

St. Francis De Sales Parish BULLETIN

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LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday 5:00 pm - High River Sunday 9:00 am - Vulcan Sunday 11:00 am - High River

CONFESSIONS

Monday - Saturday: 45 minutes before Masses

VI SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time



February 11, 2024



Sunday Readings

First Reading: (Leviticus 13: 1-2, 45-46) Considered "unclean"— unfit to worship or live with the Israelites, lepers are considered "stillborn," the living dead (see Numbers 12:12). Indeed, the requirements imposed on lepers in today's First Reading—rent garments, shaven head, covered beard—are signs of death, penance, and mourning (see Leviticus 10:6; Ezekiel 24:17).

Second Reading: (1 Corinthians 10:31, 11:1) Like the leper we should rejoice in the Lord and spread the good news of His mercy. We should testify to our healing by living changed lives. As Paul says in today's Epistle, we should do even the littlest things for the glory of God and that others may be saved.

Gospel: (Mark 1:40-45) When Elisha, invoking God's name, healed the leper, Naaman, it proved there was a prophet in Israel (see 2 Kings 5:8). Today's healing reveals Jesus as far more than a great prophet—He is God visiting His people (see Luke 7:16).

https://stpaulcenter.com/reflections for more info.

I'M SORRY, FATHER

A Catholic priest working in an inner city was walking down an alley one evening on his way home when a young man came down the alley behind him and poked a knife against his back. "Give me your money," the young man said. The priest opened his jacket and reached into an inner pocket to remove his wallet, exposing his clerical collar. "Oh, I'm sorry, Father," said the young man, "I didn't see your collar. I don't want YOUR money. "Trembling from the scare, the priest removed a cigar from his shirt pocket and offered it to the young man. "Here," he said. "Have a cigar, "Oh, no,I can't do that," the young man replied, "I gave them up for Lent."



CIGAR



The K of C 9521 February meeting will be on **Monday Feb. 12, 2024, 7:00 pm** in the St. Francis de Sales Church hall.



CWL General Meeting

The CWL General meeting that was scheduled for Wed. evening, Feb. 14th, will be held this coming Monday, Feb. 12th, at 1:30 pm in the church hall. Hope to see many in attendance.





Ash Wednesday

Please join us on Feb. 14, 2024 for the Ash Wednesday masses.

The times are as follows:
9:00 am—SFDS High River
5:00 pm—St. Andrew's Vulcan
7:00 pm SFDS High River
All are welcome!



Stations of the Cross / Soup and Buns

Please join us for Stations of the Cross held **every Friday** during Lent, **Feb. 16—Mar. 22, 2024**at 6:30 pm followed by soup and buns.

All Are Welcome!

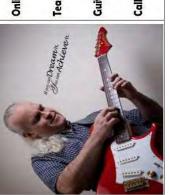
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Date	Ministry
February 16, 2024	Music Ministry
February 23, 2024	Decorating /Parish Council, RCIA/Liturgy & Lector
March 1, 2024	Couples for Christ
March 8, 2024	CWL
March 15, 2024	Notre Dame/Holy Spirit School
March 22 , 2024	Knights of Columbus



February 1– 29, 2024

February 1	9:15 am	Cathy Nesselbeck †
February 2	9:15 am	Cathie McNelis †
February 3	900 am	Cathy Nesselbeck †
	5:00 pm	Our Parish
February 4	9:00 am—(Vulcan)	St. Andrew's CWL Sisters
D 1	11:00 am	Haley Bateman
February 5	9:00 am	No Mass
February 6	7:00 pm	Alma Vandenweele †
February 7	6:00 pm	Bereavement Mass
February 8	9:15 am	Rena Morrison
February 9	9:15 am	John & Balida Hoffart †
February 10	9:00 am	Danny & Mary Rehak †
Folomonia	5:00 pm	Besse Amores †
February 11	9:00 am—(Vulcan) 11:00 am	John MacDougall † Our Parish
February 12	9:00 am	No Mass
February 13	7:00 pm	SFDS CWL Sisters
February 14	9:00 am	Ash Wednesday Mass (HR)
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	7:00 pm	Ash Wednesday Mass (HR)
February 15	9:15 am	Wendell & Noelle Hoffart
February 16	9:15 am	Tim McLean [†]
February 17	9:00 am 5:00 pm	Jacob Fraser Theresa Fallows †
February 18	9:00 am—(Vulcan) 11:00 am	Our Parish Len Hickey †
February 19	9:00 am	George & Antonina Sztuk †
February 20	7:00 pm	Paul & Suzanne Baxter
February 21	3:30 pm—(Seasons HR)	Geraldine Gervais
D.L	6:00 pm	Godchildren of the Baldwin's
February 22	9:15 am	Hoffart Family †
February 23	9:15 am	Frank Charette †
February 24	9:00 am	Barb Charette
Fohmany of	5:00 pm	Alejandro & Vilma Zevallos † Our Parish
February 25	9:00 am—(Vulcan) 11:00 am	Richard Rappel [†]
February 26	9:00 am	Linda Dunstan †
February 27	7:00 pm	Cecilia Bleile †
February 28	4:00 pm—(The Manor) 6:00 pm	Cathy Nesselbeck † George & Antonina Sztuk †
February 29	9:15 am	Godparents of the Baldwin Children



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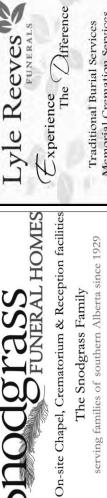
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