

SACRED HEART PARISH

Sharing the love of Christ through our gifts

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FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT - FEBRUARY 18, 2024

MASS INTENTIONS - February 17 - 23

| Sat. | February 17 | 7:00pm | Parishioners of Sacred Heart |
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| Sun. | February 18 | 9:00 am | (+) Peter Minh |
| | | 11:00 am | Joy, Marc & Family (Anniversary) |
| | | 3:00 pm | Eleanor MacNeil |
| Mon. | February 19 | | No mass |
| Tues. | February 20 | 9:00 am | (+) Jae Duk (Regina) Lee |
| Wed. | February 21 | 9:00 am | (+) Jae Gyu (Joseph) Park |
| Thurs | February 22 | 9:00 am | (+) Bul-Chul Joe |
| Fri. | February 23 | 9:00 am | (+) Sang-Kuyng Shim |

"Your paths, Lord, are love and faithfulness for those who keep your covenant" -Responsorial Psalm

Ministry Fair March 2 - 3 After all Masses

Donation Envelopes

NOTE: numbers have changed ... **Please DO NOT** use envelopes from previous years, to ensure you receive a tax receipt for your donation.

2023 INCOME TAX RECEIPTS

can be picked up before or after weekend Masses or you may stop by during office hours. Receipts not picked up by February 29 will be mailed out.

"Come and Rest Awhile" Retreat February 23rd from 9:00 AM-11:20 AM. Mike Landry will guide you through a two-hour retreat that will include scripture, reflections, music, discussions, and silent prayer. Hope you can make it. Led by the Spirit Charismatic prayer group Join us for prayer and praise Tuesday February 20 7pm - 9pm

Bible Study: Companion to the SUNDAY READINGS year B discussion based on the Sunday readings. Tuesday February 20 10:00am -12pm



Weekend Mass Times

Saturday - 7:00 pm Sunday - 9:00 am 11:00 am and 3:00 pm

OFFICE HOURS

| Monday: closed | | | |
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| Tues: | 9:30 am - noon; 1:00 - 4:00 pm | | |
| Wed: | 9:30 am - noon; 1:00 - 4:00 pm | | |
| Thurs: 9:30 am - noon; 1:00 - 4:00 pm | | | |
| Fri: | 9:30 am - 12:30 pm | | |
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The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available after



every Mass, and Saturday from 6:15 - 6:50 pm; as well as by appointment. "If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts..."

Enjoy the riches of God's Word through

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PRAYER MEETING

Every Tuesday at 8:00 pm in the chapel. Text Gerard at 587-693-2116 on arrival, to be let in.

Daily Reflections from Dr. Tim Gray.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS



Prayer of the Stations of the Cross

will take place at 7:00 pm

on Fridays during Lent.

Any groups wanting to lead the prayers, please contact the parish office to be added to the schedule.

Society of Saint Vincent de Paul accepts ONLINE DONATIONS

1. Go to the website: canadahelps.org

- 2. In the website search bar type the SSVP business number: 132410671RR0548
- 3. Click on the SSVP Red Deer icon to donate

Society of St. Vincent de Paul is in need of the following items: chest of drawers, shelving, coffee tables, end tables, small kitchen table and chairs, Living Room chairs, double and queen beds. Also continue to need cutlery, pot & pans, kettles, toasters, coffee makers, slow cookers, bedding, and towels. Sincere thanks to those who have donated items. Please contact Carol at 403-588-2416.

POOR BOX weekends are on the 2nd full weekend. Mar. 9&10, Apr. 13 &14



YOUNG ADULTS GAME NIGHT! If you are aged 18-30 come join our Young Adults for a GAME NIGHT on March 9th at Sacred Heart Parish after the 7 pm Mass in the parish hall.

BOOK SALE

We need your donations! Cleaning house? Downsizing? Consider donating your unwanted books, DVDs, CDs, puzzles, magazines (no encyclopedias please) SALE DATES: Friday, April 26 & Saturday, April 27 Donations may be left in the parish hall STARTING Tuesday, April 16 Contact valeriejolesen@gmail.com for information

Selections found in our Parish Library

The Season of Lent

"When we pray we speak to God; but when we read, God speaks to us."

St. Jerome



The Way of the Cross with Pope Francis / Alessandro Saraco, ed. Meditations on the Stations, translated from the Italian.



The Gargoyle Code: Lenten letters between a master tempter and his diabolical trainee / Dwight Longenecker. Takes the reader on an entertaining, enlightening and sobering journey toward Easter Day.



Jesus, Friend of My Soul: Reflections for the Lenten Journey / Joyce Rupp. Each two-page passage leads us to new growth in our lives and invites us to reach new depths in our faith.

www.wikilibrary.com/library/sacred-heart-library

CWL

We want you to become part of the Sacred Heart Catholic Women's League Parish Council. The Catholic's Women's League of Canada means many things to people. Our core values of faith, service and social justice guide us as we follow Catholic teaching, provide service locally, nationally and internationally, and work to advocate for social justice.

Contact us at sacredheartcwlreddeer@gmail.com

We have a Facebook page!

"The Catholic Women's League Red Deer Sacred Heart Parish" Please "Like" and "Follow" us. The link is:

https://www.facebook.com/

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HUNDREDS OF RESOLUTIONS Over its history Catholic Women's League members have proposed hundreds of resolutions; some become laws, others serve as seeds for change - all serve to educate members. We invite you to discover more!

tunity to SUPPORT other women. We can be INSPIRED by grant projects Your donations are used to continue World Day of Prayer and support social justice projects for omen and families in Canada and internationally Become familiar with the prayers that the writing nittee of Palestiniar Christian women wrote as part of the 2024 service. Hear their concerns about the Middle East, an area of

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World Day of Prayer Friday March 1, 2024 2:00pm at St. Mary's Parish

Knights of Columbus is having a fundraiser where you can indulge in one of the five flavours of Beef Jerky. Each 170 g pack is going for \$15.00. If interested, please send an email transfer to angelo.dellisanti@rdcrs.ca to choose one of your flavours of choice (Teriyaki, Peppered, Original, Hot N' Sweet, Candy). You can also pay with a cheque made out to K of C Council 3408. Cash is accepted too. You can also contact David for your order at 403-357-9117.



The final request will be Feb 29 and then delivery will be in March.



Baptism Preparation is held once a month, and is required for parents to attend before scheduling your child's Baptism. Next preparation by Zoom is on Monday, February 26 at 5:30 pm. Please call the parish office to pre-register.



FORMED

Formed is a Catholic website which offers a great number of programs including Faith Formation, Sacrament Preparation, Bible Studies, Speaker Presentations, Movies (for all ages), Audio Books, Youth Programing and various Presentations on current topics of interest. Some of the programs are also available in the Spanish language.

We are very grateful to one of our parishioners, an anonymous donor, who has made it possible for our parish to purchase an annual subscription to FORMED. Because of this, there is no cost to our parishioners, who we hope will benefit from this opportunity to grow in their faith.

Steps to set up your contact information and sign in:

Search bar - type in: formed.org

Click: Sign-Up

Click: Sign-Up as a parishioner

Find parish; type in: Sacred Heart Red Deer

Click: Next

Set up personal access (Create a new account): type in name & email address

After the initial set up, you may log on with Formed.org sign in to start watching.

We sincerely encourage our parish families to take advantage of this 'generous gift' to rekindle our desire to grow closer to Our Lord and in understanding the wonders of our Catholic faith.

May God's blessings guide and inspire you, always and everywhere.