

ST. KEVIN'S PARISH

SERVING THE ENGLISH SPEAKING ROMAN CATHOLICS OF CAPREOL & VALLEY EAST

ST. KEVIN SITE IN VAL THERESE & OUR LADY OF PEACE SITE IN CAPREOL

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Secretary.....Mary Moylan
Permanent Deacons.....Rev. Mr. Steve Callaghan
Rev. Mr. Gord Jenkinson

Parish Pastoral Council

Teresa Cloutier (SK)	Bert D'Appolonia (OLP)
Gord Jenkinson (SK)	Gerard Regimbal (OLP)
Pat Hinds (SK)	Marlynn Paul (OLP)
Denise Waltenbury (SK)	Jeannette Rainville (OLP)
Anne Marie Duff (SK)	

Parish Finance Committee

Lynda Mantha (SK)	Mark Patterson (OLP)
Jacques Mantha (SK)	Bert D'Appolonia (OLP)
Russ James (SK)	Mario Mauro (OLP)
Tyler Roberge (SK)	Lara Foucault (OLP)

Screening Committee

Erv Mantler (SK) Nancy Dube (OLP)

Coordinators of Ministries

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Anne Marie Duff - SK Site Lorraine Green - OLP Site

Lectors

Ed & Aline Zickar - SK Site Laura Stirritt - OLP Site

Children's Liturgy

Teresa Cloutier (SK)	Jen Smith - OLP Site
Diane Marcuccio (SK)	Frances Pilon (SK)

Baptism

Confirmation

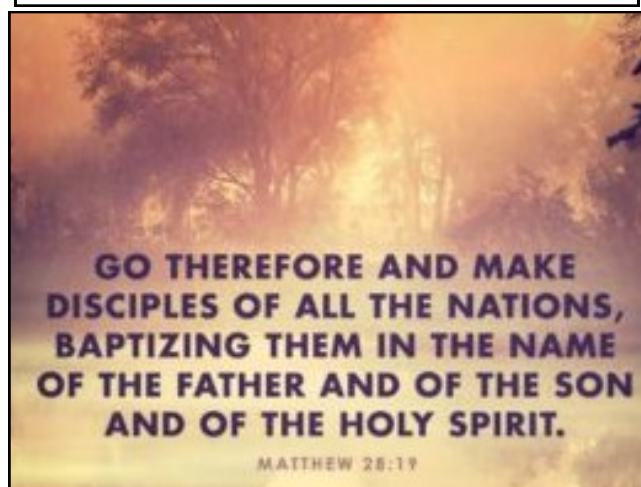
RCIA

Teresa Cloutier Gord Jenkinson Pat Partington
Jeannette Rainville

Coordinators of Pandemic volunteers

St. Kevin's Site: Anne Marie Duff & Teresa Cloutier
OLP Site: Don Degagne & Marlynn Paul

The Ascension of the Lord May 21st, 2023



Reconciliation

Saturdays: 4:00pm to 4:30pm
at St. Kevin's, Val Therese

Sundays: 11:00-11:20
at Our Lady of Peace, Capreol

Baptisms

Please call the parish office and the secretary will help you.

Marriage

Please contact the parish office at least eight months before your proposed date.

Registration in the Parish

Please call the parish office and the secretary will help you.



Prayer Line

Dina Farinon - SK Site 897-4608
Gloria Keegan - SK Site 969-3771
Helen Gustafson-OLP Site 858-1783
Gaye Martel - OLP Site 858-2682

Mass Schedule

Monday, May 22nd to Sunday, May 28th

Day	Masses and Intentions		Readings
<i>Monday</i> <i>22nd</i>	No Mass		Acts 19.1-8 John 16.29-33
<i>Tuesday</i> <i>23rd</i>	9:30 a.m. OLP	+ For Michel, Daniel & Alain Robert By Juliette Robert	Acts 20.17-27 John 17.1-11a
<i>Wednesday</i> <i>24th</i>	9:30 a.m. St. Kevin	+ For Patricia Mercer By Moira & Waldie Swiatek	Acts 20.28-38 John 17.11b-19
<i>Thursday</i> <i>25th</i>	9:30 a.m. OLP	+ For Delia Skopyk By Patrica Newman	Acts 22.30; 23.6-11 John 17.20-26
<i>Friday</i> <i>26th</i>	9:30 a.m. St. Kevin	+ For Fred Michaud By Michelina Taillefer	<i>St. Philip Neri</i> Acts 24.27; 25.13b-21++ John 21.15-19
<i>Saturday</i> <i>27th</i>	5:00 p.m. St. Kevin	For SSVP Conference (Friends, Patrons, Members, Volunteers & Staff) by Society of Saint Vincent de Paul	<i>Pentecost Sunday</i> Acts 2.1-11 1 Corinthians 12.3b-7, 12-13 John 20.19-23 As the Father has sent me, so I send you. Receive the Holy Spirit.
<i>Sunday</i> <i>28th</i>	9:30 a.m. St. Kevin	+ For Gisèle Beaupré By Sylvain & Angela Beaupré & family	
	11:30 a.m. Our Lady of Peace	For the parishioners By Fr. Rex	



