

Saint John Bosco Parish



WELCOME to St. John Bosco Parish!

We are happy to have you with us and would like to extend a warm welcome to all of our visitors today. If you are staying with us, please consider filling out a registration form found in the church atrium and submit it to our church office. Want to become actively involved in this wonderful parish? View our website or contact our church office to find out more information about the various programs and ministries we have in our parish. **We encourage your active participation!**

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**MASS : Saturday at 5:15pm and Sunday at 9:30am
Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Thursday at 9:00am**

Baptism: By appointment with the parish priest

First Communion, Confirmation, Communion for the infirmed, and the Anointing of the Sick: Please contact the parish office.

Marriage: Contact the parish priest at least six (6) months before the proposed date of marriage.



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Office Hours

Monday- Friday: 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

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Mission Statement

St. John Bosco Parish is a faith community united to the Body of Christ by the common bond of Baptism and rooted in the Roman Catholic tradition. We gather for celebrating the Eucharist and all other Sacraments, fellowship, and our gifts. We proclaim the Gospel in ministry and in community.

MOST HOLY TRINITY

SCRIPTURE MESSAGE: The mystery of the most Holy Trinity is a basic doctrine of Faith in Christianity, understandable not with our heads but with our hearts. It teaches us that there are three distinct Persons in one God, sharing the same Divine Nature, co-equal and co-eternal. Our mind cannot grasp this doctrine which teaches that $1+1+1 = 1$ and not 3. But we believe in this Mystery because Jesus, Who is God, taught it clearly, the Evangelists recorded it, the Fathers of the Church tried to explain it, and the Councils of Nicaea and Constantinople defined it as a dogma of Christian Faith.

Importance in Christian life: 1) All prayers in the Church begin in the Name of the Holy Trinity and end glorifying the Trinity. 2) All Sacraments are administered (we are baptized, confirmed, anointed, our sins are forgiven, our marriages are blessed, and our Bishops, priests and deacons are ordained) in the name of the Holy Trinity. 3) When Church bells ring thrice daily, they remind us to give glory to the Holy Trinity for the Incarnation of Jesus and His Redemption of all of us. 4) We bless ourselves, and the priest blesses us, in the Name of the Holy Trinity.

Biblical basis: There are only vague and hidden references to the Trinity in the Old Testament. But the New Testament gives clear teachings on the Holy Trinity.

1) At the Annunciation, God the Father sent His angel to Mary, God the Holy Spirit came upon her, the Power of the Most High overshadowed her, and God the Son became Incarnate in her womb.

2) At the baptism of Jesus, when the Son received the baptism of repentance from John the Baptist, the Father's Voice was heard, and the Holy Spirit appeared as a Dove and descended upon Jesus.

3) At the Ascension, Jesus commissioned his disciples to baptize those who believed, in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

4) **John's account:** In John's Gospel, chapters 15–18, we have a detailed account of Jesus' teaching of the role of each Person of the Holy Trinity: a) God the Father creates and provides for His creatures. b) God the Son redeems us and reconciles us with God. c) God the Holy Spirit sanctifies us, strengthens us, teaches us, and guides us to God.

Life messages: 1) Let us respect ourselves and others because everyone is the temple of the Holy Spirit where all Three Persons of the Holy Trinity abide.

2) Let us have the firm conviction that the Trinitarian God abides in us, that He is the Source of our hope, courage, and strength, and that He is our final destination.

3) Let us practice the Trinitarian relationship of love and unity in the family relationships of father, mother, and children because by Baptism we become children of God and members of God's Trinitarian family.

4) Let us practice the *I-God-my neighbor* vertical and horizontal Trinitarian relationships in this life by loving God and our neighbors

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL: Please pray for: Valerie Cooper, Mary Lambert, Heidi Reid, Gerald Moriarty, Leone McIntyre, Justin Lefave, Ann Ruigrok, Daniel Bellemore, Laurie Lirette, Ursula Thompson, Betty DeKleine, Donna Brewer, Nila Suan, Lucille Paolini, Peter Vander Linden, Karen Nesbitt, Desmond Liston, Kerry Walsh, Maria Frendo-Cumbo and Joseph O'Grady

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR MAY: We pray that religious women and men, and seminarians, grow in their own vocations through their human, pastoral, spiritual and community formation, leading them to be credible witnesses to the Gospel.

THE MONTH OF MAY: The month of May is a Marian month; praying the Rosary is one of our most important traditional prayers. We will pray the Rosary as a community before the Mass on weekend during the month of May. **Saturdays we will begin the Rosary at 4:50 p.m. and Sundays at 9:10 a.m.**

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR JUNE: We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.

