

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



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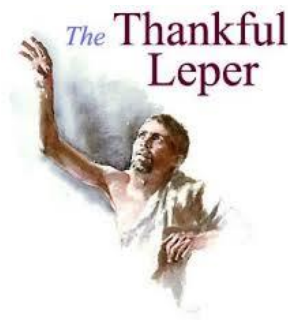
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**\*\*Please have Bulletin info to office by 3pm on Wednesdays\*\***

**Archdiocese of Grouard-McLennan website: [www.archgm.ca](http://www.archgm.ca)**

***"We are called to nurture Life and Spirit"***



**28<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, October 9, 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 7:30 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> Saturday – 2:00 PM

**THIS WEEK**  
**Happy Thanksgiving!**

**Monday:** St. Paulinus of York

**Tuesday:** St. John XXIII

**Wednesday:** St. Wilfred

**Thursday:**

**Friday:** St. Callistus I

**Saturday:** St. Theresa of Avila

**Father's Footsteps:**

**Father's footsteps: Oct. 10- Oct. 15, 2022**

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

**Monday Oct. 10:** Thanksgiving. Mass at 9:00 AM  
Ministry outreach, Beaverlodge Hospital and neighboring communities

Meeting

**Tuesday Oct. 11:** School Mass at 9:00AM.

Ministry outreach, Beaverlodge Hospital, and neighboring communities

Sacramental preparation

**Wednesday Oct. 12:** Mass at 900AM

Ministry Outreach Hythe Continuing Care at 10:20AM,

Hythe Pioneer's Home at 12:20Noon

Visits to Sick and Housebound -Horse Lake First Nation at 1:30PM

CWL Meeting at 7:00PM

**Thursday Oct. 13:** Mass at 9:00AM

Ministry outreach Rio Grande, Beaverlodge Hospital.

Pro-life event GP

**Friday Oct. 14:** Mass at 9:00AM followed by Eucharistic adoration.

Ministry outreach, Beaverlodge and neighboring

Communities

Seminar

**Saturday October 15:** Mass at 9:00AM.

Sunday Mass celebrated on Saturday evening at St.

Edmund's Hythe at 7:30 PM.

Ministry outreach, Beaverlodge Hospital and neighboring communities

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Father will be available for confessions on weekdays half an hour before Mass, Sundays after Mass and 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

**August 2022 Collections**

Ordinary Collection: \$4713.00

Total Expense: \$8237.69

Net Income: -\$3524.69

YTD Ordinary Collection: \$49338.21

YTD Total Expense: \$69736.18

YTD Net Income: -\$20397.97

**Roof Fundraiser Total: \$20,590.00!!**

Thank you for your generosity and commitment to the Church!

**Chalice Sponsorship Appeal**



Chalice Sponsorship Invitation

Sunday November 6, 2022

During the 11:00 AM Mass

At St. Mary's Beaverlodge

Presented by Deacon Gerald Logan

Please join the Chalice Sponsorship team after Mass for potluck and fellowship!

**St. Mary's School Mass Celebration**

Tuesday, Oct. 11, 2022

9AM

St. Mary's Church



**Knights of Columbus Charities Announcements**

~ **Knights of Columbus Membership Drive**

Sunday October 16, 2022, immediately after 11:00AM Mass.

~ In support of Educational Institutions, Churches, Communities, Youth and Senior activities across Alberta, K of C our local chamber requesting all our parishioners to support member council 11495 by purchasing **raffle tickets** online.

The proceedings will be sent to Beaverlodge Food Bank – FCSS.

For more details login [www.koc5050.com](http://www.koc5050.com) or see our parish notice board.

THE CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE OF GROUND-  
MCLENNAN DIOCESAN

**FALL EDUCATION WORKSHOP**  
"Understanding the League Changes"  
With guest speaker Cathy Bouchard

October 15, 2022,  
St. Joseph's Tranquille hall, Grande Prairie  
Registration: 9:30 am  
10 am Opening 12 noon lunch  
Cost: \$20 (includes lunch 2 pm Closing with Rosary  
Rally said by everyone



**ROSARY RALLY**

Praying the Rosary for Canada!  
Please join us on October 16  
1:00 pm  
St. Mary's Church  
**"Finally, My Immaculate Heart will triumph!"**  
*Our Lady at Fatima, 1917*

**Annual Archbishop's Dinner**

Our annual Archbishop's Dinner will be held online this year on Friday, Nov. 4. It will be livestreamed with special guests, a delicious meal and much fun.  
As part of the dinner, we are also once again hosting an online auction.

If parish councils, groups, businesses or individuals are interested in donating items for the auction, please contact your pastor or e-mail [comdirector.agm@outlook.com](mailto:comdirector.agm@outlook.com).

*Women of the Peace*

PRESENTS *Weary No More*

OCTOBER 14 & 15, 2022

Grande Prairie Alliance Church

15502 102 Street, Grande Prairie

\*This is a multi-faith, multi-denominational event  
*"Come to me, all you who are weary and  
burdened, and I will give you rest."*

Registration details: Go to Facebook "Women of the Peace" or [gpalliance.ca](http://gpalliance.ca) and find the registration under "events" or use QR code on poster. You can also register by calling 780.532.8836



**CWL Bake Sale**

Sunday, Nov. 6<sup>th</sup>, 2022  
St. Mary's Church Hall  
Immediately after the 11 am Mass!

