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

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time C - October 5, 2025

"For God did not give us a spirit of cowardice but rather of power and love and self-control." 2 TIMOTHY 1:7

Many of us compartmentalize our Faith, we bring it out only when we attend Mass or when we attend a parish event. Being a good steward requires discipline and striving to put God first in everything - all the time. The next time you are at a neighborhood party or at work or out shopping, would your words and actions signal to others that you are a good and faithful servant of our Lord?



Pope's prayer intention for October 2025 - For collaboration between different religious traditions
Let us pray that believers in different religious traditions might work together to defend and promote peace, justice and human fraternity.

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

- For peace among all nations.

Eucharistic Celebrations: St. Claude - Haywood

Sat. Oct. 4th 5:00 pm + Parishioners - Fr. John Te Nguyen

+ Pierre Cormier - Lynne Vaillant

Sun. Oct. 5th 9:00 am H + Parishioners - Fr. John Te Nguyen

+ Matt Tkachyk - Eugene & Yvonne Bazin

Sun. Oct. 5th 11:00 am + Parishioners - Fr. John Te Nguyen

+ Roger Burgoyne - Renée-Marie Godard

Sat. Oct. 11th 5:00 pm + Parishioners - Fr. John Te Nguyen

+ Deceased members Le Heiget / Bellec families - Irène & Patrick Bellec

Sun. Oct. 12th 9:00 am H + Parishioners - Fr. John Te Nguyen

+ Thanksgiving - Eugene & Yvonne Bazin

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+ Georges Le Floch - Elaine Le Floch

Ministries: October 5th October 12th October 19th Readers: Judith Robidoux Simone Lambert Annette Bernard Collection: Marcel & Dorothée Annette & Denise Michel & René Counters: Maurice & prtnr. Eugene & prtnr. Denise & prtnr. Michel Dufault Raymond Massinon Albert Furet Cross bearers:

God's Share: Sept. 28th - \$400.00 (14) + \$0.00 loose + \$130.00 (3-DD) = **530.00**

<u>Church of Canada</u>: Sept. 28th - \$110.00 (5)

- + News from Father Peter He has arrived in Rome but not without incident. His flight was cancelled so he had to stay an extra day in Toronto. He then took a flight via Zurich, Switzerland and finally arrived in Rome but his luggage did not. He is waiting for its arrival. He had the grace of concelebrating Sunday mass with Pope Leo and millions of priests coming from throughout the world. He is enthusiastic and ready to begin his new chapter. He sends us his blessings and asks for our prayers.
- + Meeting of the Knights of Columbus Wednesday, September 8 at 8:00 pm.
- * Guiding Our Children in Truth and Love October 24, 2025



As parents, one of the most important roles we have is guiding our children in understanding the beauty of their bodies, sexuality, and identity in light of God's truth. Yet, these conversations can often feel overwhelming, especially in today's culture. How do we begin? When is the right time? How can we ensure that what we share reflects both our faith and the love we hold for our children? The Archdiocese of Saint Boniface is hosting an event at Mary Mother of the Church designed to support parents of both young children and teens, offering wisdom, tools, and encouragement for the journey. Dr. Julia Sadusky, a Catholic clinical psychologist, author, and speaker, will be sharing her insights on how to begin age appropriate conversations with children about sex, the body, and

identity. Rooted in Catholic teaching and compassion, this evening will leave you better equipped to foster conversations filled with both truth and love -helping your family grow together in faith and understanding. Join us on October 24th 2025 7:00pm @ Mary Mother of the Church Parish Hall.

Registration required. Please scan the QR code.

This event will be in English only. Please call Grace Dumont at 204-594-0275 if you have any questions.



+ Fall campaign October 5, 2025

Dear Parishioners,

We hope that all have had a pleasant summer and that the harvests are bountiful. We take this opportunity to thank you all for supporting your parish through your donations. The Sunday donations to the end of August were almost even with last year.

The insurance invoice for the year is in excess of \$6000.00 and covers October 1st to September 30th so is due shortly. Our Spring Bazaar raised \$2015.17, the September 5th blue envelopes yielded \$2170.00 to date, leaving us well short of our goal.

We welcome any help our parishioners can give to meet this expense. Your donations are non-taxable to the diocese, which means that all the money received stays in the parish and a tax receipt is issued at the end of the year.

Donations should be made payable to "St. Denis Parish" and mark on your envelope "Insurance Donation" and write your envelope number on the envelope or use the blue envelope provided at the beginning of September. Please include your name and address if you do not have an envelope number. Deposit your donation in the Sunday collection basket between now and the end of the year or hand it in to one of the trustees.

Please **don't** wait until the last day of the year. You risk missing the deadline for the year.

Peace and blessings in Christ,

The Trustees of St. Denis

Raymond Massinon, Gérald Poirier, Jean Souque, Yvonne Cantin, Michelle Le Heiget & André Lambert

* Missionary Month 2025 - Available Resources



Missionary Month begins on October 1st, the feast day of Saint Thérèse of Lisieux, patroness of missions. All the faithful are invited to celebrate and give thanks for the missionary Church throughout the world. Faith Mission therefore calls on the generosity of Canadians to bring hope to people and missionaries in the field by supporting the various projects underway around the world, through material aid and prayer.

World Mission Day (WMD), the culmination of Missionary Month, will be celebrated on October 19th. The theme chosen by Pope Francis for this 99th edition is: "Missionaries of Hope among the Peoples," echoing the theme of the Church's Jubilee Year: "Pilgrims of Hope."

"Missionary Month is an invitation to become bearers of hope in a world sometimes marked by indifference and division," emphasizes Father Yoland Ouellet, O.M.I., National Director of the Pontifical Mission Societies in French-

speaking Canada. "This hope is expressed through a living faith, but also through concrete acts of solidarity."

Thanks to the generosity of Canadians, some \$545,000 was distributed by Mission Faith (Pontifical Society for the Propagation of the Faith) in 2024 to support various projects in Burundi, Morocco, and the Democratic Republic of Congo, as well as to support the Domus Missionnalis Foundation, whose mission is to accompany seminarians, priests, and religious men and women coming to Rome from mission dioceses to further their higher education. Mission Foi also provides local parishes, groups, and movements with various resources accessible on its website missionfoi.ca to animate and nourish the life of French-speaking Catholic communities across the country throughout Missionary Month.