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# St. DENIS Parish

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

**Eucharistic Celebrations:** St. Claude – Haywood - Pavilion

Sat. Sept. 21st 5:00 pm

+ Parishioners - Fr. Peter

+ Patricia Genest - Genest family

Sun. Sept. 22<sup>nd</sup> 9:00 am H + Parishioners - Fr. Peter

+ Deceased members Rouire family - Maurice Rouire & family

Sun. Sept. 22<sup>nd</sup> 11:00 am

+ Parishioners - Fr. Peter

+ Louis Sibilleau - Rolande Sibilleau & family

Mon. Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup> private Tue. Sept. 24th 9:00 am

+ All souls - Fr. Peter + George Le Floch - funeral offerings

Wed. Sept. 25<sup>th</sup> 2:30 pm P + Bruneau family - Irène & Patrick Bellec

Thu. Sept. 26<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am Mass 10:00 am

+ Eucharistic adoration & confessions

Sept. 27<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am H

+ Cécile Philippot - funeral offerings

Mass 10:00 am + Eucharistic adoration & confessions

Sat. Sept. 28<sup>th</sup> 5:00 pm

+ Marie-Rose Antoine - Helen Poirier

+ Henri Gauthier - funeral offerings

Sun. Sept. 29<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am H + Parishioners - Fr. Peter

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+ Eliza Fifi - Pierre & Angela Cormier

Sun. Sept. 29th 11:00 am

+ Parishioners - Fr. Peter

+ George Le Floch - funeral offerings

September 22<sup>nd</sup> September 29<sup>th</sup> October 6th Ministries: Readers: Judith Robidoux Simone Lambert Annette Bernard Collection: Raymond & Gérald Jean & Janice Marcel & Dorothée Counters: Jean & prtnr. Maurice & prtnr. Eugene & prtnr. Albert Furet Cross bearers: Michel Dufault Raymond Massinon

God's Share: Sept.  $15^{th}$  - \$305.00 (15) + \$0.00 loose + \$30.00 (2-DD) = \$335.00

Insurance: Sept. 15<sup>th</sup> - \$300.00 (1); YTD - **\$640.00** (4)

## 25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time B -September 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2024

### Pope Francis' prayer intention 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:

The Parish Pastoral Council of Saint-Claude and Saint-Denis is asking for new members. We need new energies / ideas! Consider a time of prayer to discern offering your time and talents to serve your parish. Father Peter is available by appointment for consultation if you need. Our council meets once a month except during July and August.

The Parish Pastoral Council or PPC consists of parishioners who represent the whole parish. The PPC is not involved in the finances or the administration of the parish. The role of its members is to assist the pastor to better carry out his responsibilities for the life and mission of the parish. They are also called to encourage the whole parish community to participate more fully in the established pastoral mission. Our mission is: Love God, Love others. Train disciples

\* Columbarium – We are contemplating installing a columbarium in our cemetery in Haywood and we want to get the public's opinion on this project. Lots of local people already have plots reserved near family but outsiders who were originally from Haywood and wish to return for their final resting place would certainly be interested. What is your opinion? Discuss your ideas with your church trustees.

### \* Development and Peace - For Better and For Earth -A conversation on the climate crisis with Nnimmo Bassey

Development and Peace - Caritas Canada is pleased to welcome Nnimmo Bassey, Executive Director of HOMEF (Health of Mother Earth Foundation) from Nigeria to Winnipeg for the Development and Peace Solidarity Visit to Canada. Featured in this year's Reaping our Rights campaign, Nnimmo will be sharing about the environmental and social impacts of climate change on the Niger Delta. Author, poet and recipient of the Wallenberg Medal, Nimmo Bassey provides a perspective of hope and call to meaningful action at all levels, to restore human and environmental dignity for today, and for future generations to come.