Donations of baked goods will be greatly appreciated!

A list of ingredients must be included with all baked goods. Please price your goodies and drop them off in the church hall before Mass

Looking for fresh food donations for 2 Afghan Refugee families in Grande Prairie

Some suggestions; potatoes, carrots, eggs, goat meat

If you can help, please contact Mia at 780.933.5478 or call the parish office at 780.354.2415

**THE THEOLOGY OF THE BODY**

We are planning to start a twelve-week program titled 'Fulfilled: The promise of the Christian life' for all parishioners.

This involves a half hour DVD Presentation followed by a half hour discussion and fellowship.

Those who are interested to participate in it, please enroll your name in the sign-up sheet that is placed in the foyer.

Next Session TBA



**Worldwide Marriage Encounter**

**Worldwide Marriage Encounter is back!**

We are having a Worldwide Marriage Encounter  
Virtual Experience based in Grande Prairie.  
October 21-23, 2022.

To Register go to [WWME.ORG](http://WWME.ORG) and Apply for the Grande Prairie Experience.

For more information contact;  
Doug & Candice Chappell - 778 479-7900 or  
[Doug.Candice.Chappell@wwme.org](mailto:Doug.Candice.Chappell@wwme.org)



The first words placed in the mouth of Christ in John's Gospel are not: "Follow all these rules or you're going to hell." Rather, Christ probes our hearts with a question: "What are you looking for?" (John 1:38).

Christianity is not primarily a religion of law, as it is so frequently considered. It is first and foremost a religion of longing. The purpose of God's law is to point our longing toward real satisfaction and away from the counterfeits. The "whole life of the good Christian is a holy longing," wrote Saint Augustine. "That is our life, to be trained by longing."

In this life-changing series, Christopher West takes you on an eye-opening tour of the first pillar of the Catechism of the Catholic Church – beginning with the "ache" of human longing and ending with a vision of the Creed like you've never heard – and in the process demonstrates beyond any shadow of a doubt that Christianity is not the backward list of prohibitions it is so often assumed to be. Rather it's the religion of desire that holds out to us the hope of infinite bliss and fulfillment.

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Christopher West serves as President and Senior Lecturer for the Theology of the Body Institute near Philadelphia, PA. His global lecturing, best-selling books, and multiple audio and video programs, and popular podcast have made him one of the world's most recognized teachers in the Catholic Church today.

Intro/outro Music and video by Mike Mangione  
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*May God be merciful and bless us.  
May His face smile with favor on us.*

*May Your ways be known throughout the  
earth, Your saving power among people  
everywhere.*

*May the nations praise You, oh God. Yes,  
may all the nations praise You. Let the whole  
world sing for joy because You govern the  
nations with justice and guide the people of  
the whole world.*

*May the nations praise You, oh God. Yes,  
may all the nations praise You. Then the  
earth will yield its harvests, and God, our  
God, will richly bless us, and people all over  
the world will fear Him. ~ Psalms 67*

### **St. Mary's Men's Group**

This group is intended to get men involved in prayer, reflection and studies based on scripture. Men who are interested may contact Fr. Michael for more information or sign up on the St. Mary's Men's Group form available in the Church foyer. More details to follow.



### **Volunteers needed for Various parish ministries**

If you are interested to volunteer at St. Mary's parish there are positions you can help with!

Please pick-up a form located in the church foyer and submit to parish priest/parish office or drop your form in the collection basket.

## **Archdiocese of Grouard-McLennan Job Postings**

1. The Archdiocese of Grouard-McLennan has an exciting opportunity for an **Executive Assistant**. This is a full-time position of 40 hours per week, including occasional weekends. Reporting to the Archbishop, this team member will be responsible for administrative support to the Archbishop and other chancery officials, and to archdiocesan committees; organizing and attending various events and meetings throughout the archdiocese; assisting foreign priests with requirements of life in Canada; and assisting with the development and dissemination of archdiocesan policies and procedures. The successful candidate will be a highly skilled professional with senior-level administrative experience whose track record demonstrates excellent written and verbal communication skills; judgement and discretion; ability to identify and manage priorities, and the ability to work independently and collaboratively, as the situation requires Interested candidates are invited to submit a cover letter and resume by email to [jobs.agm@outlook.com](mailto:jobs.agm@outlook.com) or by mail to Archdiocese of Grouard-McLennan, 10301 102 Street, Grande Prairie AB T8V 2W2.  
**Closing Date: October 7, 2022**
2. The Archdiocese of Grouard-McLennan is seeking a **full-time Bookkeeper and Administrative Assistant** (36 hours per week) to work in the chancery office in Grande Prairie. Please see details on the website: <https://www.archgm.ca/>. Or contact the Chancery office: 780.532.9766. Applications may be sent by email to [jobs.agm@outlook.com](mailto:jobs.agm@outlook.com). **Deadline for applications: Friday, October 14, 2022.**
3. The Archdiocese of Grouard-McLennan is seeking a **full-time Building and Property Specialist** to work in parishes across the Archdiocese. Please see details on the website: <https://www.archgm.ca/>. Or contact the Chancery office: 780.532.9766. Applications may be sent by email to [jobs.agm@outlook.com](mailto:jobs.agm@outlook.com). **Deadline for applications: Friday, October 14, 2022**