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LOVE

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

MOTHERS' DAY

MAY 13, 2012

(Unless otherwise mentioned, all weekday Masses are at 9 AM)

- Monday, May 14** SPECIAL INT OF ALEX & MARY BANGA
⇒ ⇒ ⇒ ⇒ 7:00 P M
- Tuesday, May 15** INTENTIONS OF FR. PRINCE KURISINKAL by St. Louis Parish
10:30 A M Hospital
⇒ ⇒ ⇒ ⇒ 7:30 P M Prayers for Therese (Terry) Baker
- Wednesday, May 16** NO DAILY MASS
⇒ ⇒ ⇒ ⇒ 2:00 P M Funeral Mass of Therese (Terry) Baker
- Thursday, May 17** † HELEN ELLERT by Lynn Rogers
7:00 P M PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING
- Friday, May 18** † LOUIS LEBLANC by Patrick Wolfe
- Saturday, May 19** † LARRY KLEIN by Mary Kesslering & Family
7:30 P M SUNDAY MASS ~ ASSINIBOIA
- Sunday, May 20** 9:00 AM SUNDAY MASS ~ MOSSBANK
11:00 AM SUNDAY MASS ~ ASSINIBOIA
ASCENSION OF THE LORD

RECONCILIATION : Before Masses or anytime by appointment

MARRIAGES : Contact priest at least 6 months prior

BAPTISMS : Contact priest 2 months prior

House Blessings By Appointment



Fr. Joy Montague, Pastor

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Sixth Sunday of Easter: May 13th

Jesus' commandment is that His disciples love one another, even to the point of laying down their lives, if necessary. What gifts of myself - my skills and talents, my time and resources - will best demonstrate my love for God's people?

The Parish needs your help ! We need a chairperson for the building committee & a contact person for Pro-Life. Contact Paul Lewans or Fr. Joy - Please and Thank You !

Please pray for PAIGE CHOW, with cancer, 9-yr-old niece of Howard & Maureen Ellis. THANK YOU !!



Let us hold in prayer the family and friends of the dearly departed, especially : **TERRY BAKER and FATHER FERNAND DUCHARME.** Father Ducharme's funeral took place at Ponteix on Sat., May 12th. Terry Baker's Prayers Tues., at 7:30 P M and Funeral Mass Wed., at 2:00 P M.

FR. PRINCE KURISINKAL is becoming, in his own words, "a Real Canadian", on Wed., May 16th, at a special ceremony in Moose Jaw. Mass will be for his intentions, Tues., May 15th, at the Hospital, 10:30 AM, by St. Louis Parish.

Hey Moms! Since May is the month when we traditionally celebrate motherhood, why not take some time to nurture your vocation as Mom? The Archdiocesan Resource Centre has many awesome books that can guide you, nourish you and make you feel great about being a Mom. Available to borrow free of charge, these books can be seen and booked on-line at www.archregina.sk.ca . Or feel free to call Teresa at 352-1651 ext. 238, email twhalenlux@archregina.sk.ca or come in and browse at 445 Broad St.N.

A 24 Hour Discernment Walk on Religious Life & Priesthood, from Bellevue to the St Laurent Shrine (Only 18km)

Join us on this 24 hour retreat/pilgrimage for men & women (18-35 yrs) curious about a vocation to religious life or priesthood. Walk, talk and pray with priests and sisters as you reflect on God's call. Food and Lodging provided. Yellow poster on bulletin board.

Annual Pilgrimage at Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine—Poster at the back of church

St. Peter's Colony, near Kronau, SK. (Hwys. 48 and 33 East of Regina) Sunday, August 12th, 2012 Join us and help advertise this annual event in our Archdiocese.

