5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday February 5th, 2023

The readings for the 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time focus on evangelization and service. The first reading tells us that when we care for those in need, the darkness in our lives will turn to light. The second reading helps us remember that we do not rely on our own wisdom when we speak and act, but on God. And the gospel tells us that we should boldly spread the Light of Christ throughout the world.

Evangelization

Works of mercy

Justice Source: young-catholics.com

Save the date

February 26th, 2023—12:30pm at Assumption Hall **Assumption and Resurrection Parishes Fundraiser**

Chili Cook Off: A fun competition between parishioners entered chili's, judged by each other for People's Choice and our youth for special categories. Prizes 50/50

CWL New Members

You may drop off your completed forms with \$42 payment to the parish office or collection baskets throughout the month of February clearly marked as CWL. If you did not take a form please include your name, phone number, postal address and email (if you have one). You may also e-transfer the membership and provide your information to cwlare106@gmail.com.



DONATION ENVELOPES

There are still many of the 2023 donation envelopes waiting to be picked up at the entrance of both Assumption and Resurrection Parishes. Please inform the parish if you no longer wish to receive envelopes. Thank you Some numbers have changed so look for your name only.

TAX RECEIPTS for 2022 are now available for pick up at the back of both parishes. Please note that those who donate through Canada Helps will not receive a receipts from the parish, those receipts are issued by Canada Helps.

All those receipts that are not picked up by February 28th, 2023 will be mailed out.

Parish Announcements

We extend our sympathy to the families of Father Mitch Fidyka and Jean O'Hara who have passed away recently.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen

Society of Saint Vincent de Paul 2022 Report



Dear supporters: With your material and spiritual support, the Assumption Conference of SSVP assisted 87 families and 65 single people in 2022. 187 food hampers were provided, in addition to bus tickets and help with utilities, rent and household items. In total, we helped 240 adults and 98 children. Our volunteers gave approximately 1500 hours to serving people in need in our area. We are grateful for the support of Fr. Philip, the parish staff, our volunteers and our benefactors. Please continue to bring financial and non-perishable food offerings the first weekend of each month.

Thank you and God bless you.

Mass Intentions - Assumption Parish

Sat	Feb	04	5:30 pm	Barbara Sinclair
Sun	Feb	05	9:30 am	All Parishioners
Tue	Feb	07	9:00 am	+Keith Smith
Wed	Feb	80	9:00 am	+Peter Yaworski
Sat	Feb	11	5:30 pm	+Bill Williams
Sun	Feb	12	9:30 am	All Parishioners
Tue	Feb	14	9:00 am	+Viet Truong
Wed	Feb	15	9:00 am	+Jeanine Bas

Mass Intentions - Resurrection Parish

Sat.	Feb	04	4:00 pm	Bonnie Yaworski
Sun.	Feb	05	11:00 am	Bonnie Yaworski All Parishioners
Thu	Feb	09	9:00 am 9:00 am 4:00 pm 11:00 am	+Richard Hinds
Fri	Feb	10	9:00 am	+Rune & Lois Anderson
Sat	Feb	11	4:00 pm	Francis Ng
Sun	Feb	12	11:00 am	All Parishioners
Thu	Feb	16	9:00 am	+Peter Kleparchuk
Fri	Feb	17	9:00 am	+John Brosseau

Welcome for reflection, coffee and conversation.

Would you like to take a closer look at our Sunday readings?

Come enjoy the company of other parishioners as we seek what the Lord is teaching us, in this, our now moment. We reflect upon the upcoming Sunday readings and share our insights. We gather from 9:30—10:45 Friday mornings in the Fr. Willie Hall at Resurrection Parish after the 9:00 am mass.



For further details, please contact either Sr. Jeanette 780-465-0101 or Angela at 780-477-8996 or just come join us.

We say goodbye to a much beloved Pastor

Father Mitch Fidyka 'never regretted for a single moment' becoming a priest.

Rev. Mitch Fidyka, a priest for more than 40 years and most recently the pastor of St. Thomas More parish, has died of cancer Jan. 28. He was 69.

"I was ordained to the priesthood over 40 years ago, a decision I have never regretted for a single moment," Father Fidyka wrote in a 2022 letter to the parish of St. Thomas More, his last parish.

"You have invited me to officiate at your marriages and baptisms. I have been able to baptize over a thousand children and administer First Communion to even more children. Faithfully, you have come to me for confessions and called me to minister to you in illness.

"I have loved and treasured every moment of the priestly life. I thank you for your prayerful participation in parish life and pray that you will continue to be faithful followers of Jesus Christ," Father Fidyka wrote.

