

HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH Welcomes you....

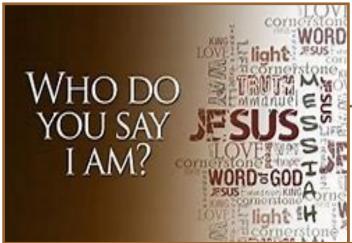
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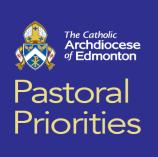
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24th Sunday in Ordinary Time September 15, 2024

This week, Jesus asks us, as He did Peter, the powerful question, "Who do you say that I am?" He asks this **in order that we might profess our faith in Him and be saved**.

He also asks us in order that once we have answered it, we, like Peter, might also tell others who Jesus is— the Savior of the world—the **CHRIST**.









Worship, Witness, and Service – these are the foundational pillars for our diocese, as identified by Archbishop Richard Smith in his pastoral letter *Living in the Word*.

Growing as a synodal and pastoral Church, we are translating these pillars into action through our 2024-2027 Pastoral Priorities. *"Be It Done: Living in the Word"* is the theme.

What are the Pastoral Priorities?

Over the next three years, we will draw inspiration from Mary, our patroness, whose life exemplifies Worship, Witness, and Service. Guided by the Blessed Mother's life and vocation, our pastoral priorities are:

• Formation for Eucharistic Worship:

We are a faith community that joyfully celebrates and better understands the Eucharist.

Formation for Confident Witness:

We are a faith community that is confident in proclaiming the Great Commission to spread the Good News of the Gospel within our respective vocations, professions, and communities.

Formation for Service to Families and Marriage:

We are a faith community that accompanies families, fully recognizing the centrality of marriage and family in God's plan. The Pastoral Priorities will inform and permeate all initiatives and events in the Archdiocese and our Catholic community over the next three years from 2024 to 2027. Stay tuned for more information.

WEEK AT A GLANCE:

OL—Our Lady's; SJ—St. Joseph; L—Library; C—Church; Chpl.—Chapel; BR—Board Room.

UPSTAIRS:

KC—Knights of Columbus Room; CWL— Catholic Women's League (formerly Martin de Porres room) KR—Kateri Room; CR—Classrooms; LZM—St. Louis and Zelie Martin; SF-St. Faustina Youth Room; CA-Blessed Carlos Acutis; SA—St. Anne's Kitchen; SJPII—St. John Paul II Classroom; STL—St. Therese of Lisieux; AR—All rooms upstairs, excluding the KC Room.

MONDAY September 16 9:30am MASS

Encounter—all main floor rooms 6:00pm

TUESDAY September 17 10:00am & 6:30pm

Students from St. John Paul II Catholic School will joining us for the 10:00am Mass.

(Confessions from 5:30—6:15pm)

8:30am SPA Retreat—H

1:00pm Small Christian Communities—L 7:00pm

Registration for First Reconciliation & First Communion—H

Social Justice—L 7:15pm

WEDNESDAY September 18 9:30am MASS

(Adoration until 9:00pm)

Canadian Blood Services—H Noon 1:00pm Holy Trinity Seniors—KR, KC 2:30pm Pastoral Ministry—OL 6:00pm Pastoral Ministry—OL, SJ K of C—General—KC 7:00pm

THURSDAY September 19 9:30am MASS

7:00pm RCIA-OL

7:00pm Registration for First Reconciliation

& First Communion—H

September 20 9:30am MASS

(Confessions and Adoration until 11:00am)

10:00am Healing Shawls—MD Baril Funeral—C, H, SJ, OL 11:00am

SATURDAY September 21 5:00pm MASS

(Confessions from 4:00—4:45pm) Liturgical Ministry sign-up

SUNDAY September 22

9:00am, 11:00am & 6:00pm MASS

Liturgical Ministry sign-up

Rosary—Chpl 8:30am

10:30am Rosary for the Unborn—OL

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE:



Ladies, welcome back! Mark your calendar for Wednesday, September 25 for our "Thanksgiving Potluck". All are welcome—bring a friend and a dish to share! Short notice, but we are looking for women to travel to Rimbey on Saturday, September 28. If interested, please contact Sister Susan at the above email address.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS—HOLY TRINITY COUNCIL:

For more information contact Brad Medernach at 780-984-1728. Membership kofc.org/JoinUs

Mark your calendar for a Crib Tournament on Saturday, October 19. More information to follow. There is a sign-up poster at the back of the church.

