

Our Lady of the Foothills Catholic Faith Community May 19, 2024

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Mass Readings
Acts 2.1-11; Psalm 104; 1 Corinthians 12.3b-7, 12-13 or Galatians 5.16-25; John 20.19-23 or John 15.26-27; 16.12-15

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Pentecost Sunday

A New Wind

The giving of the Spirit to the new people of God crowns the mighty acts of the Father in salvation history.

The Jewish feast of Pentecost called all devout Jews to Jerusalem to celebrate their birth as God's chosen people in the covenant Law given to Moses at Sinai (see Leviticus 23:15–21; Deuteronomy 16:9–11).

In today's First Reading, the mysteries prefigured in that feast are fulfilled in the pouring out of the Spirit on Mary and the Apostles (see Acts 1:14).

The Spirit seals the new law and new covenant brought by Jesus, written not on stone tablets but on the hearts of believers, as the prophets promised (see Jeremiah 31:31–34; 2 Corinthians 3:2–8; Romans 8:2).

The Spirit is revealed as the life-giving breath of the Father, the Wisdom by which he made all things, as we sing in today's Psalm.

In the beginning, the Spirit came as a "mighty wind" sweeping over the face of the earth (see Genesis 1:2). And in the new creation of Pentecost, the Spirit again comes as "a strong, driving wind" to renew the face of the earth.

As God fashioned the first man out of dust and filled him with his Spirit (see Genesis 2:7), in today's Gospel we see the New Adam become a life-giving Spirit, breathing new life into the Apostles (see 1 Corinthians 15:45, 47).

Like a river of living water, for all ages he will pour out his Spirit on his body, the Church, as we hear in today's Epistle (see also John 7:37–39).

We receive that Spirit in the sacraments, being made a "new creation" in Baptism (see 2 Corinthians 5:17; Galatians 6:15).

Drinking of the one Spirit in the Eucharist (see 1 Corinthians 10:4), we are the first fruits of a new humanity—fashioned from out of every nation under heaven, with no distinctions of wealth or language or race, a people born of the Spirit.

– 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 – May 19th – 26th

Sunday, (May 19): 11:00 a.m. **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST** – *Pentecost Sunday*

Intention – for the intentions of Graeme Jones requested by Linda Jones
12:00 noon **Coffee Sunday** downstairs in the **Hall**



Please join us for coffee and cupcakes after Mass on Sunday, May 19, to say goodbye and to thank Kristy-Lea for all the hard work she and her husband accomplished at the Way of Holiness.

Monday: Have a wonderful Victoria day!

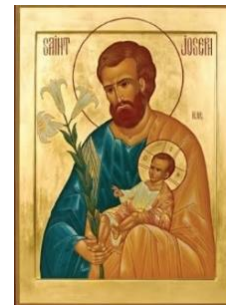
Tuesday: 7:00 p.m. **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**

Intention – for the intentions of Madison Sedrovic requested by Gary and Kathleen Giffin

Wednesday: 9:00 a.m. **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**

Intention – TBA

7:00 p.m. **Liturgical Celebration in honour of St. Joseph** led by the Knights of Columbus.



Thursday: 9:00 a.m. **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**

Intention – for the intentions of Jeremy and Kamila Howsam and family requested by Oran and Bibianne Howsam

7:00 p.m. **Youth Group** in the hall



Friday: 9:00 a.m. **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**

Intention – for the intentions of Kristin and Michael Atkinson requested by Oran and Bibianne Howsam

9:30 a.m. – 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** – *Most Holy Trinity*

Intention – for the intentions of Michelle Lemire requested by Paula Nolan and Ken Work



Sunday, (May 26): 11:00 a.m. **CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST** – *Most Holy Trinity*

Intention – Alan Bokenfohr† requested by Linda Jones and family

2:00 p.m. **Welcome newcomers to Hinton Event** in the hall. All ladies welcome.



