

Trinity Sunday - June 10th & 11th, 2017
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You will be enriched in every way for your great generosity, which will produce thanksgiving to God; for the rendering of this ministry not only supplies the needs of the saints but also overflows with many thanksgivings to God." 2 Corinthians 9:8-11

Collection June 3 & 4	Collections Required Per Week	Weekly Collection + / -	Year to Date Collections + / -
\$ 4,307.25	\$ 3,465.00	+ \$ 842.25	+ \$ 583.50

June Sharing God's Gifts - \$ 1,413.38



BUILDING FUND COLLECTION - will be the second collection on **June 17th & 18th.**

JUNE

11	Spanish Mass	7:30 pm
13	Lions Prairie Manor Service	2:00 pm
13	Catholic Women's League Supper	6:00 pm
15	Ministry Of Hope	7:00 pm
15	Knights of Columbus Meeting (Rescheduled)	7:30 pm

SPANISH MASS - on Sunday, June 11th, at 7:30 pm, Mass will be celebrated with our Mexican's who are working in and around the Portage Community. All are welcome to join in the celebration of song, prayer and worship. Following Mass, there will be a reception in our parish hall.



IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS - Our sincerest condolences to the family and friends of Dave Samolesky who passed away on May 30th. Please remember him in your prayers. May he rest in the peace of Christ.



BOYS and GIRLS! - St. Malo Catholic Summer Camp registration forms are available at the bulletin board or through www.catholicway.ca. The Knights of Columbus and Catholic Women's League have again established a sponsorship fund to help pay enrollment costs and to encourage families to send their children to this wonderful camp. Please Contact Armand Tanguay at 204-871-2901 or Bernadette Le Lievre at 204-236-6696 regarding sponsorship.

CIT Parish Presentation - 2017

"Hi! My name is **Emma Bullock**, and I'm 15. This summer, I will be a counselor in training (CITs) at St. Malo Catholic Camps.

The St Malo Catholic Summer Camps have been held at the **Catholic School of Evangelization** in St. Malo for 20 years, both in English and in French.

Camp ministry is very important and can be life changing. I myself have been attending camps since I was 10 and it has helped me to have a deeper understanding of my faith and I have made many friends who share the same beliefs. Now it's my turn to give back to campers what I have received when I was their age.

CITs are all volunteers. We attend a full week of camp leadership training, along with more experienced counselors. This training will provide us with the opportunity to develop leadership and ministry skills as well as deepen our own faith as Catholics.

Today we the CITs are holding a "**Toonie for Training**" campaign. Our hope is that each parishioner will be able to contribute a Toonie - a small amount that will help a whole lot in funding our training program! We will be at the back of the church to answer any of your questions or to collect your donations. **Tax receipts will be provided for donations of \$10 or more.**

I also have Summer Camp registration forms with me if you need one.

Camps cannot survive without the help and guidance of the Holy Spirit. Please keep us in your prayers this summer.

I will be at the back of the church, please come and see me. Thank you and God bless!

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION - In today's second reading Saint Paul's final appeal is a call for unity. God created that unity. Good stewards who share Christ's life in the Eucharist belong to each other, just as God in the three persons of Father, Son and Holy Spirit enjoy unity. We are an intimate part of God's divine bond, God's "family." Saint Paul maintains that we ought to act that way. In the Church there is a bond of family, yet plenty room for variety. Christian stewards use their uniquely varied gifts to live a Trinitarian faith, in unity, promoting Christ's peace and justice. How do we promote unity in our parish?

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HAPPENINGS IN OUR PARISH



When the Parish Census/Survey was conducted last fall the preferred choice for Sunday morning was 10:00 am. **Given that choice, for July and August we will offer mass at 10:00 am.** Many parishes have adjusted their mass times in the summer months. Is this just for the summer? Ideally, we would like to change the time for good. Many will recall that mass used to be at 10:00 am. Why was it changed to 11:00 am? It was to accommodate the 9:00 am mass time at St. Ambroise. Mass at St. Ambroise has been offered at 1:00 pm since October of 2015, so there would be no obstacle if have a 10:00 am mass here at Good Shepherd going forward. **So beginning on Sunday, July 2nd, 2017, we will offer at 10:00 am.**



Having met recently with the Building Committee and the architect, Harold Funk, we are awaiting final approval of the project from the Archdiocese as we await a more detailed plan of the project and costs. Once we receive approval, we will display a final visual draft with the details of the plan.



