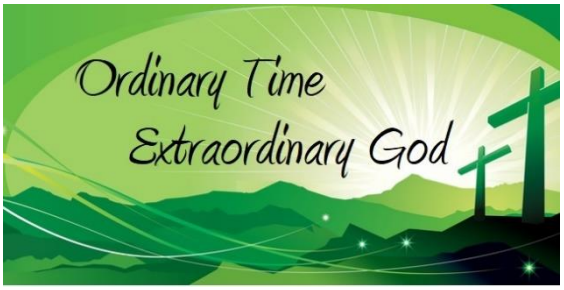

Our Lady of the Foothills Catholic Faith Community

November 16, 2025

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OFFICE HOURS: Monday to Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon & 1:30 - 3:00 p.m.

Mass Readings

Malachi
4.1-2

Psalm 98

2 Thessalonians
3.7-12

Luke
21.5-19

Parish Pastoral Council

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Gwen Meding
President

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Today" is the Day

It is the age between our Lord's first coming and His last. We live in the new world begun by His life, death, Resurrection, and Ascension, by the sending of His Spirit upon the Church. But we await the day when He will come again in glory.

"Lo, the day is coming," Malachi warns in today's First Reading. The prophets taught Israel to look for the Day of the Lord, when He would gather the nations for judgment (see Zephaniah 3:8; Isaiah 3:9; 2 Peter 3:7).

Jesus anticipates this day in today's Gospel. He cautions us not to be deceived by those claiming "the time has come." Such deception is the background also for today's Epistle (see 2 Thessalonians 2:1–3).

The signs Jesus gives His Apostles seem to already have come to pass in the New Testament. In Acts, the Epistles, and Revelation, we read of famines, earthquakes, and the Temple's desolation. We read of persecutions—believers imprisoned and put to death, testifying to their faith with wisdom in the Spirit.

These "signs," then, show us the pattern for the Church's life—both in the New Testament and today.

We too live in a world of nations and kingdoms at war. And we should take the Apostles as our "models," as today's Epistle counsels. Like them we must persevere in the face of unbelieving relatives, friends, forces, and authorities hostile to God.

As we do in today's Psalm, we should sing His praises and joyfully proclaim His coming as Lord and King. The Day of the Lord is always a day that has already come and a day still yet to come. It is the "today" of our Liturgy.

The Apostles prayed marana tha—"O Lord come!" (see 1 Corinthians 16:22; Revelation 22:20). In the Eucharist He answers, coming again as the Lord of Hosts and the Sun of Justice with its healing rays. It is a mighty sign—and a pledge of that Day to come.

– Yours in Christ, Scott Hahn, Ph.D.

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Mission Statement – Our Lady of the Foothills, is a Catholic Faith Community, centered on Jesus Christ, called to continue His mission by growing in Holiness and by proclaiming the Good News of our Father's love.

Calendar of Events –November 16th – 23rd

Sunday, (Nov 16): 11:00 a.m. **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST** – ***33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time***
Intention – Rick LaFrance✝ requested by Delia Kathrein
Join us in the hall after Mass to view the **Exhibition of Eucharistic Miracles**

Monday: Have a wonderful day.

Tuesday: 7:00 p.m. **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**
Intention – John Mackney✝ requested by the CWL
Jasper Intention – for the intentions of Sandra Knowl requested by Mona Slavik

Wednesday: 9:00 a.m. **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**
Intention – Wilf Slavik✝ requested by Oran and Bibianne Howsam
Jasper Intention – for the intentions of Doug Slavik and family requested by Mona Slavik
7:00 p.m. **RCIA Class** meets in the hall

Thursday: 9:00 a.m. **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**
Intention – Jeanette Vallee✝ requested by Marshall Berube
7:00 p.m. **Holy Hour with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and reconciliation**
7:00 p.m. **Flame of Love Youth Group** in the hall

Friday: 9:00 a.m. **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST** – ***Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary***
Intention – for the intentions of Gina and Adam MacRae requested by Yvonne and Len Hearsey
9:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

Saturday: 10:00 a.m. **Catechesis of the Good Shepherd** in the church
5:00 p.m. **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST** – ***Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe***
Intention – Mike Bugaida✝ requested by Anne Resek

Sunday, (Nov 23): 11:00 a.m. **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST** – ***Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe***
Intention – Jim Evans✝ requested by Mary Lou LaFrance and family
5:30 p.m. **Family Rosary Potluck** at Way of Holiness

Daily Mass readings

Monday Nov 17
St. Elizabeth of Hungary
1 Maccabees 1.10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-64
Luke 18.35-43