Society of St.Vincent de Paul - St. Kevin's Conference

Today as we celebrate the feast of the Ascension, we are reminded that Christ's saving work on earth continues through his disciples...and now through us.

Food Bank is every third Wednesday of the month from 10 am–3 pm. Registration at Sr.Frederica Harvest House, next to the Thrift Store. We are still in need of a truck driver for the Thrift Store. Please call 705-897-1212 for more information.

The last **Children's Liturgy at Our Lady of Peace** in Capreol was held on May 14th. Classes will resume in the fall, after summer break. Have a safe & happy summer!

Jen Smith



SK Knights of Columbus Awards Banquet

Knights of Columbus Council 7368 will be holding their Awards Banquet on **Wednesday, June 7th** at the St.Kevin's Parish Hall. We invite all current and former knights, and their families and guests, to join us.

Dinner at 6pm, guest speaker and awards presentation to follow. Tickets are \$25 per person. Contact a member of the Knights after mass, or call:

Greg Reilly at 705-665-0395, or Roger Brideau at 705-969-2803.

Faith Sharing

You are invited to join us for coffee and reflection on the Sunday Gospels. **Friday mornings at 10:00 a.m. at the St Kevin site.**

Facilitator: Pat Partington



<u>General</u>	at St. Kevin's	at Our Lady of Peace
<i>CWL</i>	Every 2 nd Tuesday of each month. Executive meets at noon. General Meeting follows at 1:00pm	Every 2 nd Monday of each month at 1:30 p.m. (<i>if a holiday, moved to 1st Monday</i>)
<i>Knights of Columbus Council #7368</i>	Every 1st Wednesday of the month. Executive meets at 6:30pm. General meeting follows at 7:00pm	No council in Capreol active at this time.

Our Lady of Peace CWL - Invitation to Spring Social & Supper



Monday June 12th ❖ \$20 per person
M & R Grill, Capreol ❖ Buffet style meal
Social at 5:30pm, Supper at 6:00pm

Please pay by Sunday May 28th to Marlynn Paul

St. Kevin's CWL - Invitation to Sudbury Regional Brunch



Sunday May 28, 2023 ≈ 12:30 - 3:30

Admission \$30.00

Northbury Hotel, 50 Brady St., Sudbury

If you would like a ticket, please **contact Liz Mantler** by May 21/2023
(705) 969-4007

Collection for the Pope's Pastoral Works - May 21st, 2023

The *Pope's Pastoral Works Collection* was established by the bishops of Canada in 1970. The Papal Charities allow the Pope to contribute to various charitable causes around the world, particularly toward aiding the victims of war, famine and natural disasters. The Pope's Pastoral Works displays Christ's love and compassion for people in desperate need.



By contributing to this collection, the faithful of Canada give a universal dimension to their charity.

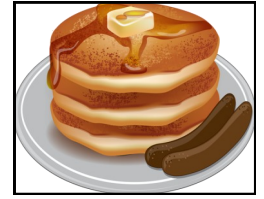
A special envelope for this collection has been provided in your envelope donation boxes. If you do not have a box of envelopes, but would still like to contribute., put the donation in any envelope, marked with your name & address, and 'Pope's Pastoral Works'.

Pancake & Sausage Breakfast at OLP!

Pancake & sausage breakfast

Sunday, June 4th, 2023

10:30am - 1:30pm



Our Lady of Peace Church in Capreol - Hosted by Capreol CWL
We would love to have you join us ~ Free will offering ~

Parish Pastoral Council Members Needed

St. Kevin's Parish offers many different opportunities for returning our gifts of time and talent to God. As stewards of God-given skills and abilities, volunteering in a ministry or organization provides a way to thank God, share our faith with others, and enhance our community.

At this time, we are looking for 2 additional parishioners, to serve on our Parish Pastoral Council (PPC). To ensure we continue to have representation from across our parish service area, we are asking for new members who reside in the Capreol area.

The PPC meets quarterly, and is an advisory body, chaired by our pastor Fr. Rex. The PPC members work closely with the pastor to help develop & grow plans for the pastoral programs and activities of the parish.

