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Ste. Rose de Lima Parish

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Notre Dame des Victoires – Laurier, Manitoba

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NOTRE DAME PARISH TOUTES AIDES, MB

AND MISSIONS OF:

Holy Family, Crane River

St. Joseph's, Ebb & Flow

St. Patricia's, Mallard

St. Anthony, Rorketon

Immaculate Conception,
Skownan

Canadian Martyrs, Waterhen

Immaculate Heart of Mary,

Meadow Portage

Box 179,
Ste. Rose Du Lac, MB,
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Mass Times

Saturday – Ste Rose – 5:00 pm

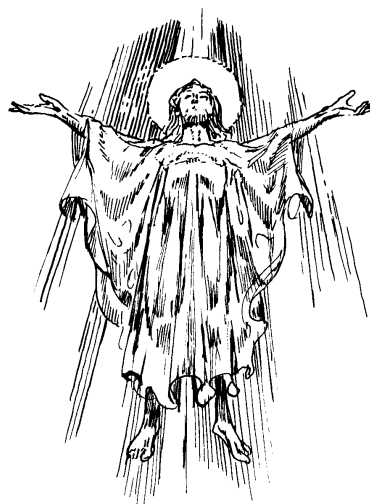
– Laurier – 7:30 pm

Sunday – Ste Rose – 9:30 am

- McCreary – 11:30 am

CONFESSIONS – before Mass or upon request
Baptisms/Marriages by appointment

May 28th-June 11th, 2017



Parish Secretary: Suzie Normandin

Tuesday & Thursday 1:30-4:30pm

Toutes Aides & Mission : Marilyn Delaurier
(447 -2824)

Catechism Coordinator: Suzie Normandin
(447-2484) **Wednesdays

Sunday Ministries

Greeters:

Altar Servers:

Lectors:

Collection:

Offering of Gifts:

Ex. Ord. Ministers: Body:

Precious Blood:

Music:

Sacristan:

Priest:

May 28th

Phyllis, Jesse

Richard

Maurice, Val

Tony, Linda,
Miguel, Denise

Ella & Leon

Cynthia,

Agnes, Ryan

Cynthia

Denise

Fr. Leo

June 4th

Agnes & Marilyn

Raffrays

Phyllis, Richard

Louis, Myles,

Leon, Danny

Helen M. & Cecile G.

Paul,

Elvier, Emile J.

Marie

Eveline

Fr. Nepolian

June 11th

Michelle, Mireille, Sarah

Richard

Ryan, Emilie

Emile, Alain,

Robert, Tony

1st Communion children

Dan,

Myles

Cynthia

Thérèse

Fr. Leo

Counters for May: Diane Hess, Lucille Lecunff, Linda Bonin, Elsa Plamondon

Counters for June: Leon & Ella Miscavish, Lynne Jastrebski, Angele Delaurier

Mass Schedule for May 27th-June 11th, 2017

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| Sat.27th | Leisure Apts. Ste. Rose Laurier | 9:30am 5:00pm 7:30pm | Intention of Donor +Anne Marie Leperre - Ron & Sharon Vandenbosch All Parishioners |
| Sun.28th | Ste Rose Church McCreary | 9:30am 11:30am | +Rene Vandepoele - Rolande & family +Linda Henry - Solange Miller |
| Tues.30th | Ste Rose Church | 9:00am | +Lionel & Cecile Tardiff - Carol & Larry Tardiff |
| Wed.31st | Ste Rose Church Gendreau Home | 9:00am 10:30am | Special intentions - A Parishioner +Kevin & Bill Luke - Irene Luke |
| Thurs.1st | Ste Rose Church Trois Villas | 9:00am 9:30am | Intention of Donor Intention of Donor |
| Fri.2nd | Ste Rose Church Mass | 8:30am 9:30am | Exposition/Adoration Intention of Donor Intention of Donor |
| Sat.3rd | Leisure Apts. Ste. Rose Laurier | 9:30am 5:00pm 7:30pm | Intention of Donor +John Berthaudin – Maurice & Judith Maguet All Parishioners - Priests |
| Sun.4th | Ste Rose Church McCreary | 9:30am 11:30am | Liturgy of the Word Liturgy of the Word |
| Tues.6th | Ste Rose Church Hospital Chapel | 9:00am 1:30pm | +deceased family members - Larry & Carol Tardiff Intention of Donor |
| Wed.7th | Ste Rose Church Gendreau Home | 9:00am 10:30am | +Ardell Hopfner - Verna & family +Alex Fouillen - Thérèse & family |
| Thurs.8th | Ste Rose Church Trois Villas | 9:00am 9:30am | Intention of Donor Intention of Donor |
| Fri. 9th | Ste Rose Church Mass | 8:30am 9:30am | Exposition/Adoration Intention of Donor Intention of Donor |
| Sat.10th | Leisure Apts. Ste. Rose Laurier | 9:30am 5:00pm 7:30pm | Special Intentions - Darcy & Suzie Normandin +Joel Maguet - Maurice & Judith Maguet All Parishioners - Priests |
| Sun.11th | Ste Rose Church McCreary | 9:30am 11:30am | All Parishioners - Priests +Rene & Cecile Divers - Lucien & Dorren Divers |

