

2025
Tax Receipts
are available at
the back of the
church

INTERESTED IN SINGING?
**JOIN THE
EASTER VIGIL
CHOIR**



Contact Patrice
at 780-293-7767



Please Call or visit the
office for any update
on your Contact Info



Sacramental Prep Course



These preparation sessions are for children,
who are currently in Grade 3 or older.

First Reconciliation



Preparation - Church

Session 3 - Sunday, Feb 8 2-4 pm

Reception of First Reconciliation

Tuesday, Feb 10 6:30pm

Sacrament of Confirmation



Preparation - Church

Session 1 - Sunday, Mar 1 2-4 pm

Session 2 - Sunday, Mar 8 2-4 pm

Session 3 - Sunday, Mar 15 2-4 pm

Confirmation Celebration

Friday, April 10

SOUP & A BUN

"JOIN OUR LENTEN
TRADITION!
WE NEED VOLUNTEERS
TO PREPARE SOUP
FOR OUR
'SOUP & A BUN'
GATHERINGS,
SERVED EVERY FRIDAY
DURING LENT."

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED CALL
DIANE AT 780-826-2917



Have a good singing voice?

Join the Choir

**Youth & Sat
Mass Choir**
Call Patrice at
780-293-7767

French Choir
Call Anna at 780-812-1682.
Practise is Thurs 7:30 pm.
Reading in French is an asset but
not required.

**English Choir
for Sun Mass**
Call Germaine
at 780-812-0846

Music Ministry Schedule 10 am

2026

Feb 8 - French
Feb 15 - English
Feb 22 - French
Mar 1 - Youth

Mar 8 - French
Mar 15 - English
Mar 22 - French
Mar 29 - English
Apr 5 - French

Apr 12 - Youth
Apr 19 - French
Apr 26 - English
May 3 - French
May 10 - English

PARISH CONTACTS

Fr. Rene Realuyo, *Pastor*
Dave Scott, *Maintenance* – part-time
Jojo Policarpio, *Secretary*
Parish Office Tel: 780-826-3010
OR email officebonnyvillestl@dostp.ca
Monday to Friday
9:00 am to 2:00 pm

Parish Council Elected Members

Dave Sharun – *Chairperson*
Members -----

Vince Spila - Knights of Columbus
Joe Marion - Dr. Bernard Brosseau
Rachel Reid - Notre Dame Elementary
Vince MacDonald Wayne Marks
Leona Bonneau Marie Southcombe
Audrey Campbell Gerarda Germain
Jason Morgan Nathan Gumangan
Maria Shea Lise Medford
Sheldon Germain

Family Committee

Regimbald Family * Taylor Family

Finance Committee

Russ Yarnuch * Luc Vincent * Lorian Lafrenière *
Stacey Taylor * Carrie Goldsmith * Isabelle Hetu

Safe Parish Committee:

Audrey Campbell * Germaine Prybysh.

Cemetery Committee

Germaine Prybysh * Annette Schultz
Robert Albert * Paul Husereau * Yvonne Primeau

Adoration - Janet Ancil – 780 826-1085

Adult Servers - Dan Dugas

Baptism Preparation - JoJo Policarpio

Bldg & Maintenance Concerns –

Roger Lafreniere

Camp St. Louis: 780-645-3277

Collections - Joanne Coulombe & Joyce Cervinski

Communion in the Homes - Call the Parish
Office.

Sacramental Preparation - Mel Poulin

Knights of Columbus -

Vince Spila

Liturgical Scheduling

Fran Kusch – 5 p.m. Mass

Audrey Campbell – 10:00 a.m. Mass

Marriage Preparation – Call Fr. Rene
6 months in advance.

Music Ministry

Saturday: Patrice MacDonald
Sunday: Margaret Borders
Dimanche: Anna Laplante

Pastoral Care – Call Parish Office

RCIA – Call Parish Office

Sacristan - Janet Ancil

Sunday School – Natasha Miller
Suzanne Antoniuk

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Weekend Mass Times:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. English
Sunday: 10:00 a.m. Alternates Eng/French

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesdays 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.
First Friday - After the 6 pm Mass till 7:30 pm

Feb 8 2026



Weekday Mass Times:

Tuesday and Friday : 9:00 am
Wednesday: 10:30 am Hospital
Thursday: 9:00 am Bonnylodge
First Friday: 6 pm
Last Friday : 10:30 am Extendicare

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

By appointment or 30 minutes before Mass

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Going to the Margins

With the images of salt and light, Jesus says what he expects from his followers. They don't need to be always thinking about their own interests, their own prestige, their own power. Even though they are a small group in the huge Roman Empire, they are the "salt" and the "light" that the world needs. "You are the salt of the world." The simple people of Galilee spontaneously knew what he meant. They knew what salt is good for: giving food flavour and conserving it from spoiling. Just so, we need to contribute to helping people find the savour in life. "You are the light of the world." Without sunlight, our world would stay dark and gloomy. Jesus' disciples can shine a light to probe the meaning of life, to walk with hope.

These metaphors have something vital in common. If the salt stays in the shaker, it doesn't do its proper work. Only when it dissolves in the food can it give flavour to what we eat. The same thing happens with light. If it stays closed and hidden away, it can't enlighten anyone. Only when it shines out in the dark can it illuminate and guide. A church isolated from the world can be neither salt nor light.



