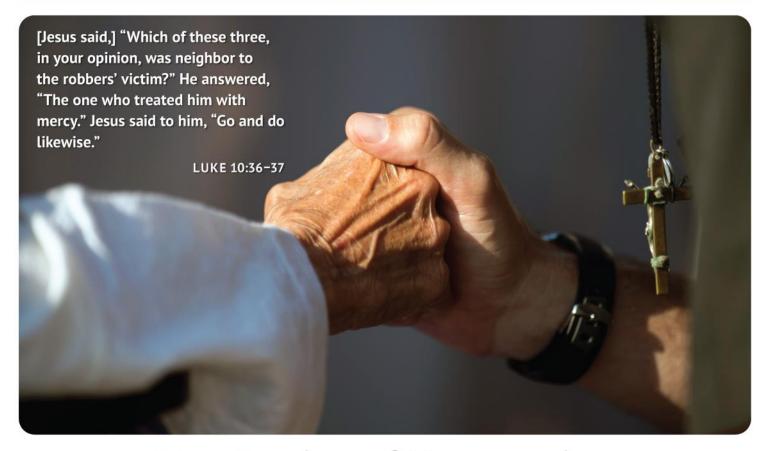
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# The Passion of Compassion

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

e tend to hear the parable of the Good Samaritan and place ourselves in the role of the Samaritan, thereby expected to be compassionate, as was the Samaritan. Those who heard Jesus tell the parable, however, would never have identified with the Samaritan. To them, the Samaritans were religious heretics who worshipped not in Jerusalem but at their own temple. Thus, the people of Jesus' day would have seen themselves as the victim, the one on the side of the road. Who, then, would be the Samaritan, the surprising caregiver, the compassionate one? Because parables are about God and how God works, it would be God who is and has always been the one who heals and feeds and nurtures us back to life. The parable then surprises the hearer of Jesus' day—God as a compassionate Samaritan!

It is God's compassion that we bring to those seeking forgiveness as well as to those who, for whatever reason, have not yet reached the point of asking for forgiveness. It is God's compassion that we bring to the unborn, the immigrant, the homeless, the sick in need of healing, the jobless who have lost hope. It is God's compassion that a nation brings to anyone who has lost his or her way, as it has been noted that the greatness of a nation is in how that nation deals with and cares for the weakest among them. •

#### Reflect

When have I needed a compassionate response?
When could I have been more compassionate?

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# St. Brieux Parish Office Hours

Fr. Tru Le: Is available all week with the exception of

Monday - his day off.

Janet: Office hours will vary. Text or call (306) 921-4147

Bulletin and information is available on the website: **stbrieuxparish.ca** and our Facebook page: **St. Brieux** 

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**

**Jul 15 to Jul 18:** Mass 7:00 am

Jul 15: Walk for Vocation - Duck Lake - 12:00 Noon

**Jul 19:** Mass 7:00 pm - St. Brieux **Jul 20:** Mass 9:00 am - St. Brieux

Jul 20: Mass 11:00 am - St. Philip's Church (Little

Moose)

Jul 20: Mass 4:00 pm - Kinistino

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Jul 22 to Jul 25:** Mass 7:00 pm

Jul 26: Mass 7:00 pm - St. Brieux

**Jul 27:** Mass 9:00 am - St. Brieux

Jul 27: Mass 4:00 pm - Kinistino

**Aug 03:** Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Lourdes **Aug 10:** Mass 11:00 am - Kermaria Church

Aug 15: Altar Server Jubilee Event 2025

"If we wish to learn the art of living well and dying well, let us not follow the crowd, which only believes and values what is seen. Instead let us follow Christ."