TRINITY SUNDAY - The dogma of faith which forms the object of the feast is this: There is one God and in this one God there are three Divine Persons; the Father is God, the Son is God, the Holy Spirit is God. Yet there are not three Gods, but one, eternal, incomprehensible God! The Father is not more God than the Son, neither is the Son more God than the Holy Spirit. The Father is the first Divine Person; the Son is the second Divine Person, begotten from the nature of the Father from eternity; the Holy Spirit is the third Divine Person, proceeding from the Father and the Son. No mortal can fully fathom this sublime truth. But I submit humbly and say: *Lord, I believe, help my weak faith.* Why is this feast celebrated at this particular time? It may be interpreted as a finale to all the preceding feasts. All three Persons contributed to and shared in the work of redemption. The Father sent His Son to earth, for "God so loved the world as to give His only-begotten Son." The Father called us to the faith. The Son, our Savior Jesus Christ, became man and died for us. He redeemed us and made us children of God. He ever remains the liturgist *par excellence* to whom we are united in all sacred functions. After Christ's ascension the Holy Spirit, however, became our Teacher, our Leader, our Guide, our Consoler. On solemn occasions a thanksgiving *Te Deum* rises spontaneously from Christian hearts. The feast of the Most Holy Trinity may well be regarded as the Church's *Te Deum* of gratitude over all the blessings of the Christmas and Easter seasons; for this mystery is a synthesis of Christmas, Epiphany, Easter, Ascension and Pentecost. This feast, which falls on the first Sunday after Pentecost, should make us mindful that actually every Sunday is devoted to the honor of the Most Holy Trinity, that every Sunday is sanctified and consecrated to the triune God. Sunday after Sunday we should recall in a spirit of gratitude the gifts which the Blessed Trinity is bestowing upon us. The Father created and predestined us; on the first day of the week He began the work of creation. The Son redeemed us; Sunday is the "Day of the Lord," the day of His resurrection. The Holy Spirit sanctified us, made us His temple; on Sunday the Holy Spirit descended upon the infant Church. Sunday, therefore, is *the* day of the Most Holy Trinity. The Most Adorable Trinity! "All things" good, in nature and grace, flow from and return to the Trinity; "from Him," God the Father, our Creator; "through Him" God the Son, our Redeemer; "unto Him," God the Holy Spirit, our Sanctifier (Epistle).

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Trinity Sunday Saturday, June 10th Sunday, June 11th	7:00 pm 11:00 am 1:00 pm 7:30 pm	Good Shepherd Good Shepherd St. Ambroise Good Shepherd	✠Gisele Wegleitner by Kevin, Bernadette, Brittany & Sara ✠Maurice & ✠Blanche Cool by the Family ✠Anita Lavallee by the Family For All Migrant Workers & Their Families
Tuesday, June 13th	2:00 pm	Lions Prairie Manor	Celebration of the Word with Communion
Thursday, June 15th	9:00 am	Good Shepherd	✠Theodosia (Jesse) & ✠Joe Marcicki by Family
Friday, June 16th	9:00 am	Good Shepherd	✠Dal Bilkoski by Lorraine Chopek
Body & Blood of Christ Saturday, June 17th Sunday, June 18th	7:00 pm 11:00 am 1:00 pm	Good Shepherd Good Shepherd St. Ambroise	✠Dave Samolesky by Friends For All Fathers in our Parish Community For All Fathers in our Parish Community

The rosary is recited before every Saturday evening mass starting at 6:20 pm

"Recite your Rosary with faith, with humility, with confidence, and with perseverance." Saint Louis de Montfort

Friendly Reminders

Saturday, June 17th

Greeters - Ron & Shirley O'Neil
Ushers - Karl & Jo-ann Voesenek
 Bob Dionne, Rajah Regimon
Gift Bearers - Gerry & Gerri Masson
Lectors - Helena Kot, Rick Ryzner
Eucharist Ministers - Denise Payment, Deepthy George,
 Zennia Semchyshyn, Jewley Baby, Anju Regimon

Friendly Reminders

Sunday, June 18th

Greeters - Alvin & Antonia Rossnegal
Ushers - Armand Tanguay, Dawson Lernowicz
 Michel Dufault, Arthur Rey
Gift Bearers - Lernowicz Family
Lectors - Marie Hinagpis, Gayly Reniedo
Eucharist Ministers - Mickey Cuthbert, Stan Lambert,
 Rose Marie Neault, Garth Bullock, Sinto Sebastian,
 Pauline Calder

Personnel Appointments

Reverend Wayne G. Morrissey - becomes Pastor of St. John Brebeuf Parish in Winnipeg.
Reverend Leo M. Fernandes - becomes Pastor of Sacred Heart Parish in Virden & Paroisse St-Jean in Grande-Clairière.
Reverend Barry D. Schoonbaert - becomes Pastor of Christ the King Parish in Stonewall, St. Joseph's Parish in Stony Mountain and St. John Vianney in Teulon.
Reverend Mark A. Tarrant - becomes Pastor of St. Vital Parish in Winnipeg.
Reverend Kaleab E. Abdella - becomes Priest Chaplain of the Holy Saviour Geez Rite Community located at St. Paul the Apostle Parish in Winnipeg (effective immediately) and Parochial Vicar of St. John Brebeuf Parish in Winnipeg (effective August 19, 2017).
Reverend James W. deBeer - is granted a leave of absence.
Reverend S. Eric Zadji - becomes Pastor of Our Lady of Victory Parish in Winnipeg.
Reverend Patrick Neufeld - becomes Pastor of Ste-Rose-de-Lima Parish in Ste-Rose-du-Lac, Paroisse Notre-Dame-des-Victoires in Laurier and Our Lady of the Nativity Parish in McCreary, Notre Dame Parish in Toutes-Aides, Holy Family in Crane River, St. Joseph's in Ebb & Flow, St. Patricia's in Mallard, St. Anthony's in Rorekton, Immaculate Conception in Skownan, Canadian Maryrs in Waterhen and the reduced service mission of Immaculate Heart of Mary in Meadow Portage.

Upon Presentation by their Provincial

Reverend Alfred Grzempa OMI - currently Pastor of Holy Ghost Parish in Winnipeg was recently elected Provincial of the Assumption Province of the Oblates of Mary Immaculate. We congratulate Fr Alfred and wish him well in his new ministry. We also thank him for his ministry at Holy Ghost Parish over the past three years. Fr Alfred will be installed as the new Provincial on June 16, 2017 and begin his leadership ministry in September.
Reverend Jacek Nosowicz OMI - will become Pastor of Holy Ghost Parish in Winnipeg on September 1, 2017.

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