Pope Francis called on Catholics today to "go out to the margins." He preferred a church that is "bruised and dirty because it has been out on the streets" to one that is "clinging to its own security, caught up in a web of procedures." We can't hunker down in our structures with passive hope. The Gospel invites us to run the risk of meeting face to face with others. It wants to promote culture of encounter, because what our church needs today is to heal wounds and to warm hearts. (José Antonio Pagola)

Source : <https://associationofcatholicpriests.ie/homily-resource/08-feb-2026-5th-sunday-a/>

5^e Dimanche du temps Ordinaire

"I am the light of the world, says the Lord; whoever follows me will have the light of life." John 8:12

11th February

World Prayer at Our Lady of Lourdes

11th February marks the date of the first Apparition of the Virgin Mary to Bernadette Soubirous. In 1992, Pope John Paul II declared this day World Day of the Sick.

As every year, the **Sanctuary of Lourdes is inviting the whole world to pray to Our Lady of Lourdes**, in a worldwide call to prayer. The World Day of Prayer to Our Lady of Lourdes, invites everyone to unite in prayer with all the pilgrims who will be present in the Sanctuary or joining us from their homes.



Our Lady of Lourdes,
We pray to you
especially for our own
conversion and that of
all sinners.
Watch over all those
who suffer in body or
soul.

In the hope that Life will triumph over death, we want to sing with you, here and now, the glory of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen!

Blessings Corner



CONGRATULATIONS
ON YOUR BAPTISM

CALIA HEART SAMODIO
RENZ JACOB AQUINO MALACAS



ON THIS SPECIAL DAY
MAY GOD LOOK DOWN ON YOU AND
KEEP YOU SAFELY IN HIS CARE.

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper

February 17 at 5:30 pm
Parish Hall



Admission by donation to
Camp St. Louis



Eucharistic Adoration

Adoration is every Tuesday following 9 AM mass till 1PM. The first Friday of every month it is after 6 PM mass till 7:30PM. Come for 15, 20 maybe 30 minutes. It feels good for the mind and soul. If you have any questions, please call or text Sylvie at 403-861-0425



Journey With Us to Seoul For World Youth Day

August 3 - 8 2027
For all youth ages 18-35


Contact Monique at
780-812-5879 or
campstlouis@dostp.ca for
information



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Day	Time	Place	Mass Intentions		Feasts / Solemnities
Saturday samedi Feb 7	5:00 pm	Church	+Owen Peter	Gabrielle Tellier	Our Lady's Saturday
Sunday dimanche Feb 8	10:00 am	Church	+Lionel & Maria Lafond	Terry & Paulette Coleman	
Monday Lundi Feb 9					
Tuesday mardi Feb 10	9:00 am 9:30-1 pm 6:30 pm	Church	+Kate Pelech Eucharistic Adoration  <i>First Reconciliation</i>	Audrey Campbell	Saint Scholastica
Wednesday Mercredi Feb 11	10:30 am	Hospital	+ Rene & Rosana Collins	Madeline Normand	Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes World Day of the Sick
Thursday jeudi Feb 12	9:00 am	Bonnylodge	+Lucienne Lessard	Ernest & Pauline Chartrand	
Friday Vendredi Feb 13	9:00 am	Church	Blessings and thanksgiving for Robert and Lana Lambert's 24 th Wedding Anniversary	Grace & Georges Lambert	
Saturday samedi Feb 14	5:00 pm	Church	For Parishioners		Saint Cyril and Saint Methodius
Sunday dimanche Feb 15	10:00 am	Church	+Julie Popyk	Debbie Waskiewich	

COLLECTIONS		QUÊTES
Feb 01 Offering	\$3661.00	Offrandes 01 février
Building Fund	512.00	Remplacement du toit
Camp St Louis	500.00	
Catholic Missions Canada	100.00	
St Paul - Caritas	50.00	
<i>*Does not include e-transfers</i>		
Thank you for your generosity! Merci!		



Ash Wednesday February 18

Mass and Distribution of Ashes 6:30 pm

Lenten Season

Friday Mass and Stations of the Cross



Starts on Feb 20 at 6 pm, Soup and a bun to follow

Lenten Community Confession

March 18, 2026 at 7 pm

February 2026
Pope's Prayer Intention/
Intention de prière
du Saint-Père

For children with incurable diseases

Let us pray that children suffering from incurable diseases and their families receive the necessary medical care and support, never losing strength and hope.

Pour prier avec la Parole de Dieu

Prions pour que les enfants atteints de maladies incurables et leurs familles reçoivent les soins médicaux et le soutien nécessaires, sans jamais perdre force et espoir.

Ash Wednesday
Distribution of Ashes
9 am NDH 1:00 DRB
11 am NDE 2:00 EDBL

Next Week's Readings
Feb 15

1st Reading
Sirach 15:15-20
The Lord has not commanded anyone to be wicked.

Responsorial Psalm:
Ps 119:1-2, 4-5, 17-18, 33-34
R: Blessed are those who walk in the law of the Lord!

2nd Reading:
1Corinthians 2: 6-10
God decreed wisdom before the ages for our glory.

Gospel
Matthew 5:17, 20-24, 27-28, 33-34, 37++
You have heard what was said to those of ancient times; but I say to you...

Please pray for the grace of healing for all those who are suffering from all types of Cancer, and illnesses and autoimmune diseases.