

NOVEMBER 21 – MEMORIAL OF SAINT CECILIA, VIRGIN,

MARTYR: Cecilia is patron saint of musicians. Her association with music stems from a story that at her wedding feast she sang to God in her heart. It is recorded that “while the profane music of her wedding was heard, Cecilia was singing in her heart a hymn of love for Jesus, her true spouse”. Cecilia, her husband Valerian, as well as his brother Tiburtius, were martyred for their faith. She is one of seven women, besides the Blessed Virgin Mary, commemorated by name in *Eucharistic Prayer I*.

NOVEMBER 22 – OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE

UNIVERSE: Today, on the last Sunday in Ordinary Time and the last Sunday of the this liturgical year (Year A), we celebrate the Solemnity of Christ the King. A solemnity is the highest rank of liturgical celebrations: a very great feast of public communal worship! Today’s focus is the end-times (which the Church refers to as ‘eschatological’) when Christ the King will restore all creation and restore his kingdom to the Father. Then, “freed from the corruption of sin and death”, the risen people of God will rejoice in a new heaven and a new earth and shall sing God’s glory with every creature (Eucharistic Prayer IV).

Parish Information

We have heard many concerns from our parishioners with regard to changing to one mass. The Parish Council would like to thank you for your input. Further to this, we have also had many discussions with Father Patrick and at this time feel that our goals should be focused on strengthening our faith. In saying that, we realize changing to one mass will have the opposite effect. A detailed look at our finances for the 2019 year shows that with a little more support from our community we can maintain two masses. Keeping two masses meets the needs of our seniors, our families with children and our need to keep our children’s literacy program.

We will continue to strive toward gaining more financial support from community members- whether through our weekend collection or E-transfer for those who choose not to attend weekend masses but still value having a fully functioning church in our community.



ST. IGNATIUS PARISH



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THIRTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Solemnity of Christ the King

Today’s Gospel passage is the conclusion of Jesus’ discourse with his disciples. It is about the end of time, the coming of the Son of Man, and the final judgment. We hear this description of the final judgment at the conclusion of our liturgical year, the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ the King. In the context of Matthew’s Gospel, this passage might also be read as a conclusion of Matthew’s report on Jesus’ life and ministry; the remaining chapters report the events of Jesus’ Passion and Resurrection. In today’s Gospel, Jesus describes to his disciples the scene of the judgment of the Son of Man. All the nations will be assembled before him, and he will separate them as a shepherd separates sheep and goats upon their return from the pasture. The judgments made by the Son of Man will be based upon the acts of mercy shown to the least ones—the hungry, the thirsty, the naked, the ill, and the imprisoned. Indeed, Jesus, who suffered on the Cross, identifies himself with the least ones.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Daily masses will remain private Mon Nov 23rd-Fri Nov 27th

Mon – 11:00 a.m. Parish Chapel-----Felix Hoskins, Shelly Taylor & Mary Morris

Tues – 11:00 a.m. Parish Chapel----- Claude MacDonald

Wed – 11:00 a.m. Parish Chapel-----Aloysius MacDonald

Thurs –11:00 a.m. Parish Chapel----- Larry Collier

Fri– 11:00 a.m. Parish Chapel-----Chesley Willcott

Weekend Liturgy: Sat. Nov 28th and Sun. Nov 29th

St. Alban’s-Sat 7:00 p.m. St. Ignatius Church----- Betty Hoskins, Theresa Pittman and Ken Hoskins

St. Alban’s-Sun 10:30 a.m. St. Ignatius Church --- Parish family

Conne River-Sun 2:00 p.m. St. Anne’s Church----Mary Drake

MINISTRIES' SCHEDULE FOR WEEKEND MASSES

<i>DATE</i>	<i>Sacristan</i>	<i>Reader</i>	<i>Eucharistic Minister</i>	<i>Music</i>
Nov 21	Teresa Ann	Edith O	Father Patrick	Folk Choir
Nov 22	Teresa Ann	Valerie H	Father Patrick	Folk Choir
Nov 28	Mary Patsy	Pat P	Father Patrick	Julie-Ann Perry C
Nov 29	Mary Patsy	Lydia W	Father Patrick	

Weekly Parish Income

St. Ignatius Church	\$ 915.00
St. Anne's Church	160.30
Baptism Certificate	5.00
Sunday Missals	156.00

2021 Living with Christ Sunday Missals

Available at back of church. Price is \$6.00 per missal.

Sacrament of Confirmation

Sunday November 29th, St. Ignatius Church.

“Wishing the candidates a joyful Confirmation day. God bless you with true happiness and hear you as you pray. May he fill your heart with faith and love on Confirmation day and every day.

2021 Parish Envelopes By now, you should have your 2021 set of envelopes. For those who did not use envelopes in 2020 but would like to do so in 2021 there are extra unnamed boxes available at the back of the church. If you take one of those boxes for 2021, don't forget to record your name opposite the box number on the sheet provided.

PLEASE DO NOT USE THE ENVELOPES UNTIL JANUARY, 2021.

WELCOME TO ST. IGNATIUS PARISH AND ST. ANNE'S CHURCH:

We are glad that you are here with us this Weekend. It is our hope that you experience the love of Christ this morning and His presence during our worship.

LITURGICAL YEAR B: As we journey through November, we gradually draw near to the end of the current liturgical year as we celebrate the last four Sundays of Ordinary Time, the last Sunday being *The Solemnity of Christ the King*. Ordinary time celebrates the mystery of Christ in all its fullness. *In these last Sundays of the liturgical year, our focus turns to the return of Christ and the fulfillment of the Kingdom.*

Property Insurance

In an attempt to reduce costs incurred by the Parish, the Parish Council has been investigating the current insurance policy with Ecclesiastical Insurance Canada. Changing the policy from a Full Replacement to a Functional Replacement will significantly reduce the cost of the insurance premiums, but it also reduces the amount of insurance money to be paid out in the event of a total loss. We propose this to be a practical change, as the replacement structure would be one that meets the needs of the current parish, ie, significant reduction in size and design of all buildings covered under the policy: church, priest residence and garage.

Parish Council

We are looking for **two** members to join our Parish Council Committee. For more information please contact our office at 538-3106.

Communion Procession

It would be preferable for parishioners seated on right side of aisle to come forward first to receive Holy Communion followed by those seated on left side of aisle.

Christmas Tickets

The parish would like to thank St. Alban's Clover Farm for the beautiful prizes they have donated for our annual Christmas ticket draw. Tickets are available at St. Alban's Clover Farm for \$1.00 each.

