

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

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## **SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT March 13, 2022**

## **MASS TIMES:**

### SUNDAY MASS TIMES AT ST. MARY'S CHURCH: Sunday 11AM and 6:30PM

St. Mary's – Beaverlodge
Weekday Mass: Monday –Saturday: 9:00 AM
Eucharistic Adoration: Every Friday immediately after Mass
Sunday Mass: 11:00 AM and 6:30 PM
First Saturday of the Month: 9:00 AM
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
Meditation: Every Wednesday at 4:00 PM at St. Mary's Catholic Church

**School Mass** To be announced monthly.

**St. Edmund's – Hythe** 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, & 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays: 9:00 AM 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> 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** 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays: 9:00 AM 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, & 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Mass will be Celebrated on Saturday at 7:30 PM

Parish Pastoral Council: January, March, May, September, November on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of these months – 5 PM Parish Finance Council: As announced Catholic Women's League: Beaverlodge: 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday – 7:00 PM Knights of Columbus: 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday – 10:00 AM

## **This Week**

Monday ~ Tuesday ~ Wednesday ~ Thursday ~ St. Patrick's Day Friday ~ St. Cyril of Jerusalem <>< Saturday ~ St. Joseph, Husband of Mary

#### Father's Footsteps:

March 14 - 19, 2022

Monday March 14: Mass at 9:00 AM Lenten Assembly & Sacrament of Reconciliation at St. Mary's Catholic School. Ministry outreach, Beaverlodge Hospital and neighboring communities

**Tuesday March 15:** Holy Eucharist at 9:00 AM. Followed by CWL rosary for peace.

Sacrament of Reconciliation at St. Mary's Catholic School.

Preparation for First Holy Communion at 1:00PM Ministry outreach

Wednesday March 16: Mass at 9:00 AM. Ministry Outreach Hythe Continuing Care at 10:00AM Ministry Outreach Hythe Piooner's Home at 11:20AM Visits to Sick and Housebound -Horse Lake First Nation at 12:30Noon

**Thursday March 17:** Holy Eucharist at 9:00 AM West County Ministerial meeting at St. Mary's Beaverloge.

Ministry outreach – Beaverlodge Hospital and neighboring communities

*Feast of Saint Patrick. Holy Eucharist at 5:00PM in St. Patrick's Church, Rio Grande* 

**Friday March 18:** Holy Eucharist at 9:00 AM followed by Eucharistic adoration.

Holy Communion & amp; Visits to sick and housebound. Holy Eucharist at 6:15PM followed by Stations of the Cross.

**Saturday March 19:** NO MASS at 9:00 AM & 3:00PM Sunday Mass celebrated on Saturday in St. Patrick's Church, Rio – Grande at 7:30PM

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Confessions will be heard <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> hour before all Masses and anytime upon request.

Holy Communion to the sick and house bond, Blessings:

Available anytime upon request You are welcome to send us prayer request so that we can place your prayer intention at the feet of the Lord and pray as a community. **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.

#### **OCIA 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

You are welcome to send us prayer request so that we can place your prayer intention at the feet of the Lord and pray as a community.

#### The Archdiocese GM Monthly Magazine "Northern Light"

Consists of a lot of information about what is happening around the Archdiocese, stories, upcoming events and a much more!

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# Feast Day of St. Joseph

There will be a Solemn Mass celebrated by Archbishop Pettipas to mark the

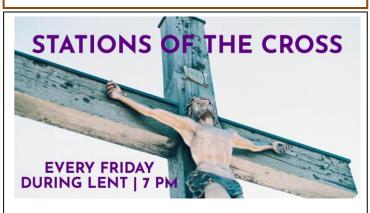


Closing of the Year of St. Joseph

> Date: March 19, 2022 Place: St. Joseph's Church Spirit River, AB Time: 11 am

## Job at the Archdiocese

The Archdiocese of Grouard-McLennan is seeking a Youth Minister to direct and coordinate a strong, faith-filled youth ministry aimed at helping youth grow as disciples of Jesus Christ. The position is based in Grande Prairie and requires travel across the archdiocese. See all the details on the website: https://archgm.ca/job-opportunities/.



