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St. Joseph The Worker Parish, Russell, MB St. Theresa's Parish Rossburn, MB

Responsorial Psalm 98: The Lord is coming to judge the peoples with equity.

St. Joseph's Russell needs volunteers to read and usher on Sunday Morning Mass, please choose which Sunday and sign up on the Ministry Schedule – found on the table where the donation envelopes are located. Thank you!

Did you Know! The National Catholic Broadcasting Council offers Sunday & Daily TV Mass on the Web, visit the website at www.dailytvmass.com or www.youtube.com/dailytvmass to watch Mass each day.

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 We still have **Sunday zoom Mass at 9:00 a.m.**

St. Joseph The Worker News:

Please remember in your prayers those who are sick in hospitals, care homes, or in their homes & those who care for them. If you wish to receive the Sacraments of Anointing, Confession, or Holy Communion – please call the parish office & leave a message: 204-773-2924.

CWL members: Membership for 2023 is due. Please give your membership of \$25 to Darlene Witty. Ladies, our Church Christmas supper will be held this year. Details coming soon!

First Communion – Next class will be November 17th from 3:30 – 4:30 p.m.

Our Parish Advent Potluck Party will be held on Saturday, November 26th, 2022 starting with Mass at 5:00 p.m. (no 7:30 p.m. Mass that Saturday). After a couple of years without this annual parish celebration we are finally once again able to gather together and celebrate with Mass, a potluck supper, door prizes for the children and adults, games, carols with Fr. Paul playing his guitar, and our Lucky Draw Auction. Please remember to bring a dish or two for the potluck, food items for the Russell & Area Food Connections (for each item you bring you receive a ticket towards the “Lucky Draw” auction downstairs) and/or money to buy tickets! Tickets are just a Loonie each for our auction with all proceeds this year also going to our local food bank. If you would like to donate an item for our Lucky Draw Auction Table (we only accept new items, no used or secondhand items) contact the parish office or Nicole at 773-3198. Parish Council members will be looking after the kitchen, but we are pretty sure they would accept every bit of help they can get! Come for an evening of family fun and fellowship while at the same time helping those in need. Mark your calendars and plan to be there!

Please Note: we will also be accepting donations to the Orphanage & missions in Peru that evening. Update: *Sr. Hilda Simard is now busy helping build a school in the mountains of Peru where the Presentation of Mary Sisters are providing education to little ones who have never gone to school, as well as providing bags of food and medicine to families right in the area where Sr. Hilda lives. The Sisters are still providing and educating the children in the Orphanage (cheques can be made to “Oeuvres Regis-Vernet”). We will make sure she gets your personal donations. Tax receipts will be sent to you directly from them.* They would be very grateful for any funds they receive.

Praying with Pope Francis, November: *For children who suffer:* we pray for children who are suffering, especially those who are homeless, orphans and victims of war; may they be guaranteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection.

St. Theresa's News

Our Lady of Fatima Council would like to invite all Catholic Males (age from 18 to 100) to a Knights of Columbus information night on Tuesday November 15th, 7:00 P.M. at St. Theresa Parish.

Come, share a coffee and snacks while asking and seeing what we are all about. For more information call brother Emile at 204-859-0220

Mass Intentions For This Week:

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday Nov 12 7:30 p.m. Russell + Jutta Leven req. by Anne & Ubald Deschambault

Sunday Nov 13 9:00 a.m. Russell **Zoom on-line Mass 9:00 a.m. & YouTube after 10:15 am**

For all parishioners by Father Paul

11:00 a.m. Rossburn + Frank Kaskiw req. by the Kaskiw family

Monday Nov 14 Health of family & friends req. by Jean Goba

Tuesday Nov 15 + Adrien Bisson req by family

Wed. Nov 16 Special Intentions req. by Noella Porath

Thurs. Nov 17 10:30 a.m. Rossburn Adoration

11:00 a.m. +Suffering Souls in Purgatory req by Rose & family

Friday Nov 18 8:30 a.m. Russell Adoration

9:00 a.m. Emilienne Mangin req by George Mangin & family

10:00 a.m. Rossburn Personal Care Home

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Saturday Nov 19 7:30 p.m. Russell + Duncan Spurway Funeral Mass offering

Sunday Nov 20 9:00 a.m. Russell **Zoom on-line Mass 9:00 a.m. & YouTube after 10:15 am**

For all parishioners by Father Paul

11:00 a.m. Rossburn + Nellie Kaskiw req by the Kaskiw family

Commemorative Mass at St. Joseph's celebrated on November 2nd – Thank you for all who came to celebrate their loved ones with us. It was a beautiful celebration!