MASS SCHEDULE MAY 25 - JUNE 2, 2024		
Saturday, May 25	5:15 p.m.	Fernand Cyr
Sunday, May 26	9:30 a.m.	Our Parishioners
Tuesday, May 28	6:30 p.m.	Pat and Irene Leeder
Wednesday, May 29	9:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m.	Unannounced Mass ADORATION
Thursday, May 30	9:00 a. m.	Bess and Bill Robertson
Friday, May 31	9:00 a.m.	Holy Souls in Purgatory
Saturday, June 1	5:15 p.m.	Our Parishioners
Sunday, June 2	9:30 a.m.	Gerard Geseron
The Sanctuary Candle burns this week for: Int. of Denis Davis		

FINANCIAL UPDATE:

Operating Weekly Target: \$3500

May 19, 2024: \$2171.00

Property Maintenance: \$963

Thank you very much for your generous contribution.

“And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.” Matthew 28.20

MAY 26, 2024

MASS TIMES	USHERS	LECTOR	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER	WELCOME DESK
Saturday, May 25 5:15 p.m.	Michel LaBonté	Sylvia Shackles	Melinda Condon	Melinda Condon
Sunday, May 26 9:30 a.m.	Doug Roughton	Johanne Cardinal & Michelle Morrow	Joan Murray	Noreen Shepherd
Saturday, June 1 5:15 p.m.	Kevin Frech	Joanne Story	Carol Ravnaas	Carol Ravnaas
Sunday, June 2 9:30 a.m.	Art Psiuk	Lloyd Clayton & Johanne Cardinal	Jill Heffernan	Ewa El-Mubarak

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

DATE	TIME	EVENT
Saturday, May 25	4:00 p.m.	Confirmation Class
Wednesday, May 29	10a.m.-2p.m.	Confirmation Retreat

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: Every Wednesday morning the Blessed Sacrament is exposed in the chapel after morning Mass until 10:00 a.m. All available parishioners are encouraged to spend time in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament when possible. Remember the words of our Lord *“Are you asleep? Keep awake and pray that you may not come into temptation; the spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak”*. May your time with the Lord in Blessed Sacrament strengthen you spiritually and physically.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MONTHLY COLLECTION: Will be held next weekend. Representatives will be at the door at each Mass to receive your financial support. We ask for your support to help the local poor and needy. If you know of an individual or family in need, please call 343-327-2120.

GROCERY GIFT CARDS: Please buy and use grocery cards. This program is an important source of funds for the parish, at no extra cost to you. They can be purchased before and after weekend Masses or from the office on weekdays.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY: Prayerful best wishes to all who are celebrating wedding anniversaries in June –

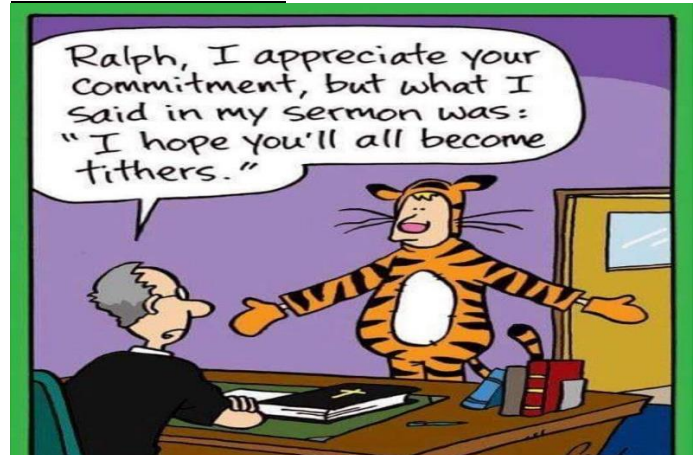
Dennis and Melinda Condon	June 5	48 years
David and Judy Publow	June 6	54 years
Allan and Mary Ferguson	June 22	39 years
Steve and Dayna Gollodge	June 22	11 years
Larry and Lorraine Horahan	June 24	35 years
Anish & Elizabeth Antony	June 28	10 years
Patsy and Mel Rebeiro	June 30	40 years

CORPUS CHRISTI – JUNE 2, 2024: Also known as Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, this feast honors Jesus Christ, Really, Truly and Substantially Present under the appearances of bread and wine. This Presence happens through the change which the Church calls transubstantiation (“change of substance”), when at the Consecration of the Mass, the priest says the words which Christ Himself pronounced over bread and wine, “This is My Body,” “This is the chalice of My Blood,” “Do this in remembrance of Me.” In 2024, the Solemnity of Corpus Christi is on May 30, but it is transferred to Sunday, June 2 in some dioceses.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE SANCTIFICATION OF PRIESTS – JUNE 7: Catholics worldwide are urged to pray for Priests today on the World Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests. The day was begun by Saint John Paul II with the objective of having all Catholics faithful join in prayer for the sanctification of priests. This day coincides with the Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus.

SAVE THE DATE! PARISH BBQ – JUNE 23, 2024: The SJB Parish Pastoral Council will be hosting a parish pot luck/BBQ after Mass on June 23rd. More information to come.

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