



# Our Lady of the Foothills Catholic Faith Community

## June 4, 2023

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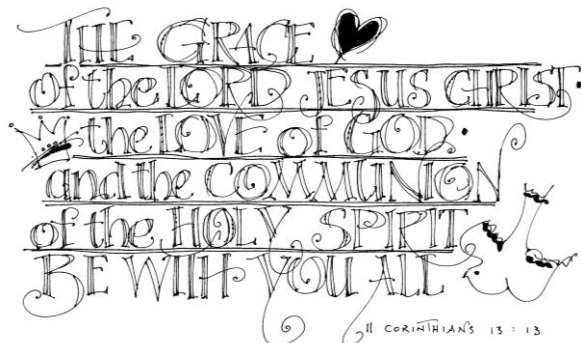
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**OFFICE HOURS:** Monday to Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon & 1:30 - 3:00 p.m.



### Mass Readings

Exodus 34.4b-6, 8-9; Daniel 3; 2 Corinthians 13.11-13; John 3.16-18

### Parish Pastoral Council

#### Pastor

Father Anthony Narisetty

#### Associate Pastor

Father Jinu Rajan

#### Deacon

Ed Meding

#### Chairperson

Mike Meagher

#### Parish Council Members

Dale deSequin

Gary Giffin

Christian Ludwig

Colleen Ludwig

Ian Langley

Athena Marchildon

Lori Richard

Sarah Shah

Dennis Slavik



#### Finance Committee Chair



Arleen Wambolt

#### Bookkeeper

Colleen Ludwig



#### Catholic School Trustee

Ron McKay



#### Knights of Columbus

Gary Giffin

Grand Knight



#### Catholic Women's League

Alice Willick

Bev DelVecchio

Presidents

## The Most Holy Trinity

### How God Loves

We often begin Mass with the prayer from today's Epistle: "The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with all of you." We praise the God who has revealed Himself as a Trinity, a communion of persons.

Communion with the Trinity is the goal of our worship—and the purpose of the salvation history that begins in the Bible and continues in the Eucharist and sacraments of the Church.

We see the beginnings of God's self-revelation in today's First Reading, as He passes before Moses and cries out His holy name.

Israel had sinned in worshipping the golden calf (see Exodus 32). But God does not condemn them to perish. Instead He proclaims His mercy and faithfulness to His covenant.

God loved Israel as His firstborn son among the nations (see [Exodus 4:22](#)). Through Israel—heirs of His covenant with Abraham—God planned to reveal Himself as the Father of all nations (see [Genesis 22:18](#)).

The memory of God's covenant testing of Abraham—and Abraham's faithful obedience—lies behind today's Gospel.

In commanding Abraham to offer his only beloved son (see [Genesis 22:2, 12, 16](#)), God was preparing us for the fullest possible revelation of His love for the world.

As Abraham was willing to offer Isaac, God did not spare His own Son but handed Him over for us all (see [Romans 8:32](#)).

In this, He revealed what was only disclosed partially to Moses—that His kindness continues for a thousand generations, that He forgives our sin and takes us back as His very own people (see [Deuteronomy 4:20; 9:29](#)).

Jesus humbled Himself to die in obedience to God's will. And for this, the Spirit of God raised Him from the dead (see [Romans 8:11](#)), and gave Him a name above every name (see [Philippians 2:8-10](#)).

This is the name we glorify in today's Responsorial: the name of our Lord, the God who is Love (see 1 John 4, 8, 16).

