

ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL

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ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL-CALGARY

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SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 8:30, 10:00 am, Noon & 7:30 pm

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Monday - Friday, 7:30 am & 5:00 pm
Saturday - 9:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Friday 4:00-4:45 pm
Saturday 8:15-8:45 am & 4:00-4:45 pm,
or by appointment

THE ROSARY

Mon-Fri 6:40 am & 4:30 pm

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

First time parents must participate in Baptism Preparation. To register, please fill out a "Request for Baptism" form at the information desk or on line.

welcome

Visitors and New Parishioners!

We hope that you have a meaningful worship experience at St. Mary's Cathedral. We invite unregistered parishioners to complete a registration form at the information desk. If you have any questions, or if there is anything we can do to make your visit here more pleasant, please do not hesitate to contact the ushers, or any staff members that may be present. You may also call the Parish Office and talk to a staff member for additional information (403) 228-4170.

*To our visitors, enjoy your visit with our parish family.
To our new parishioners,
Welcome Home!*

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JUNE 9, 2019
PENTECOST SUNDAY



Today we reach the finale of the Easter season with the celebration of the great Feast of Pentecost. Reflecting on today's readings inspires a

sense of awe as we consider the mighty power of the Holy Spirit at work giving birth to and sustaining our Church. Just as awesome — the same Spirit is calling to us this day to take up our part in the Church's saving work.

In the first reading, from Acts, we see the creative genius of the Holy Spirit moving through the newly confirmed Apostles "who began to speak in different tongues as the Spirit enabled them to proclaim." The large crowd, gathered from all over the world were "amazed" and "astounded" that each one could understand the Apostles speaking in their own language.

Each one of us, young and old alike, is personally called today by the Holy Spirit into the same mission as that of the first Apostles — to advance the Kingdom of God in our corner of the world. Just as He did on that Pentecost day, the Holy Spirit speaks to us in our "own language" to give us the Good News of the Gospel and urge us to share it. We can think of our own language as the particular gifts, talents and passions we possess. We experience the presence of the Holy Spirit through them and we are meant put them to the work in grateful service of the Kingdom of God.

When we consider the stewardship way of life we are called to live, we often focus on the challenges it poses. Surrendering ourselves to God is indeed a challenging way to live. But it leads to a life that is exciting, creative and deeply rewarding. Stewardship allows us to experience life as a great adventure because it is a life guided and directed by the very source of power and creativity— the Holy Spirit!

 **Roman Catholic Diocese of Calgary** from the Catholic Pastoral Centre - June 9, 2019

FAITHFULLY – MAY EDITION IS OUT! Don't miss Bishop's message on women and their courageous faith, inspiring stories from mothers in our diocese, upcoming events and faith resources to keep your faith alive! Register & receive a copy in your inbox: <http://faithfully.calgarydiocese.ca>.

70TH ANNIVERSARY OF MOUNT ST. FRANCIS Mount St. Francis Retreat Centre is celebrating its 70th anniversary! You are invited to celebrate with the Franciscans and Bishop McGrattan in the Anniversary Mass on **Sunday, Aug. 18 at 2 pm**. Where: Mount St. Francis (41160 Retreat Road, Cochrane). Lunch is provided. Free-will offering. For more information, please contact 403-932-2012 | mtfrancis@shaw.ca.

FR. ROLHEISER IN CALGARY Fr. Ron Rolheiser, OMI will be giving a talk on **Wednesday, Aug. 21 at 7 pm**. Where: St. Mary's Parish in Cochrane (10 River Heights Dr., Cochrane). Cost: \$20/person. To reserve a seat, call 403-932-2012 | mtfrancis@shaw.ca.

OUTDOOR FAMILY CELEBRATION Come to the Outdoor Family Celebration with the Divine Mercy Sisters and Bishop McGrattan on **Saturday, Sep. 7**. Rosary prayer at **11:30 am**, outdoor Mass with the Bishop at **Noon**, followed by BBQ lunch & entertainment. Confessions will be available before the Mass.

RED WEDNESDAY 2019 Red Wednesday is a series of events aimed at highlighting the persecution and injustice suffered by Christians while promoting respect and tolerance between people of different religions. To bring further awareness to this cause, we are seeking volunteers to assist in coordinating events at both the parish and Diocesan level. For more information, contact 403-218-5501 | Theodoric.Nowak@calgarydiocese.ca.

SUMMER RETREATS WITH ROOM & BOARD

June 14 - 16 at FCJ Retreat Centre, Calgary | Directed Retreat that follows the dynamic of the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius Loyola. Cost \$285. Registration: 403-228-4215 | info@fcjcentre.ca | fcjcentre.ca.

