

Greetings from Father Sam

Happy thanksgiving to all! Many blessings to all our families and friends as we get together and celebrate. I know that we celebrate on different days during this weekend but being together is a great gift. We give thanks to God every day especially at our Eucharistic table. The word Eucharist means: Thanksgiving from the Greek: Eucharistia. We thank God for our lives, creation, redemption and our families, our community and all those moments that we hold in our hearts when we have experienced the divine.

I give thanks to God for all of you as we celebrate life, faith and love together. May God bless all of our days with divine presence so we can live in the joys, sadness, accomplishments, struggles and celebrations with thankful hearts. Enjoy the dinners, friendship and the pumpkin pie!!!

Reminder

We will have a Rosary Hour on Wednesday October 11 at 7:30 p.m. Mark your calendar (phone & otherwise), now.

TABS FOR WINNIPEG HARVEST

UPDATE: Bob Malo reports he now has 273,731 tabs. Please keep collecting. Let's fill up that jar and reach 290,000 before Christmas Thankyou so much

Catechism Update

Our New Church website is up and running. Please check it out and stay informed on events at www.holyrosarychurch.ca

Catechism news: Our Children's Faith formation is in full swing. If you have not yet registered, please do so soon as some classes are already at full capacity.

Volunteers needed: We have an urgent need for 2 adult volunteers to help in our Catechism program. No experience is needed and material is provided. Please contact Julia Stiller at julia.stillerhr@gmail.com if you are able to share your faith with our children.

Holy Roast Cafe is once again open for business every Sunday from 10:00 am to Noon. Come on down to the church hall for some coffee, tea or espresso. Combine it with a donut or special baking and visit with family, friends and others. All funds raised go to support our Children's faith formation program.

Parish Financial Support Weekend Oct. 1, 2017

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Items include Envelopes, Loose Cash, SGG, Least Coin, Auto Withdrawals (Sept. 17, 2017), Reg., Church Repair & Maint.

Annual Spaghetti Dinner October 29, 2017

Celebrating Father Sam's 70th Birthday NOW- ADDING MATTINEE SHOW AT 1:30PM NEW MATINEE PRICES - for children

Tickets for the evening show - dinner beginning at 5:30 have been SOLD OUT. A Matinee show has been added at 1:30 pm - to accommodate people attending the 12:00 mass who can come directly to the Centro following mass. The price for children - ages 12 years of age and under has been reduced to \$15.00. People who have already bought tickets for children for the Matinee prior to this price adjustment will be refunded at the door. Tickets will be available for the next few Sundays after all masses, church office and from Aldo Rama.

Anyone wishing to exchange their evening tickets for the Matinee may do so by contacting members of the Women's Auxiliary or the church office.

FATHER SAM WILL BE PRESENT AT BOTH EVENTS - AFTERNOON AND EVENING!

Come support the Women's Auxiliary, enjoy some fun entertainment and wish Father Sam A Happy Birthday!!!!

Call for Conscience Campaign

With the passing of euthanasia/assisted suicide legislation in Parliament in 2016, provinces are now implementing what is called "Medical Assistance in Dying" (MAID). The government of Manitoba has introduced Bill 34 to protect doctors, nurses and health professionals from having to provide or aid in the provision of MAID against their conscience. The legislature is in session in October. The time to contact your MLA is NOW.

Saluti da Padre Sam

Un Felice Giorno di Ringraziamento a tutti !! Molte benedizioni a tutte le nostre famiglie e amici mentre ci riuniamo e celebriamo. So che celebriamo in giorni diversi durante questa fine settimana, ma stare insieme è un grande dono. Ringraziamo Dio ogni giorno specialmente al nostro tavolo Eucaristico. La parola Eucaristia significa: Ringraziamento in Greco: Ringraziamo Dio per la nostra vita, la creazione, la redenzione e le nostre famiglie, la nostra comunità e tutti quei momenti che abbiamo nei nostri cuori quando abbiamo sperimentato il divino. Ringrazio Dio per tutti voi mentre celebriamo insieme la vita, la fede e l'amore. Dio possa benedire tutti i nostri giorni con la divina presenza in modo da poter vivere nelle gioie, nelle tristezze, nelle realizzazioni, nelle lotte e nelle celebrazioni con i cuori riconoscenti. Godetevi le cene, l'amicizia e la torta di zucca !!!

