

# ST. MARK PARISH



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**Pastor: Fr. Jim Kaptein**

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**MASS TIMES:** SUNDAY MASS: **11:00 a.m.**

WEEKDAY MASS: Tues. to Fri. 9:00 a.m. \*See weekly schedule

Office Hours: Tues to Fri. 9:00 am to 2:00 pm

\*(May be closed during weekday morning Mass)

**August 20, 2017 - 20th. Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**August 27, 2017 - 21st. Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## SACRAMENTS

### RECONCILIATION:

Before Weekday Mass or please call Fr. Jim to book appointment.

### BAPTISMAL PREPARATION:

*Baptism Preparation* will resume again in the fall. We are asking all parents who want to have their children Baptized to participate in a three evening preparation program. ***The next three Sessions will be Wednesdays, Sept. 20, 27 & Oct. 04 at 7:00 p.m.*** Please call the parish office to register.

### SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION:

A special invitation to those children who will be in grade two (or older), in September, to become part of the group preparing for Reconciliation, Confirmation and Eucharist. ***First meeting for parents will be 7:00 p.m. Monday, October 02 at St. Mark Church basement (north door).***

### MARRIAGE:

Please allow six to eight months for preparations. Please contact Fr. Jim.

## Save the date for Upcoming events

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| Mon Aug 21 to Mon Sept 4      | - Fr. Jim on holiday   |
| Tues Sept 05                  | - First Day of School (Please pray for all students and teachers).       |
| Fri Sept 08                   | - St. Laurent Pilgrimage   |
| Sat. Sept. 9-9:00am to 4:00pm | - <b>St. Mark Parish Workshop "What Are We All About"</b>                |
| Thurs Sept 14                 | - Diaconate Ordination of Greg Bobbitt at St. Odilon, Rosthern           |
| Sun Sept 17 - 11:00 a.m.      | - Compassionate Healers' Mass at St. Mark                                |
| Sun Sept 24                   | - St. Mark Fall Supper   |
| Wed Sept 20, 27 & Oct. 04     | - Baptismal Preparation  |
| Mon Oct 02 - 7:00 p.m.        | - Sacramental Preparation for Confirmation/1st. Communion (parents only) |

### NOTE: Fr. Jim will be on holidays from Monday August 21 to Monday September 4.

Fr. Maurice will be replacing him.

If there are any emergencies, please contact Fr. Matthew at Sacred Heart Cathedral at 306 763-2319.

### Weekly Schedule for Aug. 19 to 27

Sat. Aug. 19 1:00 p.m. Congratulations to Matthew Sander and Kristina Seufert who will be married today.  
 3:00 p.m. Congratulations to Ryan Sayers and Allison Corriveau who will be married today.

Sun. Aug 20 9:45 a.m. Mass at Herb Bassett Home For All Parishioners  
11:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mark  
 IMO Arnold Herzog  
 From PA Catholic School Div Staff

Mon. Aug 21 Fr. Jim on Holidays

Tues. Aug 22 Fr. Jim on Holidays

Wed. Aug 23 Fr. Jim on Holidays

Thurs. Aug 24 Fr. Jim on Holidays

Fri. Aug 25 Fr. Jim on Holidays

Sat. Aug 26 Fr. Jim on Holidays

Sun. Aug 27 9:45 a.m. Mass at Herb Bassett Home For All Parishioners  
 Fr. Maurice Fiolleau presiding  
11:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mark  
 IMO Jack and Pauline Graves  
 From Judy Perreault  
 Fr. Maurice Fiolleau presiding

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### Weekly Schedule for Aug. 26 to Sept. 03

Sat. Aug 26 Fr. Jim on Holidays

Sun. Aug 27 9:45 a.m. Mass at Herb Bassett Home For All Parishioners  
 Fr. Maurice Fiolleau presiding  
11:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mark  
 IMO Jack and Pauline Graves  
 From Judy Perreault  
 Fr. Maurice Fiolleau presiding

Mon. Aug. 28 Fr. Jim on Holidays

Tues. Aug. 29 Fr. Jim on Holidays  
 9:00 a.m. School Opening Mass at Sacred Heart  
 All are invited.

Wed. Aug 30 Fr. Jim on Holidays

Thurs. Aug. 31 Fr. Jim on Holidays

Fri. Sept 01 Fr. Jim on Holidays

Sat. Sept 02 Fr. Jim on Holidays

Sun. Sept 03 9:45 a.m. Mass at Herb Bassett Home For All Parishioners  
 Fr. Maurice Fiolleau presiding  
11:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mark  
 IMO June and Nadia Gisi  
 From Lee Gisi and Family  
 Fr. Maurice Fiolleau presiding

Mon Sept 04 Fr. Jim back from holidays  
 Tues Sept 05 Fr. Jim at clergy days in Wasquesiu to Fri Sept 08


**Saturday, Sept. 09 at 9:00 a.m.** Our Parish will host a Parish Workshop called “*St. Mark: What Are We All About?*” Your Parish is much more than a big brick box, or is it? Come and see. *Remember: if it is about our parish, it is about us.*

### SUNDAY CONTRIBUTIONS

*Our gifts to God and our gifts to our Parish.*


	<u>Aug. 06</u>	<u>Aug. 13</u>
Envelopes	\$1188.00	\$ 1160.00
Loose	\$ 149.05	\$ 146.16
Building	\$ 310 .00	\$ 80.00

*Going away for summer holidays? Your parish expenses don't take a holiday; so please remember to "catch-up" your missed Sundays. Thank You Enjoy your summer!*



<b>MINISTRIES</b>	<b>August 27, 2017</b>		<b>Sept. 03, 2017</b>	
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COUNTING TEAM	R. Bergen	B. Mills	D. Benard	J. & J. Sander
	B. Timoffee	J. Watt		

Our prayers and condolences to the family of Victoria Slonski who recently passed away  
 May She Rest in Peace.



