

# SACRED HEART PARISH

## Sharing the love of Christ through our gifts

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# SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT - FEBRUARY 25, 2024

# MASS INTENTIONS - February 24 - March 1

Sat.	February 24	7:00 pm	Parishioners of Sacred Heart
Sun	February 25	9:00 am	(+) Anne Mai & Anthony Tuc
		11:00 am	(+) Deceased members of the Cockram Family
		3:00 pm	Enrico Dela Cruz (50 <sup>th</sup> Birthday)
Mon.	February 26		No Mass
Tues.	February 27	9:00 am	(+) Dick Zentner
Wed.	February 28	9:30 am	Gerard Renaud (with St. Lorenzo School)
Thurs	February 29	9:00 am	Louise Zentner
Fri.	March 1	9:00 am	All souls in purgatory
Sat.	March 2	9:00 am	All souls in purgatory

"I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living"
-Responsorial Psalm

#### Ministry Fair March 2 - 3

As Catholics, we have been called to serve and live out the gospel. Join us for refreshments and information where you can sign up for a Parish ministry or find out more. Let us if you have an expertise or talent that you would like to share.

#### ATTENTION MEN OF SACRED HEART PARISH

Prayer, Formation, and Fraternity
The Knights of Columbus invite you to our
third COR meeting on Tuesday, February 27<sup>th</sup>
at 7pm in the hall. We will be discussing:
Spiritual Warfare: St. Michael's prayer,
Temptations. Come join your brother for

refreshments, snacks, prayer and fraternity. Questions to <a href="mailto:steveberube13@gmail.com">steveberube13@gmail.com</a>

#### **YOUNG ADULTS GAME NIGHT! If**

you are aged 18-30 come join our Young Adults for a GAME

NIGHT on
March 9<sup>th</sup> at
Sacred Heart
Parish after the
7 pm Mass in
the parish hall.



# Weekend Mass Times Saturday - 7:00 pm

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

#### OFFICE HOURS

Monday: closed

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

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

### **FORMED**

Daily Reflections from Dr. Tim Gray.

#### PRAYER MEETING Every Tuesday at 8:00 pm in the chapel.

Text Gerard at 587-693-2116 on arrival, to be let in.

#### STATIONS OF THE CROSS



Prayer of the Stations of the Cross

will take place at 7:00 pm on Fridays during Lent.

Everyone is welcome to join us in prayer. A Plenary indulgence is granted to the faithful who make the pious exercise of the Way of the Cross

#### Led by the Spirit

Charismatic prayer group Join us for prayer and praise

**Tuesday February 27** 7pm - 9pm

#### **Bible Study:**

# **Companion to the SUNDAY READINGS**

discussion based on the Sunday readings. **Tuesday February 27** 

10:00am -12pm

#### 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 2<sup>nd</sup> full weekend.

Mar. 9&10, Apr. 13 &14

World Day of Prayer Friday March 1, 2024 2:00pm

St. Mary's **Parish** 

World Day of Prayer is an opportunity to REFLECT on and be motivated by Bible



#### **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 valerie jolesen@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."



He Chose the Nails: what God did to win your heart / Max Lucado. Examine the cross and other symbols around Christ's crucifixion to see them as gifts of grace offered up by Christ. (232 LUC)



The Weeping Chamber / Sigmund Brouwer. He was heralded as the Messiah with one week to live. Another man, unknown and desperate with only himself to blame had one week to find a miracle. Fiction. (FIC

BRO)



The Way of the Cross For Children / edited by Louis M. Savary; illustrated by Rita Goodwill. Simply written, beautifully illustrated book to help children follow and meditate on the Stations of the Cross. (CH 242 SAV)

#### **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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The Sacred Heart CWL Monthly gathering will be this Sunday with a potluck starting at 12:30 pm, directly after the 11 am Mass open to all women from the parish. Please do not worry if you aren't prepared for a potluck; there is always lots of food. We will update information in the last month and share some upcoming dates. You will have an opportunity to share your ideas.

**IDENTITY** Members may wear pins and scarves with the Catholic Women's League crest, but our true identity is seen in sharing our faith, service to the community and advocacy for social justice. Your place is among us.



#### Refugee Supplies for newcomers to Red Deer

In 2024 we have given out 34 bags serving 124 people so far. We are in urgent need of the following items: Bars of soap, dish soap (large and small), adult toothbrushes, tea towels, toothpaste, and shampoo (large and small). Donations can be left in the CWL drawer across from the Chapel.

The CWL also accept e-transfers and will gladly shop on your behalf for supplies.

Email: treasurersacredheartcwl@gmail.com If you would like to donate by e-transfer, please indicate refugee supplies in the note section. Your contributions are greatly appreciated!

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 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.