

St. Patrick's Parish



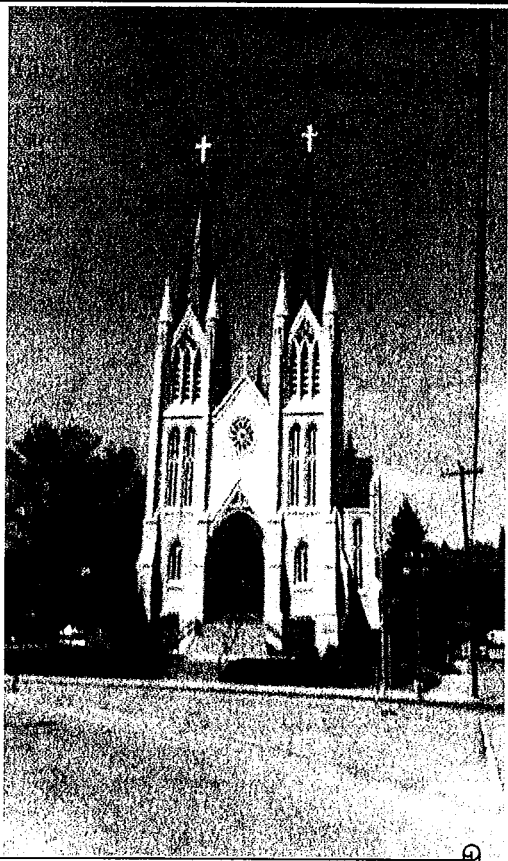
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November 22, 2015 - - Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe



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Sundays 9:00 am & 11:00 am

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Office Hours: Mon-Fri 8:30 am -12 nn & 1 pm - 4:30 pm
CLOSED ON WEEKENDS & STATUTORY HOLIDAYS

Welcome to St. Patrick's. We offer you a warm welcome, here in God's house.

If you are visiting you are very welcome; we hope you make yourself at home.

If you are new to our parish and would like to register, please fill out the form below and leave it in the collection plate and we will register you with our parish. If you are a registered parishioner and have a change of address or other information, please feel free to fill out the form and drop it in the collection. **Thank you.**

Name: _____

Spouse: _____

Address: _____

P/C _____ **Phone:** _____ **Email:** _____

Would you like Weekly Offering Envelopes? Yes ___ or No ___



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MASS TIME	Intention	ALTAR SERVERS	LECTORS	MINISTERS OF Holy Communion	GIFT BEARERS	GREETERS	USHERS
Sat Nov 21 5:00 PM	Magdalena Jaros †	Volunteer	<u>1st Reader</u> Carol Kimenius <u>2nd Reader</u> Ray Hoger	Rita White Terry Kennedy Maureen Lesko Marion Stein Bob Wist	Raymond Lambert Therese Lambert	Rachel Hammel Mag Bischoff	Kelly Mastel Peter Lesko Volunteer Volunteer
Sun Nov 22 9:00 AM	Monica "Ohlheiser" Moore †	Jeff Neumann Candy Neumann	<u>1st Reader</u> Jessica Durk <u>2nd Reader</u> Anne Helfrich	Dory Simon Rob Stroh Shirley Bachmeier Doreen Denis Dolores Hoffart	Mike Ibach Marion Ibach	Elaine Brandt Yvonne Exner	Anita Leahy Jim Steinke Ron Ruetz David Leahy
Sun Nov 22 11:00 AM	Fr. John Schuster	Alei Kuthping Aowen Kuthping Volunteer	<u>1st Reader</u> Maryanne Valley <u>2nd Reader</u> Rita White	Jacquelyn Turaray Kathleen Beierbach Maria Thompson Susan Flanagan Rita White	Bev Dirk Gloria Greenwald	Bev Dirk Yvonne Anctil	Ed Heino Harold Phillips Damiano Dalla-Longa Jason Openo
MASS TIME	Intention	ALTAR SERVERS	LECTORS	MINISTERS OF Holy Communion	GIFT BEARERS	GREETERS	USHERS
1st Sunday of Advent Sat Nov 28 5:00 PM	James Simpson †	James Lee Riley Lamb	<u>1st Reader</u> Terry Kennedy <u>2nd Reader</u> Mel Deydey	Anne McKee Gerry McKee Lorraine Prince Maureen Lesko Marion Stein	Baptism Family	Anne McKee Rachel Hammel	Volunteer Volunteer Volunteer Volunteer
1st Sunday of Advent Sun Nov 29 9:00 AM	Silvia Dalla-Longa †	Terry Cey Zachary Cey Danny Cey	<u>1st Reader</u> Rob Stroh <u>2nd Reader</u> Rita White	Ellen Tieman Doreen Denis Shelly Bitz Shirley Bachmeier Jim Steinke	Virginia Davies Juanita Rebmann	David Leahy Anita Leahy	Wilf Hoffart George Bleile Keith Cockerill Babu Mathew
1st Sunday of Advent Sun Nov 29 11:00 AM	Ivana Dalla-Longa †	Jacquelyn Turaray Volunteer	<u>1st Reader</u> Tom McCormick <u>2nd Reader</u> Bev Botter	Susan Flanagan Yvonne Anctil Leisha Lesko-Openo Dan Smith Cathy Smith	Baptism Family	Yvonne Anctil Gloria Greenwald	Damiano Dalla-Longa Ed Heino Harold Phillips Volunteer