—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 – June 4<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup>



**Sunday:** 11:00 a.m. **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST** – *Most Holy Trinity*  
**Intention** – Dan Kathrein† requested by Delia Kathrein and family


**Monday:**  5:00 p.m. **CWL End-Of-Season Potluck Supper** at 112 Cheviot Dr.  
 7:00 p.m. **Confirmation Parent Meeting** in the upper room


**Tuesday:** 7:00 p.m. **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**   
**Intention** – Lori McKinnon† requested by Linda Jones

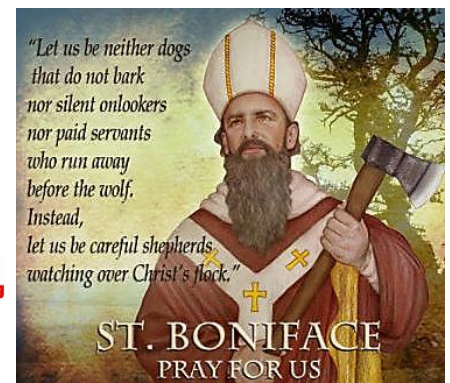
**Wednesday:** 9:00 a.m. **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**  
**Intention** – Clifford Giffin† requested by Gary and Kathleen Giffin  
 6:00 p.m. **Confirmation Class** in the Hall 

**Thursday:** 9:00 a.m. **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**  
**Intention** – for the intentions of Doug Slavik and family requested by Wilf and Mona Slavik

**Friday:**  9:00 a.m. **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**  
**Intention** – Lori McKinnon† requested by Marni Wright  
 9:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**  
 5:30 p.m. **LiveIn Reunion potluck** at Way of Holiness 

**Saturday:** 8:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. **Knights of Columbus Garage Sale** in the church parking lot  
 5:00 p.m. **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST** – *Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ*  
**Intention** – Leona Lemire† requested by Paula Nolan and Ken Work 

**Sunday:**  11:00 a.m. **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST** – *Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ*  
**Intention** – for the intentions of Dale and Danielle deSeguin and family requested by Laura Riou  
 12:00 noon **Coffee Sunday** after Mass in the Foyer (Bring your favourite Mug)



## Daily Mass readings

**Monday, June 5**

*St. Boniface*

Tobit 1.1ad, 2a, 3, 17; 2.1-8  
 Mark 12.1-12

**Tuesday, June 6**

Tobit 2.9-14; 3.1  
 Mark 12.13-17

**Wednesday, June 7**

Tobit 3.1-6a, 7-10a, 11-13,  
 15b-17a  
 Mark 12.18-27

**Thursday, June 8**

Tobit 4.20; 5.4; 6.10-11b;  
 7.1, 9-16; 8.1, 4-9  
 Mark 12.28-34

**Friday, June 9**

Tobit 11.5-15 Gospel: Mark  
 12.35-37

**Saturday, June 10**

Tobit 12.1-20  
 Mark 12.38-44

**Sunday, June 11**

*Most Holy Body & Blood  
 Of Christ. (Corpus Christi)*

Deuteronomy 8.2-3, 14-16  
 : 1 Corinthians 10.16-17  
 John 6.51-59

## Mass Ministry Volunteers Still Needed

If you have experience in Mass Ministry, we need volunteers to serve at Mass.  
 Please contact the parish office if you are interested.

**We need Adult Servers, Lectors, Ushers, and Welcoming families.**

## Attention Parents of Confirmation age children

*Confirmation Class Letters will be mailed to you directly.*

*If you have not received the letter please call Mary Lou at the Parish Office - 865-3045*

**To remind you that:**

There will be a **Parents Meeting on Monday, June 5 at 7:00 p.m. in the Upper Room.**  
 Registration will be at this time - **PLEASE BRING A COPY OF YOUR CHILD'S BAPTISMAL CERTIFICATE (unless they were baptized at Our Lady of the Foothills).**

It is not necessary for your child to attend this meeting.

A \$40.00 donation, per child, is asked to help cover the cost of all materials used.

## Chalice Sponsorship

When you become a sponsor, you connect directly with a child and show them that their future matters. And the key to a bright future is education. Chalice sponsorship is focused on giving children all the support they need to finish school – be that secondary, post-secondary, or vocational training.

If you are interested in sponsoring a child please contact the parish office. 780-865-3045



chalice.ca

**Chalice Sponsorship Weekend**

This June 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup>, open your heart to child sponsorship.






