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

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Times A - August 30, 2026

"Do not conform yourselves to this age but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and pleasing and perfect." Romans 12:2

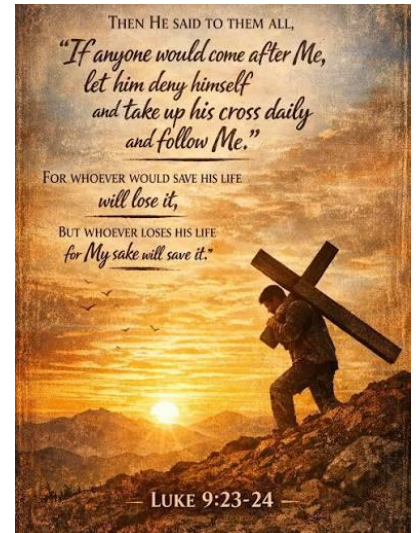
The bishops in their pastoral letter on stewardship warn us about conforming to the destructive "isms" at work in our culture -- materialism, individualism, and consumerism. Stewardship calls us to generously share what we have with others. Stewardship focuses on our dependence on God. This focus goes against our culture's focus on independence and individualism.

Pope's prayer intention for September 2026 –

For the care of water

Let us pray for a just and sustainable management of water, a vital resource, so that everyone may have equal access to it.

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



+ Notice – Friday, Sept. 4th, 1st Friday of the month – Eucharistic Adoration after mass at 9:45 am.
Saturday, Sept. 5th, 1st Saturday of the month – mass at 9:00 am.

Eucharistic Celebrations: St. Claude – Haywood - Pavilion

Sat. Aug. 29th	7:00 pm	+ Laurette Philpott – Guy & Germaine deRocquigny
Sun. Aug. 30th	9:00 am H	+ Shirley Bazin – Eugene & Yvonne Bazin
	11:00 am	+ René Philpott – Norman & Paulette Bérard
Tue. Sept. 1st	9:00 am	+ Georgette Thérroux – funeral offerings
Wed. Sept. 2nd	2:30 pm P	+ Jean Oliviero – Irène Oliviero
Thu. Sept. 3rd	9:00 am H	+ Thérèse Debusschere – funeral offerings
Fri. Sept. 4th	9:00 am	+ Sr. Cécile Aimé – Aimé family
	9:45 am	+ Eucharistic Adoration
Sat. Sept. 5th	9:00 am	+ Suzanne Jamault – Nicole Jamault-Dion
	7:00 pm	+ Agnès Lacroix – her family
Sun. Sept. 6th	9:00 am H	+ Antoine & Victorine Dequier – Yvonne Dequier
	11:00 am	+ Mgr. Roger Bazin – Lucien & Lorraine Collet

Ministries:

Readers: Michelle Le Heiget
Collection: Judith & Yvonne B.
Counters: Michelle & prtnr.
Cross bearers: Raymond Massinon

August 30th

Michelle Le Heiget
Judith & Yvonne B.
Michelle & prtnr.
Raymond Massinon

September 6th

Annette Bernard
Annette & Michelle
Gérald & prtnr.
Albert Furet

September 13th

Judith Robidoux
Eugene & Albert
Jean & prtnr.
Gérald Poirier

God's Share: Aug. 23rd - \$445.00 (13) + \$20.00 loose + \$30.00 (2-DD) = **\$495.00**

*** Marriage Tips** – Jesus often reminds his disciples not to be afraid: “Take heart, it is I; do not be afraid.” (Mt 14: 27) We are human, however, and we still have fears. What are you afraid of? Share your fears with your spouse and encourage each other.

* Couple to Couple League – Natural Family Planning



Many couples have heard about Natural Family Planning but aren't sure where to begin. They may have questions about the different methods, how NFP works, or how fertility awareness can fit into their marriage and family life.

[Natural Plan](#) is an affordable, self-paced online video course designed to give couples a simple introduction to Natural Family Planning and help them decide what next step is right for them.