All are invited to this engaging evening of encounter and learning at St. Ignatius Parish Hall (255 Stafford Street) on Tuesday, October 1st from 6:30-8:30pm. Following Nimmo's presentation, a Q+A period will take place. Light refreshments will also be served and is open to the public free of charge. To register, CLICK HERE.

For more details or questions, please contact Jason Cegayle, Regional Animator for Development and Peace – Manitoba and Thunder Bay at jcegayle@devp.org or by phone at (204) 231-2848.

## \* CNEWA Canada urges national response of \$600,000 for Ukraine War



Ukrainians face worsening odds as conflict intensifies

Ottawa, September 16, 2024 – CNEWA Canada is launching a campaign to raise \$600,000 to supply ten hospitals in Ukraine with medical equipment, hygiene products and transportation. This appeal follows the tragic news in July of a cruise missile striking one of the largest children's hospitals in Europe, hitting a toxicology department where

children undergo dialysis.

To read the complete Press release, *click here*. To contribute to CNEWA's efforts to support hospitals in Ukraine, *click here*.

### \* Life Chain – Campaign Life Coalition- Sunday, October 6, 2024.



You are invited to be a part of an important prolife witness on Sunday, October 6, 2024, from 2-3 pm at 677 Notre Dame Ave. At this location and hundreds of others across North America, we will form a "Life Chain," bearing signs with messages like "Adoption: a loving option" and there we will pray silently for the hour. Everyone is welcome to peacefully, publicly, and safely call upon our community to protect human life.

Be a voice for the voiceless! Come to defend those who are incapable of defending themselves. Let's advocate for the innocent; as Christ Himself reminds us, "Whatever you do to the least of these, you do to me" (Mt 25:40). Visit Campaign Life Coalition's website at <a href="https://www.campaignlifecoalition.com/life-chain">https://www.campaignlifecoalition.com/life-chain</a> for more information. For poster, <a href="click here">click here</a>.

May I never boast of anything except the Cross of the Lord, by which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world.

Galatians 6, 14

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"The Son of Man is to be handed over to men and they will kill him, and three days after his death the Son of Man will rise."



Today, the Gospel explains when Jesus was walking with his disciples, skirting towns, through a great plain. Nothing better to get to know each other than walking and traveling in company. Thus, a feeling of trust is easily built, and trust brings confidence. And confidence transmits love. And love dazzles and surprises us when we discover the mystery hiding in the most intimate part of the human heart. With emotion, the Master

speaks to his disciples about the mystery that gnaws at his heart. Sometimes, it is illusion; at times, when thinking it over, He is afraid; most of the time He knows they will not understand him. But they are his friends, He must transmit to them whatever He has received from the Father, and, so far, He has done so. They do not understand him, but when He speaks to them, which means love, they tune in with his emotion, evidence that, even if they are so insignificant, they rely on Him to succeed in his project. He will be delivered into human hands; He will be killed and three days after He will rise (cf. Mk 9:31)

Death and resurrection. These will be enigmatic concepts for some, unacceptable axioms, for others. He has come to reveal them, to proclaim that the joyous consummation for mankind has already come, although to make it come true, He, the friend the elder brother, the Son of the Father, will have to endure the cruelest suffering. But, what a sad paradox that, while He lives this intimate tragedy, his disciples are debating who will climb on top of the champions' podium when they reach the end of their race towards the Kingdom. But, would we behave in a different way? He who is free from personal ambition is to throw the first stone.

Jesus proclaims new values. To win is not the important thing, but to serve; He will fully prove it at the culminant point of his evangelization by washing his disciples' feet. Man's greatness lies not in the sage wisdom, but in the innocent naivety of the child. "Even though you would know the whole Bible and all the sentences of every philosopher by heart, what would be its value without the charity and the grace of God?" (Thomas de Kempis). By saluting the sage we satisfy our vanity; by embracing the child we embrace God and we become spiritually infused by Him, by becoming more godlike.

Évangeli.net - Fr. Pedro-José YNARAJA i Díaz (El Montanyà, Barcelona, Spain)