## Sacraments of Initiation

Anyone needing preparation for the Sacraments of  
**BAPTISM - 1<sup>ST</sup> RECONCILIATION - 1<sup>ST</sup> EUCHARIST - CONFIRMATION**  
please call the parish office. 780-865-3045

**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.  **PLEASE PRAY**



### YOUR RETURN GIFT TO GOD

May 27/28, 2023

Sunday Offering: \$2126.25

May 29 Auto Debit: \$2436.00

May's Total Gift: \$13,633.55  
Monthly Budget need: \$14,925.00

*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*

### Volunteers Needed

And Youth Group ages 12 to 17

Contact Dennis Slavik for more information

Please call the parish office to volunteer at 780 865 3045



### Holy Hour with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m. Next: June 15

**Holy Hour**  
Come spend time in the presence of Jesus.

Everyone is welcome.  
Deacon Ed presiding  
*sponsored by the Knights of Columbus*



**Called to Protect training**, an abuse prevention training session will be offered on Wednesday June 14, 2023, 1 pm to 3:30 pm. The two and half session is mandatory for all volunteers and employees of the Archdiocese. This will be a zoom session open for all. Please register. Registration link - <https://forms.gle/YptUwXahFnCbKJwR7>

Young man is looking for a room to rent as of June 1.  
If you are interested in taking in a boarder, please call 780-865-6859.

## Together We Serve – Annual Appeal

(The yellow envelopes in your box of Collection Envelopes)

**Our 2023 Goal \$ 12,000.00**

Total Raised so far in 2023: **\$7146.25 (59% of Goal)**

**"AS THE FATHER HAS SENT ME, SO I SEND YOU."** (JOHN 20:21)



We can't all go out to the nations, but we all share in the mission given to us by Jesus Christ. Your gift to Together We Serve helps Catholic organizations carry out the mission of the Church in the world.

*"We hear them telling in our own tongues the mighty works of God." (Acts 2:11)*

Ask at the parish office how you can give to Together We Serve or visit: [www.caedm.ca/togetherweserve](http://www.caedm.ca/togetherweserve)

- Catholic Social Services
- Diocese of Mackenzie-Fort Smith
- Evangelization of Nations
- Needs of the Canadian Church
- Needs of the Church in the Holy Land
- Newman Theological College
- Pope's Pastoral Works
- St. Joseph Priests' Foundation of Edmonton
- St. Joseph Seminary
- St. Joseph's College



**Donate now!**

**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%.



Catechesis of the Good Shepherd. Ages 3-6, Saturday mornings 10:00 to 11:30. Call Dennis at 780-865-0151 for more information and to book an introductory lesson.

### The Rosary

1. **On Zoom:** Monday is finished until September a Rosary for our Priests, Deacon, and parish team
2. **At the church:** Wednesday mornings before Mass a Rosary for our parish family.
3. **At the cemetery:** Saturdays at 11:00 a.m. a Rosary for the souls in purgatory



For zoom link or info, email Gary: [gcgiffin@gmail.com](mailto:gcgiffin@gmail.com)

### Pine Valley Lodge Song and Scripture

June 14 at 10:00 a.m.

You are welcome to join us.

**Evergreen Catholic Schools In Hinton**



St. Gregory  
ECS – Gr. 4  
780-865-4555  
[www.sgces.ca](http://www.sgces.ca)

Fr. Gerard Redmond  
Gr. 5 – 12  
780-865-2820  
[www.grccs.ca](http://www.grccs.ca)

**Ever Growing, Learning, and Living in Christ**

# Ministry Schedule

MINISTRY SCHEDULE	ADULT SERVERS	LECTORS (READERS)	MUSIC MINISTRY	WELCOMING	USHERS	CHURCH CLEANING (The following Monday)
<b>Saturday June 10 5:00 p.m.</b>	Dennis Slavik	Ina Lawrence Ren Werbicki	Michael's group	Ren and Sue Werbicki	Glenn Ross Rick Appel Shelley Appel Aniceto Traspaderme	
<b>Sunday June 11 11:00 a.m.</b>	Marni Wright	Ron Rosmer Athena Marchildon	Michael's group	Ron and Barb Rosmer	Ken Brady Christian Ludwig Cel Marchildon Jain Sales	Florjie and Ladies

## Ministry Schedules

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 and God Bless

## Are you new to the Parish?

Register with our parish. Please call the office. (865-3045) or fill out the registration form found on the wall to your left as you exit the church and bring it into the parish office or drop it into the collection basket.