"Wherever my journey takes me, I am confident that the Lord is by my side."

Mieczyslaw "Mitch" Fidyka was born on Dec. 28, 1953 in Katowice, Poland. He was ordained June 14, 1981 in Obra, Poland, as priest for the Oblates of Mary Immaculate. In 1999, Father Fidyka was incardinated as priest for the Archdiocese of Edmonton.

To continue reading the full article please click https://caedm.ca/father-mitch-fidyka-never-regretted-becoming-a -priest/ source: caedm.ca

Reminder to sign up

St. Joe's have been offering faith-study sessions for many years through our Lighthouse Ministry.

Eternal rest: The art of dying well (Feb. 13 to Mar. 13/23). This session addresses large-scale questions about death from a Catholic perspective. To register: email stjoeslighthouse@gmail.com

Summer 2023

Camp ministry exists to support families and youth ministry initiatives in the Archdiocese Edmonton by offering a week-long faith experience. At camp everyone can Encounter Christ, Encounter Community and Encounter Creation. We are very excited to be relaunching Our Lady of Victory Camp in 2023 bringing together the best the camp past ministries at both OLVC and Camp Encounter.



For more information click on <u>Summer 2023 – Our Lady of Victory Camp (caedm.ca)</u> or email camps@caedm.ca or 587-447-2837

FINANCIAL INFORMATION FOR DECEMBER 2022

	JAN to JUN	JULY	AUG	SEPT	ОСТ	NOV	DEC	Total
RESURRECTION Sunday Collections*								
for month	129,869.85	21,370.69	16,411.78	20,672.80	22,028.00	40,872.00	31499	282,724.12
Expenses per month	145,338.00	19,976.82	19,400.65	19,516.78	23,036.00	32,429.00	26037	285,734.25
	(15,468.15)	1,393.87	(2,988.87)	1,156.02	(1,008.00)	8,443.00	5,462.00	(3,010.13)
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ASSUMPTION Sunday Collections*for

month
Expenses per month

99,244.00	15,553.74	11,330.06	11,213.76	28,318.00	15,867.00	32248	213,774.56
144,726.49	23,652.00	19,327.88	22,889.82	22,815.00	31,603.00	26133	291,147.19
(45,482.49)	(8,098.26)	(7,997.82)	(11,676.06)	5,503.00	(15,736.00)	6,115.00	(77,372.63)

^{*}Ordinary Sunday Collections only are included; not included are other sources of revenue, eg. Cell tower revenue, and other rents.



Virtual Workshop—Share Lent "Stand for the Land"

Development and Peace—Caritas Canada is beginning a new campaign cycle, CREATE HOPE, which will be the guiding theme for the next five years. This theme was inspired

by Pope Francis' address to the World Meeting of Popular Movements in October 2021 and the Orientation Assembly in June 2022.

To create hope in this first year, we will "Stand for the Land" in solidarity with our sisters and brothers who are defending their territories in the Global South by protecting their lands and waters, the environment and human life. Please join us on Saturday, February 11 from 10:00am—1:00pm for our virtual Diocesan Lenten Workshop.

Come learn about what you can do to share the mission of the preferential option for the poor in our communities, our parishes and schools during the season of Lent. All are welcome!

There will also be a virtual National Campaign launch on February 25 where we can listen to a solidarity visitor from Honduras. You can register for this at dev.org/events

For more information please contact Sylvianne at 780-462-2529 or email nsperry@telus.net or register through the website: https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZwsf-yrqjkiH9K9fHaqWsZpoNHVgl02M55E

WCCHSC Western Canadian Catholic Home School Conference

March 9-11, 2023

Providence Renewal Centre (3005—119 St. Edm)
For more information please call
Katherine 780-937-8998 or Veronica 780-4678410 or visit www.wcchsc.net

Youth Group Gathering

We welcome youth aged 12 and up to join our next gathering on February 7th in the Assumption basement from 7:30—9:30pm. Our gathering ends at 9:00pm but we invite you to stay for games and snacks until 9:30pm

Hope to see you there!

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Office Hours

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) 12:30pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION - CONFESSION by appointment or before Mass
Adoration each Thursday at Assumption Parish following the 5:30pm Latin 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.

PARISH STAFF PARISH CONTACTS

Business Manager and Trish Underwood Parish Council: Rob Taylor
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Admin Assistant: Josee Marr St. Vincent de Paul: Nora Parker

PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE

FOR INFORMATION ON ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

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
(Introduction to the Catholic Faith)

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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.