



St. Albert the Great Parish

"What we believe in we glorify & what we glorify we believe in."

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The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary August 15th, 2010

<u>Today's Readings:</u>	<u>Next Sunday's Readings:</u>	Pastor: FR. KEVIN TUMBACK pastor@st-albert-parish.com
Revelation 11: 19a; 12: 1-6a; 10ab	Isaiah 66: 18-21	Associate Pastor: FR. JOHN KOHLER associate-pastor@st-albert-parish.com
1 Corinthians 15: 20-26	Hebrews 12: 5-7, 11-13	Deacons: GREG LAFAVE gclafave@gmail.com JOHN WALSH john_walsh@shaw.ca PATRICK WOO deacon.pat@shaw.ca LUKAS DRAPAL seminarian@st-albert-parish.com
Luke 1: 39-56	Luke 13: 22-30	

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SUMMER OFFICE HOURS:
July 1st to Sep 6th
Monday 9:30am-12:30pm
Tuesday - Friday 9:30am-12:30pm; 5:00pm-8:00pm
Saturday 10:00 am-4:00 pm
Sunday Office Closed

SUMMER MASS TIMES: WEEKENDS: Saturday 5:00 pm
Sunday 9:00 am and 11:00 am
July 1st to Sep 6th
WEEKDAYS: Tuesday 9:00am
Wednesday 9:00am
Thursday 9:00am
Friday 9:00am
1st Friday 9:00 am followed by Eucharistic Adoration
Tue., Wed., Thurs. and 1st Fri. of the Month 7:00 pm

SACRAMENTS: CONFESSION: Saturday 3:30 - 4:30 pm
Sunday 8:00 - 8:30 am
Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 6:30 to 6:50 pm (before Mass)

BAPTISM: Contact Gail at the parish office to receive your Registration Package. Participation at an Information Session and a Preparation Class is mandatory for all families prior to celebrating the Baptism. *Please call early to avoid disappointment.*

MARRIAGE: *Six to nine months notice is required.* Couples who are planning a wedding in the parish are expected to regularly worship with a Catholic Community and participate in a Marriage Preparation Program. *Please see Father Kevin after the weekend Masses to make an appointment.*

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK:

Tuesday Mc Care	Aug 17	AM	Dwayne McGinnis (Int)		
Tuesday	Aug 17	AM	Maria Jo (RIP)	PM	Natividad Selom (RIP)
Wednesday	Aug 18	AM	Alex Richelhoff (RIP)	PM	Roxas Family (Int)
Thursday	Aug 19	AM	Joe Davis (RIP)	PM	Watson Irvine (RIP)
Friday	Aug 20	AM	Vivian McGivern (RIP)	PM	No mass

CATHOLIC TRIVIA: What was the final miracle performed by Jesus?

LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 21st & 22nd, 2010

Saturday 5:00 PM			
Altar Servers	Julia K	Michaela K	Abby M
	Blake M	Meagan R	
Hospitality	David W	Clem S	Elaine S
	Megan R	Heidi R	Karen W
	Andrew W	Jacqueline W	
Lectors	Rhonda M	Dawn M	Deacon
Eucharistic	Barb E	Heidi R	Nicole R
	Erin K	Paul F	Melanie F
Sunday 9:00 AM			
Altar Servers	Adam C	Cheryl D	Rudy F
	Vanessa F	Jaidyn K	
Hospitality	Lulu C	Carmen M	Kent M
	Shawn E	Kenton E	Ted L
	Catherine M	Pam P	Teresa S
	Jaclyn S	Janice D	
Lectors	Katrina R	Cindy R	Deacon
Eucharistic	Tanya H	Darlene D	Margaret S
	Angie T	Sheila S	Jenny S
Sunday 11:00 AM			
Altar Servers	Brittaney A	Justin A	Ryan C
	Ken H	Sydney H	Danielle L
Hospitality	Ellen F	Angel A	Paul A
	Nicholas A	Donna B	Chyna B
	Jim H	Doris A	Jenny M
	Paul M	Dean W	
Lectors	Rachel H	Monique H	Deacon
Eucharistic	Brenda A	Vincent D	Ellen F
	Del G	Nadia V	Brigitte K

All Ministries, please remember to arrive and sign in 15 minutes prior to Mass

UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS

Rosary Cancelled for Summer	6:30 pm	Tues	Jul-Aug
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All parishioners are encouraged to attend 7:00 pm Mass *prior* to attending meetings at 7:30 pm.

HELPING THOSE IN NEED – ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



We are in need of **Dish Detergent and Kraft Dinner**. Monetary donations can be dropped off at the office or placed in the collection basket marked for St. Vincent de Paul.

MORNING PRAYERS

Tuesday - Friday 8:30 am to 8:50 am
At St. Albert the Great
July 1st to September 6th



From the cluttered desk of Fr. John

August is usually a great time to visit the mountains and, if one is feeling up to it, to go for a hike. On some hiking trails one can sometimes get to a vantage point where one can look back on one's vehicle or a roadway, with the tiny people far away. Such a vantage point gives one a totally different perspective on life.

