



LAKES ERIE AND ST. CLAIR
CATHOLIC FAMILY OF PARISHES

FAMILLE DES PAROISSES CATHOLIQUES
DES LACS ÉRIÉ ET STE-CLAIRE

May 3 mai 2026

*5th Sunday
of Easter*



*5e dimanche
de Pâques*

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*Catholic Education Week
May 3-8, 2026*

“Catholic schools are places where children and young people encounter Jesus, and where they are encouraged to enter more deeply into a personal relationship with Him. They are privileged places, together with the family and the parish community, where our faith is handed on, and this can only succeed with the cooperation of all concerned.” (Renewing the Promise)

*Semaine de l'éducation
catholique*

3-8 mai 2026

Aujourd'hui, nous débutons la semaine de l'éducation catholique. C'est l'occasion pour notre communauté de s'engager à célébrer l'identité unique et la contribution particulière de nos écoles catholiques en Ontario. Au cours de cette semaine, prenons conscience de la part importante que constituent nos écoles dans notre vie collective et leur rôle essentiel dans la proposition de valeurs chrétiennes et de la foi aux jeunes. (Jean-Francois Langlais)

Weekday Masses ~ Messes en semaine

lundi/Monday May 4 mai 2026

No mass / pas de messe

mardi/Tuesday, May 5 mai 2026

6:30 pm at St. Peter's (English) Confessions 6:00-6:20pm

+ James Larsh by John Larsh
Intentions of Kit Leach Cooper by Friends and family

6:30 pm at St. Francis Xavier (English)

+ Rev. Louis H. Rivard by his estate
Intentions of Brody Ashton by Grandma
Intentions of Heather Lanoue by Grandma

mercredi/Wednesday, May 6 mai 2026

8h30 à Immaculée Conception (français)

+ Vincent Pinsonneault par Laurette Carey
+ Yvonne King par Tracey (Caron) Donkers
+ Âmes du Purgatoire par Lucille Raymond

***7:00 pm at Visitation (English) Confessions 5:45-6:15pm

HEALING MASS (see box below***)

+ Tom Siebert by Alice Reaume
+ Don Robert by Marvin and Claudette Ouellette
+ Max and Christine Bancouly by the family

jeudi/Thursday, May 7 mai 2026

8:30 am at Visitation (English)

+ Elaine Quenneville by Mike and Diane
+ Louise Lair by Carole and Diane
+ Raymond Marentette by the Broderick family

6:30 pm at Immaculée Conception (English) Adoration 7-8:00pm

+ Danielle Primeau by Mom, Dad, Emma, Grace and Jack
+ Rose-Marie Koekuyt by Ray
Intentions of the Holy Trinity Prayer Group members

vendredi/Friday, May 8 mai 2026

8:30 am at St. Francis Xavier (English)

+ Camilla Agatha Trudell by her estate
+ Irene Duquette by Vince and Aline Lanoue
+ Maurice Marentette by Lena Lajoie

12h00 à la Visitation (français)

+ Mae et Donat Tremblay par la famille
+ Alphonse et Elmiere Rondot par la famille
+ Frères et soeurs défunts de Robert Chauvin

***HEALING MASS - WEDNESDAY MAY 6

A healing mass is planned for May 6th at **Visitation church**. Confessions will be available at 5:45pm, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 6pm with Adoration, ending with Blessing and Mass at 7pm. The Knights of Columbus will host a small reception in the parish hall after the Mass.

All are welcome!

MERCREDI 6 MAI - MESSE DE GUÉRISON

Une messe de guérison est prévue le 6 mai à l'église de la **Visitation**. Les confessions auront lieu à 17 h 45, suivies de l'exposition du Saint-Sacrement à 18 h avec Adoration, et se terminant par une Bénédiction et la Messe à 19 h. Les Chevaliers de Colomb organiseront une petite réception dans la salle paroissiale après la messe.

Tous sont les bienvenus !



Weekend Masses ~ Messes de fin de semaine

Samedi / Saturday, May 9 mai 2026

5:00 pm at St. Francis Xavier (English)

(Confessions 4:00-4:30 pm)

For the intentions of the people of God

5:00 pm at Immaculée Conception (english)

(Confessions 4:00-4:30 pm)

For the intentions of the people of God

Dimanche / Sunday, May 10 mai 2026

8:00 am at St. Peter's (English)

For the intentions of the people of God

8h30 à la Visitation (français)

Pour les intentions du peuple de Dieu

10:00 am at St. Francis Xavier (English)

For the intentions of the people of God

10:30 am at Visitation (English)

For the intentions of the people of God

10h30 à Immaculée Conception (français)

Pour les intentions du peuple de Dieu



5th Sunday of Easter

May 3, 2026

God has made us a chosen race and a royal priesthood.

