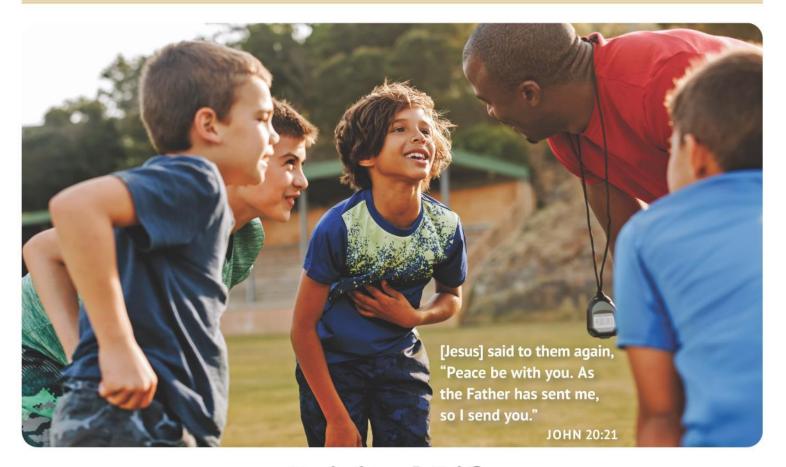
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#### Pentecost (C)



Acts 2:1–11 / 1 Corinthians 12:3b–7, 12–13 or Romans 8:8–17 / John 20:19–23 or John 14:15–16, 23b–26



## Spirited Life

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

e are in a time when many seem to live with deep anger, much of which may come from fear generated by a sense of loss of control over our lives. We struggle to control the economy, our borders, the spread of disease, the violence in our cities and on our roads. Places once deemed safe—our schools, stores, and churches—have been invaded by violence. Ironically, those who feel most threatened by violence tend to turn to violence as a solution.

Do the scripture readings on this feast of Pentecost offer any hint of light as to how we might move forward? Saint Paul's Letter to the Romans contrasts living in the flesh with living in the spirit that has been given to us. To "live in the flesh" is Paul's code word for living by our baser instincts—lust for power, revenge, and pleasure; anger; greed—all of which focus on ourselves. By contrast, to live in the spirit is to respond not from our baser instincts but rather to choose a more noble path, to take the high road, to care for the common good. For Paul, living in the flesh is a dead end, unable to bring us to life now or in the hereafter. To live in the spirit is to live in God, already in this life. Thus, Paul cautions that we not "fall back into fear," something that arises from our preoccupation with the flesh. •

#### Reflect-

What situations or "triggers" cause me to act out of my baser instincts?

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Catholic Church.

#### St. Brieux Parish Mass Times:

Tuesday-Friday: 9:00 a.m.

1st Friday of the month: Mass 9:00 am. Adoration to

follow

Saturday: 7:00 p.m. Sunday: 9:00 a.m.

#### Mary, Mother of God Parish Mass Time

Sunday: 4:00 p.m.

#### **Reconciliation (St. Brieux):**

Fr. Tru is available to hear Confession:

- -Saturdays at 6:30 p.m. before 7:00 p.m. Mass
- -The first Friday of the month during Adoration Hour
- -Confession is available by appointment.

#### **Grief Ministry**

Someone is available for you and your family members to talk or just listen.....Call Fr. Tru Le at 306-714-7717

Pregnancy Crisis Line: 1-800-665-0570

Farm Crisis Line: 1-800-667-4442

Catholic Family Services: 1-877-922-3202

for appointment

#### **EVENTS THIS WEEK**

**Jun 10 to Jun 13:** Mass 9:00 am

**Jun 14:** Mass 7:00 pm - St. Brieux

**Jun 15:** Mass 9:00 am --St. Brieux (Pie, ice cream & coffee will be served after Mass in honour of Father's

Day)

Jun 15: Mass 4:00 pm - Kinistino

Jun 14 & 15: Jubilee Pilgrimage - Cudworth

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Jun 17 to Jun 20:** Mass 9:00 am

Jun 21: Mass 7:00 pm - St. Brieux

Jun 22: Mass 9:00 am -- St. Brieux

Jun 22: Mass 4:00 pm - Kinistino

Jun 24 to 27: No Weekday Mass. Fr. Tru is away.

Jun 28: No Saturday Evening Mass. Fr. Tru is away.

