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St. DENIS Parish

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Our mission statement: LOVE GOD - LOVE OTHERS - TRAIN DISCIPLES

Eucharistic Celebrations: St. Claude – Haywood - Pavilion

Sat. June 22nd 5:00 pm + Parishioners - Fr. Peter

+ Louise Rosset - Irène Deleurme

Sun. June 23rd 9:00 am H + Parishioners - Fr. Peter

+ Louis & Laurianne deRocquigny - deRocquigny family

Sun. June 23rd 11:00 am + Parishioners - Fr. Peter

+ Vivianne Sorin - Joseph Sorin

Mon. June 24th private + All souls - Fr. Peter Tue. June 25th 9:00 am + Normand Dacquay - funeral offering Thu. June 27th 9:00 am 10:00 am Mass

Wed. June 26th 2:30 pm P + Cécile Philippot - funeral offering + Eucharistic adoration & confessions + George Le Floch - funeral offering June 28th 9:00 am H + Eucharistic adoration & confessions

Mass 10:00 am

+ Special intention - a parishioner

Sat. June 29th 5:00 pm

+ Parishioners - Fr. Peter

Sun. June 30th 9:00 am H + Parishioners - Fr. Peter

+ Patricia Genest - Genest family

+ Robert & Alain Dheilly - Lorraine & Gilbert Gaudet

Sun. June 30th 11:00 am + Parishioners - Fr. Peter

+ Deceased Danais family members - Lucien & Lorraine Collet

June 23rd June 30th July 7th Ministries: Readers: Annette Bernard Judith Robidoux Simone Lambert Collection: Eugene & Albert Raymond & Gérald Jean & Janice Counters: Maurice & prtnr. Eugene & prtnr. Denise & prtnr. Gérald Poirier Cross bearers: Albert Furet Eugene Bazin

God's Share: June $16^{th} - \$490,00 (17) + \$25.00 loose + \$30.00 (2) = \545.00

Cemetery: \$100,00 (1); Insurance: \$30,00 (1); Fundraising: \$20,00 (1)

Sanctuary lamp: Week of June 23rd - Janice Souque

12th Sunday in Ordinary Time B - June 23rd, 2024

Prayer intention for June 2024 - For migrants fleeing their homes

We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them. Let us pray: For the conversion of Christians, especially those of our parishes.

For peace among all nations.

Parish life:



* 2024 Pastoral Appointments

On Thursday, August 1st, the new pastoral appointments for our diocese will come into effect. A few copies can be found on the back tables. For more info, *Click here!*

- + Meeting of the St. Denis Finance Committee Tuesday, June 25 at 8:00 pm.
- + Graduation 2024 Friday, June 21, congratulations to all the graduates. May the Lord bless you and accompany you in your future endeavors.
- + Graveside Service for Shirley Bazin at Brookside Cemetery in Winnipeg Friday, June 21 at 1:00
- + Baptism of Marley Mai Mazurat, child of Nathan Mazurat and Miracle Inman, Saturday, June 22 at 11:00 am. Let us pray for Marley and her family.
- + The Passion Play in LaRivière at 7:30 pm on July 5th, 6th and 7th and July 12th, 13th and 14th 2024. See poster for more details.

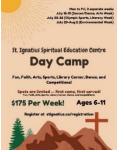
* The three pillars of mission according to Pope Francis: Communion, Creativity and Tenacity



On the occasion of the annual General Assembly of the Pontifical Mission Societies, held recently near Rome, Pope Francis shared key orientations with the 120 national directors during an audience at the Vatican. The Pontiff stressed the importance of communion, creativity and tenacity in Christian mission, values that are crucial for the Church in a permanent state of mission.

To read Pope Francis' reflection, click here

Photo: Pope Francis at the AGM of the Pontifical Mission Societies, June 1st. (Courtesv Pontifical Mission Societies)



Summer Camp with an Ignatian Flavor! - July 15-19, July 15-19, July 22-26. July 26-29, 2024.

Open to Ages 6-11. July 15-19, 22-26, July 26-29. 8:30 am to 4:30 pm. \$175.00 per week. Location: St. Ignatius Spiritual Education Centre 925 Jessie Ave. Themes include, Dance, Soccer, Art, Olympics, Care for the Environment and Community, Building Challenges, and Library Corner. For More Information and To Register By June 14. Spots are limited!

