

**ST. MARY'S: ST. PATRICK'S: ST. EDMUNDS:
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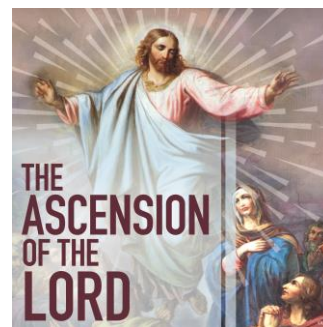
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Please have Bulletin info to office by 3pm on Wednesdays

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"We are called to nurture Life and Spirit"



ASCENSION OF THE LORD, May 21st, 2023

MASS TIMES:

**SUNDAY MASS TIMES AT ST. MARY'S CHURCH:
Sunday 11AM & 7PM**

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 after 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 4:30 PM at St. Mary's Catholic Church

School Mass

To be announced monthly.

St. Edmund's – Hythe

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

2nd and 4th Sunday Mass will be celebrated on Saturday at 7:30 PM

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: January, March, May, September, November on the 2nd Tuesday of these months – 5 PM

Parish Finance Council: As announced

Catholic Women's League Beaverlodge: First Saturday of each month at 10 AM, Church meeting room

Knights of Columbus: 3rd Saturday – 2:00 PM

ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Monday ~ St. Rita of Casia, Victoria Day
Tuesday ~ St. William of Rochester
Wednesday ~ Bl. Louis-Zephirin Moreau,
World Day of Prayer for the Church in China
Thursday ~ St. Bede the Venerable, St. Gregory VII
Friday ~ St. Philip Neri
Saturday ~ St Augustine of Canterbury

Father's Footsteps:

Father's footsteps: May 22-27, 2023

Monday May 22: Mass at 9:00AM
Ministry Outreach, Beaverlodge Hospital and
neighboring communities
Webinar

Tuesday May 23: Mass at 9:00AM
Divine Renovation Seminar
Ministry Outreach, Rio Grande and neighboring
communities

Wednesday May 24: Mass at 9:00PM
Ministry Outreach Hythe Continuing Care at 10:00AM.
Hythe Pioneer's Home at 12:20Noon
Visits to Housebound and sick – Horselake First Nation
Ministry Outreach - Pearson Home, Hythe
Meeting
K of C Rosary at 6:30PM

Thursday May 25: Mass at 9:00 AM
Sacramental preparation
Ministry Outreach, Beaverlodge Hospital and
neighboring communities
Divine Renovation Session

Friday May 26: Mass at 9:00AM followed by
Eucharistic adoration.
Seminar
Ministry Outreach, Beaverlodge Hospital and
neighboring communities
Communion to the Sick & Housebound

Saturday May 27: Mass at 9:00AM
Sunday Mass celebrated on Saturday evening at St.
Patrick's Church, Rio Grande at 7:30PM.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Father will be available
for confessions on weekdays half an hour
before Mass and upon request. If there is a requirement
Sundays after Mass.

Holy Communion to the sick and house bond,

Blessings: Available anytime upon request

Please note: This is my usual schedule for the week.

Unexpected emergencies do pop-up. If
you need to contact me for any needs please feel free to
do so.

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

April 2023 Collections

Ordinary Collection: \$11564.70

Other donations: \$2635.13

Total Revenue: \$14199.83

Total Expense: \$11102.74

Net Income: \$3097.09

YTD Ordinary Collection: \$35897.50

YTD Total Other Revenue: \$ 3285.64

YTD Total Revenue: \$39183.14

YTD Total Expenses: \$36931.40

YTD Net Income: \$2251.74

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

LOOKING FOR YOUTH FAITH LEADERS

His Grace is requesting
St. Mary's parish to
discern adults, high
school youths and/or
young couples in our
parish who could do some youth ministry & to
be faith leaders in the community.
If you are interested, please contact Fr. Michael
/parish office.



You're Invited in the celebration of the Birth of
the Catholic Church and the coming of the
Holy Spirit on Pentecost Sunday, May 27/28
at 11 am

Come to Mass wearing red (the liturgical color
for the day) or wearing clothing that represents
your cultural heritage.

After Mass we will gather in parish hall to
share birthday cake, coffee & snacks and pray
the Our Father in our own languages!

Roadside Clean-up Fundraiser Schedule

K of C thanks everyone who participated
in roadside clean up on Saturday May 6th
Proceeds going to K of C

POSTPONED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

CWL on Saturday May 13th
Proceeds going to K of C
St. Mary's Church on May 27th
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POSTPONED

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

Monday, May 29, 2023
10:30 AM
St. Mary's Church

Next Youth Mass & Potluck Meal



Sunday
June 4, 2023

Following the 11:00AM Mass.
All are welcome to join us for Potluck meal and
youth activity.