Promemoria

Avremo un'ora di Rosario mercoledì 11 Ottobre alle ore 7:30 P.M., così segnate ai vostri calendari (telefono e altro) adesso.

Development and Peace Fall Action Workshop

Development and Peace Fall Action Workshop - Women at the Heart of Peace: Learn more about the campaign so you can present it in your parish. Thurs. Oct. 12, 6 p.m. (registration and supper) to 9 p.m. At Bishop's Dining room downstairs at 151 De la Cathedrale Avenue. D&P members from outside the city of Winnipeg are asked to contact the animator in regard to carpooling and compensation for mileage and accommodations. Food and refreshments will be provided. For more information contact Rachele Rocque, 204-231-2848, rrocque@devp.org. Everyone is welcome.

Invite your Animator for a Presentation It would be my pleasure to come to your parish, your classroom, your school or your place of work to do a presentation or lead an activity about Social Justice. You will find the list of activities at this link: https://www.devp.org/en/resources/activities. Book your animator or ask her your questions: Rachele Rocque, 204-231-2848, rrocque@devp.org.

Immaculate Conception Parish

On Sunday, Sept. 24th, 2017, we had our annual "Feed the Hungry" event at the Immaculate Conception Parish. A HUGE THANK YOU goes to our wonderful parishioners who volunteered their time.

- Carol & Bill Beitzel, Lucia Pelletieri, Josie Audino, Rosa Militano, Ron Saunders, Maria Torchia

ST BENEDICT'S MONASTERY

Part time Foundation Assistant Required

St. Benedict's Foundation Inc. supports St. Benedict's Monastery and its ministries including the formation of new members, ongoing education of Sisters, repair/renovation/ maintenance of the complex and grounds as well as the Retreat & Conference Centre by financially supporting some programs.

The Foundation is looking for a Foundation Assistant for 3 days/week:

RESPONSIBILITIES - manage the day to day operations of the Foundation Office- maintain donor database - compile mailing and donor lists and keep them updated - acknowledge all donations received - prepare annual memorial service

REQUIREMENTS - committed, responsible, honest, and enthusiastic, maintains confidentiality- strong background in computer and keyboarding skills- especially familiar with Publisher- organizational skills, public relations- strong interpersonal and communication skills, both written and verbal - good time management skills and attention to details. Hiring immediately. Send résumé to Sr. Joan Mormul 225 Masters Ave R4A 2A1 or email to joanmormulosb@gmail.com

Life's Vision

PASTOR ROB PARKER, National House of Prayer in Ottawa, will be speaking at 3 sessions! Please join our CHAMPIONING CHILDREN One Day Conference on October 14th, 2017.

Life's Vision Manitoba's ONE DAY CONFERENCE and-FUNDRAISING BANQUET.

Please share these events with your youth groups! You do not want to miss out on attending this UNIQUE EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE!

For a special STUDENT GROUP RATE at the CHAMPIONING CHILDREN banquet, please contact Heather at 204-233-8047.

Church Parking Lot

When you park in the backlane behind the Church, kindly try to park between the lines. Please do not take up two spots. Thank you kindly.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter October 13-15, 2017

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Non-Residential Weekend: Oct. 13-15, St. Emile Catholic School, 552 St. Anne's Road. Contact Mel and Rey Sangalang wwme.wpg@gmail.com 204-599-6394 or 204-599-6342

Chant in Worship

Vespers at St. John Brebeuf Church, 1707 John Brebeuf Place, Winnipeg. Commencing on Sunday evenings: Oct. 1, 8, 15, and 22 at 7 p.m.