

MEETINGS

Parish Pastoral Council

2nd Thursday

Knights of Columbus

3rd Thursday

Youth Meetings

Youth Group - TBA

Chuckle Corner

A special speaker came to the congregation and when the service was over a lady came over to the guest speaker and said:

You were a much better speaker than the speaker who was visiting us last Sunday. Oh, said the speaker, In what way?

You see, reverend, he talked and talked for an hour without really saying anything. You did it in 15 minutes.



Coming Events at St. Anne’s

Saturday & Sunday – May 4 &5

After Mass - Religious Handicraft Articles Display & on sale
Fellowship coffee after Saturday mass

Sunday, May 12, 2024

9:30 am First Holy Communion
Mother’s Day Breakfast after mass

Monday to Friday (May 27 to 31)

Priest Retreat for one week – No Mass

CAMP ST. LOUIS

Camp St. Louis is a Catholic summer camp located within the Diocese of St. Paul dedicated to fostering the faith in our youth. We do this through many faith-filled talks and presentations, catechism, activities, games, fellowship, and the sacraments. While we run a specifically Catholic program, we welcome all youth to our camp.

Camp St. Louis is located on the beautiful north shore of Moose Lake, AB, right next to Moose Lake Provincial Park, 15 km west of Bonnyville.

Camp St. Louis runs during the summer months of July and August, with six weeks of age specific and all ages programming: Counsellors week, 10-12 year old week, Community week, 8-9 year old week, Vocations week, and 13-14 year old week. A week long day camp for 5-7 year olds also takes place in August.

CSL 2024 SUMMER DATES

Counsellors week: July 7-12
AGES 10-12 week July 14-19
Community (All Ages) July 21-26
AGES 8-9 August 5-9
Vocations week (All Ages) August 11-16
AGES 13-14 week August 18-23

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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

1st Wed. of the month 7pm

Office Hours

Tuesday to Thursday:

9:00 am to 3:00 pm

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MISSION: ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST, SWAN HILLS

May 5, 2024
6th Sunday of Easter

First Reading Acts 10.25-26

Peter visits Cornelius and his family. God will favour anyone who acts up uprightly, Jews and Gentiles alike. Peter gives orders that all who believe should be baptized.

Second Reading 1 John 4.7-10

Christians should love one another, for God is love. A person without love does not know God. In love, God has sent the Son as an offering for our sins.

GOSPEL John 15.9-17

Jesus admonishes his disciples to continue the love he has shown to them. The keeping of the commandments will prove this. ‘Love one another’.

Saint Joseph



The Story of Saint Joseph the Worker

To foster deep devotion to Saint Joseph among Catholics, and in response to the “May Day” celebrations for worker, Pope Pius XII instituted the feast of Saint Joseph the Worker in 1955. This feast extends the long relationship between Joseph and the cause of workers in both Catholic faith and devotion. Beginning in the Book of Genesis, the dignity of human work has long been celebrated as a participation in the creative work of God. By work, humankind both fulfills the command found in Genesis to care for the earth (Gn 2:15) and to be productive in their labors. Saint Joseph, the carpenter and foster father of Jesus, is but one example of the holiness of human labor.

Jesus, too, was a carpenter. He learned the trade from Saint Joseph and spent his early adult years working side-by-side in Joseph’s carpentry shop before leaving to pursue his ministry as preacher and healer.

Saint Joseph is held up as a model of such work. Pius XII emphasized this when he said, “The spirit flows to you and to all men from the heart of the God-man, Savior of the world, but certainly, no worker was ever more completely and profoundly penetrated by it than the foster father of Jesus, who lived with Him in closest intimacy and community of family life and work.”

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SACRAMENTS

Baptism

Please contact the Office at 780-674-2662 to register for Baptism course offered only in January, May, or September.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Fr. Francis Khai Phan 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. Francis Khai Phan

Anointing of the Sick

Please call the Parish Office to arrange for anointing of the sick

LAST WEEK'S DONATIONS

BARRHEAD

General \$ 2278.90

Children \$ 8.00

SWAN HILLS

General \$ 500.00

Thank you for your Generosity!

Mass Times, Dates and Intentions May 6 to May 12 2024

Monday, May 6 - St. Anne's

No Mass

Tuesday, May 7 - St. Anne's

7:00 pm Jean Proft (Health) Parishionner

Wednesday, - May 8 – Ft. Assiniboine

7:00 pm Jean Proft (Health) Parishionner

Thursday, May 9 - Hill Crest

9:30 am All Parishioners

Friday, May 10- St. Anne's

9:00 am Bill & Marg Johnson (RIP) Parishionner

Saturday, May 11- St. Anne's

7:00 pm Cecille & Bill Ashton (RIP) Susan Kremp

Sunday, May 12 - St. Anne's

9:30 am All Parishioners

St. John the Evangelist (Swan Hills)

Sunday, May 12, 2024

1:00 pm

Mark your calendar....

LAC STE ANNE PILGRIMAGE

July 20 - July 25, 2024

We will welcome you again on Saturday, July 20 to Thursday, July 25, 2024. This year's theme is "Walking Together in Prayer."

PRIESTS RETREAT

There is no Mass from Monday, May 27 to Friday, May 31. Fr. will be back Saturday, June 1 for Saturday Mass.

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GUIDELINES FOR FUNERALS

When a loved one dies, you, as a family member, close friend or partner, make the funeral arrangements. Preparing the funeral is an act of love. For Catholic Christians, this loving act also expresses our faith in the power of Jesus' resurrection. The Catholic funeral rite is called the Order of Christians Funerals. This rite forms a progression in order to help you. The family and friends, during this time of separation and letting go of a loved one. The order is made up of three main celebrations, the principal one being the funeral Mass. The final act is the Rite of Committal which consists of prayers said at the grave or place of interment. Committal should occur the day of the funeral.

To begin the process of planning the funeral arrangements for the person who has died, you will need to call the parish office and set up a time to meet with the priest. You will also need to call the funeral home of your choice. The parish priest and the funeral director are very experienced and can offer valuable assistance at what is usually a difficult time.



Save the Date! CATHLETICS

VBS 2024 – July 8-12. Please call Dawn Paquette (780-498-3766) or the parish office to register your child. Please register early to help us plan materials and to ensure a place for your child.

Registration is FREE!

Volunteers Needed: Please consider volunteering your time to assist with this year's VBS. Our VBS hosted over 70 children and youth leaders last year, so we definitely need extra hands. Only have one day available during the week? We can still use your help. No experience or special talents are required – just a love for Jesus. **Please call Chris Driessen or Dawn Paquette to volunteer.**

“The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want”
(Psalms 23:1)

PARISH CONTACTS

Parish Council

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Finance Committee

Merv Boser (294-9282)

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Liturgical Ministry

Jeannine Kowalski (674-5976)

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Rose Petruchik (780-674-2576)

Catechism

Pat Jackson (780 305 9752)

Music Ministry

Brenda Dahlseide (674-4663)

Youth for Christ

Chris Driessen 780-284-7120

Knights of Columbus

Anthony Oswald (674-4412)

Prayer Chain

Theresa Cherwonka(674-5613)

Dorothy Zallas (780-584-2687)

Hillcrest Bingo

Sandra Hein (780-674-3943)

Meals on Wheels

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St. Anne's Cemetery

Joe Maykut (780-305-5053)

Ed Robinson (780-674-3276)

Maintenance

Alex Marinutti (780-232-8090)

Communion to the Sick

Lorne Zallas (780-584-2687)