-St. Robert Bellarmine

Sunday, July 20th:				
Altar	Janet Creurer			
Greeters & Gifts	Helen Pataueg & Mely Igo			
Lay Leader/Prayers of Faithful	Hassel Agnote			
Lectors	Marthe Rohel-Coquet & Kristen Bertrand			
Communion - Bread & Cup	Marthe Rohel-Coquet, Celine Kleiboer, Terry Valmont			
	Eva-Marie Kernaleguen			
Children's Liturgy	Rochelle Mansiere			
Counters	Jackie Laczko, Paul & Pauline Boyer			
Altar Servers	As per Lisa			
Vocation Cross	Janet Creurer			

#### St. Brieux Parish Mass Intentions

Tues. Jul 15	9:00 a.m.	+John Perrot by Glen & Jackie Mark	
Wed. Jul 16	9:00 a.m.	+George Assie by Andre & Ramona Assie and Family	
Thurs. Jul 17	9:00 a.m.	+Raymond Dube by Edwin & Christine Bedard	
Fri. Jul 18	9:00 a.m.	+Mathieu Assie by Jeanne Rocher	
Sat. Jul 19	7:00 p.m.	+Ryan Schemenauer by Terrry Valmont & Family	
Sun. Jul 20	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	For all Parishioners Rose & Nandor Bakos by their Family	

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

Sun.	4:00 p.m.	For all Parishioners
Jul 20		

#### **Collections**

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

June 22nd, 2025 - \$1,900.00

#### Mary, Mother of God:

June 22nd, 2025 - \$255.00

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



# Dear Padre,

I have a question about the prayer the priest says after the Our Father. Someone told me it's called an "embolism." Why don't we just end with "Amen" like when we say it at home?

You have correctly identified the "embolism" or "interpretation" that has been added to the Lord's Prayer during the sacred liturgy. It reads, "Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil, graciously grant peace in our days, that, by the help of your mercy, we may be always free from sin and safe from all



distress, as we await the blessed hope and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ." This addition, ancient in its use during the eucharistic liturgy, is a further explanation of the content and the intercessory nature of the prayer. It develops the last petition of the Lord's Prayer and asks for deliverance from the power of evil for the whole community of the faithful. It is an appropriate insertion, reflecting the purpose of the eucharistic gathering as spiritual but also as a celebration of the Lord's words and directions to us. In private prayer, the embolism would be out of place.

The sacred liturgy is filled with intercessory prayers, acclamations, and bits and pieces of ancient eucharistic prayers and blessings. Everything has been carefully chosen and placed within the celebration of the sacred liturgy to assist the faithful who gather to lift their minds and hearts to the Heavenly Father, through his Son Jesus, by the power of the Holy Spirit.

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

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
July 14	July 15	July 16	July 17	July 18	July 19	July 20
St. Kateri	St. Bonaventure,	Weekday	Weekday	Weekday	Weekday	Sixteenth Sunday
Tekakwitha,	Bishop and	Ex 3:1-6, 9-12	Ex 3:13-20	Ex 11:10-12:14	Ex 12:37-42	in Ordinary Time
Virgin	Doctor of the	Mt 11:25-27	Mt 11:28-30	Mt 12:1-8	Mt 12:14-21	Gn 18:1-10a
Ex 1:8-14, 22	Church					Col 1:24-28
Mt 10:34-11:1	Ex 2:1-15a					Lk 10:38-42
	Mt 11:20-24					



#### A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

This is the prayer that I suggest to you today.

"Lord, that I might see and have compassion just like you see me and have compassion on me"—
that we might have compassion on those whom we encounter along the way, above all on those who suffer and are in need....

ANGELUS, ROME, JULY 10, 2022

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## Stewardship: July 13th - 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Jesus said to him, 'Go and do likewise." Luke 10:37

This was Jesus' command at the end of the Good Samaritan story. Did you know that the Samaritans and Jews despised each other? The moral of the story is to love our neighbor. That means loving someone you may not know, or someone that looks different than you, or someone that has different beliefs than you, or someone that you don't like. All because **Stewardship** is lived without expecting anything in return.

www.https://resources.archstl.org/article/359120/stewardship-bulletin-inserts

#### Vocation Corner: July 13th - 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

**A Vocation View:** Treating others with compassion is a mark of a follower of Jesus, whether known as The Good Samaritan, Mother, Father, Priest, Sister, Deacon or Brother.

**Prayer:** That all those now discerning their vocation will be attentive in prayer and active in their response to Jesus the Eternal Word who calls them, we pray to the Lord

**Action:** ALL TOO OFTEN WE forget to express appreciation to those in service-oriented jobs, including priests, sisters and brothers. We forget because we think, "It's their job to help." Priests and religious aren't superhuman. They need genuine support from those they serve. Let them know how you feel.

