

**ST. MARY'S: ST. PATRICK'S: ST. EDMUNDS:
HORSE LAKE RESERVE**



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"We are called to nurture Life and Spirit"



BAPITISM OF THE LORD – JANUARY 10, 2021

MASS TIMES:

St. Mary's – Beaverlodge

Weekday Mass: Monday – Saturday: 9:00 AM

Sunday Mass: 11:00 AM

First Saturday of the Month: 9:00 AM

Eucharistic Adoration: Fridays immediately after the 9:00 AM Mass

Reconciliation: Confessions will be heard ½ hour before all Masses and anytime upon request.

Rosary for Peace ~ The CWL invites all to join them in the recitation of the Rosary on every Tuesday after the 9 AM Mass, St. Mary's Church

School Mass

Every fourth Friday of each month unless otherwise posted (No Adoration on these Fridays)

St. Edmund's – Hythe

1st, 3rd, & 5th Sundays: 9:00 AM

2nd and 4th Sunday Mass will be celebrated on Saturday at 4:30 PM

St. Edmund's Church prays the Rosary every Thursday afternoon at 4:00pm.

All are welcome.

St. Patrick's – Rio Grande

2nd & 4th Sundays: 9:00 AM

1st, 3rd, & 5th Sunday Mass will be celebrated on Saturday at 7:30 PM

Parish Pastoral Council: 2nd Tuesday – 7:00 PM

Parish Finance Council: As announced

Catholic Women's League: Beaverlodge: 1st Wednesday – 7:00 PM

Rio Grande: Members will be notified

Knights of Columbus: 3rd Sunday – 10:00 AM

This Week

Monday ~ Ordinary Time Begins

Tuesday ~

Wednesday ~ St. Marguerite Bourgeoys is the patron saint against poverty; loss of parents; people rejected by religious orders

Thursday ~

Friday ~ <><

Saturday~

Father's Footsteps:

January 11 – January 16, 2021

Daily: Rosary at 8:30 am Mass at 9:00AM

Monday: January 11: Holy Eucharist 9:00 am, Feast of Saint John of the Cross. St. Mary's Church, Beaverlodge

Tuesday: January 12: Immaculate Conception of the Virgin Mary. Holy Eucharist at 9:00 am. CWL Rosary for Peace at 9:30am.

Holy Eucharist for CWL members at 4:00PM

Wednesday: January 13:

Mass Celebrations:

9:00 am St. Mary's Church, Beaverlodge, followed by Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour.

10:00 am. Virtual Mass for Hythe Continuing Care

1:00 pm am. Virtual Mass for Pioneer's Home, Hythe

Thursday January 14:

Holy Eucharist at 9:00 am.

Friday January 15:

Holy Eucharist at 9.00 am, 9.30 am to 10:00 am Adoration.

Visits to sick. Holy Communion to the housebound.

Saturday, January 16:

Sunday Holy Eucharist will be celebrated on Saturday at St. Patrick's Church, Rio-Grande at 7:30 pm.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Confessions will be heard ½ hour before all Masses and anytime upon request.

Family Visits, Holy Communion to the sick and house bond, Blessings: Available anytime upon request.

Volunteers are required for ushering, reading, contact tracing, cleaning etc., for every Mass. If you are interested kindly enter your names and the time of Mass you wish to help.

Living with Christ Sunday Missals are available for purchase St. Mary's Church Foyer. Cost - \$3.60 or by donation

BAPTISM: Please contact the rectory for baptismal preparations and to set a date.

MARRIAGES: Please contact the rectory to make arrangements and to begin marriage preparation at least six months prior to the desired date.

RCIA AND ANY OTHER SACRAMENTS:

Please contact the Parish office at 780.354.2415 or Email: stmarys1@telus.net

Those who wish to offer Holy Eucharistic Mass for the dearly departed or healing or any other personal intention please contact Fr. Michael at 780-354-2415 or 780-814-3471

Weekly Donations

We have baskets available on each side of the entrance of the church and one on the altar for you to drop off your charitable donations. You can also make donations to our parish Church online on our website / Pre-authorized debit/ Credit card

Thank you for your commitment and generosity to your Parish family life!

CWL 2021 Membership

The CWL annual membership fee of \$27.45 is now due. Please make your payment directly to Ginny

PANDEMIC PROTOCOLS

As of this day (Dec 13) the attendance that we allow in our churches is limited to 15% of the seating capacity of the nave. Our seating capacity for this Church is about 30.

All persons (except those legitimately excused) must be masked throughout the service. You must enter the church masked, and at the end leave masked until outside.

Those from a common cohort may be seated together. Each person in a cohort is counted as an individual person. The cohort is not counted as one person.

We thank you for your patience. While these measures place a burden on us all, let us stand out in our patience and our desire to serve one another.

St. Mary's Parish is looking for enthusiastic and committed Volunteers to join the Parish Pastoral Council



If you are interested in taking an active role in helping to direct our parish, are a baptized Catholic, a parishioner of St. Mary's parish and at least 16 years of age, we ask you to prayerfully consider joining the Parish Pastoral Council.

If you have any questions, need more information or if you feel that this is something you would like to do, please talk to Fr. Michael

*Parish council members meet once a month with the exception of the months of December, June and July.

R.C.I.A 2021

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

If you or someone you know is interested in taking the 2021 RCIA course please contact Fr. Michael or the Parish Office - 780.354.2415

SACRAMENTS 2021



For all those who have children needing to prepare for and celebrate the **Sacraments of First Reconciliation, First Holy Communion and/or Confirmation** and do not attend **St. Mary's School** please contact Fr. Michael or the Parish Office – 780.354.2415

~According to Church law and practice, (Canon 914) the sacrament of Reconciliation must be received before the child receives the Eucharist for the first time. This is normally to be prepared for and celebrated in grade two, or at about age seven. A child's first sharing fully in the Eucharist is normally to be prepared for and celebrated in grade three, or at about age eight. The sacrament of Confirmation is usually prepared for and celebrated in grade 6 or about age 11 ~ *Archdiocese of Grouard-McLennan Policy 2.4.1 and 2.6.1*

WEEK of
PRAYER
for CHRISTIAN UNITY
2021



"Abide in my love and you shall bear much fruit" (Jn 15:5-9)



Monday, January 18 – Monday, January 25, 2021

The 2021 theme – Abide in my love and you shall bear much fruit (John 15:5-9) – calls us to pray and to work for reconciliation and unity in the church, with our human family, and with all of creation. Drawing on the Gospel image of vine and branches, it invites us to nourish unity with God and with one another through contemplative silence, prayer, and common action. Grafted into Christ the vine as many diverse branches, may we bear rich fruit and create new ways of living, with respect for and communion with all of creation.

CHARITABLE DONATION ENVELOPES

Please pick up your personal donation envelopes located at the entry of the Church. If you do not have envelopes and would like a box or if you are interested in the pre authorized debit plan please contact the Parish Office - 780-354-2415

Eternal Father,
we praise you for sending your Son to be one of us and to save us. Look upon your people with mercy, for we are divided in so many ways, and give us the Spirit of Jesus to make us one in love. We ask this gift, loving Father, through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen