

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

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31st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, November 5th, 2023

MASS TIMES:

SUNDAY MASS TIMES AT ST. MARY'S CHURCH: Sunday 11AM

St. Mary's – Beaverlodge
Weekday Mass: No weekday Mass from October 30th to November 30th, 2023
Eucharistic Adoration: No adoration from October 30th to November 30th, 2023
Sunday Mass: 11:00 AM
First Saturday of the Month: Mass canceled on November 4th, 2023
Reconciliation: Confessions will be heard 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. Canceled from October 30th to November 30th, 2023
Meditation: Every Wednesday at 4:30 PM at St. Mary's Catholic Church

Youth Mass October 1, November 5, December 3, 2023. January 14, February 4, March 3, May 5, 2024.

School Mass November 30

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: The 2nd Tuesday of every month – 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

This Week

Monday ~ All Saints of Ireland Tuesday ~ St. Engelbert Wednesday ~ FOUR CROWNED MARTYRS Thursday ~ DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA Friday ~ St. Andrew Avellino

Saturday ~ St. Martin of Tours REMEMBRANCE DAY



Almighty everlasting God, who sent your Son to die that we might live, grant, we pray, eternal rest to those who gave themselves in service and sacrifice for their country. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.



- 1. December 3, 2023: Potluck Sunday along with Youth Mass and Gingerbread baking and craft fundraiser
- 2. December (?), 2023: Date TBA CWL Christmas Party
- 3. December 10, 2023: St. Mary's School Chili and Bun Fundraiser

Mass Schedule Change Announcement

There will NO MASS on Saturday Oct 28, 2023 at 9:00AM.

NO WEEKDAY MASSES from Oct 28 to Nov 29, 2023 except Nov 1, 2 & 30, 2023.

Sunday's 7:00PM Masses remain cancelled from Sunday Oct 29 to Sunday Dec 3, 2023.

BAPTISM: Sacraments: Parents are required to complete a Baptism course for each of their children. Contact the parish priest/parish office minimum before 2 months for preparation and arrangements.

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

September 2023 Collections

Ordinary Collection: \$5763.20 Other donations or revenue \$200.12 Total Revenue: \$5963.32 Total Expense: \$14,478.60 Net Income: -\$8515.28 YTD Ordinary Collection: \$65859.50 YTD Total Other Revenue: \$4854.35 YTD Total Revenue: \$70,713.85 YTD Total Expenses: \$82319.14 YTD Net Income: -\$11,605.29

Donate to your parish online by scanning this QR code:



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

The Archdiocese of Grouard-McLennan is continuing their monthly magazine **Northern Light** for a third year. The magazine includes in-depth stories, photo spreads and features from Catholic communities across our region. It is a unique resource that is cherished by its readers – don't miss out! Become a subscriber or renew your yearly subscription for \$70 at <u>www.archgm.ca</u> or check your church for a subscription card.

Dear Parishioners

I will be on vacation from Friday Oct 27 to Nov 30, 2023. I will be returning on Friday Dec 1, 2023. Priests from St. Joseph's church, GP will take care of the spiritual needs and any emergency in my absence.

Know that you are in my prayers.

Thanks Peace & Blessings! Fr. Michael Dias Pastor St. Mary's & neighboring parishes. Daylight Savings Time Ends, November 5 *Remember to Fall back!

St. Edmund's, Hythe, Mass Time Change!

All Saturday Evening Mass Times will be changed to 4:30PM beginning on November 11 2023

GAZA CRISIS: A CALL TO HELP, A CALL TO PEACE

MONTREAL, October 25, 2023 — <u>Development and</u> <u>Peace — Caritas Canada</u> is making an immediate allocation of \$150,000 to Caritas Jerusalem to help it meet the needs of families besieged and displaced by the ongoing crisis in Gaza in the Holy Land.

As a <u>member of the Canadian Foodgrains Bank</u>, Development and Peace — Caritas Canada is also participating in the Humanitarian Coalition's **Gaza Humanitarian Emergency** appeal. This means that **donations for this cause will be matched dollar for dollar** by the Government of Canada up to a maximum of \$10 million **until November 12**. We therefore invite Canadians to <u>donate generously</u>.

In addition to over a million people displaced, the UN reports over 3,700 people killed since hostilities escalated earlier this month. The victims include Viola, a 26-year-old Caritas Jerusalem employee and her sister, daughter and husband, who were killed by a missile strike on an Orthodox Church building.

Facing a near-total blockade and ongoing bombardment, our partner Caritas Jerusalem urgently needs help to provide food, water, shelter, hygiene kits, healthcare and psychosocial support to the wounded, the displaced and the bereaved. So, as you join <u>Pope Francis in praying</u> that "weapons be silenced" and that "the cry for peace" is heeded, we invite you to **give generously to help our sisters and brothers in Gaza**.

