

MEETINGS

Parish Pastoral Council
2nd Thursday

Finance Committee
As Announced

Knights of Columbus
3rd Thursday

Youth Meetings
2nd & 4th Wednesday (5 pm to 7:30 pm)

Ladies Group
As Announced

CHUCKLE CORNER

Three men were pacing nervously outside the delivery room at a hospital when the head nurse came out beaming. To the first she said, "Congratulations, sir, you are the father of twins." "Terrific!" said the man, "I just signed a contract with the Minnesota Twins and this'll be great press." To the second man the nurse said, "Congratulations to you too. You are the father of healthy triplets!" "Fantastic!" he said. "I'm the vice-president of 3-M Company. This'll be great P.R.!" At that point the third man turned ashen and ran for the door. "What's wrong, sir? Where are you going?" called the nurse. As he jumped into his car, the man shouted, "I'm dashing to my office to resign. I'm the president of 7-UP!"

Coming Events at St. Anne's

Sun, Jan. 29- 9:30 am - St. Anne's Church

Celebration of Baptism: Troy Koopman

Fri, Feb . 10 - 7:00 pm - Roger's Place Edmonton

Faith & Fun Night with the Edmonton Oil Kings

Mon, Feb 13 - St. Anne's Church Hall

Baptismal Course

Sun, Feb 26 After Sunday Mass - St. Anne's Church Hall

Pancake Breakfast

Did you know....

January is the month that has the highest rate of couples seeking marriage help?



Retrouvaille - A lifeline for troubled marriages! Is your marriage in crisis? Communication problems? Contact 587-598-4357, info@helpourmarriage.ca
Next Edmonton Retrouvaille Program starts **March 17-19, 2017** - helpourmarriage.ca.

Marriage Encounter - Make your good marriage better! Marriage enrichment! wwme.org, 780.464.2874, gvankup@telus.net. Next Edmonton Marriage Encounter Program starts **June 4-7, 2017**

2016 Tax Receipts: Please pick up your 2016 Tax receipts at the main entrance of the church and your 2017 contribution envelopes. Thank you!



MASS TIMES AND INFORMATION

St. Anne's Parish, Barrhead

Saturday: 7:00 pm

Sunday: 9:30 am

St. John the Evangelist, Swan Hills

Sunday: 1:00 pm

St. John Vianney, Fort Assiniboine

Last Wed. of the month 7pm

Office Hours

Monday to Thursday:

9:00 am to 1:30 pm

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3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time January 22, 2017

"O sing a new song to the Lord; sing to the Lord, all the earth. In his presence are majesty and splendour, strength and honour in his holy place.

First reading Isa. 9.1-4

Isaiah tells of the land in the west where there is no gloom, for the people see a great light. They are to rejoice that the yoke that bound them is to be smashed.

Second reading 1 Cor. 1.10-13,17-18

Paul warns the people of Corinth that there must be unity among the people of God. There is only one gospel message. Jesus cannot be divided, no matter who preaches about him.

Gospel Mt. 4.12-23 or 4.12-17

Jesus preached reform. At the Sea of Galilee he called Peter and Andrew, James and John, to become fishers of people. At once, they left their nets to follow him. Jesus taught and worked miracles.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Every one of us is called by God, both individually and collectively for a mission; the mission of preaching, teaching and healing which Jesus began in Galilee. Whether we are monk, nun, priest, married or single lay person, male or female, we are all called, and when we respond to this call we become what God wants us to be. Our response to the call begins with our Baptism and the other Sacraments of Initiation. And it is strengthened and manifested through other sacraments.

To start carrying out this mission that we have received with our response to Jesus call, we must first look for signs that God is giving us through various people and events. What needs do we see in the world around us? Do we, for example, see the need for more messengers of God's love and peace in our world today? What can we personally do about it, given the personal circumstances of our life? When are we actually going to start doing something about it, or are we, like Matt, waiting for a concrete supernatural sign from God? Well, that sign may never come. We, like Jesus, must learn to read the "signs of the times" in which we live.

Parish News

SACRAMENTS

Baptisms.

Please contact the office at 780-674-2662 to register for Baptism.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Fr. Johnny will be available for the Sacrament an hour before the weekend Masses or call the office for appointment.