CALLED TO PROTECT:

Wednesday, September 18—1:00 to 3:00 p.m. online to register:

https://forms.gle/BDM3MuHVvgjjBSnUA

Saturday, September 21—9:30 to 12:00 online to register:

https://forms.gle/jXUgN8o1ww3BoL5t6

PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY RALLY:

You are invited to join in a Public Square Rosary Rally in Spruce Grove on Saturday, October 12 at 12:00 noon. Look for us at the corner of Grove Drive and Century Road in front of the Evergreen Catholic School District office, which is located between St. Marguerite and St. Thomas Catholic Schools.

This Public Square Rosary is sponsored by "Canada Needs our Lady" and will be one of thousands of rallies taking place in Canada and the United States. Please join us in offering reparation for the sins and offenses committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary and to fervently pray for the conversion of Canada.

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar Servers:

Brian Pasemco 587-785-6389

Catholic Women's League:

Sister Susan Scott, President

holytrinitycwl.president@gmail.com

Children's Liturgy:

Sheila Rossi 780-962-8108

Decorating:

Brenda Briggs 780-591-4252

(Please do not text to the above number)

Eucharistic Ministers:

Colin Schroeder 780-233-2985

Greeters:

Paula Roper 780-932-9545

Grief as a Journey:

Bonnie Fyculak 780-960-0135

Lector Coordinators:

Theresa Trommelen 780-970-4096

Music Coordinator:

Dori Whyte 780-238-4662

Family Planning:

Billings Ovulation Method:

Stephanie Leroux 780-724-2504

Creighton Model Fertility Care:

Caroline Campbell 780-975-0822

THE REMAINING CONTACTS CAN BE FOUND ON THE BACK PAGE



HOLY TRINITY SENIORS:

Holy Trinity Seniors Group invites all Seniors to attend the first meeting of the fall season in the KC Room upstairs.

Come join us for information, entertainment and refreshments Wednesday, September 18 from 1pm to 3pm.

SENIORS CARING & SHARING



Thank you to Theresa Trommelen and 'her' ladies for taking the time to care for the flowers and shrubs on the church grounds, and Mary's Garden. It is much appreciated.



HOPE & DIGNITY:

This program has been developed for those who are dying, those who are caring for a loved one, and all who wish to learn more about the hope and dignity that is found in our faith in life and death.

All sessions will be held Sunday afternoons, 1 – 3 p.m. in the hall:

September 29: Let's talk about death and the afterlife.

Understanding the human experience of dying. October 13:

November 3: Planning for end of life.

November 10: Accompanying those at end of life. November 24: Compassionate community.

Registration will be taken the weekends of September 14 & 21 following all Masses. Cost is \$10 to cover supplies. All are welcome.

Contact Rosemary Lee at rosemarylee53@gmail.com

ENCOUNTER SCHOOL OF MINISTRY

Curious about the Holy Spirit? Last chance to Come and See before you commit: Monday, Sept. 16 from 5:30-9pm at Holy Trinity Parish in Spruce Grove. For more

information or to apply: https://encounterschool.org/edmonton/ Facebook: Encounter School of Ministry-Edmonton Campus

REBUILDING AFTER SEPARATION AND DIVORCE:

This program aims to bring hope and healing to those who have experienced the pain and loneliness of a broken marriage. The first session is Tuesday, September 24 at 7:15pm in St. Anne's Room (the upstairs kitchen). The program runs from September 24—December 10, and January 21—April 8, 2025.

HOLY TRINITY PASTORAL MINISTRY:

Discover Inner Healing and Freedom through the Power of Prayer. Sessions are Wednesdays—2:30pm and 6:00pm at Holy Trinity. Please see the pamphlet at the back of the church, or sign up at https://trinitycatholic.flocknote.com/signup/174121

SOCIAL JUSTICE MEETING:

All are welcome to attend the first Social Justice meeting of the 2024/25 year! Both this year's study, Laudate Deum, as well as Development and Peace's 2024 fall campaign will be introduced. Join us Tuesday, September 17 at 7:15 pm in the parish library.

