

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 4, 2018

Job 7.1-4, 6-7; 1 Corinthians 9.16-19, 22-23; Mark 1.29-39

Daily Readings for the week of February 5-11 :

Monday: St. Agatha: 1 Kings 8.1-7, 9-13; Mark 6.53-56-

Tuesday: St. Paul Miki and Companions: 1 Kings 8.22-23, 27-30; Mark 7.1-13

Wednesday: 1 Kings 10.1-10; Mark 7.14-23

Thursday: 1 Kings 11.4-13; Mark 7.24-30

Friday: 1 Kings 11.29-32; 12.19; Mark 7.31-37

Saturday: St. Scholastica: 1 Kings 12.26-32; 13.33-34; Mark 8.1-10

Sunday: 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time: World Day of the Sick

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



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.

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

Upcoming Meetings and Events:

- **Kids for Christ** will gather on Sunday, February 4 at 2:00 pm. All children are welcome to join in the fun!

JK and Kindergarten Info Night: École St. Joseph School will be hosting a junior kindergarten and kindergarten information session on Thursday, February 8 from 6:30 - 7:30. Please contact the school at 920-2112 if you have any questions.

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.

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.

Last Year's Palms: Because the palms from last year's Palm Sunday Liturgy are blessed, they should be treated with respect and never be thrown away. If you would like to dispose of your palms, please bring them to the church and deposit them in the basket under the bulletin board. Once collected, they will be burned for ashes.

Looking for a Lenten Commitment?

Consider joining the St. Paul Center for a transformative Scripture study.

Beginning on Ash Wednesday (February 14, 2018) and every Wednesday through Holy Week, we'll share two lessons from **The Bible and the Virgin Mary** and **The Bible and the Sacraments**, our Journey Through Scripture video studies.

The **Journey Through Scripture** series has been enjoyed by tens of thousands of people across the world.

Don't miss this chance to enjoy these great studies free of cost.

<https://stpaulcenter.com/lent-2018/>

Offertory collection for January 29-----\$ 3,157.00
Other revenue-----\$ 2,172.50
Total Income -----\$ 5,329.50
Cost to operate our Parish per week-----\$ 7,800.00
Surplus/(Shortfall) for the week-----(\$ 2,470.50)

Donations for the Rohingya
Refugee Crisis - \$1,366.35

Thank you for your
generosity!

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

"It is I, I, who wipe out, for my own sake, your offenses; your sins I remember no more." - Isaiah 43:25

Come on a Rachel's Vineyard™ Retreat and encounter your God who yearns to do this for you.... allow Him to take these things that burden your soul and let Him flood you with His peace as He tells you He remembers them no more.

Healing after Abortion Ministry
867-444-9383
rachelvineyard.nwt@gmail.com

Please call the parish office,

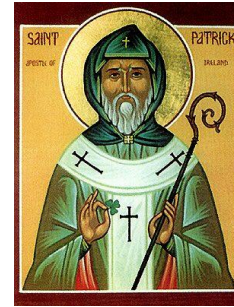
or Fr. Marek, if you have a family member in the hospital or homebound and would like a pastoral visit and/or would like to have a family member included in the prayers of the faithful read during Mass.

Stewardship Reflection

"Rising very early before dawn, he left and went off to a deserted place, where he prayed...He told them, 'Let us go on to the nearby village that I may preach there also. For this purpose have I come.'"" (Mark 1:35, 38)

In today's Gospel reading we see a perfect example of stewardship. Jesus gives His time to do all that God wishes- healing the sick and preaching. But before He begins, Jesus makes time to be alone with God in prayer. It is through prayer, spending time with God, that we find the strength to do what He wishes us to do.

Be sure to find time every day to be with God.



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Weekend Masses: Saturday 5:00 p.m. **Daily Mass:** Tuesday - 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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Catholic Women's League

Tina Rivera - President

873-5900

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Suzette Montreuil 920-2765

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.