

- Pope John Paul II was the first non-Italian pope in over 400 years.
- ♦ The Catholic Church is the largest single denomination in Christianity.
- ♦ The incense used in the Catholic Church symbolizes prayers rising to heaven. It is also used to bless and purify.
- Until the year 313, it was illegal in the Roman Empire to be a Christian; in the year 313 the Roman Emperor Constantine decreed toleration for the Christian religion through the Edict of Milan (the Emperor Licinius for the eastern part of the Empire), and the Church was able to organize and establish churches. Until that year, Christians were persecuted and almost all the popes were martyred.
- ♦ The Basilica of St. John Lateran in Rome became the cathedral church of the pope, the bishop of Rome, and it was the primary residence of the popes until the Middle Ages. It was established in 324, shortly after the Edict of Milan, and is the oldest church in Rome and the oldest basilica in the Western world.

# Thank You!

A huge thank you to our community for their ongoing support of the ICPM Luncheon that we hosted on Sunday, May 21.

The luncheon cost was \$1807 which included a \$500 cash donation.

We had a great turnout of volunteers. Many thanks to our youth for sharing their time and their sandwich making skills, to the cookie packers and the lunch bag packers as well as to those who volunteered their time to work at the Bissell Center and to distribute the lunch bags.

With everyone's input, this Sunday brought together both fellowship and a healthy lunch for many of our brothers and sisters who are currently struggling.

God bless you all!

#### **Resurrection Parish Garage Sale 2023**

This years garage sale will be held from
Thursday June 8—Friday June 16 9—5pm
Help will be needed with setting up tables and dropoff days for donations. Volunteer sign-up sheets to help will be available at the parish.

#### ITEMS MAY BE DROPPED OFF ONLY ON

May 29—June 07 from 10:00 am—2:00 pm.

Please do not bring articles before the drop off dates

Items for sale: Household goods, tools, books, records, small furniture, sports equipment, kids items. Can you help to pack up leftovers which will be taken away on Saturday June 17 at 9:30am? Call the office at 780-468-4071.

**GARAGE SALE** 

#### St. Theresa's Catholic Parish

9508-29 Ave. Edmonton

#### **Pentecost Festival**

Where community and cultures meet Sunday June 4, 2023 11:00am—4:00pm

**Entertainment** 

Free BouncyCastles & Games

Food

Music

Incredible booths

Tickets: At the office and at the end of all weekend Masses from April 29th. Price \$1 per ticket or \$10 for 11 tickets (debit or cash only). Tickets are non-refundable

Note: No parking in St. Theresta parking lot.

#### **ASSUMPTION PARISH**

9034—95 Avenue NW Edmonton, AB T6C 1Z3



#### **RESURRECTION PARISH**

10555—50 A Street Edmonton, AB T6A 2C8

#### Bulletin for May 27—June 10, 2023

If you wish to receive this bulletin by email, please contact the parish at ar.edm@caedm.ca

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Monday to Friday 9:30—4:00pm Closed Saturday and Sunday

## REGULAR MASS TIMES Assumption

Tuesday & Wednesday: 9:00am Saturday: 5:30pm Sunday: 9:30am

#### Resurrection

**Thursday & Friday**: 9:00am **Saturday**: 4:00pm **Sunday**: 11:00am Rosary at Resurrection at 8:30am on Friday mornings before Mass

Latin Mass (Assumption Parish) Sunday: 12:30pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION - CONFESSION by appointment or half hour before Mass

If you are aware of anyone in our parishes who would appreciate a phone call and who has been unable to attend Masses, please call the parish office: 780 468-4071.

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#### PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE

#### Sacrament of the Sick

#### Marriages

- Schedule an appointment to discuss your forthcoming marriage
- No wedding dates can be scheduled until after a meeting with the Pastor
- An approved pre-marriage course is obligatory

#### **Baptism**

First Communion

Confirmation

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults—RCIA

RCIA (adapted for children) 7 years and older

Deadlines for submissions to the bulletin must be submitted to ar.edm@caedm.ca by Wednesday at noon on the week a new bulletin will be issued. Thank you.



Themes for Pentecost Year A The Mass readings for Pentecost Year A clearly emphasize the role of the Holy Spirit. Through the Spirit's gifts, we are empowered to share the message of Jesus Christ with the world. This important day marks the birth of the Church and is celebrated 50 days after Easter, signifying the end of the Easter season.

