



## Welcome

*We're glad you came to join with us  
in our Mass today.  
We hope that you have felt God's love  
in a new, refreshing way  
for you're so welcomed in this place.  
And we hope you'll come again,  
to join us in fellowship  
and to make some special friends.*



**St. Joseph The Worker Parish**  
Russell, MB

**St. Theresa's Parish**  
Rosburn, MB

### Thirteenth Sunday Ordinary Time, June 30, 2019

#### Scripture Readings

**1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21** The prophet  
Elijah calls Elisha to follow him  
**Ps 16** You are my inheritance, O Lord  
**Gal 5:1, 13-18** The Spirit sets us free to  
live in love  
**Lk 9:51-62** Agreeing to follow Jesus is  
an all-encompassing commitment

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#### *Joke of the week....*

☺ When my grandson asked me  
how old I was, I teasingly replied, "I'm  
not sure." "Look in your underwear,  
Grandpa," he advised. "Mine says I'm  
4 to 6."



**FOLLOW ME...**

Responsorial Psalm 16  
“You are my chosen portion, O Lord.”



**The Development and Peace** – 2019 Caritas Canada Solidarity Walk took place on Saturday, June 15th. Many migrants, refugees and immigrants joined with local Catholics and friends to walk together from the Canadian Museum for Human Rights to the Legislative Building. It was a very moving, beautiful experience. Please see the Archdiocese of Winnipeg website for an article and pictures of the event: <https://www.archwinnipeg.ca/news.php#170>

**Introduction:** That we are all called to follow Jesus is no surprise. This sacramentally-sealed call is operative for as long as we live. We also know that accepting it has implications we will only discover as we go. Today's readings remind us that calls can be unexpected, demanding, even dangerous. But Paul assures us that freedom, love and the Spirit's guidance are all part of it.

We are invited to a Christian life of patient love.

The first part of today's Gospel gives us the greatest passage in the Bible concerning tolerance, which is really patient love, our "bearing with" one another. Quick anger over little incidents flares up all the time – between parents and children, in the workplaces between co-workers and in the neighborhood between neighbors. Very often the anger explodes over nothing. The Spirit of Jesus is opposed to such feelings. Although Elijah called down the fires of God from Heaven to wipe out the four hundred prophets of Baal, Jesus refused to have fire cast on the Samaritans who refused him entry. Hence, let us have this beautiful prayer in our hearts and on our lips: *"Create in me a clean heart. O God and put a new and a right spirit within me. Restore to me the joy of loving."*

We need to pray for strength to honor all our commitments. We are here this morning because, in one way or another, we have said to Jesus, "I will follow you. "The Good News is that we are following him as best we can. We will leave this hour of Eucharistic worship and return to the world with all sorts of tough choices and difficult demands. Hence, we need to pray for strength, we need to ask for forgiveness when we fail, and we need to renew our determination to walk with Jesus by being loyal to our spouse and family, earning our living honestly, and living not only peacefully, but lovingly, with our neighbors.

## **Stewardship Reflection: June 30, 2019 - 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

*"For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters. But do not use this freedom as an opportunity for the flesh; rather serve one another through love." (Galatians 5:13)*

We like to celebrate the fact that we are free to "live the good life." But Jesus calls us to a different kind of freedom. St. Paul reminds us that Jesus sets us free so that we can serve one another, share our gifts and promote God's work here on earth to glorify His name and not honor ourselves.

