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Our mission statement: LOVE GOD LOVE OTHERS TRAIN DISCIPLES

Eucharistic Celebrations:

Sat., May 15th Private Mass + Denis & Myriam Vaillant (Lynne Vaillant)

Sun., May 16th 11:00 am Livestreamed from St. Claude + Roland & Cécile Bazin (Léa Bazin)
+ Jérôme Oliviero (Marcel & Dorothée Dequier)

Mon., May 17th Private Mass + All Souls (Father Peter)

Tue., May 18th Private Mass + Jérôme Oliviero (Dolores Rudnicki)

Wed., May 19th Private Mass + Roger Godard (his family)

Thu., May 20th Private Mass + Raymond Dion (funeral offerings)

Fri., May 21th Private Mass + Paul Dedieu (funeral offerings)

Sat., May 22nd Private Mass + Jérôme Oliviero (Elaine & George LeFloch)

Sun., May 23rd 9:00 am Livestreamed - Haywood + Thanksgiving (Simone & André's 50th)
+ Marie Dion (Doreen Dion & family)

May 16, 2021 – Ascension of Our Lord

“Whoever confesses that Jesus is the Son of God, God abides in him, and he in God.” 1 JOHN 4:15

How strong is your faith? When you have an opportunity to either defend or clarify a question about our Catholic faith, do you do it? Or, do you remain silent so that others don't think you are weird? Pray for the courage to be strong in all circumstances and to joyfully share your witness with others.



Sanctuary Lamp – this week: - Maurice Poirier / Noé & Cécile Lambert

God's Share: May 9th - \$115.00 (5) + \$0.00 (loose) + \$20.00 (DD)(1) = **\$135.00**

Pope's Pastoral Works: May 9th - **\$60.00** (2)

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Prayer Intention for May, 2021

The World of Finance: Let us pray that those in charge of finance will work with governments to regulate the financial sphere and protect citizens from its dangers.

Let us pray:

- For an end to the pandemic.
- For our pastor, Fr. Peter, in his priestly ministry among us.
- For the conversion of Christians, especially those of our parishes.

Parish life:

**According to the new released public health restrictions, as of 12:01 am Sunday morning May 9th, all religious gatherings are to close until May 30th. Therefore, we are cancelling all public masses for the next three weeks. We will have one livestreamed mass every weekend alternating between St. Denis & St. Claude, both livestreamed on the St. Claude Facebook page. Father will be celebrating all weekday masses in private for the intentions noted on the bulletins and there will be no eucharistic adoration for the next three weeks. Everyone is encouraged to do their part in social distancing, sanitizing, and washing hands to help stop this virus from spreading. And get vaccinated as soon as you are eligible. We can do these sacrifices for the good of all.*

Let us recite the chaplet of Holy Rosary daily. Through the intercession of Our Lady Mary, let us pray for an end to the pandemic, for our parish, for our families, and for the conversion of all Christians. In urgent cases, such as Anointing of the Sick, please do not hesitate to call him at 204.952.4531

Archdiocesan News



Bishop LeGatt Video Message - May: The Month of Mary

Archbishop Albert recalls some of the main ideas that came out of this week's annual (virtual) priests' retreat: what is our message? (faith), so what? (hope), and what now? (love).

He also takes a moment to reflect on the important role of Mary in this month of Mary, especially as Pope Francis is calling the universal Church to a marathon of prayer for the end of this pandemic:

you are invited to join the universal Church reciting a Rosary per day. And let us also think of our mothers, who, like Mary, are a reflection of God's love for us.

Thus, let us, together, join in praying to Mary, the Mother of God and the Mother of Mothers, in a special way in this month of Mary, as we approach Mothers' Day, and as we hope for an end to this pandemic. Hail Mary....

To view the video, [click here](#) or visit the diocesan Facebook page at:

<https://www.facebook.com/ArchSaintBoniface/> or visit the diocesan website homepage at:

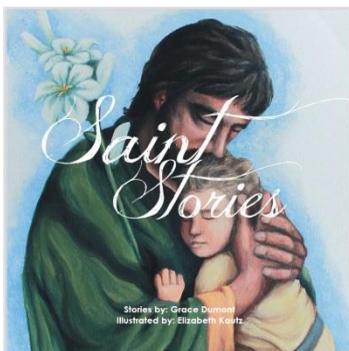
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***REMINDER* Celebrate Our Lady and pray the Virgin Mary!**