WEEKDAY MASS:

Tue Nov 24 7:00 pm

Intention: Derek Remus(Seminararian)

Wed Nov 25 8:15 am Intention:Silvana Dalla Longa

Thu Nov 26 8:15 am Intention: Monica Bleile

Fri Nov 27 8:15 am Intention:

Breda Cahalan

Nov 22, 2015 - Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe

This week's Readings:

1st Reading: Daniel 7.13-14 [Everlasting Kingship]

His dominion is an everlasting dominion.

2nd Reading: Revelation 1.5-8 [The Alpha and the Omega]

The ruler of the kings of the earth has made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God.

Gospel: John 18.33b-37 [Christ's Kingdom]

You say that I am a king.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22 @ 11 am

Jubilee Mass for Fr. John Schuster

A Reception will take place in the Parish Hall following the celebration.

NOTICE TO ALL EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION.

There will be a WORKSHOP held after each Mass this weekend Nov 21 & 22. We need all NEW and existing Ministers to attend this workshop. The workshops will be held after each Mass and will take about 30 minutes. You can go to either the Mass you usually attend or which ever Mass you can make it to that weeknd, but please stay for the workshop. THANK-YOU!

TUESDAY NOV 24

➤ 9:00 am - 12 nn **ST. PAT'S QUILTING CLUB** in the Parish Hall

➤ 4:00 pm **SVDP Meeting @ Holy Family**



To assist ALL the needy, regardless of race, religion or nationality ... this is the purpose of the St. Vincent de Paul Society. The only requirement is need.

PLEASE REMEMBER OUR POOR BOXES.

RCIA Tuesdays @ 7:30pm

RCIA is the process to enter the Roman Catholic Church. Nov. 24, 2015 - Office Meeting Room

- Review 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year B)
- Review Journey of Faith (C11 /C12)
- Church History
- Review Christ the King
- Review Journey of Faith (Q12)
- Liturgical Year & Advent

For more information please contact Deacon Terry at 403-504-4352

WEDNESDAY NOV 25

➤ 10:00 am Legion of Mary in the Hall Meeting Room

➤ 7:00 PM Choir Practice in the Church

SATURDAY NOV 28

TMIIY: That Man Is You!

Sat Nov 28 Theme: "Find God In Other People"

Holy Family Parish Hall 7:30 am Breakfast

8:00 am Meeting 9:00 am Conclusion

Register for this free program online at

www.thatmanisyou.org

Benedictine Oblates:

Benedictine Oblates of Mount Angel Abbey will be meeting on Saturdays @ 9:30 am in the Office Meeting Room at St. Patrick's. If you have a desire to seek God as a Benedictine Oblate and to develop a Benedictine spirituality we invite you to join us.