## **Mass Intentions For The Week:**

### **Thirteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time**

Saturday June 29 7:30 p.m. Russell: Special intentions req. Joe, Rose & family  
Sunday June 30 9:00 a.m. Russell: For all Parishioners req. Father Paul  
11:00 a.m. Rossburn: +Budz family req. Nellie Kaskiw  
Monday July 1 **No Mass**  
Tuesday July 2 6:30 p.m. Russell: +Marie Bisson & John Mangin  
req. George & Emilienne Mangin  
Wed. July 3 10:30 a.m. Russell PCH Music  
11:00 a.m. Mass: For the sick & shut-in req. Father Paul  
Thursday July 4 9:00 a.m. Russell: Mass  
11:00 a.m. Rossburn: +My parents Peter & Mary Woychyshyn  
req. David Woychyshyn  
Friday July 5 8:30 a.m. Russell: Exposition & Adoration of Blessed Sacrament  
9:00 a.m. Russell: Mass  
10:30 a.m. Rossburn: Exposition & Adoration of Blessed Sacrament  
11:00 a.m. Rossburn: +Frank Kaskiw req. Nellie Kaskiw

### **Fourteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time**

Saturday July 6 11:00 a.m. Rossburn: Stella Zimmerman for return of health  
req. St. Theresa's Parish  
7:30 p.m. Russell: For all Parishioners req. Father Paul  
Sunday July 7 9:00 a.m. Russell: For all Parishioners req. Father Paul  
11:00 a.m. Rossburn: +Marilyn Robb req. Bernadine Brown

**Archdiocese of Winnipeg** - Archbishop Richard Gagnon recently promulgated his Post-Synodal Pastoral Letter entitled, "Disciples on the Way". The document encapsulates the history of our two-year Synod process (2016-2018) and the fruits that resulted from it, thus charting the work of the Holy Spirit in our local church - celebrating the past, grateful for the present, and looking to the future with hope. Copies of "Disciples on the Way" are now distributed to all parishes; the digital print-ready copy is also available on [www.archwinnipeg.ca](http://www.archwinnipeg.ca).

**78<sup>th</sup> Pilgrimage – August 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> – Rama, SK** (Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes), over 1000 people attended in 2018, check poster at back of church for more information!  
[www.RamaShrine.ca](http://www.RamaShrine.ca)

## St. Theresa's Parish News:

If **anyone** has any personal petitions, you can place them in the box at the back of the church. They will not be individually read but prayed for generally.



### St. Theresa's Finance Report 2019 Month of June

REVENUES:	
June 2 collection	\$2,370.00
June 9 collection	\$725.00
June 16 collection	\$518.19
June 23 collection	\$800.00
June 24 cemetery donation	\$500.00
<b>Year To Date Revenues</b>	<b>\$43,990.99</b>

EXPENSES:	
Church & cemetery maintenance	\$625.00
Hydro	\$376.00
Office expense	\$31.81
Mass intentions	\$30.00
St. Joseph The Worker shared expense	\$2,000.00
Cemetery subdivision	\$300.00
Archdiocese of Winnipeg 1/4ly assessment	\$1,492.50
<b>Year To Date Expenses</b>	<b>\$41,559.85</b>

For a donation envelope set contact Raymond Lysyshin at 204-859-2409 or 204-859-2134

## St. Joseph the Worker Parish News:

**Registrations forms now available! July 29- August 1 is our annual SUMMER CAMP** and we will be looking for parishioners to have the Sisters over for a meal in the evenings, someone to bring a lunch on the Monday. We will also be needing cookies and juices, and volunteers to help with the barbecues. If any older teenagers would like to get volunteer hours, we would appreciate your help. All help appreciated! **Registration forms are now ready for pick up at the back of the church.** If you have any questions please feel free to contact Glenda Stasiuk at 204-773-2652. I look forward to seeing many children at the summer camp!



**FYI- proofreading of our parish directory** has now been completed and your copies of the directory should be available in early fall!

**A big thank you to** Margaret Mushmanski and her helpers for organizing The Spring Wind-up Tea for The CWL and the Ladies of The Parish. The attention to detail from flowers to all the wonderful dainties, and real teacups added to the event. And as always Margaret came up with a game, lots of laughs and we learnt a lot about each other from this game. Thank you, Margaret.

**Coming up in our parish this summer.....**parish picnic hosted by the Knights of Columbus! Stay tuned for more information!

**Please note,** parish office hours during summer months will be reduced. Please leave a message, and we will return your call.