Pope Francis is requesting that during this month of May, particularly dedicated to Our Lady, the entire Church invoke the intercession of the Blessed Virgin Mary for the end of the pandemic, and, in a special way, he is inviting all to pray fervently for those most closely affected by it. During each day of May, guided by a calendar with specific intentions, all the Shrines around the world, united in a communion of supplication, through the prayer of the Rosary, will intercede for an end to the pandemic. Thirty Marian Shrines have been entrusted in leading the daily prayer intentions and will take turns leading this prayer throughout the Church while offering the faithful a series of prayer moments for them to participate throughout the entire day. Among the Marian shrines chosen is that of Notre-Dame-du-Cap, in Trois-Rivières (Québec). The initiative is inspired from the biblical passage, "from the whole Church unceasingly ascended prayer to God" (Acts 12:5). The Pontifical Council also informs that the daily prayers will be live broadcast through the official online channels of the Holy See. Further details are available on the Pontifical Council's website (<http://www.pcpne.va/content/pcpne/en.html>).

To read an article from *Vatican News* about the initiative, [click here](#).

To read an instructional booklet about the initiative, [click here](#).



New Book – Saint Stories - Produced Locally, Available Now. Help support the Catholic School of Evangelization and buy a gift for a loved one at the same time!

The CSE has compiled a book of stories of the saints that have been painted on the dorm room doors of the building. Each painting was prayerfully done by Elizabeth Kautz: a camper, camp staff and member for a former Missionary Family of the CSE. She, along with Grace Dumont, who is also a camp alumni who used her talent of writing to prepare the stories for this book, have used their gifts to share the stories of men and women who have had an impact on the life of the Church.

This book, available in either French or English costing just \$20, is the perfect gift for a young person who has just received their sacraments, a family looking for a book to use during their family devotional time, or anyone who has an appreciation for art and the CSE. 100% of the proceeds received from the sales of this book will go towards supporting the CSE and its mission of evangelization. Fill out the form [found here](#) and submit your order today! Attention Parishes and Catechists: Bulk pricing is available. Also available at Stephanchev's Church Goods, 337 William Ave, Winnipeg [Click here for a preview](#).



***Adult Faith Growth Workshops: Knowledge for the Soul – May 19**

Looking to spend some time in growing your personal faith? Join us for the Spring series online faith growth workshops for adults. The next evening will be on **May 19 at 7:00 pm on the theme of: *Ite Ad Joseph - Go To Joseph* with Fr. Peter Le.** Registration is necessary to receive Zoom link. [Click here to register](#). Questions? Contact Mireille Grenier, mgrenier@archsaintboniface.ca [Poster](#) Visit the [diocesan website](#)

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This prayer was written by Pope Francis. He is asking people to recite the rosary and pray this prayer for the end of the COVID-19 pandemic. "We fly to your protection, O Holy Mother of God."

In the present tragic situation, when the whole world is prey to suffering and anxiety, we fly to you, Mother of God, and our mother, and seek refuge under your protection.

Virgin Mary, turn your merciful eyes toward us amid this coronavirus pandemic. Comfort those who are distraught and mourn their loved ones who have died, and at times are buried in a way that grieves them deeply. Be close to those who are concerned for their loved ones who are sick and who, in order to prevent the spread of the disease, cannot be close to them. Fill with hope those who are

troubled by the uncertainty of the future and the consequences for the economy and employment.

Mother of God and our Mother, pray for us to God, the father of mercies, that this great suffering may end and that hope, and peace may dawn anew. Plead with your divine Son, as you did at Cana, so that the families of the sick and the victims be comforted, and their hearts be opened to confidence and trust.

Protect those doctors, nurses, health workers and volunteers who are on the frontline of this emergency and are risking their lives to save others. Support their heroic effort and grant them strength, generosity, and continued health.

Be close to those who assist the sick night and day, and to priests who, in their pastoral concern and fidelity to the Gospel, are trying to help and support everyone.

Blessed Virgin, illumine the minds of men and women engaged in scientific research, that they may find effective solutions to overcome this virus.

Support national leaders, that with wisdom, solicitude, and generosity they may come to the aid of those lacking the necessities of life and may devise social and economic solutions inspired by farsightedness and solidarity.

Mary Most Holy, stir our consciences, so that the enormous funds invested in developing and stockpiling arms will instead be spent on promoting effective research on how to prevent similar tragedies from occurring in the future.

Beloved Mother, help us realize that we are all members of one great family and to recognize the bond that unites us, so that, in a spirit of fraternity and solidarity, we can help to alleviate countless situations of poverty and need. Make us strong in faith, persevering in service, constant in prayer.

Mary, Consolation of the afflicted, embrace all your children in distress and pray that God will stretch out his all-powerful hand and free us from this terrible pandemic, so that life can serenely resume its normal course.

To you, who shine on our journey as a sign of salvation and hope, do we entrust ourselves, O Clement, O Loving, O Sweet Virgin Mary. Amen.