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## Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ June 19, 2022

*“Soon and very soon we are going to see the King!”*

The old African-American Spiritual came to my heart and tongue as I visited our nineteen wonderful First Communicants on Wednesday evening.

How excited they were! Ms. Timmons and their parents accompanied them beautifully in their preparations ... and the Joy of the Holy Spirit shone from each of their faces.

A father lives to provide for his family – to bring them the best of food so that they can grow up healthy, strong, and holy. What a Father's Day gift for this spiritual father to share the “food come down from Heaven” sent by the Eternal Father. The best food, the most perfect of gifts, the unspeakable wonderful Feast – The Body and Blood of Christ.

Blessed Dina Bélanger – our Canadian “Thérèse” – at the end of her short life (I cannot recommend her writings enough) wrote of what God revealed to her amidst her suffering –



*“From what God had given me to understand about Himself, these last days, the presence of **Jesus in the Sacred Host became clear to me.** Yesterday and this morning, the same supernatural understanding. The veil of mystery is torn asunder. **He is there, my God, Infinite Unity, the Adorable Trinity, under the appearance of a fragment of bread.** He is there, Jesus with His Sacred Humanity, His Body, His Precious Blood, His Soul, with His Eternal Divinity; **He is there, whole and entire, in each consecrated Host in the whole universe and in each particle of a consecrated Host.***

*Exterior things had no place in my thoughts which were centered on Him Who was to become my guest. **Great was my happiness! Jesus was mine and I was His.** This first intimate union left in my soul, together with other graces, a hunger for His Body and Blood, a hunger which increased with each ensuing visit.”*

I saw that in the faces of those beautiful children who receive this greatest of love-gifts today: *“Great is their happiness! Jesus is theirs and they are His.”*

Blessed Dina heard the voice of Jesus:

It is His Eucharistic Heart that is making me realize a little His inconceivable love. I hear every moment **His divine sigh: “I have desired with great desire to eat this Passover with you.” He always yearns to give Himself.**

At every Mass Jesus says to us: *“I have desired with great desire to eat this Passover with you.”*

How great Jesus' joy today. How profound the Father's joy today. How marvellous the Spirit's joy today.

So great the Church's joy that we burst out through the doors of our Co-Cathedral and process up and down Spadina with greater joy: For new children join us in carrying the mystery of God we have eaten to the streets of the city God loves.



### MONDAY, June 20, 2022

11:00 am - Confessions, Adoration & Rosary  
 12:10 pm - Mass († **Dave Buettner**)  
 6:30 pm - Medjugorje Prayer Group  
 7:00 pm - Bible Timeline Study (final for season)

### TUESDAY, June 21, 2022

11:00 am - Confessions, Adoration & Rosary  
 12:10 pm - Mass († **Chad Velacott**)

### WEDNESDAY, June 22, 2022

11:00 am - Confessions, Adoration & Rosary  
 12:10 pm - Mass († **Dave Buettner**)  
 3:00 pm - Eucharistic Adoration until 5:00 pm

### THURSDAY, June 23, 2022

11:00 am - Confessions, Adoration & Rosary  
 12:10 pm - Mass († **Jaya Anthony**)  
 8:00 pm - Christ the King Prayer group

### FRIDAY, June 24, 2022

11:00 am - Confessions, Adoration & Rosary  
 12:10 pm - Mass (**SI Emile & Doris Lalonde**)  
 5:30 pm - Sto. Nino Prayer Group

### SATURDAY, June 25, 2022

10:00 am - Baptism  
 11:00 am - Confessions, Adoration & Rosary  
 12:10 pm - Mass († **Rose Belanger**)

### SUNDAY, June 26, 2022 13th Sunday Ordinary Time

8:00 am - Mass  
 10:00 am - Mass *Livestreamed at [stpaulscc.com](http://stpaulscc.com)*  
 7:30 pm - Vespers  
 8:00 pm - Mass

### Summer Pilgrimages

For more information, see the bulletin board or the diocesan newsletter linked on our website on the **Bulletin** page  
**July 10** - Holy Rosary Shrine in Reward SK (near Unity) Outdoor Mass with Bishop Mark at 4:00 pm.  
**July 15 & 16** - Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine at St. Laurent (near Duck Lake)  
**July 17** - Mount Carmel Pilgrimage (west of Humboldt) Mass with Bishop Mark at 10:45 am.  
**August 14 & 15** - Rama Shrine  
**August 15** - Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine at St. Laurent

### OFFERING for June 12 & 15, 2022

Cash Donations	\$ 933.30
Envelope Donations	\$ 2597.25
Renovations	\$ 70.00
Pre-Authorized Giving June 15	\$ 2752.50
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### Family Fun Day

The World Meeting of Families is June 22-26 in Rome. To mark the event, the diocese of Saskatoon is having a Family Fun Day on

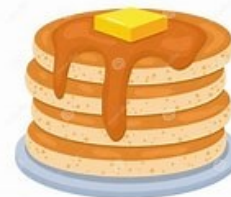
**June 25 at St. Patrick Parish**

10:00 am - Mass with Bishop Mark

**Register for this free event before June 23:**

[rcdos.ca/wmof/](http://rcdos.ca/wmof/)

The Knights of Columbus are pleased to again offer a Pancake Breakfast on June 26 after the 8 am and 10 am Masses. \$6 per person



**Sts. Benedict and Scholastica Formation is more than a university discernment program!** The Roman Catholic Diocese of Saskatoon is partnering with St. Thomas More College (STM) to provide faith formation and discernment to university students pursuing an academic path to vocations or service in the Church. The diocesan Sts. Benedict and Scholastica Formation Program is designed for candidates who are pursuing “an academic and vocational pathway” that seeks ordained ministry, religious life, or professional lay ministry in the Catholic Church. **The deadline to apply for the 2022-23 year is July 15.** For more information (including a link to the related STM curriculum), see [rcdos.ca/sts-benedict-and-scholastica](http://rcdos.ca/sts-benedict-and-scholastica) or contact Sr. Malou Tibayan of the Verbum Dei Missionary Fraternity at [mtibayan@rcdos.ca](mailto:mtibayan@rcdos.ca) or (306) 659-5843.

### Congratulations to our first communicants:

Xavier, Vincent, Dominic, Sadie, Anika, Derek, Addisyn, Cameron, Liesl, Evelyn, Max, Thérèse, Anara, Axel, Daniel, Ashley, and Jolie.  
*May their First Eucharist be the beginning of a lifelong love of the Eucharist.*



### LITTLE SISTER PARISH

For the week of **June 19-26** we are asking for **CANNED VEGETABLES**. Guadalupe Parish always needs Ziplock storage bags. Drop-off bin is in the welcome area.