For poster, click here

THE SAINT-CLAUDE CHURCH CARILLON HAS TAKEN A NEW LIFE

(Written by Mgr. Roger Bazin – translated to English by Robert Desmet)

No, the carillon of the parish church of Saint-Claude was not dead! Following a 'metamorphosis' of a few years, it has been reawakened with a completely enhanced new look and sound.

In 1967, Canada's centennial year as well as the 75th anniversary of the Saint-Claude parish, a fundraising project was started for the purchase of an electronic carillon system for the bell tower of the new church. On July 16 of that year, on the occasion of the visit of Archbishop Mgr. Maurice Baudoux, the carillon was heard for the first time.

Some 57 years have since passed, with the carillon ringing out, always with ardor, the noon and 6 p.m hour Angelus, reminding us of the Annunciation of the Angel Gabriel to Mary that she would become the mother of the Savior. This long-standing tradition still continues in many churches in Europe and the Christian world. In St. Claude, the carillon also invited the faithful to religious services: the Sunday masses, the announcement of baptisms, marriages and of funerals. One three occasions the carillon even sounded the death knell announcing the death of popes. Daily at 3:30 p.m., the carillon would play a few pieces of music when classes were being let out. These musical pieces were occasionally tuned to celebrate different seasonal holiday themes.

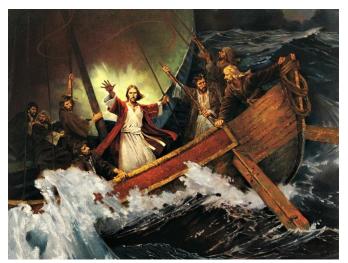
The carillon let us hear that there was life and prayer in the heart of the parish church and the village.

The sounds of their chimes faded away shortly before COVID-19, but it was not dead; it was to, in due time, transform himself back to life. With the help of financial resources acquired from the parish's special projects funds, the bell tower, now can ring as would 48 brand new bells, cast in bronze, to the sounds of the *Sonata - Verdin Style* electronic bell system.

Thanks to the generous contributions of parishioners, supported by the meticulous work of the Parish Finance Committee, we now will enjoy the sounds of a renewed carillon sound system at the cutting edge of digital electronic technology. The carillon was acquired from Verdin company, established since 1842, in Cincinnati, Ohio.

The Saint-Claude parish thanks with all its heart those who have contributed so much to this rebirth.

12th Sunday in Ordinary Time B -June 23rd, 2024



Today —in these days of «stormy weather»— we find the Gospel being held up to questioning. Humanity has gone through dramas which, like violent waves, have broken over individuals and entire peoples, particularly during the 20th century and the troubles of the 21st. Sometimes we can't help but ask «Master, don't you care if we sink?» (Mk 4,38); If You really do exist, if You are our Father, how can these things happen?

Before the horror of the memory of the concentration camps of the Second World War Pope Benedict asks «Where was God when this was happening, Why did He stay silent? How could He tolerate such excessive destruction?». It was a question that the people of Israel asked in the Old Testament: «Why are you asleep? (...) Why do you hide your face from us and forget about our plight?».

God will not answer those questions: of him we can ask everything except why; we have no right to demand explanations. In fact, God is there and is talking; the problem is us, because we do not put ourselves in his presence and therefore cannot hear his voice. «We cannot decipher God's secret —says Pope Benedict XI—. We can only see fragments of it and are in the wrong if what we are trying is to become judges of God and History. As such we would not be defending humanity, but rather would be contributing to its destruction».

Therefore, the problem is not whether God exists or is here with us or not. The problem is that we live as if He didn't exist. Here is God's answer: «Why are you so afraid? How can you not have faith?» (Mc 4,40). This Jesus said to His disciples; He also said it to Saint Faustina Kowalska: «My daughter, do not be afraid, I am always with you even when it looks as though I am not».

Let us not ask him questions, but rather let us pray and accept His will and... then there will be less dramas, and, amazed, we will say «Who is he whom even the wind and the sea obey him?» (Mc 4,41) —Jesus, I put all my trust in you!

- Fr. Antoni CAROL i Hostench (Sant Cugat del Vallès, Barcelona, Spain)