Cultivate and Promote a Culture of Life Calendar of Events:

Life is a chance, take it.
 Life is beautiful, admire it.
 Life is a blessing, try it.
 Life is a dream, make it come true.
 Life is a challenge, stand up to it.
 Life is a duty, fulfil it.
 Life is a game, play it.
 Life is valuable, take care of it.
 Life is wealth, preserve it.
 Life is love, enjoy it.
 Life is a mystery, discover it.
 Life is a promise, fulfil it.
 Life is sadness, overcome it.
 Life is a hymn, sing it.
 Life is a struggle, take it up.
 Life is an adventure, follow it.
 Life is happiness, help it.

Life is life, defend it.

St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta

**Our Lady
of Fatima
100th Anniversary
1917-2017**



ASCENSION OF THE LORD May 28th 2017

Acts 1:1-11; Eph 1:17-23; Matt 28:16-20

There was an old saying: "Words push, examples pull." Someone adds: Any good Christian is a walking Bible even though he has never quoted a verse. In fact good Christian example may be the only gospel illiterate people can read."

In other words, even if we speak convincingly, even if we speak too much but our actions contradict to what we are saying, nothing happens. Even if we convince people in us but we could not fool God who knows and sees everything in what we are doing.

Today we are celebrating the Feast of the Ascension of our Lord Jesus Christ into Heaven. That is, he ascended into heaven and seated at the right hand of the Father as what our Apostles' Creed is telling us.

After Jesus gathered His disciples in Galilee for the last time with His physical presence and instructed them on what to do, He ascended into heaven to be with His Father which is our Father too. His ascension into heaven is a sign that His life here on earth has already ended; He ends also His teaching and suffering here on earth. That is why, the light of paschal candle ends also today to signify that Christ has already gone physically in the eyes of His disciples.

Hence His ascension was not just a farewell (despedida) party for Him. Above all, it is the giving of an unfinished business, that is, His mission which He entrusts to His apostles and to us too. He expects us to continue this mission. What is this mission? This mission is not new to us. It has already existed for more than two thousand years. This mission is not only given to few people but to all of us. They are: to witness to Christ in the world, to preach the Good news that God redeemed us and to show by our love that He is always with us.

Let us pray that we can faithfully fulfill our mission. Remember this: "Believe what you read, teach what you believe and live it."

We ask for your prayers as we prepare for our



*Nicole Bryce
William Bryce
Ashley Lesanko
Evan Sisson
Ian Sisson*

*Sunday, June 11th @ 9:30am
Ste Rose de Lima Parish*

Calendar of Events:

Sun. 28th 11:30am Confirmation McCreary
Tues. 30th 10:30am Council of Priests Wpg.
Thurs. June 1st 1:30pm Service at PCH
McCreary
Wed. June 7th 4pm First Reconciliation
and **5pm** First Communion Practice
Sunday, June 11th 9:30am First Holy
Communion Ste Rose

From Archbishop's Office:

**Re: Synod Draft White Paper Feedback
on the 9 Commissions listed below:**

- New Evangelization and Missionary Outreach
 - Catechetics and Faith Development
 - Indigenous People
 - Youth and Young Adults
 - Marriage and Family Life
 - Sacramental Preparation, Prayer and Devotional Life
 - Vocations and Leadership
 - Governance
 - Social Outreach
- Details on each Commission can be seen on the Archdiocese website. Should you wish a paper copy please call the office.

