

SACRED HEART PARISH



Sharing the love of Christ through our gifts

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26th Week of Ordinary Time

MASS INTENTIONS September 26 – October 02

Sat.	Sep. 26	7:00 pm	(+) Peter Minh
Sun.	Sep. 27	9:00 am	(+) Kevin Lynch
		11:00 am	Parishioners of Sacred Heart
		5:00 pm	(+) Annie Mai and (+) Anthony Tuc
Mon.	Sep. 28	---	No Mass
Tues.	Sep. 29	9:30 am	(+) Roman Kowal
Wed.	Sep. 30	9:30 am	(+) Hilario Parentila and (+) Andrea Parentila
Thurs.	Oct. 01	9:30 am	(+) Russ Breen
Fri.	Oct. 02	9:30 am	(+) Pietrina Naspini
SAT	OCT 03	9:30 AM	FIRST SATURDAY MASS

FEAST DAYS & MEMORIALS

Sep. 29th – St. Micheal,
St. Gabriel, St. Raphael

Oct. 1st – St. Therese
of Lisieux

Oct. 2nd – Holy
Guardian Angels

– Five First Saturdays Devotion –
Starting October 03rd at 9:30 AM
Please preregister your attendance
More information on the devotion, below

RCIA

Are you or anyone you know interested in learning more about the faith? We are now accepting registration forms for our upcoming program.



Rite of Christian Initiation
for Adults

Please contact the parish office to schedule an appointment to register.

Retrouvaille – Help for Struggling Marriages

Retrouvaille - A lifeline for troubled marriages! Is your marriage in crisis? Communication problems? You are not alone

helpourmarriage.com
587-598-4357,

info@helpourmarriage.ca

Next Edmonton Retrouvaille Program start:
Nov 13-15, 20



First Communion

Congratulations! to

Ma. Julia

who recently received
First Reconciliation &
First Holy Communion:



*"My Jesus, give me the grace to receive You
always - with a pure and contrite heart"*

Our next First Communion session will begin soon!

Check the website, under "Sacrament" tab, for details and to register your child for the next First Communion session.

Red Deer Pro-life Chain Sunday

The Life Chain will take place on Sunday, October 4th from 2-3 pm at 32nd Street and 57th Avenue in Red Deer. Please see printable PDF at the end of the bulletin, to participate in this year's Pro-Life Colouring Contest!

Let us return to the Eucharist with joy!

Letter on the celebration of the liturgy during and after the COVID 19 pandemic to the Presidents of the Episcopal Conferences of the Catholic Church.

The pandemic caused by the Covid 19 virus has produced upheavals not only in social, family, economic, educational, and work dynamics, but also in the life of the Christian community, including the liturgical dimension. To prevent the spread of the virus, rigid social distancing was necessary, which had repercussions on a fundamental trait of Christian life: "Where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I among them" (Mt 18:20); "They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. And all who believed were together and had all things in common" (Acts 2:42-44).

For the full text of the letter please see the link on the home page of the website.



St Stephen Fish Fry

Take Out Only (5128-53 St)

Friday, October 2nd

4:30 - 6:30

2 pieces of fish/fries/coleslaw

Comes with tartar sauce

\$15 each OR 2 for \$25

Call Marilyn @ 403-358-9384

Or Marianna @ 403-782-5576

for details

Day of Enrichment: The Marriage You've Always Wanted

The Cincinnati, Dayton, Northern and Central Kentucky WWME

community invites you to

join them **September 26th from 9-3:30 pm** for a virtual experience based on Dr. Gary Champman's book. Register at: <https://esharing.org/enrichment.php> by **September 24th**. First 100 couples will be emailed information on a Zoom Orientation meeting and a package to print prior to session. **This is a FREE event!**



November 13 to 15th, 2020

Virtual Weekend Experience. **Register at wwme.org**. Cost is \$125 per couple.

VIRTUAL Nov 13-15th, 2020 Weekend Experience

How would you like to experience our transformational WWME weekend experience from the comfort of your own home?

We invite encountered and married couples to experience an anniversary virtual weekend. This event is open to all married couples. Feel free to share this invitation with other couples.

To register go to www.wwme.org and if you have any questions about the weekend contact the Edmonton leadership Team at wwme.edmonton@gmail.com

SEASON OF CARING FOR CREATION

Sept. 1 – Oct 4: Sacred Heart Social Justice Committee invites you and your family to celebrate this season

Pope Francis states that the Season of Creation is a "season of increased prayer and effort on behalf of our common home." Below are some resources to support Catholic communities in celebrating this important time in communion with our Christian brothers and sisters.

- Pray together as a family
- Plant a sapling in your backyard
- Draw a picture, create a song, story or poem that speaks about caring for creation.
- Discuss with your family what this passage from Genesis 1:28 implies in regard to care of creation
- Enjoy a day in the park and marvel at the gift of creation.
- Listen to a recording of Canticule of Creatures by St. Francis

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CfJ6WJPUff8>

- Check out Global Catholic Climate Movement webpage: <https://catholicclimatemovement.global/>

Genesis 1:28

God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth and subdue it; and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over every living thing that moves upon the earth."

MEDITATIONS BEFORE MASS:

"When we come into church from the outside our ears are filled with the racket of the city, the words of those who have accompanied us, the laboring and quarreling of our own thoughts, the disquiet of our hearts' wishes and worries, hurts and joys.

How are we possibly to hear what God is saying? That we listen at all is something; not everyone does.

It is even better when we pay attention and make a real effort to understand what is being said. But all this is not yet the attentive stillness in which God's word can take root.

This must be established before the service begins, if possible in the silence on the way to church, still better in a brief period of composure the evening before."

— Msgr. Romano Guardini, p. 17

[Why Five Saturdays?](#)

The culture of vice and sin remains unabated even as one reads this. There are so many of society's plagues that have cut deeply into the Immaculate Heart of Mary. We must console our Lady amidst all of these insults and injuries to her and her Divine son. She asks for reparation, she pleads for our prayers, she hopes for our amendment of life. Let us listen to her maternal please and atone for the ingratitude of men.

[What does it consist of?](#) On the first five Saturday's of the month, one must participate in the following

- ❖ [Confession](#)
- ❖ [Receive Holy Communion](#)
- ❖ [Pray the 5 decades of the Rosary](#)
- ❖ [And keep our Lady company for a quarter of an hour meditating on the 15 mysteries with the intention of offering reparation](#)

The first Saturday of the devotion is on October 3rd. Mass will begin at 9:30 am. Please preregister prior to attending.

For more information on this devotion please visit – www.virginfatima.org

Red Deer ProLife Colouring Contest 2020!

Name:

Age:

Phone #:

***Please Submit via mail (Red Deer Pro-Life Box 202 Red Deer, Alberta T4N 5E8) or email (reddeerprolife@live.ca) by November 1st for your chance to win!