Jun 29: Mass 9:00 am -- St. Brieux/Fr. Lawrence DeMong

Jun 29: Mass 4:00 pm - Kinistino/Fr. Lawrence DeMong

Save the Date! You are invited to Celebrate the Feast of the Sacred Heart & 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Priesthood for Bishop Stephen A. Hero, Friday, June 27<sup>th</sup> 2025 at 6:30pm at Sacred Heart Cathedral, Prince Albert.

Following Mass, you are invited to share in a 'Appetizer and Dessert Potluck'

All the goods of this world cannot content the heart of the human person, who has been created to love God, and can finds no peace outside of God.

-St. Alphonsus Liguori

Sunday, June 15th:				
Altar	Christine Bedard			
Greeters & Gifts	Russel Agnote			
Lay Leader/Prayers of Faithful	Richard Coquet			
Lectors	Dan Hunt & Ramona Assie			
Communion - Bread & Cup	Jean Kernaleguen, Marc Mansiere, Dan Hunt			
	David Rheaume			
Children's Liturgy	Rochelle Mansiere			
Counters	Jackie Laczko, Paul & Pauline Boyer			
Altar Servers	Avery, Kaylie, Riley			
Vocation Cross	Terry Valmont			

#### St. Brieux Parish Mass Intentions

Tues. Jun 10	9:00 a.m.	+Anne P. Kernelaguen by Terry Valmont
Wed. Jun 11	9:00 a.m.	+Diane Nesbitt by Roger & Janet Creurer
Thurs. Jun 12	9:00 a.m.	+Agnes Coquet by Agnes Thomas
Fri. Jun 13	9:00 a.m.	+Roseann King by Percy King
Sat. Jun 14	7:00 p.m.	+John Perrot by Rosemarie Perrot
Sun. Jun 15	9:00 a.m.	For all Parishioners

# Mary, Mother of God Parish Mass Intentions Collections

Sun.	4:00 p.m.	+Stella Powalinsky by the
Jun 15		"Haven" family

**St. Brieux:** (Includes Sunday Collection and Pre-Authorized Payments)

June 1st, 2025 - \$1815.00

#### Mary, Mother of God:

June 1st, 2025 - \$240.00

Thank you!

#### Leaving a Legacy

REMEMBER YOUR CHURCH - By leaving a gift in your will or estate to St. Brieux Parish. The impact will be felt and remembered for generations. For more information, please contact the parish office at 306-275-2043

<u>The III & Elderly ministry:</u> Percy King. Marthe Rohel-Coquet accepted to continue this card ministry and would appreciate being informed of anyone who would be touched by receiving a card in the name of our St. Brieux Parish.

#### Pray It Forward Prayer Group:

To join this ministry, or have an Intercessory Prayer Request contact Terry Valmont by text or call at 306-920-8771. Prayer requests can be submitted either anonymously or with information.

#### **Prayer for Priests**

LORD, life up your holy priests, deacons and religious. Grant them the graces they need to minister to your people. Keep them pure and strong in your love. Give them courage when things are difficult, and accompany them when they are lonely. Strengthen them in times of weakness. AMEN



# Things God wouldn't ask:

God won't ask about the colour of your skin, He'll ask about the content of your character.

## Dear Padre,

My Catholic friend says she speaks in tongues and does not feel she needs an interpretation as she does so. She writes down the exchange as she listens to others. What does the Catholic Church say about speaking in tongues? How should I respond if she asks to pray for me in this way?

Good for your friend. A robust spiritual practice is a real grace from God. At the same time, it seems that a gentle reminder,



albeit a respectful one, to your friend might include the wisdom of St. Paul. In 1 Corinthians, Paul cautions that the person who speaks in tongues must ask for interpretation of what is spoken so that it may be confirmed. There is real wisdom offered here. It is also helpful to remember that in the Christian understanding of supernatural gifts, such gifts are not intended solely for the individual person but always for the well-being of the community and the common good (1 Cor 12:7). Keeping this integrated and balanced understanding as an essential component of the manifestation of the charismatic gifts of the Holy Spirit will only lead to good and to a more powerful experience of God's grace and life. In the Christian life, it is never about just the individual, but always inclusive of the experience of our brothers and sisters in Christ. •

Fr. Thomas M. Santa, CSsR / DearPadre.org

#### Do you have a question for the Padre?

Go to *DearPadre.org* to send your question and to learn more about *Dear Padre*.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
June 9	June 10	June 11	June 12	June 13	June 14	June 15
The Blessed	Weekday	St. Barnabas,	Weekday	St. Anthony of	Weekday	The Most Holy
Virgin Mary,	2 Cor 1:18-22	Apostle	2 Cor 3:15-	Padua, Priest	2 Cor 5:14-21	Trinity
Mother of the	Mt 5:13-16	Acts 11:21b-26;	4:1, 3-6	and Doctor of	Mt 5:33-37	Prv 8:22-31
Church	1 808 2022 22 20	13:1-3	Mt 5:20-26	the Church		Rom 5:1-5
Gn 3:9-15, 20		Mt 5:17-19		2 Cor 4:7-15		Jn 16:12-15
or Acts 1:12-14				Mt 5:27-32		31. 10.11
Jn 19:25-34						