For more information, or to express your interest, please speak directly to Fr. Rex, or call the office to provide your name and contact information.



Have You Considered Our Pre-Authorized Donation Program?

Summer is fast approaching, and with that opportunities to vacation and spend time at camp. This is a great time to consider signing up for our Pre-Authorized Donation Program (PADP), as it will help ensure that donations continue to flow into the parish on a regular basis, while you may be absent from the parish.

Forms and information are available in the foyers of our churches, and you are invited to contact the office with any questions you may have. Forms can be returned to the office, or placed in the collection basket in an envelope addressed to 'Mary, Office'.

MONEY TALK

A few weeks ago, Mark Patterson, the chair of our Financial Committee, spoke to parishioners of St. Kevin's Parish, about the financial condition of our parish. He explained the challenges we face, due in large part to a decrease in donations over the past few years and thro Covid, and an increase in the cost of maintaining & operating our buildings. For 2023, we are projecting a shortfall of \$60,000, based on our day-to-day expenses; the budget does not take into consideration any extras monies needed for large repair projects.

A big thank you to all the parishioners who came forward after Mark's talk, and who were interested in helping with fundraising. An initial meeting of the group has already been held to brainstorm & discuss implementation of some fundraising ideas. In the near future, they will be reaching out to you, our parishioners, and asking for your help. See the list of committee members and our first projects on next page.

In the past, only the income for each month has been shared on an on-going basis. In order to better keep parishioners informed of what this actually means in terms of our financial condition, the income will be shared quarterly (instead of monthly), and it will be compared to the budget for the same period. Below is information for the 1st quarter of 2023.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call the office & speak to Mary, the secretary / bookkeeper.

Collection Type	Actual 2023 Jan 1 - March 31	Budget - based on Last Year	Actual minus Budget
Sunday Collection Envelopes	35,844	32,200	
Sunday Collection Loose	961	1,000	
Heat/Utilities Envelopes	3,845	3,000	
Initial Offering Envelopes	839	800	
New Year's Day	1,620	1,500	
Total Collection Income	43,109	38500	4,609
Extra Money to meet budgeted expenses (25% of \$60,000 shortfall projected for year)		15,000	-15,000
TOTAL Shortfall to-date			-10,391
SK Knights of Columbus donation			8,000
Fundraising Income	None		
Total Shortfall after additional Income			-2,391

Introduction to Our Fundraising Committee

Members: Fr. Rex, Gail Crawford, Lara Foucault (Finance Committee), Pat Hinds, Joe Meuleman, Mary Moylan, Marlynn Paul, Brittany Pellerin, Carole & Denis Richard, Tyler Roberge (also Finance Committee), Jen Smith, Mary Catherine & Joe Tremblay.

Fundraising Projects: The initial fundraising projects we are working on - working the bingo in Val Caron, getting CN railroaders signed up for the CN Railroaders in the Community program, a GIANT yard sale for Saturday Sept 9th during Valley East Days, and a family bbq & fun day Aug 26th.

We know that there are likely many of our parishioners with great ideas, experience & skills that could assist us in raising these much needed funds - please do not hesitate to share any of your ideas with any committee member. Together we can do this!

Aug 26th - Parish BBQ & Fun Day - Mark your calendars

This is an event which in the past, has been a great success in both building parish community & fundraising, and we would like to make it so again! Invite your family & friends.

Could you spare even a few hours to help out? We need volunteers to join our sub-committee to start some planning, and will need more volunteers to help put those plans in place & help out on the day of the bbq.



To provide your name & contact information, please contact either Tyler Roberge 705-662-3525 or the office 705-969-3663. A sign-up sheet is also in the foyers of our churches.

Bingo Fundraising - Volunteers Needed

Help raise funds for St. Kevin's Parish, by working at Delta Bingo and Gaming in Val Caron! The commitment would be for a couple of hours, once a month. If you are interested contact: Joe Meulman at 705-690-6825 or the office 705-969-3663.

