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An inviting faith community building up the Body of Christ

JUNE 21, 2020 - TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

UPDATE: WHAT WE'VE BEEN DOING

This week marked 3-months since pandemic protocols began. In this time, we haven't had many opportunities to catch up, so I thought I'd share with you what we've been up to. While no public Mass was offered, our church never closed its doors and the Staff and I came to the Office every day. Surprisingly, we were quite busy.

It took a few days to absorb what was happening, but we quickly organised a phone network so that isolated parishioners could be checked-on. We setup to livestream Sunday Mass and Holy Week. Some have raised concerns about the cost: we spent \$20 for a mic stand... That's it. Between myself, the school and the Parish, we already had the tech we needed. We'll do our best to continue livestreaming Sunday Mass until restrictions are lifted. While it's been helpful to watch Mass at home, this isn't something we should do lightly or consider normal.

Many of you also noticed the new candles on the Altar. Back in the Fall, I found them in the Archdiocesan archives, tarnished and worn; but I saw their beauty and rescued them. Over the winter, I stripped, polished, and refinished them to what you see today. All six candles cost us about \$200 for missing parts (brand new, they would have been at least \$600 each!).

We also had to revamp sacramental prep for distance-learning, research worthy online resources to share with you, find new ways to reach out to Parishioners, create an ad campaign in the Pipestone Flyer (have you seen it?), clean and organise the Office, and prepare for an eventual re-opening. In the midst of all of this, we continued to have the usual tasks of admin, appointments, and various walk-ins.

To those who continued their weekly donations (or even increased them!): THANK YOU! Your contributions allowed our Parish Staff to stay employed, despite a reduction of revenues of about 25-30% compared to last year. We're one of the only Parishes who achieved this. Keep it up!

PARISH CONTACTS

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COMMITTEES & GROUPS

Pastoral Council

John Tomkinson, *Chairperson*

Finance Committee

Chris Kirwan, *Chairperson*

Catholic Women's League

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EVENTS THIS WEEK

With Covid-19 restrictions loosening,
Weekday and Sunday Masses have resumed.
Please note the change in weekday Mass times.

TWELTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sat, June 20 5:30pm Mass --Ricardo & Leonora Dimaano

Sun, June 21 9:30am Mass - Pro Populo

Mon, June 22 No Mass

Tue, June 23 No Mass

Wed, June 24 9:30am Mass - Wes Dorman in thanksgiving

Thu, June 25 9:30am Mass - Catholic Women's League

Fri, June 26 9:30am Mass - Miles Bishop

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sat, June 27 5:30pm Mass --Lorraine Nyuli

Sun, June 28 9:30am Mass - Pro Populo

A Happy and Blessed Fathers' Day to our fathers,
grandfathers and spiritual fathers...!

May Saint Joseph
protect and guide you in your vocation!

PARISH NEWS

PUBLIC MASSES HAVE RESUMED AT SACRED HEART

We look forward to celebrating the Eucharist with you!
Please call the Parish Office to Register.

SCHEDULE:

Daily Mass: Tuesday - Friday, 9:30am

Saturday: 5:30pm

Sunday: 9:30am (also live streamed)

Please follow directions given for **entering, being seated,** receiving **Holy Communion** and **exiting** the church. Your cooperation will help us to maintain the required protocols.

Please note:

- doors open 30min before Mass
- the current **Ministry Schedule** is now obsolete

In keeping with the guidelines set out by the Bishops of Alberta, parishioners must:

- call the Office to **pre-register**
- complete the [Revised Self Assessment](#)
- **bring a face mask to receive Holy Communion**

Watch for updates on our [Website](#) & [Facebook Page](#).

PARISH FINANCES – Thanks to all who've continued donating to the Parish during this pandemic. Ways to donate:

- **Cheque:** Mail, drop off at the Office or slip through doors
- **Pre-authorized Debit:** Call the Parish Office
- **EFT:** Call the Parish Office
- **Credit Card:** Donate online through [caedm.ca](#)

OUTREACH PHONE MINISTRY – We've set up a ministry team for prayer, support, and to build community. Please contact the Office if you'd like this support.

BULLETIN – Sign up to receive our Bulletin by email

CONFESSION – Call to set up an appointment with Fr. Roger

HOLY WATER – Regular water can be brought in and blessed

PRIVATE PRAYER – from 10:30am - 4pm

ROSARY PRAYER MEETINGS – Join other parishioners from home, via *Zoom*, to pray the Rosary for *the life of our Parish & Missions, and an end to the pandemic*. **Mondays at 8pm.**

Enter Meeting ID: **5259403114** and Password: **jesus**

For instructions go to: [sacredheartchurch.ca/events/rosary](#)

DEACONS CORNER – Wednesdays at 3:30pm on Facebook
[@DeaconsCornerRadio](#)

SPONSORSHIP UPDATE – Our sponsorship of the Kazadi family formally ends on Aug 12th. Both parents are now employed which will help with their transition to independence. Please continue to pray for them.

ARCHDIOCESAN NEWS

PUBLIC MASS UPDATE: The Alberta Bishops have revised their guidelines to reflect Alberta's Stage 2 [Guidelines for Places of Worship](#). Attendance will now vary with each parish, depending on building size, and staff and volunteer capacity. All protocols regarding physical distancing, sanitization, screening questions, and contact recording still need to be followed.

[June 9 Archdiocesan COVID-19 Update](#)

[Archbishop Smith's Vlog](#) - overview (9 min)

[Grandin Media Interview](#) - more detailed (27 min)

[Stage One Guidelines](#)

[Receiving Holy Communion with Mask](#) - (2-3 min demo)

Go to [www.caedm.ca](#), with links to [Grandin Media](#) and [Quid Novum](#) for more info.

FAITH IN THE FACE OF DEATH – A documentary by Grandin Media about the journey of a Edmonton father's discovery of the Catholic Faith while battling terminal cancer. Chris Sargent shares his story with raw honesty; a story of love, faith, fear, heartache and hope. View Grandin Media's first full-feature film at [bit.ly/37HuwY3](#).

RESOURCES

LIVE-STREAMED & TELEVISED MASSES: Masses will be live streamed until full attendance at Public Masses resumes. The Archbishop's temporary dispensation for Sunday Mass remains in effect.

- **Fr. Roger:** 9:30AM Sundays on Facebook [@sacredheartwetaskiwin](#)
- **Archbishop Smith:** 10:30AM Sundays on Facebook [@archedmonton](#) or Telus Optik TV **Channel 876**
- **Other Parishes' Masses & Exposition:** [bit.ly/2JJDAGZ](#)
- **Daily TV Mass:** [bit.ly/3amhQWN](#)

Note: [Living With Christ](#) missalette still available for free online.

Don't forget to read your Bible and a good spiritual book.



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