124 Market St.

Tuesdays 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

For information call 780-865-3045

Volunteers are welcome.

## 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](http://www.kofc.org)

[KofC online video series – Into the Breach](#)



## Mass Intentions

**Q: What does it mean to have a Mass “offered” for someone?**

An individual may ask a priest to offer a Mass for several reasons: for example, in thanksgiving, for the intentions of another person (such as on a birthday), or as is most common, for the repose of the soul of someone who has died.

**If you are interested in offering a mass for someone, please call or email the parish office.**

**The stipend is \$10**

**to be paid before the mass is offered.**

*“One must never forget the infinite graces that flow from the Sacrifice of the Mass which benefit one’s soul.”*

– Pope Leo XIII

## Spiritual Adoption Program

To help stop the anti-life push around the world, the late Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen encouraged the spiritual adoption of an unborn child. Our CWL, and K of C are encouraging a wonderful opportunity to be pro-active and pro-life from the comfort of our homes by praying that a child's life be spared abortion and be allowed to live.



### MONTH ONE – Developing Baby

*Your spiritually adopted baby has been quite active over the past month. Already your baby is 10,000 times bigger than at conception.*

*Your baby has developed the foundations of his/her brain, spinal cord, and nervous system by the 20<sup>th</sup> day. His/her heart began to beat on the 21<sup>st</sup> day. His/her heart is pumping blood through its own circulatory system and the blood type can be different from his/her mother's. Your baby is most vulnerable during the next month of being aborted. Pray that the Lord of Life might move the heart of his/her mother to give him/her the most precious gift of all - - the gift of life.*

*Say this prayer every day for nine months to save a baby's life!*

*Jesus, Mary and Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to spare the life of the unborn baby that I have spiritually adopted who is in danger of abortion.*

*Prayer of Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen*

### Pregnancy Care Centre - Baby Bottle Fundraiser

*Pick up your baby bottle at the back of the church and return it on Father's Day. Donation envelopes are also available at the back of the church if you wish.*



### Prayer chain coordinator needed

The prayer chain is a group of people who have volunteered to pray for those in need. This program is up and running, we just need someone to take over the coordinator position. You would be the person who takes the calls from people asking for prayer and relay the message to the prayer list leaders. If you are interested in taking over this position, please call the parish office.



**CWL END-OF-SEASON POTLUCK SUPPER**

112 Cheviot Drive (lower hill) on **Monday, June 5, at 5:00 p.m.** at President Bev DelVecchio's home

Bring the dish of your choice if you are able. Bring a lawn chair if you can.

Entertainment will follow the meal. Prospective members & guests are welcome.

Next CWL general meeting is tentatively scheduled for **Sept. 25 at 2:30 p.m.** in the church hall.



**Knights of Columbus Garage Sale**

A trailer will be parked on the east side of the church from June 3<sup>rd</sup> to June 10<sup>th</sup>.

The trailer will be unlocked so you can drop things off at any time.



**Knights of Columbus  
Garage Sale**

**Yard Maintenance  
Volunteers Needed**

Please call the parish office if you are interested in helping with the yard maintenance on the church property.



**Saturday,  
June 10<sup>th</sup>**

**8:30 am to 1pm**

**Catholic Church  
parking Lot**

**124 Tamarack Ave.**



**If you are interested in donating items please  
bring them to the trailer in the church parking lot.**

**PARISH FAMILY  
POTLUCK PICNIC**



**Sunday, June 25  
4:00 p.m.**

**At Kelley's Bathtub**

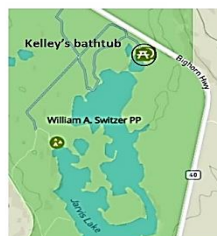
**Please bring  
a food dish.**



**face painting and  
music and lots of fun**



Also, remember to bring your own cups, dishes, cutlery, and Lawn chair. Drinks will be provided.