CN Railroaders in the Community Program

For your convenience, copies of a form to record your hours, have been printed & are available in the foyer. For more information, or to sign up, please contact Gail:

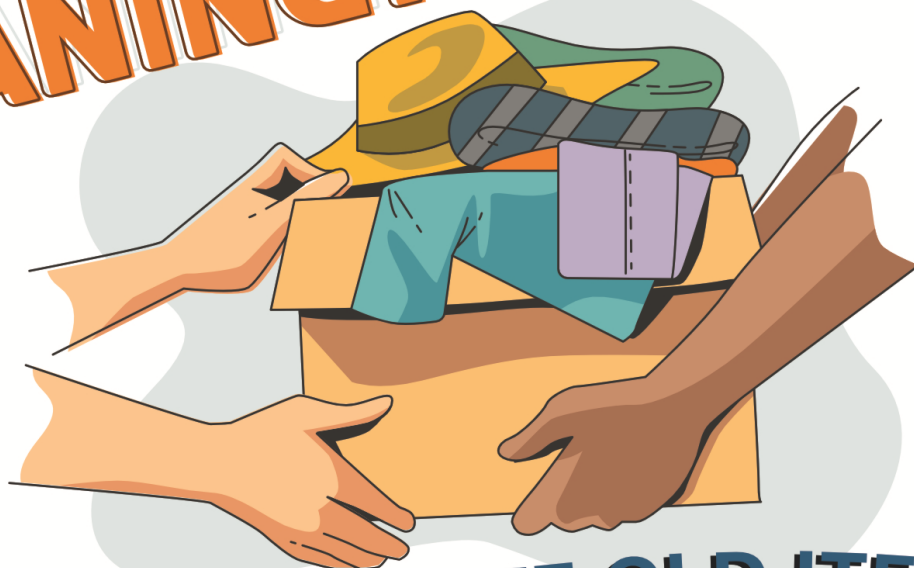
Gail Crawford: 705-665-0222, mrsgmc1947@gmail.com

Or the office 705-969-3663



**WE WANT
YOUR OLD
STUFF!**

**SPRING
CLEANING?**



**LOOKING TO DONATE OLD ITEMS?
WE WANT IT!**

Parishioners from St. Kevin's in Val Therese and Our Lady of Peace in Capreol are fundraising for a Fall Yard Sale!

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS
YARD SALE**

SATURDAY

SEPT. 9

We are starting our collection early so we can bring everyone the best Fall Yard Sale yet!

WE WILL COME TO YOUR HOME AND PICK UP ANY GENTLY USED ITEMS YOU ARE PLANNING ON GETTING RID OF.

INSTEAD OF KICKING THOSE ITEMS TO THE CURB, CALL US!

**Brittany
705.207.6307**

**Denis & Carole
705.662.8263**

**Jen Smith
705.690.9703**

**PLEASE SHARE THIS INFORMATION WITH
ALL YOUR FAMILY & FRIENDS!**

The Ascension of the Lord

May 21st, 2023



For the grace of discipleship: that through the words of Jesus and the example of the early disciples we may discover how to help others to come to know the risen Lord and to live as disciples.

We pray to the Lord.

For the Church: that, empowered by the Spirit, we may faithfully give witness to the Gospel and continue Christ's mission of bringing hope and healing to those in need

We pray to the Lord.

For all the peoples and nations of the world: may Christ draw all together in trust and reconciliation. May hearts divided be united in a common desire for peace.

We pray to the Lord.

For all who are struggling financially, particularly single parents: that God will give them hope, guide them to the resources that they need, and help them find safe employment.

We pray to the Lord.

For the sick and suffering members of our Parish family, and most especially for those who have been commended to our prayers through our Parish Prayer Ministry.

We pray to the Lord.

For our brothers and sisters who have died in Christ, especially, Glenda Yanchuk and Doris Labelle; and for the family members and friends who mourn their passing and await their rising.

We pray to the Lord.



[Jesus said], "You will receive power
when the holy Spirit comes upon
you, and you will be my witnesses...
to the ends of the earth."

ACTS 1:8

Power Unmasked

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

When the Lone Ranger and Tonto rode across our TV screens in days of old, someone would often ask, "Who was that masked man?" Folks never learned his identity, and it didn't matter. For that man had saved them from evil, restoring their lives. In a sense, the Ranger, with Tonto, had passed on to them the power to live safely and productively.

As he was about to return to his Father, the risen Lord said to the apostles, "You will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you, and you will be my witnesses" (Acts 1:8). Yet being blessed with the power that raised the Lord Jesus does not always feel much like a blessing. At times it can feel more like a burden that falls upon our shoulders, one to heal and mend as we try to bring peace and a better world. We wonder why we always must be the one who says, "I'm sorry." Why must we always be the one who plans the evening out or writes the Christmas cards or calls Mom or spends time with the children or listens to someone's tale of woe? Yet such is the power of Jesus for bringing about healing to both spirits and bodies, for creating joy, for designing bridges into the hearts of others, all because the Messiah rode off on a cloud of silver to be welcomed to the right hand of God. Thus, he empowers us. ●

Reflect

Have you ever been surprised by the good God has brought about through you?