

MEETINGS

Parish Pastoral Council

2nd Thursday

Knights of Columbus

3rd Thursday

Youth Meetings

Youth Group - TBA

CHUCKLE CORNER

A minister wound up the service one morning by saying:

- "Next Sunday I'm going to preach on the subject of liars. And in this connection, as a preparation for my discourse, I should like you all to read the 17th Chapter of Mark".

On the following Sunday, the preacher rose to begin, and said:

- "Now then, all of you who have done as I requested and read the 17th Chapter of Mark, please raise your hands." Nearly every hand in the congregation went up. Then said the preacher:

"You are the very people I want to talk to. There is **NO** 17th Chapter of Mark".

Coming Events at St. Anne's

Sunday, July 14 Our Lady of Mount Carmel – Naples

5:00 pm Mass & Blessing of the Graves

July 17 to July 25

Feast of St. Anne's Novena

Saturday, July 20 - St. Anne's Cemetery

7:00 pm Mass & Blessing of the Graves (weather permitting)

August 18, 2024

5:00 pm Holy Cross Cemetery - Mass and Blessing of the Graves



*VBS is fast approaching and we are excited to have about 65 children and youth registered. It is not too late to register but please note the T-shirt order deadline has passed. Parents are asked to ensure their child brings a water bottle labeled with their name to camp. Campers should arrive by 8:40 a.m. the first day to allow time to register and get changed into their t-shirt. Adult and youth volunteers must plan to arrive by 8:30 a.m.

St Anne's youth would like to invite all parishioners to join us for our **closing Mass on Friday at 10:30 am**. Adoration will follow Mass for those who would like to attend. Mass will be followed by a brief sharing of the songs we have learned and a hot dog lunch in the hall. We will then finish our day with Olympic Games. Lunch is free for campers and we ask for a donation of \$3 per person for visitors. Extra hands to assist with clean up are always welcome.

"Children are not the church of tomorrow...they are the church of today."



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

11 Wed. of the month 7pm

Office Hours

Tuesday to Thursday:

9:00 am to 3:00 pm

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July 7, 2024
14th Sunday In Ordinary Time

First Reading: Ezekiel 2.3-5

Ezekiel is selected by God to be a Prophet and messenger to the Israelites. When resisted, Ezekiel is to say: "Thus says the Lord God." This will show that he is a Prophet.

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 12.7-10

Paul is given a "thorn in the flesh." He asks God for relief and is told that God's grace is sufficient.

GOSPEL: Mark 6.1-6

Jesus began to teach in his home synagogue. The people, knowing Mary & Joseph, cannot account for the wisdom of Jesus.

WHY VBS? FUN, FAITH & FORMATION

We may think the main purpose of a VBS is to serve kids and families already active in the parish, but what if you thought of them primarily as a way of bringing inactive Catholics or others to the Church? Reaching new families is just as important of a motivation.

Don't underestimate the impact a VBS can have. Simply getting parents physically present at the parish and meeting friendly parishioners is a huge opportunity. Some churches end each session of their VBS in the sanctuary singing songs with the kids. Parents arrive and can sit down to watch the enthusiasm before taking them home. It's a nice way to end, but it could have special significance to some parents. It may be the first time a parent has been in a church sanctuary in years, and it can be an important step in them returning to Mass. And end-of-the-week meal and/or "concert" can also work well. We can also help the parents enter into the VBS learnings themselves, by making sure they know what their children are focusing on, and coaching them on how to have conversations with them afterwards.

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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



General \$ 1850.00

Thank you for your Generosity!

SWAN HILLS

General \$ 130.00

Thank you for your Generosity!

Mass Times, Dates and Intentions
July 8 to July 14 2024

Monday, July 8- St. Anne's

No Mass

Tuesday, July 9- St. Anne's

7:00 pm Mary Thompson (RIP) Knights of Columbus

Wednesday, July 10 – Ft. Assiniboine

7:00 pm Jean Proft (RIP) Alvin Thoma

Thursday, July 11 - Hill Crest

9:30 am Deceased family members Wendy & Greg
of Wendy & Greg Canam

Friday, July 12 – St. Anne's

10:30 am Mary Lou Bermel (RIP) Rose Petruchik

Saturday, July 13 St. Anne's

7:00 pm Jean Proft (RIP) Sharon Espeseth

Sunday, July 14 - St. Anne's

9:30 am All Parishioners

St. John the Evangelist (Swan Hills)

Sunday, July 14

1:00 pm All Parishioners

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Knights of Columbus Student Bursary program: Bursary applications can be picked up at St. Anne's Church Office anytime Tuesday to Thursday during Office hours (9 am to 3 pm). Graduates accepted to a post-secondary institution are eligible to apply.

Return completed forms to the Office by July 15.

What are the Knights of Columbus all about? Visit our website @ Kofc.org/joinus For more information on our local Council - Please refer to our Knights of Columbus.

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PARISH PICNIC

Parish Picnic: Sunday, July 28, 2024 from 3:00 to 7:00 pm: (Supper at 5 pm)

Join us for a picnic as we celebrate the feast of our patroness, St. Anne.

Ø The Parish will supply French fries, hamburgers, wieners, buns, condiments, paper plates and napkins.

Ø Parishioners, please bring a salad or dessert, as well as your own beverage, cups/glasses, cutlery, lawn chair, outdoor games, and mosquito repellant.

Where: Acreage of Lorne & Dorothy Zallas (780-584-2687)
64041 A – TWP Road 621A, Fort Assiniboine

Directions:

- Follow Hwy 33 (North) to Fort Assiniboine
- At the “T” intersection turn left on Hwy 33 (towards Swan Hills)
- Go approx. 7 kms, then turn left onto Secondary Hwy 658 (Goose Lake/Blue ridge turn off)
- Go approx. 2 kms, cross the Freeman River bridge, then turn on first left - TWP Rd 622
- Follow the gravel road, TWP Rd 621A, for approx. 3 kms.
- Turn left. YOU ARE THERE!

- Watch for signs with balloons after key intersections to guide your way!

All are welcome! See you there!

FEAST OF ST ANNE'S NOVENA

To celebrate the Feast of St. Anne the Novena will be prayed from Wednesday, July 17 to Thursday, July 25, after the Mass. There will be Holy Mass at the St. Anne's everyday during the Novena days.

Wednesday, July 17	9.00 am Mass
Thursday, July 18	9.00 am Mass
Friday, July 19	9.00 am Mass
Saturday, July 20	7.00 pm Mass
Sunday, July 21	9:30 am Mass
Monday, July 22	7.00 pm Mass
Tuesday, July 23	7.00 pm Mass
Wednesday, July 24	9.00 am Mass
Thursday, July 25	9.00 am Mass

PARISH CONTACTS

Parish Council

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Merv Boser (294-9282)

Sacristan

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Jeannine Kowalski (674-5976)

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Rose Petruchik (780-674-2576)

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Brenda Dahlseide (674-0168)

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

Marie Menshik (780-674-3094)

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)