Marriage

Please contact the office to make an appointment with Fr. Johnny.

Anointing of the Sick

Please call the parish office to arrange for anointing of the sick.

LAST WEEK'S DONATIONS

BARRHEAD

General	Children
\$2,246.90	\$14.35

SWAN HILLS

General
\$185.00

Mass Times, Dates and Intentions January 23 to January 29, 2017

Monday, January 23 - St. Anne's Church From
No Mass

Tuesday, January 24- St. Anne's Church
7:00 pm Mary Thompson (RIP) Knights of Columbus

Wednesday, January 25- Fort Assiniboine
7:00 pm Ida Rawluk Family (Thanksgiving) Ida Rawluk

Thursday, January 26 - HillCrest Lodge
9:30 am Pysar Family (SI) Barbara Pysar

Friday, January 27 - St. Anne's Church
9:00 am Shannon Wharton (S)) Sharon Slager

Saturday, January 28- St. Anne's Church
7:00 pm Denis Martin (RIP) Moira O'Neill

Sunday, January 29- St. Anne's Catholic Church
9:30 am All Parishioners

St. John the Evangelist (Swan Hills)

Sunday, January 22, 2017
1:00 pm Teresa Hinz (Thanksgiving) Sharon Slager

***Mass at St. John Vianney, Fort Assiniboine:**
Wed. 7 pm January 25, 2017

Committee Reports: All reports for the Annual meeting must be submitted to Jeannine K. by January 31.

Lenten Mission: Mark your Calendar, March 19, 20 and 21.

Parish News



Novalis has a project '**Subscribe Now and Support My Parish**'. Through this Novalis is offering to help the parish by giving \$10 for every new subscription and \$ 2 for every renewal from the parishioners. This is a simple way to raise funds for our pastoral activities. All you need to do is to **fill in the subscription form (available at the entrance of the church) and return it with your payment before March 15, 2017 to the parish office.**

Baptism Course: The next Baptismal course will be held on February 13, Monday @ 7 pm. Please register at the office @ 780-674-2662.

Ushers, Readers and Communion Ministers. The new Liturgical Ministers list is available at the entrance to the church. Please pick up your copy at the entrance table.

Men of Integrity Conference (A challenge of every man to be a disciples of Christ)The conference is intended to help man to respond to a call to become virtuous and devote disciple of Jesus. It is also intended to equip men for the temptations and false idols of the world. You are invited to join the conference at the Holy Trinity Church, Spruce Grove AB on February 3 & 4, 2017.

More details on the Bulletin Board.

Faith and Fun Night with the Edmonton Oil Kings
The Archdiocese of Edmonton has organized a FAITH and FUN NIGHT with the EDMONTON OIL KINGS on **Friday, February 10th** at Rogers Place in Edmonton (Edmonton Oil Kings vs Regina Pats). Prior to the game, there will be a "meet and greet" with the Archdiocese of Edmonton, Clergy, Seminarians, Catholic organizations such Catholic Universities, School Boards & Schools. The special cost of the hockey game tickets is \$18.00/ticket. The first 400 tickets sold will receive a voucher to the pre-game event.

At 7:00 p.m., His Grace, Archbishop Smith will drop the puck. More details are included in the invitation.

Contact Jeannine Kowalski -674-5976 for tickets.

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Judy Lefebvre (780-674-3805)

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Ellen Mourits (780-674-9415)

Eucharistic Adoration
Rose Petruchik (674-2576)

Catechism
Suzanne Koopman (674-5306)

Parish Choir
Chris Mast (780-674-2607)

Music Ministry / Decorating
Brenda Dahlseide
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Youth Group
Monica Waggoner (674-0637)

Knights of Columbus
Mike Maykut (780-305-5053)

Prayer Chain
Vicky Properzi (780-674-3258)
Sharon Espeseth (674-2461)

Hillcrest Bingo
Sandra Hein (780-674-3943)

Meals on Wheels
Marie Menshik (780-674-3094)

Funeral Lunches / Ladies Group
Yvonne Fluet (780-674-3467)

St. Anne's Cemetery
Ed Robinson (674-3276)

Maintenance
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Communion to the Sick
Lorne Zallas (780-584-2687)