

## The Roman Catholic Parishes of

**St. John the Evangelist**  
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### WEEKLY COLLECTION

Collections	Required Weekly	Weekly	Year to Date +/-
\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

*Thank you for your generosity*

### MASS INTENTIONS Apr 9, 2022 to Apr 17, 2022

#### SATURDAY, Apr 9, 2022

**5:00 p.m. MASS in Morden**- the eternal repose of Restituto & Analie Gomez – req. Arlene Cobben

#### SUNDAY, Apr 10, 2022 - Palm Sunday

**11:00 a.m. MASS in Morden** - the eternal repose of Fausto Cruz Alquiros – req. Aida Munsayac

**7:00 p.m. MASS in Morden** - the health & intentions of Arlene Sigurdson – req. Tara Beatty

#### MONDAY, Apr 11, 2022

**7:00 p.m.** Holy Monday  
NO MASS

#### TUESDAY, Apr 12, 2022 -

**7:00 p.m. Mass in Morden** - NO MASS  
Chrism Mass at St. Boniface Cathedral

#### WEDNESDAY, Apr 13, 2022

**7:00 p.m. MASS in Morden** - the health & intentions of Arlene Sigurdson – req. Tara Beatty

#### THURSDAY, Apr 14, 2022

**8:00 p.m. MASS in Morden**- the intentions of all parishioners

#### FRIDAY, Apr 15, 2022

**4:30 Stations of the Cross** - Good Friday Service the intentions of all parishioners

#### SATURDAY, Apr 16, 2022

**8:00 p.m. MASS in Morden**- the intentions of all parishioners

#### SUNDAY, Apr 17, 2022 -

**11:00 a.m. MASS in Morden**- the eternal repose of Rita Reuvekamp – req. Andrew Reuvekamp

**7:00 p.m. MASS in Morden**- the eternal repose of Violeta Recio – req. JC & Vanessa Abellera

### **Father Ramon** **The Shepherds walking stick**

#### **PARISH UPDATE 04/10/2022 -**

This week is Holy Week wherein the central celebration occurs during the Triduum. The word “triduum” comes from the Latin “tres dies” meaning “three days” referring to Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Sunday. The liturgies in the church during these days are not separate from each other but rather comprise one big celebration. The Triduum after all is the peak of the liturgical year much bigger than Christmas or any other feast..... The Triduum begins with the commemoration of the Last Supper on Holy Thursday which recalls how Jesus, on the eve of his passion, established the Holy Eucharist and the ministerial priesthood. He offered his body and blood to the Father under the species of bread and wine and gave to the Apostles the command that they perpetuate the offering in his memory. We also recall Jesus washing the feet of his apostles giving them and us the example and commandment to love one another. This is why this day is also known as Maundy Thursday. “Maundy” is from the Latin “mandatum” meaning “commandment”. This reveals to us that receiving holy communion without being sincerely ready to love one another, we are not really recognizing the Lord in the Eucharist..... On Good Friday we shall meditate on the mystery of Christ’s death and adore the Cross. In the final moments of his life, before giving up his spirit to the Father, Jesus said: “It is finished” (Jn 19:30). What do these words mean, when Jesus says: “It is finished”? It means that the work of salvation is finished, that all of the Scriptures have found their total fulfillment in the love of Christ, the immolated Lamb. Jesus, by his Sacrifice, has transformed the greatest iniquity into the greatest love. We are called imitate it..... On Holy Saturday, the Church contemplates the “repose” of Christ in the sepulchre after the victorious battle of the Cross. But, in the evening the celebration of Easter begins with the great Easter Vigil in which fire is blessed symbolizing the light of faith conquering the darkness in creation due to sin.

### RECONCILIATION: Presently only available Saturday and Sunday

#### *Parish Update Continued*

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We listen to readings from the Old Testament vigil filled with hope in expectation of his coming return, when Easter will be fully manifest. Finally, the Alleluia re-sounds once more as we celebrate Christ Risen, the centre and the purpose of the cosmos and of history. Within the Mass, we renew our Baptismal promises professing our union with Christ and in his victory over sin and death.

#### *April 10, 2022 - Palm Sunday*

“...I tell you, Peter, before the cock crows this day, you will deny three times that you know me.

“ (LUKE 22:34)

How many times have you heard someone make a disparaging comment about God or our Catholic faith? How did you react? Do you remain quiet not to cause a disturbance? Or, because you don’t want people to think negatively about you? Or, because you don’t think you know enough about the Catholic faith? Pray for the courage to speak up and enter into a respectful dialogue when the opportunity arises. Joyfully share your faith with others.

#### *Please note Mass times changes for Holy Week*

“Apart from the cross, there is no other ladder by which we may get to heaven.”

-St. Rose of Lima

#### **Monthly Prayer Intentions of Pope Francis**

Prayer Intention for April, 2022  
For health care workers – We pray for health care workers who serve the sick and the elderly, especially in the poorest countries; may they be adequately supported by governments and local communities.

The Good Friday Collection, on April 15, 2022 is requested by the Holy See to help maintain Christian sites of the Holy Land and to support the Church in the pastoral, educational, and social works that contribute to a sustained Christian presence in the land where Jesus the Christ once walked. Those who are unable to attend church service on this day are still able to contribute online by going to [canadahelps.org](http://canadahelps.org) and searching for "Commissariat of the Holy Land", or by Interac e-transfers to [teresainte@bellnet.ca](mailto:teresainte@bellnet.ca).  
**Receipts will be issued.**

*The ultimate goal of fasting is to help each one of us to make a complete gift of self to God."*

*–Pope Benedict XVI*

#### Please Pray for the Sick of Our Parish....

**Joaquin Mota**

(Please call 204-822-5240 if someone should be included or removed. Thanks!)