A wealth of vocation information is available at usccb.org, the website of the US Bishops



# Prince Albert Diocese Walk for Vocations July 15, 2025

Meet at Blessed Sacrament parish Duck Lake 12pm to St. Laurent Shrine. 4hour, 12km hike, and prayer.



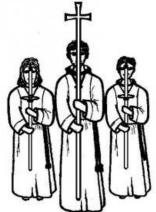


July 15, 2025 4:30pm Speaker Janelle Reinhart 5:15pm supper 7pm Confessions 8:30pm Mass





# Altar Server Jubilee Event 2025



The upcoming
Altar Server Jubilee
Event is on Friday
August 15<sup>th</sup>! This
event is being
hosted by the Youth,
Vocations and
Liturgy Commissions

on behalf of the Diocese and Bishop Stephen A. Hero. To register for this event please click the following

link: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/Altar-Server-">https://tinyurl.com/Altar-Server-</a>

**Jubilee-event** 

### Where can I serve my Faith Community?

#### Please consider the following:

**Sunday Ministries** - Altar Society, Greeters, Lay Leader, Lectors, Communion, Collection, Taking up of Gifts, Children's Liturgy, Vocation Cross and Counters. Sign up sheets are on the back table of the Church.

Contact: Janet Creurer

Serving on the Décor Committee - Helping to prepare our church for mass and special celebrations.

Contact: Florette Rheaume

**Serving with the Choir** - Additional voices are always welcome. Help us to share the word of God through song. Contact: Dolores Rheaume or just join us on Sunday.



The St. Brieux Parish Community wishes to offer our sympathies to

The Dube Family on the passing of their Mother.

Therese Dube



My dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I am deeply grateful for the beautiful spiritual bouquets gathered by the parishes, different groups, and all the individual prayers and good wishes on the occasion of my 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary to the priesthood. It is truly an honour to be called to serve you as bishop. Please know that I am praying for you every day.

May the love of Christ reign in our hearts and in our world!



Mes chers frères et sœurs en Christ,

Je suis profondément reconnaissant pour les magnifiques bouquets spirituels recueillis par les paroisses, les groupes différents ainsi que pour toutes les prières et vœux individuels adressés à l'occasion de mon 25e anniversaire de sacerdoce. C'est un véritable honneur d'être appelé à vous servir en tant qu'évêque. Sachez que je prie pour vous chaque jour.

Que l'amour de Christ règne dans nos cœurs et dans notre monde!

02 July 2025 / 02 juillet 2025



#### **VBS 2025**

# **BAKING SCHEDULE**



For the morning snack during VBS, we kindly ask each family to contribute one dozen <u>nut-free</u> snacks according to the schedule below. These will complement the fruits and vegetables provided through the VBS budget. On Friday, we plan to use any remaining baked goods from earlier in the week.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	
Alanna Schemenauer	Cole Dube	Lisa Kovacs	Rochelle Schemenauer	
Angel Carpio	Danielle Bourdon	Mahailia Kernaleguen	Sarah Harnett	
Anne-Marie Waldner	Erica Drayton	Maria Ferre	Shaye Mansiere	
Avril Kahovec	Jennifer Smetaniuk	Melissa Cole	Stephanie Grabowski	
Barret Dube	Jeremy Creurer	Natassja Newans	Tamarra Erlandson	
Chelsea Godart	Joan Loboda	Pattie Pomedli	Tawni Teiber	
Chloe Laczko	Kristen Rybinski	Renee Bilodeau	Troy Christianson	
Christian Pataueg	Kristen Weilgosz	Rochelle Mansiere	Wilda Mariano	
Christina Bautista	Lindsay Miller			

**Program Schedule:** The program will run from Monday, July 14 to Friday, July 18, from 9 AM to noon each day.

**Color of the Day:** Each day will feature a fun theme color! If your child would like to participate by wearing something in that color, they are welcome to do so—but it's completely optional.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Dark Blue	Orange	Yellow	Light Blue	Red

It is going to be a great week with lots of fun activities and many new friends to meet. If you have any questions, please reach out!

# **Final Concert:**

Plan to join us on Friday, July 18 at 11:45 AM for our closing concert. Feel free to invite friends and family!