ANNUAL PARISH FALL SUPPER SATURDAY, November 2

(following the 5:00pm Mass)



EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Pope Francis highlights the importance of Eucharistic Adoration: "Moreover, I want to encourage everyone to visit - if possible, every day - especially amid life's difficulties, the Blessed Sacrament of the infinite love of Christ and His mercy, preserved in our churches, and often abandoned, to speak

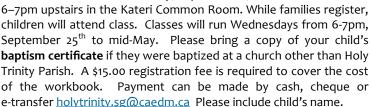
filially with Him, to listen to Him in silence, and to peacefully entrust yourself to Him." (July 7, 2016)

https://www.archivioradiovaticana.va/storico/2016/07/07/ pope sends message for italy%E2%80% 99s upcoming eucharistic congress/en-1242541

CATECHISM, RCIC Programs and HOMESCHOOLING:

Wednesday Evening Catechism:

This program is for children attending public schools, from Kindergarten to Grade 6. Registration and the first class will be on Wednesday, September 25th from



Wednesday Evening Rite of **Christian Initiation for Children (RCIC):**

This program is for children ages 6 – 12 who have not yet been baptized. It is a weekly class designed to prepare children to receive the Sacraments at Easter. Registration will be upstairs in the Kateri Common Room on Wednesday, September 25th from 6-7pm. While families register, children will attend class. Classes will run Wednesdays from 6-7pm, September 25th to mid-May. Please bring a copy of your child's long-form birth certificate (showing parentage). A \$15.00 registration fee is required to cover the cost of the workbook. Payment can be made by cash, cheque or e-transfer holytrinity.sg@caedm.ca Please include child's name.

Homeschooling:

If you are homeschooling your child in the faith and would like to follow our Catechism program, we offer both the textbook and activity book. There is a \$15.00 charge for the activity book and a \$25.00 refundable deposit for the textbook. Payment can be made by cash, cheque or e-transfer holytrinity.sg@caedm.ca

> For more information on any of these programs, please contact the parish office at 780.960.0135.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION PROGRAMS 2024-2025

BAPTISM: Newborn – Age 5

Please contact the Parish office at 780.960.0135





FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: Grade 2 & up

Parent Information and Registration: Tuesday, September 17 & Thursday, September 19 (choose one) at 7 pm, in the Parish Hall. Contact Jeri Wilson at

htpsacraments@gmail.com 780.960.0135 ext. 112

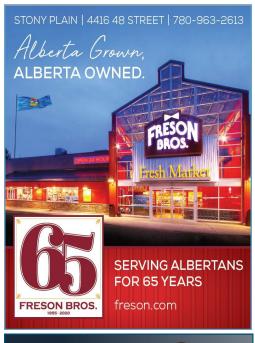


CONFIRMATION: Grade 6 & up Parent Information and Registration:

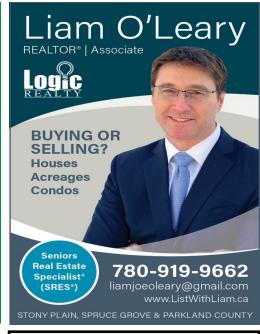
Tuesday, November 26 & Thursday November 28 (choose one) at 7pm, in the Parish Hall.

Contact Jeri Wilson at https://newsrape.com 780.960.0135 ext. 112

Please see our website for more information www.trinitycatholic.net

















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This program allows us to assist those who find themselves in need.

For more information, please contact Deacon Wesley Turton at 780-221-2265 or email him at wesley.turton@caedm.ca

LITURGICAL MINISTRY CONTACTS

NeighbourLink 780-960-9669

Pastoral Care:

Harriet Fraser 780-298-9643

Sacristan:

Priscilla Spratt 780-968-2336

Seniors:

St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic School

Marlene Schmidek 780-962-2207

Social Justice:

Joshua Merkel 780-233-7882

Safe Environment Co-ordinators:

Brad & Bernie Watters 780-963-1167

PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Friday: 9:00am—4:00pm (Closed for lunch from noon—1:00pm)



Wednesday morning the office is closed from 9:30—10:00am allowing staff to attend daily Mass.

Evergreen Catholic Schools Ever Growing, Learning, and Living in Christ

Ph. (780) 962-5627 www.ecsrd.ca

Gr. 5 - Gr. 8

Spruce Grove

780-962-1585

St. Joseph Catholic School PreK - Gr. 4 K - Gr. 4 Spruce Grove 780 962-8788

St. Marguerite Catholic School Spruce Grove 780-962-8787

St. John Paul II Catholic School

Learning Centre Spruce Grove

St. Peter the Apostle Catholic High School Gr. 9 - Gr. 12

PreK - Gr. 8 Stony Plain Spruce Grove 780-963-2526 780-962-6618

St. Teresa Catholic 780-960-0475