Please give directly to Development and Peace

- Online at <u>devp.org/give</u>
- By calling 1-888-234-8533 toll-free
- By mailing a cheque payable to Development and Peace (marked Gaza Humanitarian Emergency) to: 555 René-Lévesque Blvd. West, 8th Floor Montreal, Quebec H2Z 1B1



Donations of baked goods, Gingerbread and Christmas Crafts will be greatly appreciated!

Volunteers are also needed for hall set up. If you can help, please contact the Parish office.

All proceeds will go to Foundation for life and the Beaverlodge Food bank

Please drop your donations off in the church hall before Mass



Youth Mass December 3, at 11:00AM St. Mary's Church

All are welcome to join us for Potluck and youth activity immediately after 11:00AM Mass. Pastoral Arrangements - In the absence of Pastor –St. Mary's Catholic Church, Beaverlodge, 2023 Sunday, Oct 29, 11:00 AM, Fr. Joseph Horo C.Ss.R All Saints Day, Wednesday Nov 1, 9:00AM (for all parishioners & school children), Fr. Joseph Horo C.Ss.R All Souls Day, Thursday Nov 2, 9:00AM Fr. Ed Eherer C.Ss. R Sunday, Nov 5, St. Mary's Youth Mass & Potluck Sunday (Daylight Saving ends) 11:00AM Fr. Charles Duval C.Ss.R Sunday, Nov 12, 11:00AM Fr. Ed Eherer C.Ss. R Sunday, Nov 12, 11:00AM Fr. Ed Eherer C.Ss. R Sunday, Nov 26, 11:00 AM Fr. Joseph Horo C.Ss.R Sunday, Nov 26, 11:00 AM Fr. Ed Eherer C.Ss. R Thursday 30, Nov, Monthly School Mass 9:00AM (For all parishioners and school children) School Mass. Fr. Charles Duval C.Ss.R

Pastoral Arrangements - In the absence of Pastor- St. Edmund's Church, Hythe, 2023

Sunday, Oct 29, 9:00 AM Fr. Joseph Horo C.Ss.R Thursday Nov 2, All Souls Day, 1:00PM Fr. Ed Eherer C.Ss. R Sunday, Nov 5, 9:00 AM Fr. Charles Duval C.Ss.R Saturday, Nov. 11, 4:30 PM Fr. Ed Eherer C.Ss. R Sunday, Nov 19, 9:00 AM Fr. Joseph Horo C.Ss.R Saturday, 25, 4:30 PM Fr. Ed Eherer C.Ss. R

Pastoral Arrangements - In the absence of Pastor - St. Patrick's, Rio Grande, 2023

Saturday Oct 28, 7:30 PM Fr. Joseph Horo C.Ss.R Thursday Nov 2, All Souls Day, 5:00PM Msgr. Charles Lavoie Saturday Nov 4, 7:30PM Fr. Charles Duval C.Ss.R Sunday, Nov 12, 9:00 AM Fr. Ed Eherer C.Ss. R Saturday, Nov 18, 7:30 PM Fr. Joseph Horo C.Ss.R Sunday, Nov 26, 9:00 AM Fr. Ed Eherer C.Ss. R

The Catholic Bishops of Alberta and the

Northwest Territories have prepared a joint letter, available in English, in celebration of Catholic Education Sunday on Nov. 5th. The bishops reflect on the importance of Catholic education and the theme for this year's Catholic Education Sunday, Courage to Lead You can view the letter here: https://www.archgm.ca/2023/10/alberta-nwtbishops-share-letter-for-catholic-educationsunday-2/ or: stmarybeaverlogde.ca See further resources here: https://www.acsta.ab.ca/resources/catholic-

education-sunday

STAND FOR THE LAND

Thousands of Canadians signed the letter in solidarity with our sisters and brothers in Honduras who are protecting their water and fighting for their rights. The Create Hope – Stand for the Land campaign aims to collect 32,000 signatures by February 25, 2024. A delegation of Development and Peace — Caritas Canada members and staff will then meet with the Honduran ambassador to Canada to show our support and solidarity. On behalf of all those struggling to preserve their land, their water, their culture and their lives, Development and Peace — Caritas Canada thanks you for your continued commitment and mobilization. Together, we are building a world of justice.

Please sign the petition located in the church foyer

Sacrament of Holy Communion & Anointing of the Sick

This Sacrament is available for anyone who has a serious illness: the elderly whose frailty is becoming more pronounced, major surgery/serious medical tests, uncontrollable and chronic illnesses (arthritis, diabetes, etc.), mental illness. If you know of anyone who would benefit from this sacrament or is homebound due to infirmity and seeking sacraments please contact Priests from St. Joseph's Church GP. Parish Office Extension to Fr. Charles Duval C. Ss. R (780) 532-2351.