In him we find our deepest identity.

The second reading from the First Letter of Peter provides a beautiful and yet challenging description of who we are as Christians. We are, by virtue of baptism, a chosen race, a royal priesthood, and a people set apart to give praise to God. Taken together, these statements remind us what a grace and privilege it is to be chosen, but they also reassure us of how God sees us and how we ought to see ourselves and others. Everything we do must reflect this holy and royal status.

5e dimanche de Pâques

3 mai 2026

Aller où il va

Le plus grand désir de Jésus est de partager avec nous sa proximité avec le Père: proximité de cœur, de pensée, d'action. Plus nous entrerons dans cette communion, plus nous serons proches les uns des autres, au-delà de nos différences

The Readings / Les lectures

May 10 mai 2026

Acts / Actes 8:5-8, 14-17
Psalm 66 / Psaume 65 (66)
1 Peter/ 1 Pierre 3:15-18
John / Jean 14:15-21



The Pope's Prayer Intention for May

That everyone might have food: Let us pray that everyone, from large producers to small consumers, be committed to avoid wasting food, and to ensure that everyone has access to quality food.

Intention de prière du Saint-Père

Pour une alimentation pour tous : Prions pour que chacun, des grands producteurs aux petits consommateurs, s'engage à éviter le gaspillage alimentaire et pour que tous aient accès à une alimentation de qualité.

CHANGES TO PASTORAL STAFF

Fr. Kieran Alaribe, C.S.Sp., and Fr. Edward Okorie, C.S.Sp., have been reassigned.

Fr. Kieran will be moving to the Avon–Thames Catholic Family of Parishes, while Fr. Edward has been appointed to the LaSalle–River Canard Catholic Family of Parishes.

Rev. Chris Pietraszko has been appointed as the new Pastor of the Lakes Erie and St. Clair Catholic Family of Parishes, with **Fr. Francis Ndey** serving as the new Associate Pastor. These pastoral appointments will take effect on June 29 2026.

MORE CHANGES

Bishop Fabbro has served the Diocese of London since 2002 and offered his resignation prior to his 75th birthday in 2025.

Last week the Diocese announced that **Bishop Daniel Miehm will be the new Bishop of the Diocese of London** after receiving his appointment from Pope Leo XIV. Bishop-designate Miehm comes to London after serving as Bishop of the Diocese of Peterborough since 2017. Bishop Miehm will be installed on Monday, June 29, 2026, the Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, at St. Peter's Cathedral Basilica in London. Time TBD. The Installation will be livestreamed at this [link](#).

CHANGEMENTS AU SEIN DE L'ÉQUIPE PASTORALE

Le père Kieran Alaribe, C.S.Sp., et le père Edward Okorie, C.S.Sp., ont été transférés.

Le père Kieran rejoindra Avon–Thames Catholic Family of Parishes, tandis que le père Edward a été nommé à La Famille de Paroisses Catholiques LaSalle-Rivière-aux-Canards. **Le révérend Chris Pietraszko** a été nommé nouveau curé de la famille de paroisses catholiques des lacs Érié et Sainte-Claire, le **père Francis Ndey** occupant le poste de vicaire. Ces nominations pastorales prendront effet le 29 juin 2026.

AUTRES CHANGEMENTS

Mgr Fabbro a servi le diocèse de London depuis 2002 et a présenté sa démission avant son 75e anniversaire en 2025. La semaine dernière, le diocèse a annoncé que **Mgr Daniel Miehm serait le nouvel évêque du diocèse de London** après avoir reçu sa nomination du pape Léon XIV. Mgr Miehm, évêque désigné, arrive à London après avoir été évêque du diocèse de Peterborough depuis 2017. L'évêque Miehm sera installé le lundi 29 juin 2026, solennité des saints Pierre et Paul, à la basilique cathédrale Saint-Pierre de London. L'heure reste à déterminer. L'installation sera retransmise en direct via ce [lien](#).

Are you Being Called to be a Deacon?