- The Holy Spirit's role in the inception and growth of the Church: In the first reading from Acts, the Holy Spirit descended upon the apostles, enabling them to speak in different languages and leading to the conversion of thousands. This event marked the beginning of the Church, and the Holy Spirit continued to play a vital role in its growth and development.
- The diverse gifts given by the Holy Spirit for the benefit of the Church: In the second reading for Pentecost Year A, Paul emphasizes the importance of the various gifts given by the Holy Spirit, such as prophecy, healing, and teaching, among others. These gifts are meant to be used for the benefit of the entire body of Christ and to build up the Church.
- The unity of the Church as one body in Christ through the Holy Spirit: Paul compares the Church to a human body, made up of many parts that work together to function as one body. In the same way, the Church is a unified body in Christ through the Holy Spirit, with each member playing a unique role in building up the Church.
- The power of the Holy Spirit to empower believers for Christ's work in the world: In the Gospel reading for Pentecost Year A, Jesus breathes on his disciples, giving them the gift of the Holy Spirit and commissioning them to continue his work of forgiveness and reconciliation in the world. Through the Holy Spirit, believers are empowered to do the work of Christ and to spread the gospel message to all nations.

The message of forgiveness and reconciliation through Christ, empowered by the Holy **Spirit:** In the Gospel reading, Jesus commissions his disciples to forgive sins, emphasizing the message of forgiveness and reconciliation that is central to the gospel message. This message is empowered by the Holy Spirit, who gives believers the power to share this message and to continue the work of Christ in the world. Source: Young-catholics.com

#### Parish Announcements:

We welcome to our parish family Peter Valerian Oswald and Thomas Peter Delday who will be baptized this weekend at Assumption and Resurrection Parishes. May Jesus, who loves all children, bless these precious little ones with His love and grace on the special day of their baptism.

We offer our sympathy to the family of *Gloria Corkorin* who passed away recently.

Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her, may she rest in peace. Amen

#### Coffee Sunday

will be held at Resurrection May 28th following the 11:00 am Mass and the CWL will host on June 4th at Assumption Parish following 9:30am Mass.



#### **ADORATION**

Please note that Adoration will be cancelled for next Friday June 2, 2023.



#### Society of St. Vincent de Paul - Assumption conference

Come Holy Spirit! Please bring donations of non-perishable food to Mass the first weekend of June (3,4) for the Saint Vincent de Paul pantry. There will be no collection in July during our annual break. Your support allows us to help people in need. Thank you and God Bless you.

#### **Mass Intentions—Assumption Parish**

| Sat | May | 27 | 5:30 pm | Judy Ann Kiziak+        |
|-----|-----|----|---------|-------------------------|
| Sun | May | 28 | 9:30 am | All Parishioners        |
| Tue | May | 30 | 9:00 am | Steven "Caper" Francis+ |
| Wed | May | 31 | 9:00 am | Ross Aitkens+           |
| Sat | Jun | 03 | 5:30 pm | Marie Douziech          |
| Sun | Jun | 04 | 9:30 am | All Parishioners        |
| Tue | Jun | 06 | 9:00 am | Phyllis Jackson+        |
| Wed | Jun | 07 | 9:00 am | Terri Fortin            |



We are very grateful for all the generous and talented people who serve our parishes in various ways with their time and skills. In light of the Safe Environments program in the Archdiocese of Edmonton, all

volunteers are required to participate in a *Called to* Protect session. Called To Protect is a one-time participation in an abuse prevention training program. A typical training session includes viewing of two videos aimed at church ministries; it goes into more detail about abuse prevention in the church environment. Through the videos, participants learn tools to identify inappropriate behaviours, methods to report potential abuse, and best practices in ministering safely.

Called to Protect training will be offered at different parishes throughout the Archdiocese.

To find out about the next session please contact Josee Marr at Josee.Marr@caedm.ca



### Saturday May 27, 2023 at 7:00pm **Pentecost Vigil**

A Gathering of Movements

Join us at St. Thomas More Parish 210 Haddow Close, Edmonton

With Fr. Matthew Hysell, OP and Fr. Mark McGee Prayer Ministry available after the Vigil Mass.



#### Super Bee 100

Saturday June 10, 2023 We need help for: **OUR LADY** Deep cleaning the camp - Finishing work Organizing camp equipment - Yard work

Minor carpentry and repairs **Hospitality for Work Bee Volunteers** Contact 403-896-3745 or cbaril53@gmail.com

#### **Mass Intentions Resurrection Parish**

| Sat<br>Sun<br>Thu | May 2 | 28 | 4:00 pm<br>11:00 am<br>9:00 am | Helen Prysko+<br>All Parishioners<br>Renata Greselin+ |
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| Fri               |       |    | 9:00 am                        | Renata Greselin+                                      |
| Sat               |       |    | 4:00 pm                        | John & Madeline Fischer+                              |
| Sun<br>Thu        |       |    | 11:00 am<br>9:00 am            | All Parishioners Archbishop Smith 16 yrs              |
| Fri               |       |    |                                | Frances Purschke                                      |



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## May 28 - Pentecost Sunday "AS THE FATHER HAS SENT ME SO I SEND YOU." (JOHN 20:21)



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"We hear them telling in our own tongues the mighty works of God." (Acts 2:11)

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