



Embracing the Mystery

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The Christian confession of a triune God cannot be explained, it can only be believed. It is not a cop-out to proclaim that this belief is rooted in mystery. Mystery is the essential language and experience of belief. We lose something when we try to explain a mystery instead of embracing it. It may make us uncomfortable; it may provoke more questions than answers. Regardless, it does not suggest the weakness of mystery but rather the beauty, the wonder, and the awe.

Embracing belief and living as a person of faith is a singular journey. You cannot believe for someone else, and that person, even one you dearly love, cannot believe for you. It is also important to understand that as singular as the journey of faith may be, it ultimately ends in community. Belief does not isolate a person, but rather invites a person to connect with others who also walk in faith.

The community/communion of the triune God—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit—is the perfect witness to the truth that mystery creates. One God, three divine persons. The Eucharist that we celebrate on this day proclaims the unity of our belief—to the Father, through the Son, by the power of the Holy Spirit. ●



LEARN ABOUT
THE AUTHORS
OF OUR PARISH
COMMUNITY



The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and
the love of God and the fellowship of
the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

2 CORINTHIANS 13:13

Reflect

How does the mystery of the Trinity reveal God's nature as a communion of love?

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St. Brioux Parish Office Hours

Fr. Tru Le – Is available all week with the exception of Monday – his day off.

Denise: Office hours: Tuesday 8:30 – 4:00

Bulletin and information is available on the website: stbriouxparish.ca and our Facebook page: **St. Brioux Catholic Church.**

St. Brioux Parish Mass Times:

Adoration/Reconciliation – 1ST Wednesday of Month

At 6:00 pm and 1st Friday of Month – following mass

Saturday: 7:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m.

Mary, Mother of God Parish Mass Time

Sunday: 4:00 p.m.

Reconciliation (St. Brioux):

Fr. Tru is available to hear Confession:

-Saturdays at 6:30 p.m. before 7:00 p.m. Mass

-The 1st Wednesday & 1st 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

June 2: Mass 9:00 am

June 3: Mass 9:00 am

June 4: Mass 10:00 am (**St. Brioux Manor**)

June 5: Mass 9:00 am

June 6: Mass 7:00 pm

June 7: Mass 9:00 am (St. Brioux)

HOLY COMMUNION, CONFIRMATION!

COFFEE SUNDAY!

Mass 4:00 pm (Kinistino)

UPCOMING EVENTS

June 9: Mass 9:00 am

June 10: Mass 9:00 am

June 11: Mass 10:00 am (**St. Brioux Manor**)

June 12: Mass 9:00 am

June 13: Mass 7:00 pm

June 14: Mass 9:00 am (St. Brioux)

Mass 4:00 pm (Kinistino)

June 14: **St Theresa Pilgrimage & Mass**

- 8:30 am Registration,

- 9:00 am Outdoor Way of the Cross

- 10:45 am – Indoor Mass

St Theresa Church (Wakaw)



*Since God does so much for me,
what could I not do for him?*

- St Emily de Vialar

Christ acts like a loving mother. To induce us to follow Him, He gives us Himself as an example and promises us a reward in His kingdom.

- St Anthony of Padua

St. Brieux Parish Mass Intentions

Tues. June 2	Mass 9:00 am	+Lionel & Gertrude Boyer By Bruce & Denise Bortis
Wed. June 3	Mass 9:00 am	+Gilles Tremblay By Marc Bonneau
Thurs. June 4	Mass 10:00 am St. Brieux Manor	+Marie Gregoire By Philip & Jeannette Mansiere
Fri. June 5	Mass 9:00 am	+Lucien Fagnou By Roger & Janet Creurer
Sat. June 6	Mass 7:00 pm	+Deceased member of Kernaleguen Family By Guen Kernaleguen
Sun. June 7	Mass 9:00 am	All Parishioners

Mary, Mother of God Parish Mass Intentions

Sun. June 7	Mass 4:00 pm	+Arvel & Irene Rheaume By Brad & Diane Merkosky
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Regular Collections

St. Brieux: (Includes Sunday Collection and Automatic Deposits)

May 24th 2026 - \$ 1,400.00

Mary, Mother of God:

May 24th 2026 - \$ 365.00

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

The Ill & Elderly Ministry:

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, lift 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

Sunday, June 7 - 9:00 am		(If you are unable to do your ministry, please find a replacement)
Ministries		
Altar	Christine Bedard	
Greeters & Gifts	Confirmands	
Lay Leader/Prayers of Faithful	Dan Hunt(Announcements) Confirmands(Prayers of the Faithful)	
Lectors	Confirmands	
Communion - Bread & Cup	Marthe Rohel-Coquet, Celine Kleiboer, Terry Valmont, Marc Mansiere	
Children's Liturgy	No Children's liturgy today	
Counters	Cecile Boyd, Ann Gueguen, Jackie Laczko	
Altar Servers	Lucas, Kian, Antoni	
Vocation Cross	Terry Valmont	

Dear Padre,

During Mass, is it proper for the faithful to raise our hands when pronouncing the words, “For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever”?


