

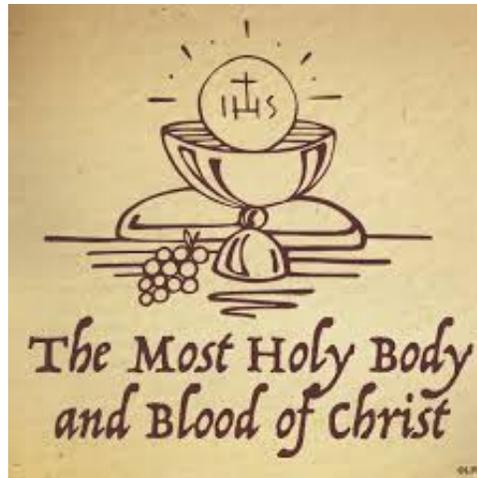
St. Rose of Lima Church

June 3, 2018

FEAST OF THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

Pastor:

Father David Martin



Masses:

Thursday: 12:10 PM Saturday 4:00 PM Sunday: 9:00 AM

Confession:

Saturday at 3:00 PM

Baptisms:

Please call the Office 653-6850 for arrangements.

Catechism has wrapped up for the year and we have been busy! We started with our Helping Hands initiative, fundraised and filled 127 Christmas Shoeboxes, had Christmas caroling and cookie decorating, participated in masses at Christmas and Easter, created Kindness Rocks for the parish, performed and experienced the Stations of the Cross, had nine students complete confirmation, had 13 students complete First Confession and First Communion, and celebrated Pentecost. I wanted to thank the teachers this year: Grade 1- Alisha Grasse, Grade 2- Christine Ahearn, Grade 3/4- Emma Jackson and Laine Lundrigan, Grade 5- Mary Ann Patterson and Lauren McGrath, Grade 8- Marijke Blok and Louise Bouchard. We also had excellent teachers who stepped up and filled in when needed, so special thanks to Linda Vautour and Julie Halford

Andrea McGrath, Religious Education Coordinator

Sanctuary Lamp in Memory of Alice Arsenault

In the charity of your prayers, please remember: Delcia Brideau, Catherine Peters, Mary Crowley, Lois Brown, Rodger Kane, Shirley Vautour, Gary Hovey

Mass Intentions.

Tuesday June 5	7:00 PM St. Matthew	Charlie Dobson
Wednesday June 6	9:00 AM St. Augustine	Virgin Mary
Thursday June 7	12:05 PM St. Rose	Donald Melanson
Saturday, June 9	4:00 PM St. Rose	Bruce Melanson; Albert Gogan
Saturday, June 9	5:30 PM St. Augustine	Deceased Members of Pelletier and Mason Families
Sunday, June 10	9:00 AM St. Rose	Robert & Katherine Williams
Sunday, June 10	11:00 AM St. Matthew	Deceased Members of Frigault Family

Our Stewardship: May 27th, 2018

Envelopes	2222.80
Loose	205.55
Pre-Authorized Debit	410.83
Total	2839.78

*Congratulations to Earl and Carol Arsenault
on your 50th Wedding Anniversary*

June 1, 2018

with love from your family!

Outreach –We continue to look for donations of food and cash. **Our next “soup day” will be June 11.** We provided 42 cups of soup to AIDS Saint John this week.

Sunday Exposition/Adoration: Sunday June 3 at St. Joseph’s, Loch Lomond, 1-2 pm. Benediction & Confession.

Saturday Soup - Join us every Saturday evening at 5 pm in Holy Trinity’s Family Centre, 11 Canon Street. Enjoy a meal of soup, rolls, dessert, tea & coffee. Cost: Donation.

Employment Opportunity - Villa Madonna Retreat House is in immediate need of a mature person for its housekeeping team. This is a casual position with an average of 34 hours bi-weekly. Hours will include every other weekend and some shift work (ie 7:00 – 3:00 and 11:00 – 7:00). Please contact the Villa by phone 849-5125 or email: villamadonna@nb.aibn.com if you are interested.

FUND RAISING DINNER FOR SEBASTIAN DALEY HAM AND POTATO SCALLOP SUPPER will be served on SUNDAY, JUNE 3, at 4 P.M., in ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH HALL. \$10/Plate. Reserve by calling Malcolm or Pat Daley 693-1611. Sebastian suffers from Cerebral Palsy, Autism and Epilepsy. These ailments cause 15 to 30 ‘falling seizures’ per day. This means Sebastian must be in a wheel chair much of the time to avoid broken bones. Sebastian’s parents, Eric and Patti, often miss time from work taking him to the IWK, to the Emergency Department at the SJRH and to care for him at home when he cannot go to school. Neither Patti nor Eric receives income when not at work.

St. Mark’s Catholic Church, 171 Pettingill Road, Quispamsis, is having a **huge indoor yard sale on Saturday, June 9th from 9:00 a.m. – noon.** A large variety of household items, books, toys, clothing, jewelry and much much more. The sale is sponsored by St. Mark’s Care and Concern Committee. Call 849-5111 for more information. Please use the back entrance.

Knights of Columbus (Council #6770) Breakfast, Assumption Center, Chapel Street, on Sunday, June 10, 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. Adults \$7/Children \$3. Come and enjoy a good breakfast with your friends.

Would the person or family using envelope # 343 please contact the Rectory at 653-6850.

Saint John Right to Life is holding their **Annual Meeting and Dinner** Wed. June 6th at Stella Maris Church on Bayside Dr. at 6pm. Tickets for Turkey Dinner are \$20 and can be preordered before June 5th by phoning the Centre at 657-3771. Everyone welcome!

Because of the dinner, the monthly **Mass for Life** will be held the following Tuesday, **June 12th at 7:00 PM at Holy Trinity Church.**

General Meeting of Knights of Columbus will be held on June 4.

CWL Closing Dinner will take place at 5:00 PM on June 4th at The Coffee Mill.

If you have announcements for the website, please call the Office at 653-6850.

Walking the Walk

Ordinary Time...how these numbered weeks that march along in measured order, capture my imagination! During the 'ordinals,' or counted time, we are invited to walk, like misty shadows clothed in the green of re-birth, by the side of Jesus. We follow His growth as a teacher, and explore the roots of His ministry.

The stories of Ordinary Time invite us to examine the 'everydayness' of our faith; walking through the spring and summer season with Jesus by our side, becomes a joyous appreciation of all we have been given.

A simple summer journal of gratitude, can help mark the weeks of Ordinary Time, and deepen our understanding of what great gifts we have been given...what blessings this 'new life' showers down upon us. A daily blessing can be as simple as seeing a beautiful unclouded sky, or as unexpected as a stranger paying for your coffee. These days of Ordinary Times illuminate with soft summer light, the old saying, 'count your blessings!' Writing these blessings down, help us realize that we truly walk with Jesus every day, not just Sunday.

Summer offers suspended time within its longer evenings; time that can feed our thirsty souls with positive nourishment. Time that we can then pour into our daily life. Nourishment can come from books we never have time to read, from the plants our hands gently nestle into the soil, and from the warm sun on our winter-pale faces.

The stories each week of a very un-ordinary man who walked on this earth so long ago, can inspire us to live a life of deepened faith; to bring His message of love for others, into our daily walk. Ordinary Time takes us out of the busyness of feasts and celebrations into the slower pace of a regular day.

Ordinary Time is a quiet walk with a very good friend.

- Barbara Tracey-Laroque

"In the Bread of Life, the Lord comes to us, making himself a humble meal that lovingly heals our memory, wounded by the frantic pace of life. The Eucharist is the memorial of God's love."

- **Pope Francis 1**