Would you like to provide a gift this Christmas for a child in your community?

The Russell & Area Food Connections is asking for your help for a child's gift, limit of \$35 - with no batteries. It will be distributed in the annual Christmas food hampers in our area. Just take a "Gift Tag" from the Stewardship Tree, which should be up shortly in St. Joseph The Worker Church. When you bring your un-wrapped gift with attached Gift Tag - place it in the hamper next to the tree. Deadline is Sunday, Dec. 11th.

Socks (unwrapped) of all sizes and colors are also needed! Bring those to the church by Sunday, December 11th, and place them under the Stewardship Tree.

If you are unable to drop off gifts/socks at the church, you may also drop off at Bev & Jim Roszell's at 328 Mather St. E. Russell (phone 204-773-3998)

Dear Padre,

I was taught that when we die, we will spend some time in purgatory and then go on to heaven. I notice some of our hymns say we will be raised on the last day. I'm confused.

It is not surprising that there is confusion about the issue. There is a difference between judgment and resurrection, even though they are obviously connected. Some people think of these two things occurring at the same time. Our Catholic teaching separates them, to some extent.

The teaching says there are two kinds of judgment. The first is that which occurs at our death and is called "the particular judgment." In this judgment

we may go to heaven, hell, or purgatory. The *Catechism of the Catholic Church* puts it this way: "Each man receives his eternal retribution in his immortal soul at the very moment of his death, in a particular judgment that refers his life to Christ" (CCC 1022).

The second judgment is the general judgment that occurs at the end of the world. The resurrection of the body will take place at this judgment when our particular judgment is confirmed and our soul and body are reunited. The hymns that say we will be raised on the last day refer to the general judgment, as do most of the Scripture passages about judgment.

The Redemptorists
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A WORD FROM Pope Francis

How is Jesus' voice discerned? "Many will come in my name," the Lord says, but they are not to be followed: wearing the label 'Christian' or 'Catholic' is not enough to belong to Jesus. We need to speak the same language as Jesus: that of love, the language of the you.

HOMILY, VATICAN BASILICA, NOVEMBER 17, 2019

Calendar

Monday
NOVEMBER 14
Weekday
Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5
Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday
NOVEMBER 15
Weekday
Rv 3:1-6, 14-22
Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday
NOVEMBER 16
Weekday
Rv 4:1-11
Lk 19:11-28

Thursday
NOVEMBER 17
St. Elizabeth of Hungary,
Religious
Rv 5:1-10
Lk 19:41-44

Friday
NOVEMBER 18
Weekday
Rv 10:8-11
Lk 19:45-48

Saturday
NOVEMBER 19
Weekday
Rv 11:4-12
Lk 20:27-40

Sunday
NOVEMBER 20
Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe
2 Sm 5:1-3
Col 1:12-20
Lk 23:35-43

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November 13, 2022
Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)
Mal 3:19-20a
2 Thes 3:7-12
Lk 21:5-19

The Day Is Coming

Who does not get excited when they know that the day is coming? Which day? A wedding day, the birth of a child, the last day of school, the first day of retirement. We all look forward to special days.

Ancient Israel looked forward to the day of the Lord, that day when everything would be set right. Enemies would be scattered, the sick would be healed, the poor would know comfort, and all people would experience peace. Even though Israel had suffered terribly, God had made promises to their ancestors, and God always keeps promises. Initially, they expected that day to be one of punishment and retribution for their enemies, while they would enjoy vindication and blessing. Today's first reading asserts that Israel will enjoy no preference. If they sin, they also will face the righteous anger of God.

In the Gospel passage, Jesus describes the terrifying events that will precede the destruction of the temple. This was probably less a prophecy of a future event than it was a warning of the suffering they might have to endure as his followers. Such suffering would pave the way for the fearful day of the Lord. If they persevere, such affliction would be purifying for them rather than punishing. Though the reading does not include mention of the day of the Lord, it would have been in the minds of those who heard Jesus' words. Many would believe that God's ancient promises were about to be fulfilled.

Sr. Dianne Bergant, CSA

FOR Reflection

- ★ *God works through people to set things straight. How might God be working through you?*
- ★ *Reflect on this verse: "By your perseverance you will secure your lives."*



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