



Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church Jasper, Alberta June 26, 2022

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OFFICE HOURS: Priest is available Tuesday from 12 pm to Wednesday 4 pm

Mass Times

Weekend Masses

Saturday 7:30 p.m. Sunday 8:30 a.m.

Weekday Masses

Tuesday 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday 11:00 a.m. Alpine Summit Lodge

Confessions – Half an hour before Masses.

Mass intentions

TBA

Parish Council Members Pastor

Father Anthony Narisetty

Associate Pastor:

Father Rajesh Jesuraj

Chairperson

Jacinta Broemeling

Members

Roy Broemeling

Naaman Quintana

Shawna Jobe

Vicky Gulivich

Jeril Joseph



Next Parish Council meeting:
TBA



Finance

Dulce Marcojos

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Readings

1 Kings 19.16b, 19-21; Psalm 16; Galatians 5.1, 13-18; Luke 9.51-62

Taking the Call

In this week's First Reading, Elijah's disciple is allowed to kiss his parents goodbye before setting out to follow the prophet's call.

But we are called to follow a "greater than Elijah", this week's Liturgy wants us to know.

In Baptism, we have put on the cloak of Christ, been called to the house of a new Father, and been given a new family in the kingdom of God. We have been called to leave behind our past lives and never look back—to follow wherever He leads.

Elijah was taken up in a whirlwind and his disciple was given a double portion of his spirit (see 2 Kings 2:9-15).

Jesus too, the Gospel reminds us, was "taken up" (see Acts 1:2, 11, 22), and He gave us His Spirit to live by, to guide us in our journey in His kingdom.

As this week's Epistle tells us, the call of Jesus shatters the yoke of every servitude, sets us free from the rituals of the old Law, and shows us the Law's fulfillment in the following of Jesus, in serving one another through love.

His call sets our hands to a new plow, a new task—to be His messengers, sent ahead to prepare all peoples to meet Him and enter into His Kingdom.

Elijah called down fire to consume those who wouldn't accept God (see 2 Kings 1:1-16). But we have a different Spirit with us.

To live by His Spirit is to face opposition and rejection, as the Apostles do in this week's Gospel. It is to feel like an exile, with no lasting city (see Hebrews 13:14), no place in this world to lay our head or call home.

But we hear the voice of the One we follow in this week's Psalm (see Acts 2:25-32; 13:35-37). He calls us to make His faith our own—to abide in confidence that He will not abandon us, that He will show us "the path to life," leading us to the fullness of joy in His presence forever.



LUKE 9:58

FOXES HAVE HOLES,
AND BIRDS OF THE AIR
HAVE NESTS;
BUT THE SON OF MAN
HAS NOWHERE
TO LAY HIS HEAD.

– Yours in Christ, Scott Hahn, Ph.D.

Parish Council members needed

If you are interested in participating on the Parish Pastoral Council, please contact the parish office and leave a message. 780-865-3045. We encourage you to consider assisting in this ministry.

Knights of Columbus – Hinton Council

All men (18 and up) from Jasper Parish are welcome to become members of the Knights of Columbus Hinton Council. Please contact Denis LaFrance for more information 780-865-3045 www.kofc.org



[KofC online video series – Into the Breach](#)

Priests are available in the parish office

Tuesday from 12:00 noon to Wednesday 4:00 pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Tuesday and Wednesday 1/2 hour before mass
(Confession) is also available - **By appointment**

Papal Visit Fundraiser

We are delighted to share the joy of the upcoming pastoral visit by Pope Francis to Canada on July 24-29, 2022. This visit will be one of healing, hope and reconciliation that we hope will be a watershed moment for the Indigenous Peoples of this land and the Church's relationship with them.

The Vatican has confirmed that the Holy Father will utilize three hubs for the visit to Canada: Edmonton, Quebec City and Iqaluit. It will be a much more modest visit than a usual papal pilgrimage, due to the Holy Father's age, health, and mobility issues.

Still, there are costs associated with the visit, including lodging and event security, event production costs and site logistics. National organizers estimate the total cost of the visit at \$15 million, and are working to secure support from all levels of government as well as the private sector.

There will be two pew collections within the Archdiocese of Edmonton to help with these costs. The first was June 18-19, prior to National Indigenous Peoples Day on June 21. **The second collection will be July 23-24.** Pope Francis arrives in Canada on July 24.

Donations may be made:

- Online through Canada Helps at <https://bit.ly/2022PapalVisit>
- By cheque to the Archdiocese of Edmonton, duly marked "Papal Visit."

We thank you in advance for supporting this historic visit of Pope Francis to Canada.

Pope Francis in Canada

Two papal websites have been launched this morning – papalvisit.ca in English and visitepapale.ca in French. More information is also available on these sites. Here is the link to His Grace's news conference this morning: [YouTube](#)

Support for Ukraine

Ways to Donate

Online: <http://eeparchy.com/donate> and select "Aid to Humanitarian Crisis."

Mail: The Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of Edmonton, 9645 -108 Avenue NW, Edmonton, Alberta, T5H 1A3.

Payable to: Eparchy of Edmonton
Memo Line: Aid to Humanitarian Crisis

YOUR RETURN GIFT TO GOD

Weekend of June 18/19

Regular Sunday \$1,211.47

Building Fund \$40.00

Indigenous fund \$5.00

Papal visit \$25.00



ANNUAL APPEAL

(The special envelopes in your box of Envelopes)

2022 Goal: \$4,000.00

Collected so far for 2022: \$1,197.00

(29 % of Goal)



Thank you for your generous donations.

The 10 different Catholic organizations supported by TWS:

- Catholic Social Services
- Diocese of Mackenzie-Fort Smith
- Evangelization of Nations
- Needs of the Canadian Church
- Needs of the Church in the Holy Land
- Newman Theological College
- Pope's Pastoral Works
- St. Joseph Priests' Foundation of Edmonton
- St. Joseph Seminary
- St. Joseph's College



Donate now!

So, if you want to donate to the above charities, use the Annual Appeal envelopes. **Please help us meet our goal.**

For more information, please visit www.caedm.ca/WeServe.

*"O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good,
his steadfast love endures for ever!" Psalm 118*

Weekly Collection – All cheques **must** be made out to Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church if you want a tax receipt for your donations. **This includes Together We Serve. Please note on the memo line on your cheque.**

If you do not use the numbered envelopes and would like to, please call 780-865-3045 and leave a message.

Synod Prayer

We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name. With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts; Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it. We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder. Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions. Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what is right. All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time, in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever. Amen.

Safe Environment and Abuse Prevention" training

"Called to Protect", by zoom is scheduled **TBA**.

This is a requirement for all volunteers and employees in the Archdiocese 18 years and older.

[REGISTER HERE](#). We will limit the number of registered volunteers to 60 on first come basis. Helpful instructions, training material and the link to the zoom session will be sent close to the date. We appreciate your time and talent in the service of the Church

ATTENTION

If you, or any member of your household are sick, please stay at home.