For more information please contact:

Lorraine Prince: 403-866-9338 or

Gordon Rice: 403-527-7423

Carol Kimenius: 403-526-0415



MUSIC MINISTRY IS LOOKING FOR NEW MEMBERS

Do you like to sing? The Regular Mass Choir rehearses Wednesdays at

7:00 pm, and sing at the 5 pm, 9 am, or 11 am Masses - whichever you would regularly attend.

Right now, we're learning new music for the Christmas Season! Come join us!


The organ loft choir invites new members to join us!

We regularly sing in 4 parts, and we usually sing for two 5pm masses. Rehearsals are currently 2:15 pm on Saturdays.




PLEASE CONTACT: Susan @ 403-526-5974

or Paula @ 403-866-4112

Looking for a smaller time commitment come sing with the Funeral Choir contact Vicki 403-528-3216 to be put on the list.



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
GREY CUP PARTY -
SUNDAY NOV 29 3pm - 10pm
EVERYONE IS WELCOME!!!**

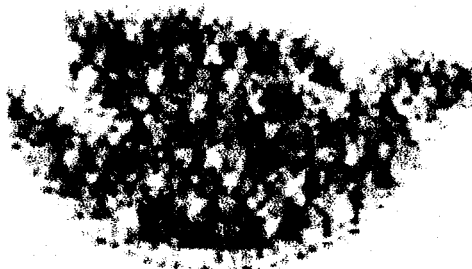


ALL ARE WELCOME

TOGETHER IN ACTION Campaign 2015-2016

*United
in faith,
Together
in Action*

2015-2016 Campaign



GOAL
39,534
35,940
32,346
28,752
25,158
21,564
17,970
14,376
10,782
7,188
3,594.

Together In Action Update 2015 Annual Campaign

Our Goal: \$ **39,534.00**
Collected: \$ (28,612.45)
To Collect: \$ **10,921.55**

8 WEEKS LEFT TO REACH OUR GOAL!!!

Our Goals for this year are:

Year: \$ 39,534.00
Monthly: \$ 3,294.52
Weekly: \$ 823.63

Financial Update



Week of Nov 15, 2015

Regular Env: \$ 4,428.00
Loose: \$ 470.30
St. Vincent de Paul: \$ 385.00

**ST. JOSEPH SUNDAY
MISSALS ARE NOW
AVAILABLE AT THE
HOSPITALITY DESK
FOR \$ 3.00 PER COPY.
PICK YOURS UP
TODAY!**

**2016 OFFERING ENVELOPES
WILL BE AVAILABLE
BEGINNING NOV 28 & 29.
EXISTING ENVELOPE USERS WILL
AUTOMATICALLY RECEIVE A BOX. FOR
THOSE WHO WOULD LIKE A BOX PLEASE
LET THE OFFICE KNOW NO LATER THAN
NOV 20TH. THANK YOU**

Let Us Pray:

For the Sick of our Parish

May the Lord's healing and life-giving touch be upon those whose cross is heavy to bear.

Especially:

*Jerome Herle
Anne Karst
Lil Boechler
Adam Marshall*

Peter & Edith Garrecht **AMEN**



!★ **Important Notice!** ★!

If you or your organization wish to use the church or the meeting rooms (including the Hall, God-Time Room, and Office Meeting Room) PLEASE remember to book them in advance through the Parish Office by calling 403-526-2265 or by emailing stpatsch@telusplanet.net.

