



Paroisse St. DENIS Parish

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

3rd Sunday of Lent - March 8, 2026

“Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again.” JOHN 4:13

Jesus reminds us that material things, even something as basic as water, can never satisfy us over the long run. When we build our lives around material possessions we will always want more, and no amount will ever satisfy our desire. True joy and peace only come when we follow Jesus - when we become more “God-centered” and less “self-centered.”

God calls all of us to leave behind our old ways and to follow Him, placing our complete trust in Him. Some of the old ways that we struggle to leave behind might be materialism, selfishness and greed. Yet, God promises to show us a new land and a better way to live. Remember what St. Teresa of Calcutta said, “God does not call us to be successful, God calls us to be faithful.”



Pope’s prayer intention for March 2026 –

For disarmament and peace

Let us pray that nations move toward effective disarmament, particularly nuclear disarmament, and that world leaders choose the path of dialogue and diplomacy instead of violence.

Let us pray: - For the conversion of Christians, especially those of our parishes & for peace in our world.

+ Daylight Saving Time – Don’t forget to turn your clocks forward 1 hour on Sunday, March 8.

+ We recommend to your prayers Roland Dequier who passed away on Tuesday, March 3 at the age of 85 years. A Celebration of his Life will take place in St. Denis Catholic Church, Monday, March 9 at 1:30 pm. with Father Armand Le Gal officiating. Our condolences to his wife Yvonne, his family, relatives and friends who are grieving.

+ Knights of Columbus meeting – Wednesday, March 11 at 8:00 pm.

+ Way of the Cross – during Lent, we will have the Way of the Cross every Friday after mass in St. Claude around 9:45 am.

Eucharistic Celebrations: St. Claude – Haywood - Pavilion

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| Sat. Mar. 7 th | 5:00 pm | + René Philippot – Marcel & Lynne Lesage |
| Sun. Mar. 8 th | 9:00 am H | + Phanxica (Fr. Peter’s Grandmother) – Cécile & Albert Furet |
| | 11:00 am | + Thanksgiving – Lucien & Lorraine Collet |
| Tue. Mar. 10 th | 9:00 am | + Special intention – Donna & George Le Heiget |
| Wed. Mar. 11 th | 2:30 pm P | + Joseph Sorin – funeral offerings |
| Thu. Mar. 12 th | 9:00 am H | + Michel Picton – funeral offerings |
| Fri. Mar. 13 th | 9:00 am | + Reynald Gauthier – funeral offerings |
| | 9:45 am | + Way of the Cross |
| Sat. Mar. 14 th | 5:00 pm | + Élise Gautron – funeral offerings |
| Sun. Mar. 15 th | 9:00 am H | + Roland Dequier – Simone & André Lambert |
| | 11:00 am | + René Philippot – Lorraine Philippot & family |

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| <u>Ministries:</u> | <u>March 8th</u> | <u>March 15th</u> | <u>March 22nd</u> |
| Readers: | Simone Lambert | Annette Bernard | Judith Robidoux |
| Collection: | Marcel & Dorothée | Denise & Annette | Michel & René |
| Counters: | Michelle & prtnr. | Raymond & prtnr. | Dorothée & prtnr. |
| Cross bearers: | Gérald Poirier | Eugene Bazin | Michel Dufault |

God's Share : Mar. 1st - \$345.00 (16) + \$0.00 loose + \$130.00 (3-DD) = **\$475.00**

+ **Haywood Spring Bazaar – April 19, 2026 – Save the Date.** Raffle tickets are presently on sale – see the ladies after mass or call Janice, Dorothée or Annette.

LENTEN CONFESSIONS IN MOUNTAIN DEANERY

March 13 at 7:30 pm – Saint John Berchmans, Holland

Confessors: *Fr. John Te, Fr. Marcel Carrière, Fr. Jean-Marcel Kabongo, Fr. Joseph*

March 17 at 7:00 pm – Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Carman

Confessors: *Fr. John Te, Fr. Mario Veloso*

March 18 at 6:30 pm – Our Lady of the Nativity, Somerset

8:30 pm - Saint Léon Confessors: *Fr. Marcel Carrière, Fr. Francis Adzakor*

March 20 at 6:00 pm – Saint Martin of Tours, Swan Lake

Confessors: *Fr. Joseph Tran, Fr. Marcel Carrière, Fr. Jean-Marcel Kabongo, Fr. John Te*

March 23 at 7:00 pm – Saint John the Evangelist, Morden

Confessors: *Fr. Mario Veloso, Fr. Ramon Oncog, Fr. Jojo*

March 24 at 7:00 pm – Saint Patrick, Manitou

Confessors: *Fr. Marcel Carrière, Fr. Ramon Oncog, Fr. Francis Adzakor, Fr. Joseph Tran, Fr. Jean-Marcel Kabongo*

March 25 at 7:00 pm – Notre-Dame-de-Lourdes

Confessors: *Fr. Marcel Carrière, Fr. Francis Adzakor*

March 26 at 6:30 pm – Saint Denis, Haywood

8:00 pm – Saint Claude Confessors: *Fr. Francis Adzakor, Fr. John Te*

* To “Encounter Christ” Retreat – May 16 to 18, 2026



TEC (To Encounter Christ) is a unique and powerful retreat in St. Malo, coming up this Victoria Day long weekend (May 16-18). If you are 16 or older and have been looking for an opportunity to dive a little deeper into your faith, consider coming. We'll guide you through the passion, death, and resurrection of Christ, lived in a community experience. You'll have the opportunity to make new friends, to immerse and refresh yourself in the sacraments, and - most importantly - to open your heart to Jesus in a new and beautiful way. Learn more and apply today at www.gbtec.ca.

* Saint Malo Catholic Summer Camp – Early Bird Pricing!



Going to Saint Malo Catholic Camp is the perfect way for you to experience new activities, grow in character, build lasting friendships, and most importantly, have fun!

EARLY BIRD PRICING ENDS MAY 15TH!

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Can there be a more fitting pursuit in youth or a more valuable possession in old age than a knowledge of sacred scripture? In the midst of storms it will preserve you from the dangers of shipwreck and guide you to the shore of an enchanting paradise and the everlasting bliss of the angels. - St. Boniface