The Diocese of London is seeking men who are being called to lives of service. Are you one of them? Are you being called, to consider becoming a Permanent Deacon in our Diocese? The admission cycle for entry into the Permanent Diaconate Formation and Study program is open until June 8, 2026. Information brochures are available in each of your parishes. Take the first step: get more information and register as an inquirer at <https://stpetersseminary.ca/permanent-diaconate-program>. All registrations will receive a response to with more information. In-person inquiry sessions will occur in the first week of May in each Deanery of the Diocese of London:

Windsor-Essex Deanery – Sunday, May 3 from 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 at St. Angela Merici Parish, Windsor

Kent Deanery – Tuesday, May 5 from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 at Blessed Sacrament Parish, Chatham

London Deanery – Sunday, May 3, from 1:30 to 3:00 at St. John the Divine, London

Ingersoll Deanery – Thursday, May 7 from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 at St. Mary's Parish, Tillsonburg

Sarnia Deanery – Wednesday, May 6 from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 at St. Thomas d'Aquin Parish, Sarnia

Huron-Perth Deanery – Tuesday, May 5 from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 at St. Vincent de Paul Parish, Mitchell



Please welcome these recently baptized children to our Catholic Family of Parishes:
Veuillez accueillir ces enfants, récemment baptisés, à notre Famille de paroisses catholiques :

Landon Raymond and Sophie Lonnie Lyne Van Braeckel,
children of Megan and Raymond

Pray for the deceased...

Prions pour les défunts et défuntes...

Joseph Robert Trepanier



Please pray for the sick...

Prions pour les malades...

from / de

Paroisse Immaculée Conception & Saint-Philippe Parish

Jim Brown, Niall Hetherington, Robert L'Écuyer,
Rose-Marie Pepper, Aleks Pinsonneault, Nicolas Roy.

from/de St. Francis Xavier Parish

Avery Acheson, Nanette Baillargeon, Jim Brosseau,

Ken Dagenais, Bunny Dejong, Denise Dupuis,
Charlotte Gadal-Teichroeb, Bob Garant, Fr. Jack Hurley,
Christine Kilpatrick, Mike Martin, Rebecca McCarrell,
Michael McDonald, Christopher Powers, Oliver Reed,
Eileen Ruehl, Theresa Slack, Eileen Sylvestre.

from/de St. Peter's on the Thames and St Patrick's

Brad, Evelyn Gore, Katherine Moon, Pauline Quenneville.

from/de Paroisse de la Visitation Parish

Jeannette Chauvin, Lorraine Chauvin, Marie-Anne Chauvin,
Lawrence Comartin, Pierrette Derikx, Jeannette Foolen,
Brynn Klassen, Jean-Guy Langlois, Charlene Parent,
Doreen Reaume, Randy Reaume, Ted Richardson,
Steven Trepanier, Timothy Trepanier.

PROMISE & FULFILLMENT

THE EUCHARIST
IN SCRIPTURE



Easter Season Mini-Mission

(4 additional sessions. This is a continuation of our Lenten Mission.)

At St. Francis Xavier Church hall
April 15, 22, 29 & May 6 ~ 7:30 pm

Mini-mission pour la saison de Pâques (4 séances

supplémentaires. Il s'agit de la suite

de notre mission du Carême.) À la salle paroissiale de l'église
St. Francis Xavier ~ 15, 22, 29 avril & 6 mai ~ 19h30

The CWL - St. Francis Xavier Council

will have their general meeting on **Tuesday May 5th** after the 6:30 pm Mass. Fr. Edward will be our guest speaker. There will also be a recap of the recent Convention. Hope many can attend.

The next Ultreya for Windsor/Essex County



is scheduled for
Friday, May 8th, 2026 at 7:30 pm
at St. John the Baptist Church,
225 Brock St. Amherstburg, ON

If you have made a Cursillo Weekend please come and share in a faith-filled evening. All Cursillistas are WELCOME!



