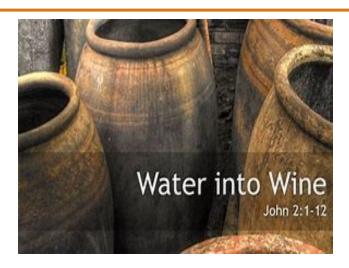
HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME January 18, 2025



Mary intercedes with her Son for the newlyweds, and Jesus changes water into wine.

He thus reveals his glory and indicates that the kingdom of God is at hand.

JUBILEE 2025... is a year of forgiveness, reconciliation, conversion, and re-commitment to our mission to serve God through the Church.

Why is Jubilee 2025 called an "ordinary"

jubilee? A Jubilee is called "ordinary" if it falls after a set period of years. In the Catholic Church, a jubilee occurs every 25 years.

THE JUBILEE PRAYER:

Father in heaven, may the *faith* you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of *charity* enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed *hope* for the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel. May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, *Pilgrims of Hope*, a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth. To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever. Amen.

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PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY January 18—25



God of all, we pray as one, that we may be one, just as the Lord Jesus prayed we may be one in Him. Your son Jesus compels us to be reconciled to one another. May our spirits be joined to Your Holy Spirit, that we may witness to the visible unity of your Church.



Sunday, February 2 FEAST OF THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

(also known as Candlemas day)

All Masses the weekend of February 1—2 will begin with a procession and the blessing of candles. If you have any candles that you wish to be blessed, you may bring them to the Church on that day so that they may receive the blessing offered on this feast. This ancient feast marks the midpoint of winter, halfway between the shortest day and the spring equinox.

WORLD DAY OF THE SICK Tuesday, February 11



Please note there will be **two** Masses— **9:30am and 6:30pm.**

Anointing of the Sick will be offered by Father Paul and Father Joselito to those who are in need of the Sacrament of Healing at these Masses.

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

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587-785-6389

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CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE:

For more information please contact Sister Susan at 780-968-5543 or email her at holytrinitycwl.president@gmail.com

Our next regular meeting will be on **Wednesday**, **January 29th at 1:00** in the Catholic Women's League room upstairs. Important agenda items include the affirmation of our executive, approval of the 2025 budget and motion for the dispersal of excess funds. Hope to see you there!

Upcoming dates to remember:

Wednesday, February 12th new members orientation. Wednesday, February 19th Popcorn & Movie.

Our regular meeting for February is Wednesday, February 26th

at 1:00pm.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS— **HOLY TRINITY COUNCIL:**

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

A STEWARDSHIP MOMENT:

In today's second reading, Saint Paul makes a list of gifts dispensed to members of the Christian community by the Holy Spirit. Each gift bestowed has a specific purpose for the person for whom it is intended: wisdom, knowledge, faith, healing, mighty deeds, prophecy, discernment, tongues, and interpretation. Good stewards know these gifts are not meant to be kept hidden by the recipient, to be shared with the community and beyond. As we begin a new year, let us reflect on the gift the Holy Spirit has given to each of us.

> Do we recognize this gift? How was it intended that we use this gift? Are we being good stewards of this gift?

WEEK AT A GLANCE....

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

UPSTAIRS: C—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.

<u>Monday</u> January 20 9:30am MASS

6:00pm Encounter—all main floor rooms

Tuesday 6:30pm MASS January 21 (Confessions from 5:45—6:15pm)

11:00am Funeral—Trudeau—C, H

12:30pm Choir—S—C

Small Christian Communities—MD 1:00pm

4:00 pm Music—B—C

6:15pm Holy Communion—CWL, KR

7:00pm Social Justice—MD

Wednesday January 22 9:30am MASS

(Adoration from 10:00—9:00pm; Divine Mercy at 3:00pm)

2:30pm

Pastoral Ministry—OL Catechism/CIC—CWL, KR, CA, JP, STL 5:30pm 6:00pm Pastoral Ministry—OL, SJ

9:30am MASS Thursday January 23

10:00am

Quilters—KC Funeral—Lenner—C, H 11:00am

6:15pm Holy Communion—CWL, CA, KR

7:00pm RCIA—OL

<u>Friday</u> January 24 9:30am MASS

(NO Adoration & Confessions)