When the priest and people offer the Our Father together to God, the presider assumes an ancient posture of prayer, known as the *orans*—with arms extended and palms opened upward. After the Lord’s Prayer, the priest keeps his hands extended and says alone the embolism (“Deliver us, Lord...”). At the end, he joins his hands, and the people acclaim, “For the kingdom...” This acclamation is meant to be the people’s response to the embolism, and the priest remains silent for it. It would appear unnecessary for the faithful to now extend their hands during this acclamation—especially when it’s a response to an embolism prayer that just called for the presider to have extended his own hands and now has them joined together.

Although the *General Instruction of the Roman Missal* doesn’t mention a specific congregational hand posture during this acclamation, it speaks in favor of “what serves the common spiritual good of the People of God, rather than private inclination or arbitrary choice,” stating that a common bodily posture “is a sign of the unity of the members of the Christian community gathered together for the sacred Liturgy: it both expresses and fosters the intention and spiritual attitude of the participants” (GIRM 42). ●



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A WORD FROM POPE LEO XIV

To those in power, I repeat: listen to the voice of conscience! The apparent victories achieved with weapons, which sow death and destruction, are in reality defeats and never bring peace or security! God does not want war, he wants peace, and he strengthens those who are committed to leaving behind the spiral of hatred and taking the path of dialogue.

ANGELUS, ROME, SEPTEMBER 7, 2025

Do you have a question for the Padre?

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

Monday June 1 <i>St. Justin, Martyr</i> 2 Pt 1:2–7 Mk 12:1–12	Thursday June 4 <i>Weekday</i> 2 Tm 2:8–15 Mk 12:28–34	Sunday June 7 <i>The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)</i> Dt 8:2–3, 14b–16a 1 Cor 10:16–17 Jn 6:51–58
Tuesday June 2 <i>Weekday</i> 2 Pt 3:12–15a, 17–18 Mk 12:13–17	Friday June 5 <i>St. Boniface, Bishop and Martyr</i> 2 Tm 3:10–17 Mk 12:35–37	
Wednesday June 3 <i>St. Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs</i> 2 Tm 1:1–3, 6–12 Mk 12:18–27	Saturday June 6 <i>Weekday</i> 2 Tm 4:1–8 Mk 12:38–44	

Vocation Corner: May 31st – Trinity Sunday

A Vocation View: Each of us experiences a story of God's self-revelation in a unique way. Tell your story to someone this week. Add to the beautiful mosaic of God's life in this world by the story of your life.

Prayer: That Catholic mothers and fathers will foster vocation awareness among their children, knowing that they will be helping to reveal the Heavenly Father's love by their prayer, guidance and example, we pray to the Lord.

Action: PARENTS... don't be afraid to encourage service in your children. Mothers are often the main influence in a man's discernment to the priesthood.

Stewardship: May 31st – Trinity Sunday

The Most Holy Trinity

"For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son..." JOHN 3:16

Is your love conditional? Is there a price others have to pay to receive your love and forgiveness? Are you generous with your time, skills, money and possessions? If you give someone something, do you expect something in return? Do you give your time freely or do you "fit it in" when it's convenient for you? God desires a personal relationship with us so much that He gave us His Son, unconditionally! Pray for a grateful and generous heart.

Trinity Sunday:

Emphasis on the doctrine of the Trinity evolved in the 4th and 5th centuries when the Arian heresy swept through the church. This heresy denied that Jesus was equal to God.

The Sign of the Cross made on the body in several forms has been popular since early centuries. It is popular to add the trinitarian formula: "In the name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit. Amen." The *doxology* is another ancient trinitarian prayer that was first used in the Eastern Church: "Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit." In the early 4th century, the concluding words were added: "As it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen." This doxology was introduced in the Western church in the 5th. It is traditional that psalms and hymns end with these prayerful words.

WOMEN'S SUPPORT GROUP

(Lectio Divina)

**Thursdays at 7:00 pm in the
meeting room.**

Next meeting – June 4th!

MEN'S SUPPORT GROUP

(Lectio Divina)

**Wednesdays at 7:00 pm in the
meeting room.**

Next meeting – June 3rd!

St. Theresa Parish




National Shrine of the Little Flower

You are cordially invited to the 2026 Annual Pilgrimage and Sunday Mass celebrated on June 14, 2026 at the National Shrine of the Little Flower, in Wakaw, SK.

Everyone Welcome!

The program for this day is as follows:

- 8:30 a.m. – Registration & Sale of Roses
- 9:00 a.m. – Outdoor Way of the Cross
- 9:45 a.m. – Confessions in the Church
- 10:45 a.m. – Indoor Mass & Blessing of Religious Articles
- Noon – Lunch served - \$10/person 10 and under FREE
- 1:30 p.m. – Guest Speaker – Deacon Rick Lucas

“Little Churches... Growing Faith... Big Love” 

- 2:15 p.m. – Adoration, Healing Service & Blessing of Religious Articles

Followed by Refreshments in the church Basement!

If you are planning on attending, then please R.S.V.P. by calling the Parish Office at 306-233-4230 before May 31, 2026. Thank you very much for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Rev. Dr. Janusz Bizewski



Celebration of Holy Communion & Confirmation!

Sunday, June 7th - Mass At 9:00 am

*Jeanne, Mavrick, Anton, Cyndee, Zeiah, Kasandra, Caralena,
Oliver, Jacoby, Harrison*