Right to Life Kent is going to

The National March For Life in Ottawa May 14, 2026

Cost is \$30 for a seat (limited spaces available)

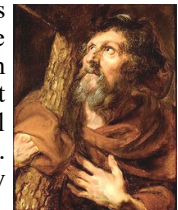
The bus leaves May 13th 11pm from Our Lady Help of Christians Church in Wallaceburg and stops for a second pick up at Ebenezer Canadian Reformed Church in Chatham. For more information or to RSVP, please contact Joanne at: joannelifeinmotion@gmail.com 519-352-3611

The Catholic Education Foundation of Tilbury Bursary

Bursary application forms are now available for high school graduates applying for continued post secondary education at a college or university in the fall of 2026. Applicants must be an active member of St. Francis Xavier Parish to qualify for bursary. Forms available till June 30 2026 on the Info desk in the meeting room of St. Francis Xavier church or call Felix Marchand 519-682-2718 or e-mail to fmarchan@cogeco.ca

Saint of the Week:

May 3: **St. Philip the Apostle** (death 80 AD) was born in the city of Bethsaida, Galilee. The choice of Philip as a disciple is recorded in Matthew, Mark and Luke. John's Gospel records several conversations between Jesus and Philip. He was present at the wedding feast in Cana and at the miracle of the loaves and fishes. Philip brought Nathaniel (Bartholomew) to Christ. At the Last Supper, Philip asked Jesus to reveal the Father to them, giving Jesus a chance to explain to his disciples about the unity of the Father and the Son. Philip was among the Apostles awaiting the Holy Spirit in the Upper Room. Philip played a crucial role in the early church throughout Carthage, Greece, Syria and Asia-Minor, spreading Christianity through his teachings, miracles and unwavering faith. Tradition has it that he was martyred by beheading in the city of Hierapolis. He is commonly associated with the symbol of the Latin Cross. Other symbols assigned to him include the cross with two loaves, a basket filled with bread, a spear with the patriarchal cross or a cross with a carpenter's square. Philip is a patron of hat makers and of pastry chefs.



Saint de la semaine :

3 mai : **Saint Philippe (Apôtre)** Philippe fut l'un des douze apôtres accompagnant Jésus-Christ d'après les évangiles et le livre des Actes des Apôtres. Philippe est d'abord un disciple de Jean Baptiste avant de suivre Jésus. Dans l'Évangile de Jean, c'est à lui que Jésus s'adresse avant la première multiplication des pains (Jn 6,5-7) ; à qui se présentent des Grecs païens cherchant à rencontrer Jésus quatre jours avant la Crucifixion (Jn 12,20-22) ; et lors de la Cène, c'est lui qui demande à Jésus de leur montrer le Père (Jn 14,8-11). Après la Pentecôte, il serait parti évangéliser des régions d'Asie Mineure et prêcha aux Scythes. En Syrie, il séjourne à Émèse (aujourd'hui Homs) et à Hiérapolis de Syrie (Manbij) où il réalise des miracles et installe le premier évêque de la ville. D'après la tradition, il est lapidé et crucifié à Hiérapolis (Pamukkale) en Phrygie.

Visitation Parish's annual Ladies Night was a wonderful success!

Congratulations to our \$2,000 Grand Prize winner, Kacey Day, and to all of our raffle prize winners.

We gratefully thank our generous sponsors and donors, including Leo Mailloux Construction, Motor City Chrysler Windsor, Amfar Tilbury, and the many local businesses and individuals who donated raffle prizes. A special thank you to Koolini's for the delicious meal, DJ Gordon Patrick from Beats Per Minute for the entertainment, our parish community helpers, and the Catholic Women's League for the wonderful desserts. We are especially grateful to our FunRaising Committee and the men who volunteered their time to serve throughout the evening. Thank you to all the ladies who attended and supported this important fundraiser.

Save the date: Next year's Ladies Night is April 24th. - Join us as we celebrate!

La soirée annuelle 'Ladies Night' de la paroisse Visitation fut un véritable succès !

Félicitations à Kacey Day, gagnante du grand prix de 2 000 \$, ainsi qu'à tous les gagnantes de la tombola. Nous remercions chaleureusement nos généreux commanditaires et donateurs, notamment Leo Mailloux Construction, Motor City Chrysler Windsor, Amfar Tilbury, ainsi que les nombreuses entreprises locales et personnes qui ont offert des prix pour la tombola. Un merci tout particulier à Koolini's pour le délicieux repas, au DJ Gordon Patrick de Beats Per Minute pour l'animation, à nos bénévoles de la paroisse et au Catholic Women's League pour les merveilleux desserts. Nous sommes particulièrement reconnaissants envers notre comité FunRaising et les hommes qui ont donné de leur temps pour servir tout au long de la soirée. Merci à toutes les dames qui ont participé et soutenu cette importante collecte de fonds.

À noter dans vos agendas : le 'Ladies Night' de l'année prochaine aura lieu le 24 avril. - Rejoignez-nous pour faire la fête !