Tuesday, Nov 18
2 Maccabees 6.18-31
Luke 19.1-10

Wednesday, Nov 19
2 Maccabees 7.1, 20-31
Luke 19.11-28

Thursday, Nov 20
1 Maccabees 2.15-29
Luke 19.41-44

Friday, Nov 21
Presentation of the BVMary
1 Maccabees 4.36-37, 52-59
Luke 19.45-48

Saturday, Nov 22
St. Cecilia
1 Maccabees 6.1-13
Luke 20.27-40

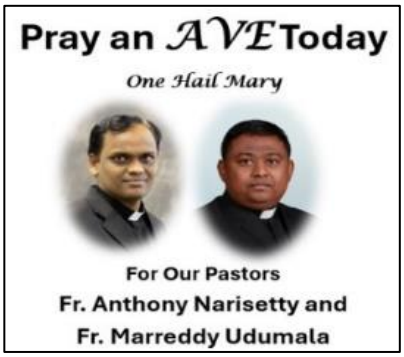
Sunday, Nov 23
Christ the King
2 Samuel 5.1-3
Colossians 1.12-20
Luke 23.35-43

Mass Ministry Volunteers Needed

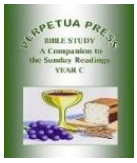
Adult Servers, Lectors, Ushers, Welcoming families & Music Ministry

If you are interested in joining a Parish Ministry, please fill out the Stewardship Ministry sign up form at the back of the church and bring it to the parish office.

Holy Hour with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Reconciliation.
3rd Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m.
Next: November 20.
Deacon Ed presiding
Everyone is welcome.
sponsored by the KofC



Bible Study on Next Sunday's Readings



All are welcome on Thursdays at 1:00 p.m. at 208 Collinge Rd. You will need a Bible and Catechism of the Catholic Church.
Study guides can be purchased from Gwen for $25 or available on kindle for $6.

"The rosary is the weapon for these times." – St. Padre Pio

Saturdays at 11:00 a.m.
At the cemetery:
for the souls in purgatory

Sacraments of Initiation

Anyone needing preparation for the Sacraments of

BAPTISM

1ST RECONCILIATION - 1ST EUCHARIST (Grade 2)

CONFIRMATION (Grade 6 and 7)

Please contact the parish office

MARRIAGE: to properly prepare for this Sacrament, SIX months' notice is required.

RECONCILIATION: is available ½ hour before mass on Weekdays and Saturday or by appointment. **Father is NOT available on Sunday** because he is on his way back from Jasper.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH, at home and in the hospital, especially the members of our parish living in Hinton Continuing Care and Pine Valley.

Heavenly Father, bless the sick of our community, keep them in your tender care and protect them from all evil. Amen.

YOUR RETURN GIFT TO GOD

November 8/9: $1172.55
November 10 Auto Debit: $2721.00
Total Building Fund Collected: 15,505.93

Total for October $12,398.60
Monthly Budget need: $14,875.00

If you are interested in donating through ***Automatic Debit****, please call the parish office.*

"O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, his steadfast love endures for ever!" Psalm 118

Who ever took the **box of envelopes #24**, please call the parish office. I need your name.

Children's Collection

Through the Children's collection, the young people of our parish can help with the upkeep of our parish building through the building fund. For more info call the parish office 865-3045

last week's Donations: **$39.50** **Thank you.**

Our Lady of the Foothills Youth

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd

Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Association of Canada

Ages 3-9,
Saturday mornings
10:00 to 11:30.

Call Dennis at 780-865-0151 for more information and to book an introductory lesson.

We are looking for some bibles in different languages to add to the library for the Catechesis program. If you would like to donate, please drop them off at the parish office.

Flame of Love Youth Group

Thursdays 7:00 p.m. in the parish hall

Flame of Love YOUTH GROUP

Ages 10-17
For more information contact
Dennis 780-865-0151 or
the Parish office at 865-3045

Volunteers Needed. Please Call Dennis for more information.

So, if you want to donate to the above charities, use the Annual Appeal envelopes. **Please help us meet our goal.**
For more information, please visit: Website

Weekly Collection – All cheques ***must*** be made out to Our Lady of the Foothills (OLOF) if you want a tax receipt for your donations. **This includes Together We Serve. Please note on the memo line on your cheque.** If you do not use the numbered envelopes or Automatic Debit, and would like to, please call the parish office.

Please consider donating 1 hour of your wages/week or tithing 10%.

Pine Valley Lodge Song & Scripture

November 19 at 10:00 a.m.
You are welcome to join us.

Pine Valley Lodge Prayer Meeting

FoodBank

122 Market St.
Tuesdays 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.
Volunteers are welcome.

NeighbourLink Hinton

780-865-0389 or
email neighbourlink1@gmail.com

NeighbourLink is in need of single beds and washing machines.

Also looking for volunteer drivers to help with driving clients in town or out of town (mostly to Edmonton , Edson, Whitecourt) for appointments. More info available by contact Angele Lemire.