Celebration of the Mass at 6:15pm followed by the Stations of the Cross at 7pm.

Stations of the Cross Host Schedule:
March 4, 7:00 pmK of C
March 11, 7:00 pmCWL
March 18, 7:00 pmSt. Mary's School
March 25, 7:00 pmPPC
April 1, 7:00 pmPFC
April 8, 7:00 pm Development and Peace

# Ukraine Emergency Response

If any of you wish to offer financial assistance to the Ukrainian people who are now facing difficult decisions and finding themselves in great need, the following aid agencies have partners on the ground who can get supplies to the needy:

- CNEWA (The Catholic Near East Welfare Association )
- Development & Peace (https://www.devp.org/en/)

Let us pray for peace in Ukraine ~Archbishop Gerard Pettipas

# Ash Wednesday Collection 2022

This year the collection will go to the Indigenous Reconciliation Fund, for reconciliation programs for Indigenous communities within our archdiocese, especially for healing and reconciliation for communities and families; culture and language revitalization; education and community building; and dialogue promoting Indigenous spirituality.

See the Archbishop's letter on this CCCB initiative at https://archgm.ca.

## **Development and Peace:**

Madagascar: an ecological village to cope with climate change

Development and Peace's People and Planet First campaign celebrates what solidarity can achieve, even against seemingly impossible odds.

In Madagascar, for instance, Development and Peace's partner, the Development Council of Andohatapenaka (CDA), empowers people to manage and transform their neighbourhoods.

In the capital region, which is afflicted by flooding and poor waste management, CDA has helped the residents of one vulnerable area to turn their environs into a thriving ecological village. Today, each of the 50 households involved in the project has a vegetable garden, a stove and solar panels. This transformation reflects a true ecological conversion.

Watch the video at devp.org/lent/act.

# St. Patrick's Day Mass

Thursday, March 17, 2022 5:00 PM St. Patrick's Church, Rio Grande



# *from* Parishioner *to* **DISCIPLE**

#### Lenten Workshop with Fr. Ed Eherer

Jesus began his mission to the world by first calling ordinary men and women to become disciples. What began on the shores of Galilee two thousand years ago continues today. Our Lord is calling each of you to embrace your vocation as a disciple in today's world. How do you make the transition from "mere parishioner" to "committed disciple?"

LENTEN WORKSHOP SATURDAY MARCH 26, 2022 10AM – 12 NOON ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH, BEAVERLODGE





Thursday, April 7, 2022 Preparation Begins at 6:30PM With the Sacrament of Reconciliation from 7:00PM until all confessions have been heard

Fr. Leo English and Fr. Michael will be available for confession.

# You Are Invited



Pope Francis wants to better understand the experiences of people from all walks of life and faith backgrounds including people who are outside what we think of as mainstream Catholicism. He is asking us to share our personal experiences with the Church through a process of listening gatherings.

Your involvement with the listening gatherings would be very much appreciated and is essential to understanding how God is calling us to live our faith now.

Please take the time to join us at of the following gathering so that your voice can be heard. Listening Gathering –

> In person at St. Mary's Catholic School March 22nd Tuesday, 2022 @ 3:15PM

#### **Fundamental Question**

A synodal Church, in announcing the Gospel, "journeys together": How is this "journeying together" happening today in your particular Church?

This question is a starting point for you to think about and share your own experiences in and with the Church. Some things to think about in answering this question are:

- How do you think you have journeyed with others?
- What are specific events or interactions that capture your feelings about the faith and the Church?
- Who has inspired you to start or continue your faith journey?
- What have been your highest and lowest points on your faith journey, and how has the Church been a part of that?