

St. DENIS Parish

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

Eucharistic Celebrations:		<u>St. Claude – Haywood</u> - <u>Pavilion</u>	
Sat. May 3	<sup>rd</sup> 5:00 pm	+ Parishioners – Fr. John + Denis Poirier – Linda, Stefan & Eric	Poirier
Sun. May 4	<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am H		
Sun. May 4	<sup>th</sup> 11:00 am	<ul> <li>+ Parishioners – Fr. John</li> <li>+ Cécile Bazin – Léa Bazin</li> </ul>	
Mon. May 5	<sup>th</sup> 1:00 pm H 7:00 pm	+ Funeral for Lyla Thevenot in St. De + Retreat for confirmands	enis church
Tue. May 6	<sup>th</sup> private	+ All souls – Fr. Peter	
Wed. May 7	<sup>th</sup> 2:30 pm P	+ May Vuignier - Renée-Marie Godar	d
Thu. May 8	<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am	+ Eucharistic adoration & confessio	ns
Mass	10:00 am	+ Florence & Gérard Mangin – Antoir	ne & Céline Hutlet
Fri. May 9	<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am H		
Mass		+ Mark Watson - Damon & Janita Côt	é
Sat. May 10	0 <sup>th</sup> 5:00 pm	+ Parishioners – Fr. Peter + Georgette Bosc – Irène Deleurme	
Sun. May 11	<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am H	+ Parishioners – Fr. Peter + Odile & Marcel Marin – Eugene & Y	vonne Bazin
Sun. May 11	<sup>th</sup> 11:00 am	+ Parishioners – Fr. Peter	
		+ Deceased children – their parents	
Ministries:	May 4 <sup>th</sup>	May 11 <sup>th</sup>	May 18 <sup>th</sup>
Readers:	Annette Br		Simone Lan

May 4 <sup>th</sup>	May 11 <sup>m</sup>	<u>May 18"</u>
Annette Bernard	Judith Robidoux	Simone Lambert
Michel & René	Eugene & Albert	Raymond & Gérald
Dorothée & prtnr.	Jean & Guy	Maurice & prtnr.
Eugene Bazin	Michel Dufault	Raymond Massinon
	Annette Bernard Michel & René Dorothée & prtnr.	Annette BernardJudith RobidouxMichel & RenéEugene & AlbertDorothée & prtnr.Jean & Guy

<u>God's Share:</u> April 27<sup>th</sup> - \$480.00 (17) + \$10.00 loose + \$130.00 (3-DD) = **\$620.00** 

# $3^{rd}$ Sunday of Easter C - May $4^{th}$ , 2025

### Pope's prayer intention for May 2025 - For working conditions

Let us pray that through work, each person might find fulfillment, families might be sustained in dignity, and society might be humanized.

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** *Lyla Thevenot* who passed away Monday, April 28 at the age of 92 years. Funeral services will be held on Monday May 5<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 pm, mass at 1:30 pm, in St. Denis church with internment in the parish cemetery. Our condolences to family, relatives and friends who are grieving.

**+ Manitoba State Knights of Columbus Convention –** May 2<sup>nd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup>. In case of emergency, please contact Father John Te at 431-588-2644.

+ Holy Water – you are welcome to bring your containers and take some Holy Water home to bless your family, your home, your car, etc. Great protection against the forces of evil.

- Retreat for confirmands on Monday May 5 at 7 PM
- Holy Rosary at St. Claude Grotto on Tuesday, May 6 at 7 PM
- First Holy Communion Catechism Class on Wednesday May 7 at 7 PM

#### + May- Marian month

The Church's tradition dedicates the month of May to the Blessed Virgin Mary. During this time, Catholics try to keep the Mother of God more present in their hearts, with a love shown in affectionate devotion to our Lady.

We are encouraged to pray the Rosary daily in May for peace in the world, for the sick, and for the conversion of all Christians!

During May, we will gather to pray the holy Rosary at St. Claude Grotto **Tuesday and Friday** evenings at 7PM. Please bring your lawn chair and pray with us! The first communal holy Rosary will be taken place on Tuesday, May 6 at 7 PM at the grotto.

