on the attached flyer. Limited Space. For more information: 204-895-7544 or

Email ccrs@catholicrenewalservices.com

* Casting Call for Volunteer Actors, Crew and Musicians



Manitoba Passion Play is celebrating 25 Years of presenting the Life of Christ in Manitoba in a beautiful Outdoor setting. We are a non-profit organization that is completely run by volunteers from all across Southern Manitoba. We are casting for new volunteers. If you would like to be part of this project. It takes place in La Riviere, Manitoba. Auditions will be in Winnipeg and in Southern Manitoba.

If you are interested please email us at audition@passionplay.ca

Website: www.passionplay.ca

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"Rejoice and leap for joy on that day!"



Today we relive the beatitudes and the misfortunes: "Blessed are you...," if now you suffer in my name; "Woe to you...," if you laugh now. Fidelity to Christ and to his Gospel makes us rejected, mocked in the media, hated, as Christ was hated and hung on the cross. Some think that this is due to the lack of faith of some, but perhaps – if you look closely – it is due to a lack of reason. The world does not want to think or be free; it lives immersed in the desire for wealth, for consumption, for libertarian indoctrination that is filled with vain, empty words where the value of the person

is obscured and the teaching of Christ and the Church is mocked, since – today – it is the only thought that truly goes against the current. In spite of everything, the Lord Jesus gives us courage: "Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude and insult you, and denounce your name as evil on account of the Son of Man. (...) your reward will be great in heaven" (Lk 6:22,23).

Saint John Paul II, in the encyclical Fides et Ratio, said: "It is faith which stirs reason to move beyond all isolation and willingly to run risks so that it may attain whatever is beautiful, good and true." The Christian experience in its saints shows us the truth of the Gospel and of these words of the Holy Father. In the face of a world that takes pleasure in vice and selfishness as a source of happiness, Jesus shows us another way: the happiness of the Kingdom of God, which the world cannot understand, and

which it hates and rejects. The Christian, in the midst of the temptations offered by the "easy life," knows that the way is that of the love that Christ showed us on the cross, the way of fidelity to the Father. We know that in the midst of difficulties we cannot become discouraged. If we truly seek the Lord, let us rejoice and leap for joy (cf. Lk 6:23).

Fr. Enric RIBAS i Baciana(Barcelona, Spain)