Ministerial Association Prayer

"Seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you... and pray to the Lord on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare." (Jer.29.7)

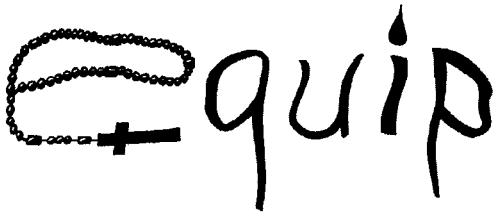
Let us pray for:

Pastor: Patrick Schenberger
Heights Baptist

Mayor: Ted Clugston, Medicine Hat

The Monsignor McMoy High School Band is selling Co-op cards as one of their fund raisers to travel to New Orleans in March of 2016. The cards may be purchased in \$50.00 amounts and can be used for \$50.00 worth of groceries, pharmacy items, and gas at the Co-op stores. If you are interested in helping the students of McCoy, please call Helen, at 403-526-0891, and leave a message. (There is also an open account at Shamrock Bottle Depot: under McCoy Band.) Thank you for considering our cause. God Bless.

YOUTH MINISTRY



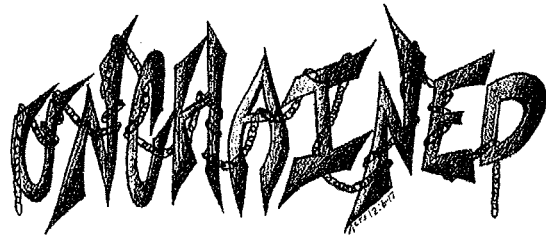
Grades 6-8
Friday Nights 7-9pm

"Popearazzi"

What does the Pope like to eat? Where is he from? What did he do before he was pope? Come for a night about Pope Francis and the year of Mercy.

December 4th @ Holy Family

December 11th @ St. Pat's Church



Grades 9-12
Sunday Nights 7-9pm

"I AM"

Last week we met Matthew, Mark, and Luke, now it's time to get to know John. This guy's gospel is a bit different than the others.

Sunday Nov 22nd @ Holy Family Parish

Coming Next....

**Giant Dutch Blitz (and other games)
Sunday November 29th @ Holy Family Parish**

Why I Worship?

CitiYouth presents a night of worship and praise with churches from around the city

Join Us Friday Nov 27th, 7pm @ First Assembly of God

Bring \$2 for pizza!

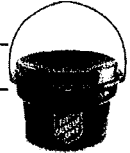
Equip and Unchained groups Welcome!

Ring a Ding Dong!

Medicine Hat Catholic Youth are going to be ringing the bells for Salvation Army's Christmas Kettles!

Saturday Dec 5th, 10am-2pm @ Walmart

Please email Louisa lougie@holyfamilymh.ca if you want to help!



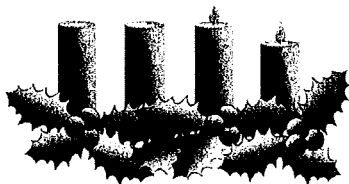
Get Ready 4 Jesus

Family and Faith Evening

What does your family do for advent? Come create an advent wreath with your family!

Saturday December 5th @ Holy Family Parish, 6-8pm

Bring a dish to share and join us for a family potluck followed by games and crafts.



Christmas Charity

Thanks to generous monetary donations, St. Vincent de Paul is able to serve many of the needy in our area with ongoing programs that support housing, utilities, clothing, transportation, medical expenses, and childcare to name a few.

The Christmas season is a good time for us to donate non-perishable food items to help make a difference for those families who are forced to turn to the Medicine Hat Food Bank for help. Please support this worthy cause by bringing in food items at all weekend masses starting the First Sunday of Advent (November 29) and continuing through the Third Sunday of Advent (December 13).

What are their critical needs items?
Canned Meat (tuna, salmon, ham, chicken)
Canned Fruit
Canned Meals (Chef Boyardee, Alphagetti etc.)
Canned Vegetables

Of course all items of food, laundry and personal hygiene are greatly appreciated. Continued support of cash and food are important as the demand is increasing due to the downturn in the economy.



Bishop Henry has once again proclaimed Dec. 12 the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe, as Mission Mexico Day in our Diocese.

Goal: To have every parishioner contribute 1 loonie.



We will be having a special collection Dec 12 and 13 at all the Masses after the regular collection.



NOVEMBER IS FAMILY VIOLENCE PREVENTION MONTH

THE SECOND ANNUAL COLLECTION OF ITEMS, needed by the Women's Shelter will be accepted at the back of the Church for the next month.