The Share & Care Spring Garage Sale raised \$2003.65 for those in need both locally and abroad. Thank you to everyone who took time to work and donate items. Without your hard work and generosity our Spring and Fall Garage Sales would not be possible. Our 2014-2016 Financial Report is posted on the bulletin board in the church entrance. If you have any questions or would like to join contact Rodger Sheldon. God Bless

Archdiocese website: www.archwinnipeg.ca

- Synod Focus Commission Reports Available for Comment
- Confirmation Trail:
- Suggestions on residential school burial sites and Inquiry into Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls.
- Ecumenical letter to the Prime Minister of Canada concerning South Sudan.
- Read more news...

Dear Parishioners of Ste. Rose, Laurier and McCreary,

Re: Sharing God's Gifts Appeal 2017

This year the Archdiocese has restructured its finances, in this restructuring the targets for the Parish Appeal has been reduced. A letter from our Archbishop Richard Gagnon was sent to all Parishes April 2nd explaining the changes in the process of the Appeal and the distribution of funds for Pastoral Ministries within the Archdiocese.

Targets for SGG this year 2017 are as follows: Ste. Rose \$8,420 Laurier \$2,410 McCreary \$1,890

Assessment (16% of Sunday Collection of 2015) is as follows: Ste Rose \$13,220 Laurier \$3,780
McCreary \$2,970

It will be to our advantage to add SGG and the assessment and raise the total amount under SGG. Given this the following would be our targets: **Ste Rose \$21,640 Laurier \$6,190 McCreary \$4,860**

Please note that any funds over Target come back to the Parish without being taxed 16%.

Since in the past the Stewardship method of giving has been fruitful, we could continue the same i.e.

Stewardship giving of income: 90% your needs 5% your Parish 3% other charities 2% Sharing God's Gifts

Additional notes for Ste. Rose – your support is needed at this time for the roof. Some of you are aware of the leaks, and some major funding would be required for this project. Given this it would be helpful to go over our target. Thank you for your attention and support. Be assured of our prayers for you and your families.

Your servants in Christ,
Fr. Leo and Fr. Nepolian

Pentecost Sunday (Year A) June 4th 2017

Today is "**Pentecost Sunday**," the fiftieth day after the Resurrection. On this day, we solemnly commemorate that great event when Jesus fulfills his promise of sending the Holy Spirit upon his timid disciples, who gathered behind the closed doors of the Cenacle in Jerusalem.

The feast of Pentecost is the culmination of the Paschal mystery and it marks the end of the Easter season. The Easter candle, which has been burning since Easter to remind us of the light that has come into the world, will be set aside and used only if there is a baptism. Next week we continue what is called 'Ordinary Time' which simply means that the joyous feasts have ended, and we go back to the Gospel of St. Luke and continue to read the story of Jesus, focusing primarily on his teachings and parables.

Although today we end the Easter Season, it is also a reminder of starting something new, for Pentecost is considered to be the birthday of the Church. Have we ever asked, why do we celebrate Eucharist on Sundays? Sunday is actually deemed to be the first day of the week; Sunday is the day that God began creation we are told in the Genesis story. The Spirit of God moved on the waters on the first day! For the Jews, Spirit is a feminine gender word which also means breath or wind. Like God, Jews rested on the seventh day, Saturday, and early Christians, too, used to go to synagogues on Saturdays. With the advent of Pentecost, however, which is 50 days after Easter, itself a Sunday, the Church has traditionally also celebrated its birthday and the weekly 'Lord's Day' on a Sunday. We celebrate Eucharist on Sunday, then, as a reminder of the first creation and of the second creation. The Holy Spirit that stirred the waters of creation returned to us on Pentecost making a new creation, her Church, and making us new creatures because of the Resurrection. This is really what we are all about today. And every Sunday!

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| <p><u>2017 Sunday Collections Ste. Rose:</u> May 14th: \$1,646.00 May 21st: \$1,400.00</p> |
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| <p>Remember to make up your Sacrificial Giving for the times you were not here. Thank you.</p> |
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| <p>Remember your Parish in your Will.</p> |
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| <p>Humor: Just before the football game started, both teams gathered together and prayed briefly. A fan seated next to a rabbi asked what he thought would happen if both teams prayed with equal Faith and fervor. "In that event," replied the rabbi, "I imagine the Lord would simply sit back and enjoy one fine game of football."</p> |
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