

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
July 2nd & July 3rd 2022
14th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Parish office is open Tuesday - Thursday
 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 & 12:30 to 3:00 p.m.

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

Drawing People Closer
 to God Through you



Humour: An airplane was about to crash. There were three parachutes on board and four passengers: a married man, a politician, a student and an elderly priest. The first passenger said, "I am a married man with three children. My family cannot live without me." So, he grabbed a parachute and jumped.

The second passenger said, "I am an important politician. I have great responsibilities and a lot of people rely on my intelligence and good judgement." So, he strapped on a parachute and jumped.

That left the student and the elderly priest.

The priest turned to the student and said, "I have lived a long and happy life. You are young, with your life before you. You may have the last parachute."

"That won't be necessary," said the student. "The politician has taken my school backpack."

Trivia: What does the "communion of saints" mean?

The "communion of saints" is made up of all the men who have placed their hope in Christ and belong to him through Baptism, whether they have already died, or are still alive. Because in Christ we are one Body; we live in a communion that encompasses heaven and earth.

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MASSES: Tuesday 7 pm
 Wednesday 9 am
 Thursday 7 pm
 Friday 9 am & 4 pm at hospital
 Saturday 5 pm
 Sunday 10 am

NO WEEKDAY MASSES JULY 4 - 8

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 The Parish Office at 780-723-3661.

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



A special thanks to all the volunteers who made a great success of the Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and 110th anniversary of our parish.

We are forever grateful for all the financial support as well as material support for our fellowship meal. Thank you!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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.

BOTTLE DRIVE
FUNDRAISING

There will be a bottle drive in the month of August. You can bring your bottles to the garage if you wish to donate!

There will be only one bulletin for the month of July, and one for August.

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

Monday, July 4th

Tuesday, July 5th 7:00p.m.

Wednesday, July 6th 9a.m.

Thursday, July 7th 7:00p.m. + Marcelle Roy
By: Irma Bradley, Pierre Roy & family

Friday, July 8th 7p.m.
Hospital 4 p.m.

Saturday, July 9th 5:00p.m.

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, September 13th.** 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: June 25th/June 26th:

Regular Collection: \$ 834.00

Building/Maintenance: \$ 25.00

E-Transfer: \$100.00 TWS: \$ 0.00

E-Transfer information:

sacrhear@telus.net

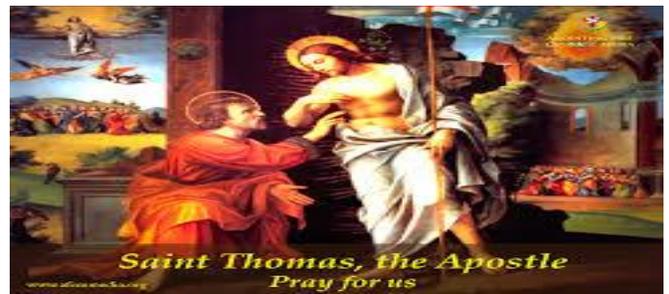
We do have the forms available for debit from your bank account to make things easier. Call the Parish Office for details.



Pope Francis is coming to Canada from July 24-29

The Holy Father is coming to meet with Indigenous Peoples of this land on a pilgrimage of healing, reconciliation and hope.

Envelopes are available on the table in the gathering space for the papal visit.



On July 3, the Church celebrates the feast day of St. Thomas the Apostle. Best known for his initial unwillingness to believe the other apostles in their claim that Jesus had risen from the dead, St. Thomas can teach the faithful about believing without seeing.

As an apostle, Thomas was dedicated to following the Lord. Upon hearing that Jesus was returning to Judea, an area that would pose dangers due to the growing animosity of the authorities there, he immediately said to the other apostles, "Let us also go, that we may die with him" (Jn 11: 16).

Yet despite this determination, Thomas proved not only too weak to stand beside Jesus as he faced his crucifixion, but also doubted the Lord's Resurrection when he was told about it by the other apostles. Denying their story, he told them, "Unless I see in his hands the print of the nails, and place my finger in the mark of the nails, and place my hand in his side, I will not believe" (Jn 20:25).

A week later, Christ appeared and said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands, and bring your hand and put it into my side, and do not be unbelieving, but believe." When Thomas did so he exclaimed, "My Lord and my God!"

In his general audience on September 27, 2006, Pope Benedict XVI spoke of St. Thomas, explaining that we can learn from his doubts, which show us "that Jesus can now be recognised by his wounds rather than by his face."

"The Apostle Thomas' case is important to us for at least three reasons," said the Pope. "First, because it comforts us in our insecurity; second, because it shows us that every doubt can lead to an outcome brighter than any uncertainty; and, lastly, because the words that Jesus addressed to him remind us of the true meaning of mature faith and encourage us to persevere, despite the difficulty, along our journey of adhesion to him."

After Pentecost, St. Thomas is traditionally believed to have preached the Good News to the Persians and Medes, until he reached India, where he evangelised and was eventually martyred in 72 A.D.

St. Thomas' feast day is July 3, and he is the patron of architects and builders.