Assumption University, Windsor's Catholic University invites you to follow them on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/assumptionu/>. View the university's upcoming courses, activities, and events.





Right to Life

On May 9th and 10th
The Knights of Columbus will be selling
Right to Life Roses before each mass at
St Francis Xavier Church (free will donations accepted).
All proceeds to help young girls in need of supplies and
support through and after pregnancy. Thank you



The Knights of Columbus is again running the Baby Bottle Boomerang Campaign

by distributing empty baby bottles at St Francis Church on Mother's Day and collecting them on Father's Day. Bottles will be available in the weeks after Mother's Day and will be accepted for two weeks after Father's Day

understanding some people may be away one or both of those days. 100% of the collected money goes to the Refuge Center in Chatham on Grand Ave near Ursuline College to help and support mothers with unexpected pregnancies through their term. Whatever you can give is greatly appreciated to help these women in their moment of need.

CWL -Visitation Council would like to thank everyone who made donations to the April food collection for the Tilbury Information and Help Centre.

April food collection for the Tilbury Information and Help Centre. We collected 583 cans of vegetables, 128 miscellaneous items and a generous \$775.40 in cash donations to help purchase additional items needed. Between 8:00 a.m. and noon on Sunday May 31st, we will be accepting donations of cereal. Watch for upcoming sales and help to spread the word with family and friends about our monthly collections.

Le CWL -Conseil Visitation tient à remercier toutes les personnes qui ont fait des dons lors de la collecte alimentaire organisée en avril pour le Centre d'information et d'aide de Tilbury.

Nous avons collecté 583 cannettes de légumes, 128 pièces de divers produits alimentaires, et 775.40 \$ de dons en espèces pour aider à acheter les articles supplémentaires nécessaires. Le dimanche 31 mai, entre 8 h et midi, nous accepterons les dons de céréales. Merci de faire connaître nos collectes mensuelles à votre famille et à vos amis.

Located in Merlin within our family of parishes

Our Lady of the Rosary Monastery and Shrine

(519) 689-7760

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Situé à Merlin au sein de notre famille de paroisses



Mothers Day Breakfast

The Squires will be serving Breakfast after both Masses at 9:30 AM and 11:30 AM on Mother's Day May 10th at Visitation Parish.

All are Welcome!

This is a chance for our Circle to say THANK YOU to all who have supported us through the last 20 years here at Visitation Parish. Our circle was chartered on March 16 1986 making this year our 40TH anniversary as a Circle. As some of you may not know, the Knights of Columbus Supreme Council has decided to shut the Squires program down so this will be our LAST Mother's Day Breakfast. We are not trying to make money but just cover the cost of our expenses. Any monies collected above our cost will be donated to a charity or charities of our choice.

Hope to see you there, - Columbian Squires!



Visitation Council Catholic Women's League Bursaries & Award

Application packages are now available for the 2026 Visitation Council CWL High School Bursary valued at \$500

and Mature Student Bursary valued at \$250 as well as the Visitation Council CWL

Father Dwayne Adam Music Award valued at \$100

Application packages are available on the table in our parish hall foyer. Packages have been distributed to

Guidance offices at six local high schools;

Belle River, St. Anne's, Cardinal Carter, L'Essor,

École Secondaire Catholique De Pain Court

and Tilbury District High School

Deadline for submission is Monday, May 25, 2026 by 2 pm

Contact Mary Ann Hamlin at (519) 965-0629

if you have any questions.

'Rediscover Your Faith'

Tuesdays Two times are available: **1:30-3:30 p.m.**
or **7:00-9:00 p.m. (following evening Mass)**

Both times take place in a safe environment,

at **St. Francis Xavier Church, 32 Canal St., Tilbury.**

Please invite a friend (Christian or non Christian).

God Bless you and Faith and Hope for the Journey!

For more information, please contact the parish office,
519-687-3118.

Catholic Health and Fitness Professionals Retreat

Central Essex County Catholic Family of Parishes Health and Fitness Ministry is hosting a retreat on Saturday, May 9 at Holy Family Retreat House for health and fitness professionals. Refresh your spirit, deepen your faith and connect with others. For more information or to register call 519-919-4744 or email dana.cavers@gmail.com.

Diocesan Family Summit for families of all ages

Registration Now Open – Family Summit 2026

Families from across the Diocese of London are invited to the Family Summit on Saturday, May 30, 2026 (9:30 a.m. – 8:30 p.m.) at Regina Mundi Catholic High School, London.