#### A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

The Holy Spirit...makes believers attentive to the problems and events of their time.... We run the risk of making a museum piece out of faith...! [The Holy Spirit]...brings...the faith up to date: this is his job. [He] does not bind himself to passing epochs or trends, but brings into today the relevance of Jesus, risen and living.

REGINA CAELI, ROME, JUNE 5, 2022

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#### Stewardship: June 8th—Pentecost Sunday

"The Advocate, the Holy Spirit whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you." (JOHN 14:26)

The materialism of our society lures us to concentrate more on what we want than on what God wants for us. The relativism of our world tells us that we should be tolerant of all things, that there is no absolute truth. Pray to the Holy Spirit to transform our lives and to guide our thoughts, words and actions. What you put in your mind, heart, and soul affects your actions. Put good things in and good things will come out.

#### **Vocation Corner: June 8th—Pentecost Sunday**

**A Vocation View:** Like sun through a stained-glass window, the Spirit of God can shine in your life to rouse the best in another. Come, follow Him.

**Prayer:** That one with the Blessed Virgin Mary, in whose company the Apostles received the Holy Spirit, those now discerning their vocations will grow in their ability to recognize the Lord's call and respond with generous hearts, we pray to the Lord.

**Action:** MYSTERIOUSLY the Holy Spirit distributes charisms to build up the church. Charisms are free gifts given to individuals (as part of the body of Christ) helping the church carry out its mission. "There are different gifts but the same Spirit, there are different ministries but the same LORD; there are different works but the same God who accomplishes all of them in everyone. To each person the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good." 1 Corith 12 4-7

### GRAND OPENING

The board members of the St. Brieux Manor Personal; Care Home cordially invites you to our Grand Opening!

Enjoy a tour of our beautiful home, meet our dedicated team and board members, and learn more about the services we offer.

Saturday June 21
10:00 AM
213 2ND AVE NORTH
ST. BRIEUX

Refreshments will be served.

#### JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE INVITATION!

Come join us on our Pilgrimage! The Ukrainian Catholic Shrine of Our Lady of Sorrows in Cudworth Saskatchewan is celebrating the Jubilee Year on June 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> 2025. Bishop Michael Smolinski, C.Ss.R., will be in attendance. Everyone is welcome to attend. You can find details at <a href="https://www.hillofsorrows.com">www.hillofsorrows.com</a>. Schedule:

June 14th 2025

Pilgrimage Walk from Bodnari (25km) at 10am Pilgrimage walk from Spasa (5km) Confessions will be available in Ukr. And English Vespers at 7pm

Stations of the Cross at 7pm and 8pm June 15th 2025

Confessions will be available in Ukr. and English. Matins at 10am

Divine Liturgy at 11am

Lunch at 1pm Food available for purchase Grave Blessings (Cudworth and Spasa) at 3pm

Please register online if you are planning to go on the Pilgrimage Walk from Bodnari as the schedule is liable to change.



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# July 14th to 18th



We are thrilled to have over 50 children registered for VBS this summer! As we prepare for this fun program, we're seeking additional volunteers to serve as teachers and group leaders. Without enough volunteer support, we won't be able to run the program. The time commitment would be July 14–18, from 9 AM to noon each day. All materials will be supplied, and full support will be available from Anne-Marie and Rochelle.

We need parents, grandparents, or students (Grade 6 and up) to step in and help.

If you are interested, or you know of someone who would like to help, please contact Rochelle Mansiere (306) 361-3326.

#### **MENTAL HEALTH MINISTRY**

Dignity Doesn't Expire.

MAiD is being offered to people who are lonely, disabled, or struggling, even if they have not asked for it or are not dying. **This is putting patients' lives at risk.** 

In March 2027, a federal law will come into effect, making MAiD available to patients with mental illnesses.

Write to the Saskatchewan Minister of Health to call for stronger patient & provider safeguards around MAiD in Saskatchewan.

Visit <a href="https://www.nooptionsnochoice.com/english/take-action">https://www.nooptionsnochoice.com/english/take-action</a>