

Sacred Heart Catholic Church

March 12th & 13th 2022

2st Sunday in Lent



Synod
2021
2023

For a synodal Church
communion | participation | mission

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8:30 a.m. to 12:00 & 12:30 to 3:00 p.m.

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

Drawing People Closer
to God Through you



Masses: Saturday: 5:00 p.m. &
Sunday: 10:00 a.m.
Tuesday/ Thursday 7 p.m.
Wednesday 9 a.m.
Friday 6:30 Stations of the Cross
followed by Mass

Ministries are needed. Would you consider
signing up? Call Parish Office.

Weekly Bulletin: Check out Sacred Heart – Edson
Facebook and website view our information

facebook

We love
having you as part of our flock



Keep in touch
with us via
email & text

- Choose to get updates from groups you're interested in
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**TO SIGN UP PLEASE SCAN
THE QR
CODE**



SYNOD 2021-2023

The synod is all about “journeying together”. We are getting back to our roots. As a people of God, we are walking together on a pilgrimage in the midst of the world. We are meant to be united with one another so that we are more able to carry out our mission in the world, the mission of bringing the Good News and the love of Christ to all.

We are organizing opportunities for people to gather and participate in “listening sessions”. These will be small gatherings of Catholics, coming together to share their experiences of how we journey together as a local church and to discern together how the Holy Spirit is inviting us to grow in our journeying together.

Listening Leader Training Sessions: This 1½ hour session is designed to provide locally identified Listening Leaders training on how to facilitate a listening session within their own respective parish/organization/community/ school division/group.

Plan to attend one of the following training sessions:

- **Wednesday, March 16:** 7:00 – 8:30 pm
Sacred Heart Parish board room
 - **Thursday, March 17:** 10:00 – 11:30 am
Sacred Heart Parish board room
- For more information, contact Eva Kuefler (780-712-3391 or garva@telusplanet.net)

EDSON TELECARE

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This is a system which is installed
In your home with a button to
Push in case you need assistance.
For more information please call:
The Parish Office at 780-723-3661.



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Children's Choir is starting up again. Any children/youth aged 6 and up are welcome to join. Practices will be on Thursdays, time to be determined. Please contact Eva Kuefler at 780-712-3391 or garva@telusplanet.net to register your child or for more information.

Musicians are needed! Call the church office if you are interested in joining the choir.

Children's Liturgy is in need of teachers. If you would like to sign up to lead Children's Liturgy on Sunday's please call the church office.

Masses this week (+Repose); (-Intention)

Monday, March 14th -Paulette & Gary Cox & family
By: Eugene & Marion Bachand & family

Tuesday, Mar 15th 7:00 p.m. + Desamparados Pedrajas
By: Deamma Pedrajas
+ Doreen Tange
By: Paula Zizek

Wednesday, Mar 16th 9:00 a.m. + Anna Lovell
By: Paula Zizek

Thursday, Mar 17th 7:00 p.m. + Crispin Magbanua
By: Deama Pedrajas

Friday, Mar 18th 7p.m. - Laurant Bachand & family
By: Eugene & Marion Bachand & family

Saturday, Mar 19th 5:00 p.m. + Joseph Limon
By: Carmen Braun
+ Anna Lovell
By: Ann Koebel

If you wish to offer a Mass for a special Intention or for a deceased member, do come into the Office to express your wishes.

Sacrament of

Baptism:

Preparation Course is required before a Baptism can take place. You must obtain a long form birth certificate – which has the mother and fathers name on the form from Government before you celebrate Baptism. If you are going to be a sponsor for the child baptized you must give your Confirmation date. **Next Baptism Preparation Class: Tuesday, April 12th, at 7:30 p.m.** Call the Parish Office to Register.



Sacrament of the Sick: If you or someone in your family will be entering hospital for surgery and you wish to receive the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, please contact the parish office or pastor. Many of the hospitals do not note a religious affiliation therefore it has to be the family who requests it.



Collection for: March 5th / 6th:

Regular Collection: \$2105.00
Building/Maintenance: \$250.00
E-Transfer: \$100.00 TWS: \$220.00

E-Transfer information:
sacrhear@telus.net

We do have the forms available for debit from your bank account to make things easier. Call the Parish Office for details.



- **For Catholic Education:** That the leaders of our Catholic schools may be encouraged and comforted in the love of God, we pray to the Lord.

Humour: Right in the middle of service, and just before the sermon, a member of the congregation remembered she had forgotten to turn off the gas under the roast. Hurriedly she scribbled a note and passed it to the usher to give to her husband. Unfortunately, the usher misunderstood her intention and took it to the pulpit. Unfolding the note, the preacher read aloud, "Please go home and turn off the gas."

LENTEN MISSION

Sacred Heart Parish is hosting a **Lenten Mission on March 22, 23, 24** from 7-9 pm each evening. We will begin with mass, followed by a presentation, group discussions and fellowship. Please spread the word and invite a friend. All are welcome!



Second Week of Lent

During the Lent season, Stations of the cross will be every Friday starting at 6:30pm followed by mass. There will be no morning mass on Friday's during Lent.



Listening from the heart

The story of the Transfiguration is one of the highpoints of the Gospels. Jesus has just announced to Peter, John and James what awaits him: his death and resurrection. At the same time, a voice confirms Jesus in his mission with the command, "Listen to him!" To listen is to be attentive to someone's words. It is to act according to what is asked of us. It is to pay attention, not only with our heads, but also especially with our hearts.

Today, more than ever, the public square and social media are full of false prophets claiming to offer salvific words to men and women. So well crafted are advertising messages that we sometimes cannot help but be surprised enough to stop and "listen."

In this world of advertising, of electronic and visual solicitation, there is little room for the voices of the poor and the weak. And when they do manage to make themselves heard, do we take the time to listen to them from the heart?

Reminding us that "Nature is filled with words of love," Pope Francis asks, "[H]ow can we listen to them amid constant noise, interminable and nerve-wracking distractions, or the cult of appearances?" He adds, "An integral ecology includes taking time to recover a serene harmony with creation, reflecting on our lifestyle..." (*Laudato Si'*, 225).

Will we be able to recognize the voice of the Father saying, "This is my Son... listen to him!" To listen to the beloved Son is to accept to open our hearts to His invitations, even when His Word calls us across a desert or to the Passion. On this Transfiguration Sunday, in the silence of the mountain, the Father invites us to listen to his Son.

Let us not be afraid to listen. He will show us how we can help our sisters and brothers transform their own lives