**Outpost - Huge Thank You to the parishioners of St. Mark Parish,** who were able to participate in the Soup and Sandwich at the Outpost Ministry Sat. Aug. 12. Your volunteering to feed the hungry in the city was greatly appreciated. For more information on the Soup and Sandwich Saturday initiative or if you are wanting to volunteer, please contact Louis at the Pastoral Centre 306-922-4747-ext 233



**Do you like to sing or play an instrument?**  
**St. Mark Music Ministry** welcomes newcomers to **join the choir!**

Practices are the first Tuesday of the month beginning **Sept. 05** from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. Please come out and give choir a try. *Bring a friend!* Share the talents God has Blessed you with.

**Ladies of St. Mark**  
 Our Motto  
**"heart of the community"**  
 Club meets monthly from September to May on the second Wednes. of month.  
**First Meeting Sept. 13 with Mass 6:30 p.m. Mtg. at 7:00 p.m.**

Come join us and help keep our parish ticking...



The **Compassionate Healers Mass** will be **Sunday, September 17 at 11:00 a.m. at St. Mark Parish.** Coming together as one community this special invitation is extended to: Medical Personnel, Spiritual Care, Volunteers, Parish Nurses, Men and Women Religious in Health Care Ministry, Ministry of Care Volunteers in Parishes and Health Care Facilities and Family Caregivers, Medical & Healthcare Students. The Eucharist will re-energize us in our professions and in our faith. Bound by common beliefs, we share in the healing ministry of Jesus Christ throughout the diocese.



**St. Laurent Shrine** Come and celebrate the **'Feast of the Birth of Mary'** on **Friday, September 8th.** The evening begins at 6:00 p.m. with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Divine Mercy Chaplet, Marian Prayer, and Rosary; followed at 7:00 with the Celebration of Eucharist, Candlelight Procession, and ending with birthday cake and coffee. You are invited to bring a live long stemmed rose to present to Mary, or you may purchase roses on site.



**Sunday, September 10 Grandparents' Day Stroll-A-Thon**

Mont St Joseph Foundation is hosting this special event to celebrate Grandparents! Join them from **2:30—4:30 p.m.** Their mission for this fundraiser is not only to raise much needed monies, but also to raise awareness about this Nationally Celebrated Day! Pick up a pledge sheet and join them. Celebrations include a *free* BBQ, entertainment, facepainting and jumping air castle for the kids. For more information call 306-922-4663. **\*\*NOTE: Darsey is collecting pledges for Fr. Jim!** Please see her before or after Mass or contact her at Parish Office 764-4637 to donate your pledge! *Thank you for your support.*



**August 20 2017 20th. Sunday in Ordinary Times**

In today's Gospel, our Lord shows us the power of faith. When we entrust everything to Him, He cannot help but be moved by it. Let's pray today with all our hearts for the Catholic Church to be a true reflection of God's love and mercy for others. Let's ask our Lord to break through the injustices that occur around the world, and bring hope to all who suffer. Development and Peace, the official International Development organisation of the Catholic Church, invites you to join a movement of faith and justice. Your faith, your prayers and your actions can move mountains. Check Development and Peace's website and become a member today: please visit [www.devep.org](http://www.devep.org).

**Children's Liturgy** will resume on **Sunday, September 10.** Our aim is to give our children, a meaningful experience of church; all the while helping them to grow in the faith of the Catholic Church.

All money the children donate to the "Gold Box" at the foot of the altar, is used to sponsor a



child in Haiti through Chalice.



**August 27, 2017 21st. Sunday in Ordinary Times**

Matthew's Gospel today teaches us to recognize who our Lord really is, and challenges us to use this knowledge to act accordingly. Let's pray that we will see Jesus in everyone around us, especially those who are most in need. Development and Peace's work is guided by the Catholic Social Teachings, particularly the inherent Dignity of the Human Person as created in the image and likeness of God. When we recognize this truth, our care for others is enhanced. Join us in our mission to call for a different type of development; one that is concerned for the integral well being of the human person.




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**The Kids' Bulletin**  
20th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
August 20, 2017  
In today's Gospel reading, a foreign woman  
was asking Jesus to cure her daughter:  
But Jesus said that He was sent to care for  
the children of Israel, not foreigners.  
The woman replied to Jesus,  
"But even the \_\_\_\_\_ eat the scraps  
that fall from their master's table!"  
What did she say she was like?  
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