Holy Rosary before Mass:

+ St. Claude: 4:30 PM Saturdays before 5 PM Mass 10:30 AM Sundays before 11 AM Mass + St. Denis- Haywood: 8:30 AM Sundays before 9AM Mass

"Mary gladly salutes us with grace, if we joyfully salute her with the Hail Mary." – Saint Bonaventure.

## Pope Francis - December 17, 1936 - April 21, 2025

It is with profound sadness that the Archdiocese of Saint Boniface learned of the passing of Pope Francis on the morning of April 21<sup>st</sup>.

"Pope Francis was and continues to be a source of inspiration for Catholics, notes Archbishop Albert LeGatt. He significantly impacted the life of the Church and the life of the world. He will be profoundly missed. His teachings and personal example will surely live on.

"For all in the world, he was a tireless defender of the poor, the downtrodden, victims of war, migrants, survivors of clergy abuse and the marginalized. He continually called for peace and solidarity, as well as a proper stewardship of the environment.



"His heartfelt apology in 2022 to the Indigenous of Canada and his recognition of the Church's role in the repression of their language, culture and spirituality that occurred in residential schools was an important milestone in the continuing journey of reconciliation with First Nations, Inuit and Métis people across the country, and in our own archdiocese.

"For the Church, Pope Francis brought profound changes through his advancement of synodality, of listening to all as a way to foster a greater participation by all in the Church's life. He brought special attention to young people, families and those distant from the Church. He continued the transformation of the Church's administration and its financial transparency.

"We ask all the faithful to keep the Holy Father in their prayers."

We ask that Pope Francis be welcomed into your presence, O Lord, accompanied by the Blessed Virgin Mary, St. Joseph, St. Francis of Assisi, and all the saints, and that you would bring comfort to us, *Pilgrims of Hope, who mourn.* 

For a prayer card for the repose of Pope Francis, click here.





12 18 48 66 14 240 51 75

23 37 60 79

Noon to

3:30 pm

serving hot dogs, sandwiches, homemade

soup, pie

**Silent Auction** 

Raffle Tickets with prizes of

\$200, \$100 and \$50

## Haywood Spring Bazaar Sunday, May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2025.

Come share a meal of homemade soup and sandwiches and enjoy an afternoon of fellowship and games and maybe win a prize.

> Please return all your raffle tickets. Thank you.

# 3rd Sunday of Easter C- May 4th, 2025

### "Jesus said to them, 'Come, have breakfast.""



Today, on the third Sunday of Easter, we are still contemplating the appearances of the Risen One, this year according to the Evangelist John, in the impressive twenty-first chapter, all of it imbued with sacramental references, very much alive for the Christian community of the first generation, that which received the evangelical testimony from the Apostles themselves.

After the Easter events, they seem to return to their usual occupation, as if they had forgotten that the Master had made them "fishers of men." An error that the Evangelist recognizes, noting that — despite their efforts — "they caught nothing" (Jn

21:3). It was the night of the disciples. However, at dawn, the known presence of the Lord turns the whole scene upside down. Simon Peter, who had previously taken the initiative in the unsuccessful fishing, now pulls in the full net: one hundred and fifty-three fish is the result, a number that is the sum of the numerical values of Simon (76) and ichthys (=fish, 77). Significant!

Thus, when under the gaze of the glorified Lord and with his authority, the Apostles, with the primacy of Peter —manifested in the triple profession of love for the Lord— exercise their evangelizing mission, the miracle occurs: "they catch men." Fish, once caught, die when they

are taken from their environment. Likewise, human beings also die if no one rescues them from darkness and suffocation, from an existence far from God and shrouded in absurdity, leading them to the light, the air and the warmth of the life of Christ, which he himself nourishes from the shore of his glory, a splendid figure of the sacramental life of the Church and, primarily, of the Eucharist. In it the Lord personally gives the bread and, with it, gives himself, as indicated by the presence of the fish, which for the first Christian community was a symbol of Christ and, therefore, of the Christian.

Fr. Jaume GONZÁLEZ Padrós (Barcelona, Spain)