Contact: Laura (781-2222) or Audrey (781-2947). E-mail: stpeterskronau@gmail.com

2012 Bouncing Baby Bottle Campaign and Shower Campaign

**These 2 campaigns run from
Mother's Day, May 13^h, 2012 to
Father's day, June 17th, 2012.**

All funds raised go to the OptionS Pregnancy Center which provides a place where woman can come and not be judged for being in an unplanned pregnancy. The Center strives to let the woman know she is valued and cared about no matter what her choice. At OptionS they have found that a woman can make a better decision for herself and her baby when she realizes her self-worthy. The outreach program provides services to women in southern Saskatchewan, Regina.

**Please pick up your baby bottle
for collecting money after
Mass.**

**Please place your baby items in
the bassinette at the back of the
church.**

**Thank you for Your
Continued Support!**
Hosted by the CWL.

Assiniboia & District Pro-Life annual meeting and report on the provincial annual pro-life conference - Monday, May 14, 2012, at the Messiah Lutheran Church, beginning at 7:00 p.m.

All interested people are welcome.
Please bring a few goodies to have with coffee after the meeting.

CWL

Sask. Provincial Convention

June 4 & 5, 2012

Church of Our Lady, Moose Jaw

Deadline - May 17th

Contact - Irene Montgomery

ASSINIBOIA CENTENNIAL CHOIR

PRACTICES STARTING

TUESDAY MAY 22, 2012

♪ ♪ 7:30 pm ♪ ♪

ASSINIBOIA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

ALL SINGERS WELCOME

ALL AGES AND EXPERIENCE

CONTACT DIANE RHODES

♪ ♪ 640-8098 ♪ ♪

FOR DETAILS

WE NEED YOU!

Saturday / Sunday Ministries

Saturday, MAY 19

Collection	Please Volunteer
Greeters & Offerings	Gaylene Lewis & Family
Rosary Leaders	Ron Scheltgen
Readers	Al Farwell Hayden Hodges
Communion Ministers	Janice Erfle Carla Leduc
Cross Bearer Candle Bearers Altar Servers	KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Sunday, MAY 20

Collection	Please Volunteer
Greeters & Offerings	Rene & Therese Chabot
Rosary Leaders	Aime Morin Hazel Major
Readers	Michele Hoffos Jackie Moneo
Communion Ministers	Carole & Walt Agopsowicz Rene Chabot
Cross Bearer	William Grondin
Candle Bearers	Josh Martel Demora Soerensen
Altar Servers	Rose Delorme Victoria Grondin

Church Finances

Saturday Collection May 5 - \$ 448.00
Sunday Collection May 6 - \$ 1875.01
Vocation Sunday - \$ 123.00

Thank You !



May 13, 2012

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Acts 10:25-26, 34-35, 44-48 / 1 Jn 4:7-10 / Jn 15:9-17

Could there be any sweeter words in the English language than "I love you"? OK, perhaps "Would you like some free chocolate?" are a very close second (or for salt-loving types like my husband, "Hot buttered popcorn coming right up!") But whether the words are between grandchild and grandparent, people falling in love, or friends after an argument, they are tender and powerful and can be life-changing.

How often, though, do we let ourselves hear God saying these words to us? We think of "I love you" as being exchanged most regularly between humans or from us to God. But do we remember, in an ongoing way, how much God loves us? We hear this clearly from John in our second reading and from Jesus in the Gospel. We're told pointedly that any love we show comes first from the love God has for us.

Before we ever knew God, God loved us. Before we ever did anything meaningful, before we ever spoke a word, before we ever emerged from our mother's womb, God loved us. God loved us simply because we existed and because we belonged to God. It can be a bit overwhelming to think about—perhaps that's why we don't always let ourselves remember this love.

But in today's readings, Jesus firmly challenges us to "Remain in my love." Remaining in God's love means not ignoring the deep love God has for us. It means choosing actions each day that reflect that love rather than straying from it. It means trusting that even in our moments of feeling most unlovable, God truly loves and treasures us.

Hear those words from God today—I love you—and let their sweetness transform you.

Janel Esker

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