As we celebrate the Assumption of the Virgin Mary this weekend we also are placed in a different vantage point to view our Christian lives. Mary was the first to totally receive God's Word and let it take flesh in her life and she was also the first to encounter God's glory in heaven. Like Mary we are called to receive God's Word and let it take flesh in our lives; through our baptism we also hope to share in the same heavenly glory as Mary. The feast this weekend brings us to a great vantage point where we are able to see our day to day struggles and joys anew—we are a part of God's family and we will one day experience God's heavenly glory in all its fullness.

PAINTED PARKING LOT



Our parking lot has just been freshly painted with new lines, directional arrows, extra handicap stalls and no parking zones



indicated by yellow curbs. Please be attentive to these markers to ensure that all of our drivers and pedestrians remain safe.

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION:

"Do you think that I have come to bring peace to the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division!" (Luke 12:51)

Be nice! Don't talk back! Do what I say!

As children, we often grow up with these messages of compliance. Indeed, the Scriptures tell us to respect our parents and our parents' requests are often intended to protect us from harm. Yet, as today's gospel shows, discipleship does not always imply harmonious family relationships. Jesus came to bring both fire and baptism. Both give life and both are destructive forces. If your discipleship causes friction in your relationships, challenges others, and disturbs the peace it does not necessarily indicate that you are doing anything wrong. In fact, it is likely that you are doing everything right.

CAREER OPPORTUNITY

Applications are now being accepted for the position of Youth Coordinator at St. Albert the Great Parish. Please drop you resume off at the parish office or fax it to: 403-257-6072 - attention Father Kevin.

ONE ROCK - Christian Music Concert and Festival

The first ever **One Rock** event will be taking place Saturday, August 21, 2010. Featured artists include: Matt Maher, Steve Angrisano, Ceili Rain. Due to a generous donation, for a limited time only, **you can receive free tickets.** Babysitting and children activities are provided. Much more information is provided on the website: www.onerock.ca. A bus has been ordered leaving St. Albert the Great parish at approx. 6:30 am. If you'd like a **FREE ride**, or tickets to this unique event, please contact Deacon Lukas at seminarian@st-albert-parish.com or the parish office.



WOMEN'S SILENT RETREATS

September 14-16. Contact Barb 403-246-4339 barb.reinwart@shaw.ca OR September 17-19. Contact Shirley 403-275-2530 smkabeary@yahoo.ca. Both retreats to be held at **Sanctum**, near Caroline, Alberta. Visit our website at www.sanctumretreat.ca Come to the quiet and be with God. There is also opportunity for one-on-one spiritual direction.

ÉCOLE MOTHER THERESA SCHOOL REGISTRATIONS

Beginning Aug. 19, Mon. to Fri. from 9 am to 12 pm and 1 pm to 4 pm. We are located at 121 Midlake BV, SE.

LITTLE FLOWERS GIRLS CLUB

Girls Club starting in **September** for *any* girl in Kindergarten through Grade 3 who likes to have fun while learning about God and the Saints. Every 2nd Thursday night at St. Albert the Great Church. For more information about this mother/daughter club call Carissa at 403-663-9619 or Carla at 403-536-8935.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

McKenzie Towne Care Centre, a long term care facility is looking for committed volunteers to help porter residents to our in house mass celebrated every Tuesday morning from 10am to 11am. Please contact Patsy Drysdale at 403-508-9808 ex 272 or patsy.drysdale@reveraliving.com

Men's Residence at University of Alberta

St. Joseph's College Residence (www.stjosephscollege.ca) is a Catholic residence for undergraduate men at the University of Alberta campus. The residence is a small, close-knit community at the centre of the University of Alberta campus. For more information contact:

Fr. Glenn McDonald at (780) 492-7681 ext 248 or sjces@ualberta.ca.

ST. MARY'S HIGH SCHOOL 125TH ANNIVERSARY

Alumni Open House

Saturday, Oct. 2/10 from 1:00 – 6:00 pm
Reunite with fellow alumni, teachers and staff.

Appetizers and No Host Bar

Tickets \$10 per person.

Registration information available at:

www.cssd.ab.ca/stmary

CHALLENGE LEADERSHIP CLUB FOR GIRLS GRADES 5-10

Challenge Yourself, Others and the World, and join us for our 2010-2011 season. Meetings will be Thursday evenings from 7:00-8:30 pm at St. Albert the Great Parish for girls in grades 5, 6 and 7. Grades 8-10 meet at a different location. We would also like to hear from girls in grade 4 who might be interested in meeting occasionally with us. Our club kick off will be Sept. 16 (location TBD). Meetings at St. Albert the Great will commence Sept. 23. Please call Eileen Coady 403-238-5066 for further information.

"Can daily prayers make my life better?"

(continued from last 3 weeks)

God answers your prayers!

Ask, and it will be given you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. (Luke 11:9-10)

FAMILIA

Are you interested in deepening your faith, learning how to improve relationships within your family, meeting other women in the parish, and most of all having fun? Familia's Motherhood Series program, God's Plan for your Marriage and Family, will provide you with opportunities in all of these areas! 4 In each Familia session we will reflect upon a gospel passage, take part in catechesis and discuss a section of the document *The Christian Family in the Modern World*. Meetings take place every second Thursday at 7:30pm beginning September 23. Please contact Liisa at 403-259-3874 or LiisaLorenson@hotmail.com by September 1st to register or for more information.

CATHOLIC TRIVIA ANSWER: The final miracle of Jesus was the healing of the servant Malchus' ear in the garden.