Please call to arrange a pickup. Any monetary donations are greatly appreciated as NeighbourLink is non-profit organization run by an amazing group of volunteers.

I lost my mood ring, and I don't know how to feel about it!

Ministry Schedule

MINISTRY SCHEDULE	ADULT SERVERS	LECTORS (READERS)	MUSIC MINISTRY	WELCOMING	USHERS	CHURCH CLEANING
Saturday Nov 22 5:00 p.m.	Barb Marchant	Paula Nolan Ren Werbicki	School group	Ren and Sue Werbicki	Glenn Ross Ken Brady Ken Work Aniceto Traspaderme	
Sunday Nov 23 11:00 a.m.	Dennis Slavik Deacon Ed Meding	Christine Gamache Athena Marchildon	School group	Wendy Mackney	Christian Ludwig Brian Beauchamp Florjie Michaud Ron Rosmer	Finance

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

All men (18 and up) are welcome to become members of the Knights of Columbus. Please contact the parish office for more information 780-865-3045 www.kofc.org

KofC online video series – Into the Breach

Knights of Columbus Memorial – November 11 after Mass

Just a reminder, please check to see if you are scheduled for ministry. If you are unable to make your commitment to your scheduled ministry, ***please find a replacement for yourself***. Thank you for your service and God Bless

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE News

Euthanasia presentation recording

November 30 – Advent Supper with the KofC

December 4 – Birthday Lunch at Fortune House

Remember to renew your Membership. $30.00

Use CWL envelope in box of collection envelopes and deposit in the collection at Mass.

Renew Membership Now

Respect for Life Prayer – Nov 16

Lord, continue to make your people fruitful. We pray that you bless all nations with the gift of welcoming new life. May we provide assistance for parents willing to make sacrifices by welcoming children.

THE SHARE SHOP

Share shop is open Monday to Saturday 12 to 3 pm.

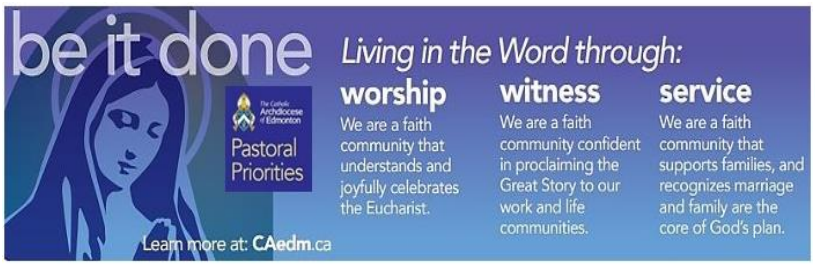
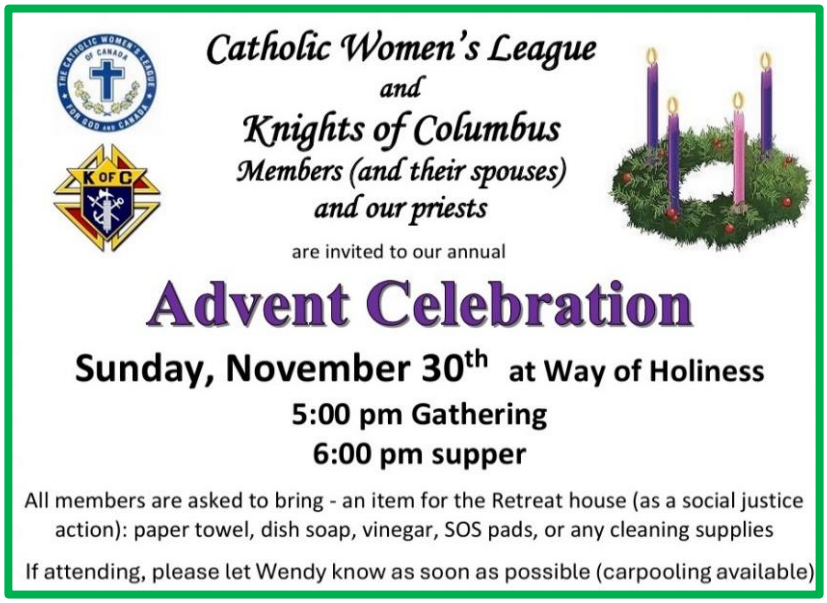
Bins are open and all donations are welcome.

Help Is Needed To Sort And Hang Clothes.

November 17/18, December 2/3, 17/18

Evergreen Catholic Schools In Hinton — We are called to witness

St. Gregory ECS – Gr. 4 780-865-4555 www.sgces.ca

Fr. Gerard Redmond Gr. 5 – 12 780-865-2820 www.grccs.ca

Ever Growing, Learning, and Living in Christ