The course introduces couples to:

- The basics of Natural Family Planning and fertility awareness
- How a woman's cycle and fertility signs work
- The different types of natural fertility methods
- How NFP can support communication and shared responsibility in marriage

- Options for continuing with a complete NFP method course

Because Natural Plan is completely online and self-paced, couples can begin whenever they are ready and learn together from the comfort of home.

* Gathering for all Newlyweds and Couples in Early Years of Marriage!



Newlyweds and
Couples in Early Years of Marriage:
On Saturday, September 19th
1:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Come and SEE

Meet other newly-married couples, take part in a special time of enrichment as a couple, and discover a number of Catholic Ministries that are dedicated to supporting marriages.



Come and SEE

Discover some of the Catholic Ministries dedicated to Marriage and the Family:

- CANA**
CANA provides a safe space for couples to explore the sacrament of Holy Matrimony. Through a series of workshops, couples learn about the meaning of their vows and the journey of their marriage. CANA is a free program for all couples, regardless of their faith background. It is a place where couples can learn, grow, and strengthen their relationship. For more information, visit www.cana.ca.
- Couples for Christ**
Couples for Christ is a free program for couples who want to deepen their relationship with God and each other. It provides a safe space for couples to explore the sacrament of Holy Matrimony and learn about the meaning of their vows. It is a place where couples can learn, grow, and strengthen their relationship. For more information, visit www.couplesforchrist.ca.
- Teams of Our Lady**
Teams of Our Lady is a free program for couples who want to deepen their relationship with God and each other. It provides a safe space for couples to explore the sacrament of Holy Matrimony and learn about the meaning of their vows. It is a place where couples can learn, grow, and strengthen their relationship. For more information, visit www.teamsofourlady.ca.
- Worldwide Marriage Encounter**
Worldwide Marriage Encounter is a free program for couples who want to deepen their relationship with God and each other. It provides a safe space for couples to explore the sacrament of Holy Matrimony and learn about the meaning of their vows. It is a place where couples can learn, grow, and strengthen their relationship. For more information, visit www.wme.ca.

During the Come and See Gathering, couples from each Marriage Ministry will introduce their ministry, and offer a short interactive experience for participants.

For more information, please contact the Office of Marriage, Family & Life - Archdiocese of Saint Boniface at marriage@archsaintboniface.ca or call 204-594-0274.

❤️ COME and SEE – Saturday, September 19th, 2026

The Archdiocese of Saint Boniface and the Archdiocese of Winnipeg Marriage & Family Life Ministries invite you to attend COME and SEE, an afternoon gathering for young married couples. Meet other newly married couples, take part in a special time of enrichment as a couple, and discover how you and your spouse can continue to grow in your relationship with each other and with God. **Held on Saturday, September 19th from 1:30 PM to 4:30 PM** at the Saint Boniface Cathedral. Registration is required and will be open until September 14th. There is no cost to attend this event. Although we are not able to provide childcare at this event, babies in arms are most welcome.

➡ Register at

<https://form.jotform.com/262106683369261>



For more information, please contact Marie at the Archdiocese of Saint Boniface Office of Marriage, Family & Life at mfl@archsaintboniface.ca/204-594-0274.

Visit [our website](#) for the Archdiocese of Saint Boniface's resources for Newlyweds and Couples in Early Years of Marriage.

Two more aisles . . .

A man observed a woman in the grocery store with a three year old girl in her basket. As they passed the cookie section, the little girl asked for cookies and her mother told her no. The little girl immediately began to whine and fuss, and the mother said quietly, "Now Monica, we just have half of the aisles left to go through; don't be upset. It won't be long."

Soon they came to the candy aisle, and the little girl began to shout for candy. And when told she couldn't have any, began to cry. The mother said, "There, there, Monica, don't cry—only two more aisles to go, and then we'll be checking out."

When they got to the check-out stand, the little girls immediately began to clamor for gum and burst into a terrible tantrum upon discovering there'd be no gum purchased. The mother patiently said, "Monica, we'll be through this check out stand in 5 minutes and then you can go home and have a nice nap."

The man followed them out to the parking lot and stopped the woman to compliment her. "I couldn't help noticing how patient you were with little Monica," he began. Whereupon the mother said, "I'm Monica . . . my little girl's name is Tammy." Author Unknown