OUR CURRENT NEEDS

HYGIENE ITEMS:

Shampoo & Conditioners
Hair product (non-Aerosol Please)
Deodorant/Antiperspirant
hand and body lotions, bubble bath
make up

CLOTHING ITEMS

WOMEN & CHILDREN:

Swimsuits (New)
Underwear - All sizes (new)

Children's Program

Teen gifts girls & boys
Play Dough
Paint non-toxic washable
Paint brushes, Markers
Craft/activity kits
all ages including teens

Gift Certificates and Cards

Movie & Bowling Certificates
Leisure Centre punch cards
Rucker's, Dairy Queen, Groceries,
Tim Horton's, Transit Fare, Taxi Passes
Long distance calling cards

Household Items

New sheet sets (Twin, Double & Queen)
Towels & wash cloths, kitchen dish cloths
and tea towels, Small kitchen appliances
Pots and pans, Kitchen utensils,
Baking sheets, Drinking glasses
Casserole dishes, New water bottles
New lunch bags

Other Items

Journals

THANK YOU for your generosity.

DID YOU KNOW?

THE SACRISTY and CELEBRATION

A sacristy is a room for keeping vestments (such as the alb and chasuble) and other church furnishings, sacred vessels, and celebration books.

The sacristy is usually located inside the church, but in some cases it is an annex or separate building (as in some monasteries). In most older churches, a sacristy is near a side altar, or more usually behind or on a side of the main altar.

In newer churches the sacristy is often in another location, such as near the entrances to the church. Some churches have more than one sacristy, each of which will have a specific function. Often additional sacristies are used for maintaining the church and its items – such as candles and other materials.

The sacristy is also where the priest, deacons and attendants vest and prepare before the service. They will return there at the end of the service to remove their vestments and put away any of the vessels used during the service. The hangings and altar linens are stored there as well.

The cruets, chalice, ciborium, paten, altar linens and sometimes the Holy Oils are kept inside the sacristy. Sacristies are usually off limits to the general public. The word "sacristy" derives from the Latin sacristia, sometimes spelled sacraestia.

A person in charge of the sacristy and its contents is called a sacrist or a sacristan.



ADVENT Penitential Services: **in our Parish:**

In Medicine Hat

At St. Patrick's Church. TBA

At Holy Family Parish TBA

Several priests will be available for this service. In addition to the regular Saturday Reconciliation and our special services, **the sacrament of Reconciliation will also be available all Wednesdays during Advent in the church, Wed Dec 2 and Dec 9th, Dec 16, and Dec 23 from 7:30 to 8:30 pm**

SACRAMENTS

Only 2 more classes before Christmas break. November 28th or 29th and December 5th or 6th.

Reconciliation Services

For those making their 1st Reconciliation you can sign up before or after each remaining class.

The services will be held at

St. Patrick's Church Dec. 8th or 9th starting at 4:30pm

CHRISTMAS EVE CHILDREN/YOUTH CHOIR

We invite you to be part of the 5pm

Mass on Christmas Eve!!!

There's 2 parts to this choir, children's choir Gr 2 to Gr 6 and a youth choir from Gr 7 to Gr 12 or older

Practice times are as follows:

Sunday December 20th from 1:00pm to 2:00pm

Tuesday December 22nd from 10:00am to 11:00am

Wednesday December 23rd from 9:30am to 11:30am

***Times may change if a funeral comes up.

We will do our best to notify you. If you would like to confirm before coming on practice day feel free to contact the office at Holy Family using phone number below.

HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!!

403-527-6933 or sallym@holymfamilymh.ca

Holy Childhood Association

"Whatever you do for the least of these, my children, you do to me." (Mt.25)



• love

• prayer



• care

• sacrifice

• hope



• generosity

Caring makes a difference in someone's life!



open your heart

Share your love.



Boxes are available for families to pick up and put on your table during mealtime as a reminder of your sharing and caring for mission children.

At Christmas the boxes can be put at the Nativity & we will forward all offerings by cheque to the Holy Childhood office.

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