10:00am Healing Shawls—CWL Funeral—McKonnon—C 11:00am

Saturday 5:00pm MASS January 25

(Confessions from 4:00—4:45pm) 10:00am Holy Communion—KR, CWL

11:30am Baptism—C

Holy Communion—KR, CWL 12:45pm 3:30pm Confirmation—H, CWL, KR

4:00 pm Encounter Mtg.—SJ 6:15pm Healing Service—C

Sunday January 26

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

8:30am Rosary—Chpl

Rosary for the Unborn—OL 10:30am Family Prayer Seminar—C, OL, SJ 1:00pm Youth Ministry—all rooms 7:00pm

7:00pm Familia—BR



PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION:

Pour on us, O Lord, the Spirit of your love, and in your kindness make those you have nourished by this one heavenly Bread one in mind and heart.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen

ALTAR DUST COVER:

The white dust cover for the altar is missing. It was last used at Easter. Perhaps a kind soul took it to the cleaners and forgot about it. It is white linen on one side and white satin on the reverse. Please help us to retrieve it

If you know its whereabouts, please contact the office.

Thank you.



If we paused for a moment to consider attentively what takes place in this Sacrament, I am sure that the thought of Christ's love for us would transform the coldness of our hearts into a fire of love and gratitude.

St. Angela of Foligno



How to Receive a Jubilee Indulgence in the Archdiocese Archdiocese of Edmonton:



"Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in

heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven." Matthew 18:18

What is an Indulgence?

"Indulgence" is one of those Catholic words that means something quite different from its common use. The Church is not encouraging us to treat ourselves to a particular pleasure, like chocolate or a spa day. Rather, the Church uses the authority given to Her by Jesus Christ to remove (plenary indulgence) or reduce (partial indulgence) the earthly punishment for sins that have already been forgiven. To do this, the Church draws on the "treasury of the Church," that is, the good works of Jesus Christ and the saints, to help others.

Who receives the benefits of an Indulgence?

An indulgence can be applied either to oneself or to the souls of the deceased in Purgatory. It cannot be applied to other persons living on earth.

What is the Jubilee Indulgence?

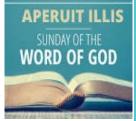
The Jubilee Indulgence is a plenary indulgence that removes all punishment for sins already forgiven. During this Holy Year, the Jubilee Indulgence is offered specifically for those who have gone before us, the souls in Purgatory, so that they may obtain full mercy.

More to follow next week...

JANUARY 26

SUNDAY OF THE WORD OF GOD

The Sunday of the Word of God is a Catholic Church celebration that takes place annually on the third Sunday in Ordinary Time.



Pope Francis established the celebration in 2019 with his Apostolic Letter *Aperuit Illis*.

The day can be dedicated to studying, celebrating, and sharing the Word of God.

INFORMATION SESSION:

Tuesday, January 21 at 7:00pm for the upcoming Pilgrimage.
WE ARE FILLED UP!!

CANCELLED

Knights of Columbus CRIB TOURNAMENT:

Saturday, February 8, at noon in the hall.

To register, please email Brad Medernach at bmed@telus.net or call 780-984-1728. There is a signup board at the back of the church.

OPENING THE WORD:

In the Church's liturgical history, the wedding feast of Cana is closely associated with the baptism of the Lord and the adoration of the infant Jesus by the Wise Men. In this context, the sign Jesus performs at the wedding feast is celebrated as an epiphany or a manifestation of Jesus' divinity.

Marriage and wedding feasts are metaphors used in Scripture to describe God's salvation and the Kingdom of God. Here at the beginning of Jesus' public ministry, John's Gospel seeks to establish that Jesus is going to re-interpret and fulfill the Lord's promise to Israel. Jesus establishes the New Covenant. A hint about what this New Covenant will be like is made evident in the deed that Jesus performs. Asked to do something to address the awkward situation that the absence of wine at a wedding feast would create, Jesus' miracle produces vast quantities of wine—six jars holding thirty gallons each are filled to overflowing with choice wine.

















5 LOAVES 2 FISH

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

Please contact Deacon Wesley Turton at 780-221-2265 or email him at wesley.turton@caedm.ca



WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS...

Registration forms are available on the

website www.trinitycatholic.net



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