**Live-In Reunion**



**PRAYER • PRAISE • CELEBRATION**

**Friday,  
June 9th**

**5:30 pm**

**Way of Holiness  
Retreat Centre**

**PLEASE RSVP TO: Athena or Laura by June 6th**  
(780) 315-4268 or (780) 740-4611

You are invited to join a celebration of faith and worship. The evening will kickoff with a potluck meal, followed by music, praise & worship, and a time of fellowship. Bring food, friends or better yet, bring both!

For **Overnight accommodations** please call the Way of Holiness **by June 1<sup>st</sup>**  
(780) 865-4055 OR [office@wayofholiness.net](mailto:office@wayofholiness.net)

## NeighbourLink

780-865-0389 or email [neighbourlink1@gmail.com](mailto:neighbourlink1@gmail.com)

NeighbourLink is in need is single and double beds, and stoves.

Please call to arrange a pickup.

**NeighbourLink AGM** will be June 26 in the United church basement.

Potluck beginning at 6 pm. Hamburgers, buns and drinks provided.

Please bring something to share. (salad or dessert)

AGM and regular monthly meeting to follow supper.

Everyone is welcome.

### Scent Free Makes Sense

We would like the parish to be sensitive to folks with allergies and refrain from wearing perfume and aftershave at Mass. Thank you in advance for your consideration.



### Prayer for our parish

Heavenly Father, we praise you; we worship you; we adore you. We come before you on bended knees to ask in our need: Please fill our church to overflowing, so that we might sing your praises on high! Help us to meet our financial obligations. Increase in us a personal mission to faithfully fulfill the ministries of our Parish Community and serve you and your people. Grant us the grace to forgive those in our community who have hurt us and forgive us for the times we have hurt others. You are the One True God through whom all things are possible. Jesus, we surrender ourselves to you, Take care of everything! Amen.

### Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan, and all evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

(Can be also found in the new 2023 Sunday Missal on page 567)

## St Gregory Kindergarten 2023-2024



St Gregory Kindergarten utilizes a multi-aged, play based, team teaching approach that encourages a love for learning based on the interest and passions of the children, increasing social skills, encouraging creativity and emphasizing literacy and numeracy, with a strong focus on character development in a faith filled environment.

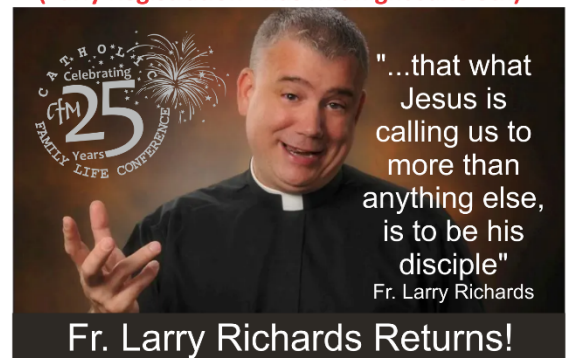
We offer a Monday-Friday full day program. Children must be 5 years of age by December 31, 2023. A copy of your child's birth certificate will be required upon registration.

Registration forms are available at [www.scges.ca](http://www.scges.ca) or by calling St Gregory office at 780-865-4555.

Please see our virtual school tour at [www.sgces.ca](http://www.sgces.ca).

## Register Today for 10% Discount!

(Early Registration Ends Midnight June 8th)



Fr. Larry Richards Returns!

## .....TWENTY FIFTH..... Catholic Family Life CONFERENCE

June 29-July 3 • Lac Ste. Anne, AB  
(Extended Days)

Site Opens Thursday, June 29: 8:00 AM  
(\*Pick up your Registration Packages at the CFM Tent)

Join us on Thursday,  
June 29 'FUN DAY'

Games and Activities for the Whole Family  
Opening and Welcome Mass 6:30 PM with Fr. Paul Moret  
Followed by the Annual Adoration and Benediction

Regular Conference Sessions Begin Friday 9:00 AM

with Fr. Larry Richards, back to challenge and inspire us  
to respond to Christ's Call to make Disciples of all nations.