



The Ascension of the Lord

May 12/13, 2018

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Last Sunday's Collection
 \$ 4,950.50
 Together We Serve: \$ 939.00
 Children's: \$ 64.50 Thank You!

Parish Administrator: Rev. Raja SDB
 Deacon Jose Huevo
 Mia Turlock Pastoral Assistant
 Theresa Wile Pastoral Assistant

PRAYER CORNER
 Elizabeth Dziegielewski, Mildred
 Ray Priscilla Lajeunesse, Josie
 Mitchell, Rose Auburn,
 Theresa Grondin

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Saturday, May 12 5:00 pm
 Sunday, May 13 9:30 am
 11:30 am
 Tuesday, May 15
 Wednesday, May 16
 Thursday, May 17
 Friday, May 18 7:00 pm

First Communion Celebration
 For All St. John Bosco parishioners
 For + Mary & + Francis Fernandes
 by Ron and Cecilia
 For Gesuele Trepodi by his wife Olga
 For + Lorraine Lessard by the CWL
 For + Joffre & +Clara Gervais
 by Fern and Carmen Morin
 For + Jacinto Pereira by Mike and Estrela
Community Mass Intentions
 + Anthony Joseph Williams

PENTECOST SUNDAY

Saturday, May 19 5:00 pm
 Sunday, May 20 9:30 am
 11:30 am

For + Camille Lajeunesse by the CWL
 For + Donald Dirksen by Marie Marks
 For All deceased members of Liber family
 by the Hearn family

***Father will be away at the Priests assembly this week so there will be no morning Masses. All mass intentions will still be offered by Father while he is away.



Congratulations to all of our children who received their First Holy Communion this week-end. May you continue to receive Jesus every week-end. May God Bless you all!!!

What's Happening This Week:

Tuesday,	May 15	7:00 pm	K.C. 4th Degree Meeting
Wednesday,	May 16	7:00 pm	CWL Meeting
Thursday,	May 17	7:00 pm	Legion of Mary (Everyone welcome)

K.C. GARAGE SALE AND BBQ. The Knights are having a garage sale Thursday, May 24, Friday, May 25th and Saturday, May 26.

On Saturday the 26th our youth group will be having a BBQ for all to enjoy while shopping for your new treasures. All proceeds will go towards Youth programs and activities. Come and support our young people!!



NEW EVENT:

Thursday, May 24 7:00 pm Seniors Care Ministry Meeting

CWL News – our council is delighted to support our youth by making available the **Marcella Gillis Christian Family Life Award**. This award (\$200) is available to any Grade 7 – 9 student who is putting their faith into action by being that “shining light of Christ” within the family, school and community. Application forms are located on the foyer table. Please contact Fay Henry at 780 478 0427 for additional information. **Deadline for this application is Friday, June 1st.**

WALK FOR LIFE JUNE 2, 2018 @ A.C.T. CENTRE RUNDLE PARK

In Support for the pregnancy Care Centre. This is an Edmonton, Christian non-profit charitable organization. You may choose a 5,10 or 15 km route. For more information please see poster and pledge sheets on the back table and in the foyer.



BIBLE STUDY: We are happy to announce that starting November 8 @ 7 pm Father Raja together with Hubert Luken will be hosting a Bible Study We hope that you will join them. Everyone is welcome to attend.



Grace with lines inspired by this weeks readings.

Leader: Lord Jesus, we thank you for your Word. You call us to “go into the world and proclaim the good news to the whole of creation.” (*Mark 16:15*)

All: Lord Jesus, we ask the courage to love our brothers and sisters and to care for the beauty of the Earth we share

Together: “Bless us, O Lord, and these Thy gifts, which we are about to receive from Thy bounty. Through Christ our Lord. Amen”

After the meal: “We give you thanks, Almighty God, for all your gifts, who live and reign now and forever. Amen”

PRAYER FOR MOTHERS
Heavenly Father, to you I pray...

HAPPY ☀️
MOTHER'S
DAY! 🌸

*On this day called, "Mother's Day."
Let all mother's on earth give praise,
To you...for the children that you gave.*

*For you have blessed them from above, with little souls to nourish and love.
Let them mold each one with care...And teach them to be kind and share.*

*Forgiveness is the special key...Start early on, to help them see.
Their fragile minds are easily impressed.
Please teach them ways, so they'll be blessed.*

*Sow godly seeds into their minds. With careful pruning, you will find...
Young adults with such strong roots, all through life, will bear rich fruit.*

*And then have faith for God to show...Them all the rest they have to know.
Remember they're His children too. For they were only lent to you*

HEARING, REFLECTING ON, AND LIVING THE WORD

HEARING THE WORD: Jesus said to his disciples: "Go into the whole world and proclaim the gospel to every creature. Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved; whoever does not believe will be condemned."

REFLECTING ON THE WORD: Jesus came not only for us humans but "to every creature." Therefore, as we take up the task of doing God's work in the world after the departure of Jesus we must remember to take that joyful news to all of God's creation in every way we can. Just as St. Francis would preach to the birds and considered even the sun and the moon his brother and sister, so too must we make an effort to connect to all of the wonders God has done for us through the mission of our lives.

How can you proclaim the Gospel to parts of creation other than human beings?

How can you bring God's love to situations that are far away from you?

LIVING THE WORD: We can preach in many far-reaching ways. Have the family walk through each room of your home, pausing to talk about how can live out God's commission in every space of your life. Make sure to include all of creation in your reflection. For example, in the dining room someone may notice that cloth napkins can be used instead of paper towels to help save trees. Do you say prayers for others each night? If you have a back yard, do you have a bird feeder?