Daily Mass readings

Monday, May 20

*Blessed Virgin Mary,
Mother of the Church*

Gen 3.9-15, 20
or Acts 1.12-14
Jn 19.25-27

Tuesday, May 21

James 4.1-10
Mark 9.30-37

Wednesday, May 22

James 4.13-17
Mark 9.38-40

Thursday, May 23

James 5.1-6
Mark 9.41-50

Friday, May 24

James 5.9-12
Mark 10.1-12

Saturday, May 25

James 5.13-20;
Mark 10.13-16

Sunday, May 26

Most Holy Trinity
Deuteronomy 4.32-34, 39-40
Romans 8.14-17
Matthew 28.16-2

Pray the Rosary

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

- Wednesday mornings before Mass** *At the church:* for our parish family.
- Saturdays at 11:00 a.m. At the cemetery:** for the souls in purgatory

contact Gary to get on the weekly notification list gcgiffin@gmail.com.

Pray the Rosary

As the month of May is recognized as the month for Mary - we ask all members of our Parish to join the Catholic Women's League as we pray one decade of the Rosary each day for the month of May. **Intention:** *For all the newcomers – may they feel welcomed in our parish. May we stand together to make a difference in families, parish and community.*



Welcome Newcomers to Hinton Event

To all Ladies and Daughters

Our Lady of the Foothills Ladies would like to meet and get to know all ladies (and your daughters) who moved to Hinton from 2020 until today. Those ladies and daughters who arrived earlier than 2020, please invite and accompany a new friend.

Children are welcome.

WHEN: Sunday, May 26, 2-4 p.m.

WHERE: Our parish hall

COST: FREE.



Hosted by the C.W.L.



Mass Ministry Volunteers Still Needed

We need volunteers to serve at Mass. Please contact the parish office if you are interested. We still need: Music Ministry Leaders, Adult Servers, Lectors, Ushers, and Welcoming families.

Sacraments of Initiation

Anyone needing preparation for the Sacraments of
**BAPTISM - 1ST RECONCILIATION - 1ST EUCHARIST
CONFIRMATION**

please call the parish office for more info.

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

May 11/12: Sunday Offering: \$1,541.80

May 13 Auto Debit: \$2,606.00

Special project total: \$18,101.55



April Total Gift: \$12,967.25
Monthly Budget need: \$15,350.00

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

Attention Envelope users

Whoever is using **Envelope # 56** we need your name.
Please call the parish office 780-865-3045

Children's Collection

Through the Children's collection, the young people of our parish can help children around the world through the charities supported by the Catholic Archdiocese of Edmonton Together We Serve - Annual Appeal. For more info call the parish office 865-3045

Last weekend's Donations: \$90.05 **Thank you.**

SPRING CLEAN-UP

Saturday, June 1st

in the parish hall and kitchen.

Meet for coffee at 9:30 a.m. in the parish hall and begin working by 10:00 a.m.



All parishioners are welcome to come and help.

Many hands make light the work.

If there are enough volunteers we will do the flowers beds as well.

PIZZA!



Pizza will be provided for lunch.

Together We Serve – Annual Appeal

(the yellow envelopes in your box of Collection Envelopes)

Our 2024 Goal \$ 12,000.00

Thank you for your donations.

Total Raised in 2024: **\$5037.40. (41% of Goal)**

Together we Serve supports 10 different Catholic organizations and institutions. Please consider how God has blessed you and your family. In gratitude for God's abundance in your life consider reaching out to others through Together We Serve. Let us together, support our charitable partners through Together We Serve.

The 10 different Catholic organizations supported by TWS:

- 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!

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%.

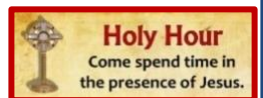
Holy Hour with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

(with Reconciliation)

3rd Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

Next: June 20.

Everyone is welcome. Deacon Ed presiding
sponsored by the KofC



From This Day Forward...