Pope's Pastoral Works Second Collection!

The Collection for the Pope's Pastoral Works on May
21, 2023

One-third of the funds collected is for the Pope's
charitable contributions to those most in need.
Two-thirds support the Holy Father in administering
the Holy See and serving the Universal Church.

We encourage your support for this noble cause.



STAND FIRM



Eph 6:14

*"Stand firm therefore, having belted your
waist with truth, and having put on the*

Come and join us for St. Mary's Annual Walk for Life
On Sunday, May 28, 2023. **We will begin at 1PM**
We will meet at the Highway Parking Lot (10 street
Highway 43, located across from the Beaverlodge
Hotel) where we will gather and pray the Rosary for
Life.



Knights of Columbus Scholarships

Knights of Columbus Scholarship application forms
are available at St. Mary's Church, Beaverlodge.
For more information, please contact Fr. Michael

Baby Bottle CAMPAIGN

FILL A BOTTLE,
CHANGE A LIFE



Pregnancy Care Centre Grande Prairie

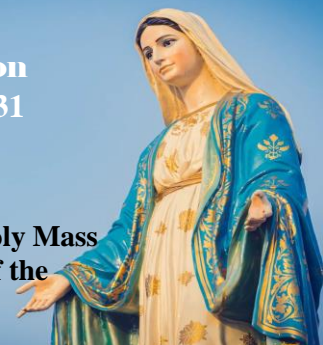
100% of the proceeds from
the Baby Bottle Campaign will go towards bringing
women-centered hope-focused, empowerment-oriented
support to vulnerable women and families facing
unplanned pregnancy. **To Donate:** Pick up a baby bottle
and fill it with change or pick up a card and donate online
(both located in the foyer of the church).

Make a difference today!

Marion Month Mass Celebration

Wednesday, May 31
9AM

St. Mary's Church
Come join us for Holy Mass
and the recitation of the
Family Rosary



Registrations for Camp St. Martin now open



Registrations for **Camp St. Martin 2023** are now open! You can register your campers at <https://www.archgm.ca/csm2023/>

We can't wait to see you and your family at this year's camp!

If you would like to **donate** to Camp St. Martin or **sponsor a camper**, just select "**Camp St. Martin Donations/Sponsorship**"

at <https://www.archgm.ca/donations/>

This summer's camp will take place over the following days: Lead Week: **Aug. 8th-13th, Jr. High: Aug. 15th-20th, Elementary: Aug. 22nd-25th** and Family Camp Weekend: **Aug. 25th-27th.**

Ignite, energize and enrich your marriage at the next **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience**

June 2 – 4, 2023

St. Joseph Catholic High School.

Learn to become the best version of yourselves together. Your relationship will be refreshed and renewed!

To Register go to WWME.org and click on the Grande Prairie experience.

Questions? Contact Doug and Candice 778 479-7900, or Doug.Candice.Chappell@wwme.org

Horizons of Hope

The Bishops of Canada, who have solicitude for the sick, the disabled, the elderly, and vulnerable persons within their flock, also seek to provide pastoral encouragement to those caring for the sick and dying. Below is a selection of collective statements from the CCCB and Bishops in different parts of the country which draw upon, highlight, and give impetus to Catholic healthcare institutions and the dedicated professionals working within them.

For more information: login in to: cccb.ca/faith-moral-issues/health-care/palliative-care/

Making an Informed, Moral Choice

The Catholic Bishops of Alberta have written a collective letter titled "Making an Informed, Moral Choice" offering Catholic principals and guidance to consider when voting in the upcoming provincial election.

You can read this important letter at archgm.ca under the "Latest News" section, or pick-up a copy in the church foyer.

Job Opportunity

*The Archdiocese has an exciting job opportunity for a full-time **Secretary to the Archbishop**. This team member will be responsible for administrative support to the archbishop and other chancery staff, organizing and attending various events and meetings, assisting foreign priests with the requirements of life in Canada, and helping develop the archdiocese's policies and procedures.*

See the full details for this position at archgm.ca – just click "Job Opportunities" under the Contact section. Interested candidates should e-mail a cover letter and resume to jobs.agm@outlook.com

Archbishop's email account has been hacked!

This is to remind you that there has been a second number of scam e-mails sent from the archbishop's e-mail account (archbishop.agm@live.ca). Please be extra careful when receiving any e-mails from the archbishop, especially in regard to anything about money or gift cards. Please do not respond. Do not open an email from him.

All his contacts have been sent a message – **BUT HE DID NOT SEND IT. PLEASE IGNORE AN EMAIL FROM HIS GRACE.**

If you get or got an email from His Grace about sending him money by e-Transfer, please know that he did not do that ... nor would he ever! Ignore that message!