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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. 9:30 am to 2:00 pm

*(May be closed during weekday morning Mass)

SACRAMENTS

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

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION:

We are asking all parents who want to have their children Baptized to participate in a *three* evening preparation program. The next set of classes will be: **Wednesdays April 16, 23 and 30, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. downstairs in Rectory.** Please contact the Parish Office to register.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION - next session will be **Monday, February 5 at 7:00 p.m.** Please use north hall door.

MARRIAGE:

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

Sunday, February 11, 2018
6th. Sunday - in Ordinary Time World Day of the Sick

Ash Wednesday Service

Wednesday, February 14

9:30 a.m. St. John School
at St. Mark

All parishioners invited

7:00 p.m. Ash Wednesday Mass
at St. Mark

A Prayer for World Day of the Sick

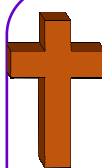
Mary, our Mother,

In Christ you welcome each of us as a son or daughter.

Sustain the trusting expectation of our hearts,
Succour us in our infirmities and sufferings,
And guide us to Christ, your Son and our brother.
Help us to entrust ourselves to the Father
who accomplishes great things.

Amen.



 During Lent and the Easter Season; we will be handing out the **Vocations Cross** at the end of Mass, and asking you to **pray for Vocations** in the upcoming week. If you would like to be a parishioner that prays for vocations, please see Elaine Bergen or *sign up sheet* on bulletin board in foyer

Weekly Schedule for Upcoming Week

- Sun. Feb. 11 9:45 a.m. Mass at Herb Bassett Home For All Parishioners
11:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mark
 IMO Ray Erdman
 From Louis and Elizabeth Zdrill
 Anointing of the Sick at All Masses today
 Chicken soup and Sandwiches after Mass in Hall
 2:00 p.m. Fr. Jim at Anointing of the Sick celebration at
 Sacred Heart Cathedral
Fr. Jim available for a supper invitation
- Mon. Feb. 12 Fr. Jim's day off
- Tues. Feb. 13 **9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mark**
 IMO Mary Brady and family
 2:00 p.m. Small Faith Christian Community
Fr. Jim available for a supper invitation
- Wed. Feb. 14 **ASH WEDNESDAY**
9:30 a.m. Mass at St. Mark for St. John School
 For Appreciation for Staff at St. John
All parishioners invited
 2:00 p.m. Prayer Shawl Ministry Rectory downstairs
7:00 p.m. Mass at St. Mark
 For Increase in Vocations and Religious Life
- Thurs. Feb. 15 **9:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mark**
 IMO Brian Tremblay
 From Don and Marlene Park
 7:00 p.m. ALPHA Series evening Rectory downstairs
- Fri. Feb. 16 11:00 a.m. Mass at Riverbreeze Home
 IMO Lawrence Brochu
 From Pat and Stafford Brochu
- Sat. Feb. 17 10:00 a.m. ALPHA retreat day
 5:00 p.m. Fr. Jim celebrating Mass for the Sisters
 of Presentation
- Sun. Feb. 18 9:45 a.m. Mass at Herb Bassett Home For All Parishioners
11:00 a.m. Mass at St. Mark
 IMO Ray Erdman
 From Anne Zdrill and family
Fr. Jim available for a supper invitation

MINISTRIES

February 18, 2018

LECTORS

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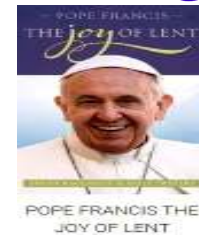
L. Korniski J. Mauvieux

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L. Holowachuk

COUNTING TEAM

D. Kopera R. Malach J. Fournier



**Please pick up
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The Joy of Lent**

Our prayers and condolences to
the family of *Calvin Basaraba*
who recently passed away.

May He Rest
in Peace.



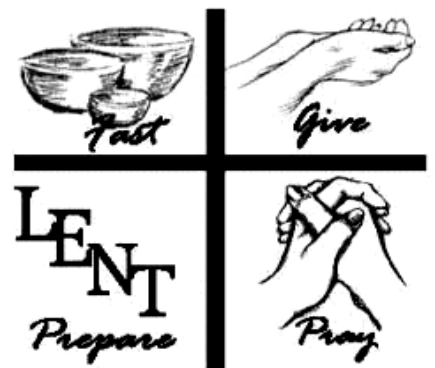
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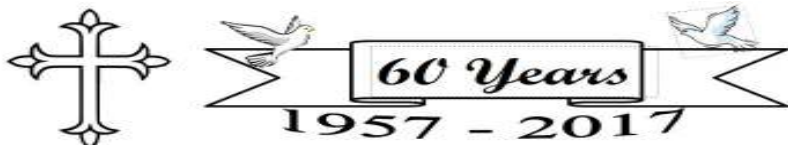
	<u>Feb. 04</u>	<u>Jan. 28</u>
Envelopes	\$ 1917.00	\$ 1065.00
Loose	\$ 164.60	\$ 211.10
Building	\$ 625.00	\$ 50.00

We will be praying the **Way of the Cross** at St. Mark on Fridays, during Lent at **7:00 p.m.** beginning Friday February 16.