*Please pray for
Christian Ludwig
and Kayla Schlachter*

who will be united, together with God,

in the Holy Sacrament of Matrimony at

Our Lady of the Foothills Parish on May 18, 2024



*May God bless you
as you begin your new life together.*



Ministry Schedule

MINISTRY SCHEDULE	ADULT SERVERS	LECTORS (READERS)	MUSIC MINISTRY	WELCOMING	USHERS	CHURCH CLEANING
Saturday May 25th 5:00 p.m.	Randy Smith	Ina Lawrence Paula Nolan	Dio Provvede	Lena Ouellet	Glenn Ross Ken Work TBA TBA	
Sunday May 26th 11:00 a.m.	Franklin Vizcaino Deacon Ed Meding	Dan Burkinshaw Gwen Meding (Deacon Carries book)	Dio Provvede	Joe and Alice Willick	Christian Ludwig Ken Brady Brian Beauchamp Dennis Slavik	KofC

Called to Protect training, an abuse prevention training session will be offered on May 21 at 6:30 p.m. The two and half session is mandatory for all volunteers of the Archdiocese who have not yet participated in this training. This will be a zoom session open for all.

Please register: <https://forms.gle/kB1QNJuKoTj1u3fc8>

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.



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](#)



Fundraiser for carpet in the church

Thank you to all parishioners for the generous donations we have received for the carpet fund. To date we have received **\$18,101.55** and need **\$1,898.45** to reach our goal of \$20,000.00. Envelopes are available at the back of the church if you want to donate. All donations are eligible for a tax receipt.

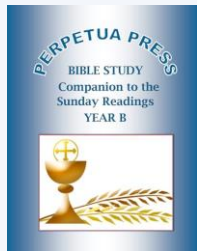
Thank you once again for your generous donations and prayers towards this project.



BIBLE STUDY on the UPCOMING SUNDAY READINGS.

All are welcome on Thursdays at 1:00 pm at Gwen's. Bring a Bible and Catechism of the Catholic Church.

Study guides can be purchased from Gwen for \$25 or available on kindle for \$6. Bible Study - A Companion to the Sunday Readings, Year B.



NeighbourLink

NeighbourLink

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

NeighbourLink is in need of kitchen chairs, washing machines, couches and dressers

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.

ENCOUNTER

EDMONTON CAMPUS

ENCOUNTER SCHOOL OF HEALING May 24th and 25th at Holy Trinity Parish in Spruce Grove featuring Fr. Jason Brooks, LC. \$90 for the weekend. Register today at: [Edmonton, Alberta School of Healing - Encounter Ministries \(regfox.com\)](#)

Students of the school will be prayer ministers for the **HEALING SERVICE** Saturday May 25th 7pm **FREE** and open to the public.

For more information Email: edmonton@encounterschool.org



Ladies Bible Study

Next is May 20 at 7:00 p.m. at 436 Boutin Ave. Led by Bonnie Meagher. Please contact Bonnie Meagher for more info.



Knights of Columbus
Pilgrim Icon Program

St. Joseph

We will have this image displayed in our church from Sunday, May 19 until Saturday, May 25. On Wednesday May 22, at 7:00 p.m. the Knights will lead a liturgical celebration in honour of St. Joseph. Join us for prayer, songs, scripture, a litany and a rosary.

West yellowhead Pregnancy Care Centre

Baby bottle fund raiser begins this weekend. Pick up your baby bottle at the back of the church and return it on Father's Day.

Or you can donate:

E-transfer: donations@wypcc.ca

PayPal: West Yellowhead Pregnancy Care Centre

Mail: WYPCC, PO Box 30077 Edson, AB T7E 1Y2

(envelopes are available at the back of the church)



West Yellowhead

PREGNANCY CARE CENTRE





Knights of Columbus Garage Sale



Saturday,
June 8th

8:30 am

Catholic Church
parking Lot

124 Tamarack Ave.



To donate items please bring them to the trailer in
the church parking lot from June 1

All Ladies of the Parish



Are invited to

*Catholic Women's League
Summer Break Barbeque*

June 10th at 5:00 p.m. at Bev's yard

(112 Cheviot Drive)

CWL will provide and barbecue hamburgers and hotdogs,
buns and punch will be provided also.

PLEASE BRING – a side dish or dessert, a plate, cutlery, and a lawn chair.

Entertainment to follow.