June 17 - 23 at Mt. St. Francis, Cochrane | 7-Day Retreat "A Profound Mystery" with Fr. Robert Michell, OFM and the retreat team. Cost \$600. Registration: 403-932-2012 | mtfrancis@shaw.ca | mountstfrancis.ca.

July 21 - 28 at Mt. St. Francis, Cochrane | 7-Day Directed Retreat "Presence" facilitated by the retreat team and individual spiritual director.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES Youth Ministry Coordinator - St. Albert the Great, Calgary
Youth Minister Assistant - St. Michael's Catholic Community, Calgary (Summer Part-time)
Assistant Custodian - St. Michael's Catholic Community, Calgary (Summer Part-time)

Visit <http://careers.calgarydiocese.ca> for more information about the positions and application details.

CalgaryDiocese.ca | WHAT'S HAPPENING in the DIOCESE. Contact: 403-218-5500 or E-mail: communications@calgarydiocese.ca.

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

Monday, June 10

7:30 am Bill & Barbara Saruga (RIP)
5:00 pm Beatrice & Irma Abuin (RIP)

Tuesday, June 11

7:30 am Luke Burke (INT)
5:00 pm Beatrice & Irma Abuin (RIP)

Wednesday, June 12

7:30 am Hugh Kielt (RIP)
5:00 pm Larry Dielissen (RIP)

Thursday, June 13

7:30 am Hannah Brown (INT)
5:00 pm Nick & Mirela (INT)

Friday, June 14

7:30 am Erik Anderson (INT)
5:00 pm Chris James (RIP)

Saturday, June 15

9:00 am Aurora Molino Ontiveros (RIP)

This Week in the Parish

Monday, June 10

Confirmation Rehearsal 7:00 pm
Diocesan Choir 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Thursday, June 13

St. Monica's Year End Mass - 9:00 am
Bible Study, 3:00 pm

Friday, June 14

Bishop Caroll High School - Grad Mass 9:30 am

Saturday, June 15

Confirmation Mass - 5:00 pm

Sunday, June 16

Coffee Sunday after 10:00 am Mass

CEMETERY MASSES

Dates for 2019 Cemetery Masses:

June 18, Tue., 7:30 pm | **St Mary's Cemetery**
June 19, Wed., 7:30 m | **Edenbrook Cemetery**
Aug. 13, Tue., 7:30 pm | **Queen's Park Cemetery**
Aug/ 14, Wed., 7:30 pm | **Mountain View Cemetery**



Calling All Green Thumbs:

St Mary's Cathedral is looking for parishioners who are gardeners or a landscapers to help with bringing our flower gardens to life! If are able to volunteer please call the office at 403-228-4170.



SACRAMENT PREPARATION



BAPTISM PREPARATION The next Baptism preparation class will be held on **Saturday, July 6th at 10:00 am** in the Rectory Hall. If you are first-time parents seeking baptism for your child, you are required to attend one of these sessions prior to the baptism. Registration forms are available on the information tables in the Cathedral and on our website. Registration is required.

SACRAMENT PREPARATION FOR CHILDREN



Registration for sacrament preparation for children for the sacraments of First Reconciliation, First Eucharist and Confirmation, has now begun.

Please stop by the parish office to register your child for the preparation classes beginning in the fall.

For more information, please contact Allison our sacrament coordinator at 403-228-4170 or allison@stmaryscalgary.com



This weekend, Jaxson Phillip Angelo Sterling will be celebrating his baptism and Maria del Mar Palencia-Malagon, Antonella Palencia-Malagon, and Hermela Weldu, will be celebrating his First Holy Communion. Let us pray that they may grow in faith, hope, and love.



Looking Ahead



Summer Day Retreat: Women for Christ (June 15, 2019). St. Mary's CWL is hosting a summer day retreat for all women on Saturday, June 15, 2019 from 10:30 AM to 3:30 pm at the Divine Mercy Centre, 15206 Township Rd 262,

Calgary, AB T3P 1A7. The Sisters of Divine Mercy will facilitate the retreat. Registration (ticket) is \$10:00. Tickets will be sold at the cathedral booth after each mass beginning June 1st to Jun 8th. For more information, please contact Anthea (403) 971-8432 / Carol (403) 796-3601.