A full-day gathering to pray, grow, and celebrate together as families.

Visit <https://www.dol.ca/diocesan-family-summit-event> to register today!



Nos Offrandes ~ Our Offertory



Please note that although we have become a Family of Parishes, the finances of each parish will remain separate. You may deposit your offertory envelope at any one of our 4 parishes and it will be forwarded to the parish identified on the envelope.

Veillez noter que bien que nous soyons devenus une famille de paroisses, les finances de chaque paroisse resteront séparées. Vous pouvez déposer votre enveloppe d'offrande à l'une de nos 4 paroisses et elle sera acheminée à la paroisse identifiée sur l'enveloppe.

Paroisse Immaculée Conception & Saint-Philippe Parish

April 25/26 avril 2026

Envelopes (30)	\$945.00
Pre-auth. debit (18 donors)	\$400.00
+ pièces/ loose	\$31.00
	<u>\$1376.00</u>

Campagne d'action de grâce/

Thanksgiving Appeal.....	\$1180.00
Cimetière St Philippe Cemetery.....	\$500.00

Projet notre église / Project Our Church

Donations.....	\$130.00
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Paroisse de la Visitation Parish

April 26 avril 2026

Envelopes (80)	\$1980.00
Pre-auth. debit (46 donors)	\$1242.00
+ pièces/loose	\$130.00
	<u>\$3352.00</u>

Thanksgiving Appeal/ Campagne d'action de grâce.....	\$311.25
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Building Fund

Pre-auth. Debit (19 donors).....	\$233.75
Donations.....	\$45.00

St. Francis Xavier Parish

April 25/26 avril 2026

Envelopes (65)	\$2007.00
Pre-auth. debit (9 donors)	\$307.50
+ loose	\$111.80
	<u>\$2426.30</u>

Thanksgiving Appeal.....	\$695.00
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Capital Projects

Pre-auth. debit (15 donors).....	\$194.24
Donations.....	\$120.00

St. Peter's on the Thames Parish

April 26 avril 2026

Envelopes (7)	\$140.00
+ loose	\$50.00
	<u>\$190.00</u>

Thanksgiving Appeal.....	\$340.00
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Capital Projects

Donations.....	\$20.00
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Did you know that

May 5th is the National Day of Awareness for Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls also known as Red Dress Day? The REDress project began in 2010 when Metis artist Jaime Black hung hundreds of empty, red dresses to represent the missing and murdered women and girls of Canada. According to Stats Canada, Indigenous women and girls are six times more likely to be murdered than other groups of people in Canada. TRC Call to Action #41 addresses the issue of disproportionate violence towards Indigenous women and girls and calls for a public inquiry which released a final report in 2019 with 231 calls for justice.

Saviez-vous que

le 5 mai est la Journée nationale de sensibilisation aux femmes et aux filles autochtones disparues et assassinées, également connue sous le nom de « Journée de la robe rouge » ? Le projet REDress a vu le jour en 2010 lorsque l'artiste métisse Jaime Black a suspendu des centaines de robes rouges vides pour symboliser les femmes et les filles disparues et assassinées au Canada. Selon Statistique Canada, les femmes et les filles autochtones sont six fois plus susceptibles d'être assassinées que les autres groupes de population au Canada. L'appel à l'action n° 41 de la Commission de vérité et réconciliation (CVR) aborde la question de la violence disproportionnée envers les femmes et les filles autochtones et demande la tenue d'une enquête publique, dont le rapport final, publié en 2019, contient 231 appels à la justice.



Did you know you can give year round to Thanksgiving Appeal?

To provide pastoral and other care, our parish always needs our financial support. Thank you to those who have already contributed. To the others, know that we are still counting on you. Your donation will help reduce your taxes while helping your parish. Do not miss this opportunity! 100% of the Thanksgiving Appeal stays within the parish of your choosing.

Please do not forget your parish family.

Thank you for your support!!

Saviez-vous que vous pouvez donner toute l'année à La campagne d'action de grâce?

Pour assurer les soins pastoraux et autres, votre paroisse a toujours besoin de votre soutien financier. Merci à ceux qui ont déjà contribué. Aux autres, sachez que nous comptons toujours sur vous. Votre don permettra de réduire vos impôts tout en aidant votre paroisse. Ne manquez pas cette occasion ! 100% de La campagne de l'action de grâce reste au sein de la paroisse de votre choix.

N'oubliez pas votre famille paroissiale.

Merci pour votre soutien !