St. Mark Lenten Lunch - On the Wednesdays during Lent (beginning February 21 to March 28), Fr. Jim will be hosting a **Faith Education** session. It will be from 12:00 noon to 1:00 p.m. Bring a sandwich, something to share and an open heart. It will be in the St. Mark rectory meeting room.





Parishioner Events Timeline

For those of you who didn't get a **purple Timeline Form** in January, there are forms on the table at the Entrance of the Church. They are beside the box where you are asked to place your filled out forms. We will gather information from you to compile a list of events, you a parishioner of St. Mark, has celebrated here over the last 60 years. Based on the information handed in, we will be making a list of these wonderful events for each decade and displaying it in the basement of St. Mark Church. The categories will include: when you became a member of the Parish or celebrated the following: received any of the sacraments, joined the Knights of Columbus or the Ladies of St. Mark, became an Altar Server, or served as a member of Parish Council or the Finance Council. If you have another event that was important to you, feel free to share. Please include members of your family who may have been members of the Parish but no longer belong to St. Mark. We look forward to hearing from you in January.

An example would be: Brian _____ was baptised in June 1960. We ask that we can use your last name. You can give consent on the form. We hope everyone will participate so we can see how active the Parish has been. **We would like the forms handed in by April 8/18.**

Building on the success of the Fall Diocesan Pastoral Council, there is a follow-up **Extended Deanery meeting** on **Saturday, February 24** at Sacred Heart Cathedral from **9:00am to 3:00pm**. These meetings will help deepen our understanding of what it is to be **Intentional Disciples of Christ**. Reminding us that we **have been called and sent to bring his Good News to the World around us**. It is our own personal relationship with Christ that will give us the strength, of the Spirit, to go forth and be the missionary disciples of the Lord. Please let either Fr. Jim or Darsey know if you are interested in attending. (306 764 4637).

The **Lenten Deanery Retreat** will be held at **St. Joseph Church**, on Mon / Tues, **Feb 26 / 27**, from 7:00pm to 8:30 pm. The presenter is Sister Teresita Kambeitz. All are welcome.

The **Annual Diocesan Charismatic Conference** will be **Saturday, March 3** at **St. Michael Church** (1505-13th Street W), from **8:30a.m. to 6:30 p.m.** It will include talks by John Connelly and Christy Dupuis, Adoration, Reconciliation, Mass and Praise and Worship. Adults \$30, ages 12-18 \$10 and families \$50.00. Please submit the registration form available in the foyer of your church early.

Vocation Corner Sixth Sunday of the Year – B

A Vocation View: Today's Gospel says that: "Jesus was moved with pity, when He saw a leper." Are you moved with love or pity when you see the outcast of today's society? Who will come forward to minister Christ today?

Prayer: For a truer understanding that faithfulness to one's vocation in Christ is necessary in order to do all for the glory of God, we pray to the Lord.

Action: Because of our vows of chastity poverty, and obedience, consecrated religious have the freedom to work with others in caring for those on the margins of society, speaking on their behalf, yet at the same time, empowering them to recognize and utilize their God-given gifts and talents. *Sr. Sister Rosemary Finnegan, O.P., 2014 Diocese of Orlando interview*

Presently there are four seminarians for the diocese. **Our parish has been asked to adopt Kendrick Beler.** We are asking all parishioners to send him a card thanking him for choosing to follow the call of Christ. Let him know you will be praying for him and that you look forward to his ordination. His address is: St. Joseph Seminary; 9828 - 84 Street NW; Edmonton, AB; T6A 0B2.

*Pre-addressed envelopes for all four seminarians are available on bulletin board in foyer.



2017 Income Tax Receipts are available. Please pick up your receipt in the church foyer.

Please contact the parish office if your mailing address needs to be

Prayer Shawl Ministry - Do you want to knit or crochet at home?

If you knit/crochet; but are unable to attend the meetings, you may create Prayer Shawls at home. All yarn, needles and hooks are provided...*we need the talents God has blessed you with and your prayers*. Please contact Parish Office for more information and to pick up yarn.

The Ministry meets downstairs in Rectory **every Wednesday, from 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.** to Pray, knit/crochet Prayer Shawls.

The Ministry is accepting donations of cash or yarn to create Prayer Shawls Please contact the Parish Office for more information


Staff Appreciation St. John School

The education of our children is the greatest gift we can offer them. It will enable them to grow into mature Christians and mature citizens. The responsibility of this endeavor has been put on the shoulders of teachers and staff in the various schools. The **Week of February 11 to 17** has been designated as **Staff Appreciation Week**. Please take a moment to either phone the school, or better yet drop in with a gift and let them know you appreciate all that they are doing.


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The Kids' Bulletin
Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 11, 2018
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Jesus:
I do will it. Be made clean!
See that you tell no one anything,
but go show yourself to the
priest and offer for you,
clearing what Moses
prescribed: that
they will be proof
for them.

What did Jesus reply to him?
Look at this page in the mirror to find out!



What did the
leper in today's
Gospel reading
say to Jesus?

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