FATHER'S DAY SPOLUMBO SAUSAGE FUNDRAISING EVENT

St. Mary's Cathedral Catholic Women's League presents: SPOLUMBO SAUSAGE SALE EVENT, just in time for FATHER'S DAY and CANADA DAY! Order your Spolumbo Sausages today! GREAT gift idea for dad's barbeque! Orders can be done at the Gift Booth or online at <https://stmaryscwl.myteamfund.ca/>

Gift and Info Booth: Is there someone you know who will be receiving a first sacrament during this Easter season? The Cathedral gift booth has a limited selection of gifts (rosaries, prayer cards, plaques, bracelets, greeting cards) for those being Baptised, receiving First Holy Eucharistic or being Confirmed. Please help support your Cathedral.

Readings for June 16—Holy Trinity

First Reading: (Proverbs 8:22-31) Before the beginning of the earth, wisdom had already been brought forth.

Second Reading: (Romans 5:1-5) God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Spirit.

Gospel: (John 16:12-15) All that the Father has is mine, and the Spirit will take what is mine and declare it to you.

FROM OUR MINISTRIES



Society of St. Vincent de Paul – 100% of all food, financial and clothing donations goes to support those in need here in Calgary. We accept all donations of non-perishable food, financial donations of all sizes, and new/ clean used clothing for our clients. We appreciate if you would mark your envelopes to SSV. If you require assistance, call us at 403-397-6028.



Coffee Sunday We invite you to join us in welcoming new parishioners and sharing with one another. **NEXT COFFEE SUNDAY** will take place on **June 16** after the 10:00 am mass. If you would like to donate baked goods or volunteer your time to help in setting and/or cleaning up on a rotating basis please contact Phan at phan_truong@hotmail.com.



Pastoral Care Team of St. Mary's would be pleased to visit and bring the Eucharist to the shut-ins of our parish. Please call 403-228-4170 to make arrangements.



Bible Study takes place on **Thursdays** at 3:00 pm in the Rectory Hall. Every week we read one or two chapters from the Old and New Testament and discuss. Please call Bob at 403-272-4262 for more information.



Catholic Women's League (CWL) The CWL executive will be meeting on **June 22** following the 9:00 am mass in the Rectory Hall. All women of the parish are heartily invited to become members. For more information, contact Anthea at anthea.berdan@gmail.com.

Stewardship Reflection for the

June 9, 2019 - Pentecost Sunday

"The Advocate, the Holy Spirit whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you." (John 14:26)

The materialism of our society lures us to concentrate more on what we want than on what God wants for us. The relativism of our world tells us that we should be tolerant of all things, that there is no absolute truth. Pray to the Holy Spirit to transform our lives and to guide our thoughts, words and actions.

Stewardship of Treasure

May 19, 2019

General Collections	Last Week	Y-T-D
Envelopes/Loose/Debit/etc.	\$ 9,742.78	
Diocesan Subsidy	\$13,239.08	
Hall Rental	\$6,927.00	
Donation from Canadian Org.	130.00	
Total Amount:	\$30,927.00	\$385,111.47
Weekly operating cost:	\$22,000.00	\$385,111.47
Year to date: Over/Under Budget:	\$ 8,038.86	(\$98,888.53)

Altar Flowers: 20.00
Mission Mexico: \$7.82
Pope's Pastoral Fund: \$33.00

Other Collections

Together in Action \$15.00 YTD: \$15,169.00
Our Together in Action Goal for 2019 is: \$66,584.00

Thank you for your generosity!



OBERAMMERGAU PASSION PLAY 2020

Pilgrimage to Belgium, Germany & Switzerland with Fr. Bob Dielissen, Rector, St. Mary's Cathedral. 13 days Sept. 9 -21, 2020. This is a once in a life time opportunity. This pilgrimage includes a River Cruise and the Passion Play at Oberammergau which is performed every 10 years in this town. Please call the Parish Office at 403 228-4170 for more information.



EVENING PRAYERS & MARSHMALLOW ROAST

The FCJ Centre invites you to an Evening Prayer and Marshmallow Roast with their community. The fire pit is at the back of the property—come in through the gates and park in the parking lot—the fire pit is between the parking lot and the river. When: Fridays at 7 to 8:30 pm, on **June 21, June 28, July 19 and July 26**. Donations gratefully accepted. To register, call 403-228-4215 | reception@fcjcentre.ca.



ORDINATION OF DEACON TROY NGUYEN TO THE PRIESTHOOD - Bishop William McGrattan has called Rev. Mr. Troy Nguyen to be ordained to the priesthood on **Friday, June 28, 7 PM** at St. Mary's Cathedral. All are welcome!

Attention Parishioners and Visitors During Mass, please be sure to keep your personal belongings with you at all times. Also do not leave any of your personal belongings in your car when you come to Mass in order to prevent theft and vandalism.