

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 11, 2018

Leviticus 13.1-2, 45-46; 1 Corinthians 10.31-11.1; Mark 1.40-45

Daily Readings for the week of February 12-18 :

Monday: James 1.1-11; Mark 8.11-13

Tuesday: James 1.12-18; Mark 8.14-21

Wednesday: Ash Wednesday: Joel 2:12-18; 2 Corinthians 5.20-6.2; Matthew 6.1-6, 16-18

Thursday: Deuteronomy 30.15-20; Luke 9.22-25

Friday: Isaiah 58.1-9a; Mathew 9.14-15

Saturday: Isaiah 58.9b-14; Luke 5.27-32

Sunday: 1st Sunday of Lent: Genesis 9.8-15; 1 Peter 3.18-22; Mark 1.12-15



Welcome! We are delighted to welcome each and every one who has come to worship with us here at St. Patrick Co-Cathedral. Whether you are a parish family member, friend or visitor, know that your presence enlivens our celebration and our faith community. Please take a moment to introduce yourself to our pastor and fill out a registration form found on the main bulletin board.

World Day of the Sick: The ministry of Jesus to the sick is central to the life of the Church. February 11 highlights the healing ministry of the Church. It reminds us that service to the sick and suffering cannot be neglected. It recognizes the great efforts of doctors, nurses, pastoral care givers to restore health to those afflicted with illness and disease.



Development & Peace Share Lent Campaign: Thanks to money donated annually by Catholics during Share Lent, Development and Peace can support 170 partners and 202 projects in 36 countries around the world! There are many ways to be part of Share Lent. Use the Solidarity Calendar with your family. You can pick up a copy while leaving church today. You can make a donation on Solidarity Sunday, which will take place on March 18. Or join your parish's Development and Peace committee. To find out more about Share Lent, please contact Suzette at 920-2765.

Photo: Children outside of a school in northern Uganda. Credits: Tine Frank for Trócaire

Upcoming Meetings and Events:

- **1st Communion Preparation** session #3 will be on Sunday, February 11 at 2:00 pm.
- The **CWL** will meet on Tuesday, February 13 at 7:30 pm in the foyer. Please note the change in date.

LENT CORNER

We will celebrate Mass and the distribution of ashes on Ash Wednesday at 7:00 pm.

Ash Wednesday is on February 14. Lent is a season lasting 40 days, excluding Sundays. During Lent, we are asked to pray, repent (go to Confession), fast (Ash Wednesday and Good Friday) and abstain from meat on Fridays and Ash Wednesday.

This is the **last Sunday that we sing "Alleluia"** in any hymn or text. "Alleluia" is not used during the season of Lent.

Stations of the Cross will be held on Fridays during Lent after the 5:30 pm Mass. Persons willing to lead the Stations are asked to sign up. Everyone is invited to participate.

Faith Formation: Please join us at 7 PM Tuesday evenings for our weekly adult faith formation sessions. We are looking at a 14-part video series with Dr. Scott Hahn titled "From Genesis to Jesus", which deals with salvation history as revealed through the Bible. This is a great opportunity to learn how and why the Bible came into being and what it is meant to convey to us from a Catholic perspective.



FROM GENESIS TO JESUS

Stewardship Reflection

"Brothers and sisters, whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do everything for the glory of God." (1 Corinthians 10:31)

Do a quick check of your priorities. Where does God rank in that list? If He's not first, you have some work to do. Putting God first in everything helps us from putting other "gods" (like our pride and ego, money and possessions to name a few) before God. Before making a decision, ask yourself, 'Am I doing this for the glory of God or for the glory of me?'

Update Your Address! Whether you are moving in town or out of town, please take time to provide your updated information to the parish office. Please pick up an Address Update Form from the bulletin board.

We would appreciate you sending your completed form to the parish office at your earliest convenience. You may return your form by:

- placing it in a sealed envelope marked "Update Address Request Form" and dropping it in the weekend collection basket;
- mailing it to the parish office at 5206-52 Street Yellowknife, NT X1A 1T9;
- or you are welcome to drop it off in person.

Help us help you stay informed and connected!

Rachel's Corner

"When Psalm 23 says that He makes us lie down in Green pastures and leads us beside still and quiet waters, it reminds me that God wants us to have peace. In order to do that, we need to stop running from the past and simply make a decision to be still, face the past, and receive healing from God. As long as we are running, something is chasing us, but if we confront it with God by our side, we can defeat it and enjoy the new life that is ours in Christ."

- Joyce Meyers

Have you been running from accepting your participation in the decision to have an abortion? Have you been running from accepting how much it has affected you? Rachel's Vineyard, invites you to join them for a Weekend Retreat. Come see how much your life can change as you release that burden.

Healing after Abortion Ministry

867-444-9383 rachelsvineyard.nwt@gmail.com

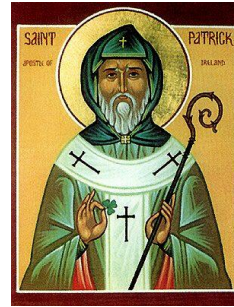


Offertory collection for February 4-----\$ 2,387.00
Other revenue-----\$ 2,081.75
Total Income -----\$ 4,468.75
Cost to operate our Parish per week-----\$ 6,800.00
Surplus/(Shortfall) for the week-----(\$ 2,331.25)

Please call the parish office,

or Fr. Marek, if you have a family member in the hospital or homebound and would like a pastoral visit and/or would like to have a family member included in the prayers of the faithful read during Mass.

Glorify God in Everything



St. Patrick Co-Cathedral

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Weekend Masses: Saturday 5:00 p.m. **Daily Mass:** Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 5:30 pm
 Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Tuesdays from 12:00 – 4:00 pm
 Please use the side door.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Priest available ½ hour before each Mass or by appointment

Pastoral Team

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Development & Peace

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Finance Council – Chairperson

Gord Van Tighem

Sacrament of Marriage

Contact the Parish Priest to set up an initial interview for Marriage at least one year in advance and prior to setting a wedding date. Marriage preparation is required. Next session: April 13/14 and April 20/21.

Sacrament of Baptism Contact the parish office to pick up a Baptism Preparation Package (also on the bulletin board in the church). The next preparation session is Wed., April 18, 2018 at 7:00 pm.

1st Eucharist/Reconciliation- Next session on February 11, 2018 at 2:00 pm.

CWL Prayer Line: Prayer requests can be emailed to Barb McDonald at barbmcd@theedge.ca. The rosary is prayed every Monday evening for these requests.