



**May: Dedicated to
The Blessed Virgin Mary**

The Memorare is a prayer that reminds us that we have a wonderful advocate and protector in the mother of our Lord, the Blessed Virgin Mary

REMEMBER, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession was left unaided. Inspired with this confidence, I fly to thee, O Virgin of virgins, my Mother; to thee do I come; before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me. Amen.





Calling all Holy Name Hikers!

40th ANNUAL HIKE FOR LIFE

The Hike for Life has been a popular event for 40 years! It welcomes all levels of participants and has raised more than \$2,000,000 supporting the Respect for Life programs presented to thousands of students (grades 5-12) in schools, at clubs and associations in Calgary and surrounding areas.

Support the **Holy Name Hikers** by making a donation and/or collecting pledges, and doing a 'virtual' 10K Hike for Life (1.5 - 2 hours) on your own, or safely with your family, in your own neighbourhood anytime **from now until May 31, 2020**.

All proceeds fund the two life-affirming, educational pro-life programs for the next year: "Respect You: You Matter" (self-respect) and "Respect Life: You are a Miracle" (fetal development)

Individuals as well as families of hikers are encouraged to wear their Hike for Life t-shirts from past hikes and walk a route of their choosing, in their neighbourhood, to support a culture of life.

Visit: <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/calgary-pro-life-association/p2p/hikeforlife>

You may also drop off pledges / donations at the Holy Name Parish Office

Keep in Touch!

Facebook:  @holynamecalgary - main source for updated information and video messages

Website: www.holynameparish.org - recent bulletin, Fr. Mario's messages and updated information

Email: Fr. Mario is now sending out a weekly message so check your email for an invite. The subject heading is "Father Mario's Message Subscription".

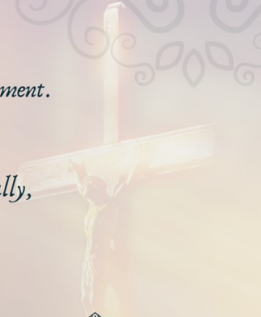

Phone: Feel free to call the Parish Office at 403-249-7764

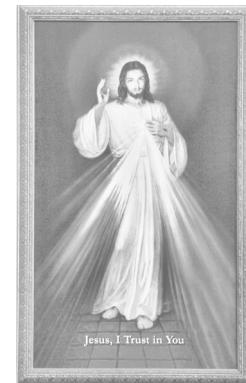
SPiritual COMMUNION

Prayer

MY JESUS,

*I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace You as if You were already there
and unite myself wholly to You.
Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.*



HOLY NAME CHURCH

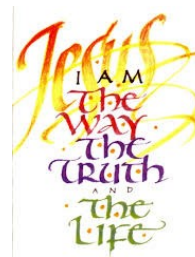
**Fifth Sunday of Easter
May 10th 2020**



Connection

Today's Gospel takes us back in time to an event in Jesus' life before his Passion. Jesus tells his disciples that he is going to prepare a place for them in his Father's house. He promises that where he is going, his disciples will be able to follow. Thomas, who will later doubt the disciples' reports that they have seen the Risen Lord, contradicts Jesus by saying that the disciples don't know where Jesus is going or how to get there. Jesus explains that he himself is the way, the truth, and the life. In knowing and loving Jesus, the disciples now love God the Father.

Philip then makes a request that challenges Jesus' words. Philip wants Jesus to show the Father to the disciples. Recall that Jesus has just told his disciples, "If you know me, then you will also know my Father. From now on you do know him and have seen him." As a good teacher, Jesus responds to Philip by repeating and elaborating on what he has just told the disciples: they have seen and known Jesus, so they have seen and known the Father. Then Jesus offers another reassurance about his departure: because of faith in God and in Jesus, the disciples will do the work that Jesus has done and more.



The connection between Jesus and his Father, between Jesus' work and the work of the Father, is made clear in today's Gospel. Jesus is in the Father, and God the Father is in Jesus. As God spoke his name to Moses, "I am," so too Jesus speaks his name to his disciples: "I am the way and the truth and the life."

The revelation of the Trinity is completed in the passage that follows today's reading, and it is the Gospel for next Sunday. Because Jesus goes away, the Father will send in Jesus' name the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, who will continue the work of the Father and of Jesus.

~ Loyola Press

PARISH INFORMATION

Holy Name Mass Schedule

All public Masses are Cancelled throughout the Diocese of Calgary indefinitely until the COVID-19 situation improves.

Sarcee Nursing Home Mass

Cancelled

Rosary

Cancelled

Reconciliation

By appointment only

Parish Office Hours

Monday - Friday

9:30 AM - 12:00 PM & 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Bulletin Submissions


Due by Wednesday at 12:00 PM

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Holy Name Church - Charity Number

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READINGS

May 10 - Fifth Sunday of Easter

Acts 6.1-7

They chose seven men who were full of the Holy Spirit.

1 Peter 2.4-9

You are called to be a chosen race, a royal priesthood.

John 14.1-12

I am the way, and the truth, and the life.

May 17 - Sixth Sunday of Easter

Acts 8.5-8, 14-17

Peter and John laid their hands on them, and they received the Holy Spirit.

1 Peter 3.15-18

Christ was put to death in the flesh but made alive in the spirit.

John 14.15-21

I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

“The stone which the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.” 1 PETER 2:7

Everyone is given unique gifts. Many people are able to recognize their talents and abilities, but there are many people who are unsure of their gifts. This may make them feel worthless. If you know someone who is struggling for a direction in life, give them a little encouragement. Help them discern how they might use their skills. No gift is too small or insignificant.

OFFERINGS

Envelopes: May 3, 2020

Parish Support	\$	4,438.60
Building Fund	\$	1,160.00
Holy Name Cares	\$	465.00
Together in Action	\$	360.00
Holy Land	\$	30.00
Pope's Pastoral Works	\$	40.00
Seminarian Fund	\$	45.00

- Set up an Automatic Donation Call Parish Office for details
- Donate online at catholiccyyc.ca/give
- Drop off or mail your contribution envelope to the Parish Office



Thank-you for your continued financial support!

HOLY MASS INTENTIONS

May 9 - 17, 2020

			Fr. John		Fr. Mario
Sat	May 9	RIP	Nick DiLello	SI	Luke & Donna Gamache & Family
Sun	May 10	RIP	Rudy Karakochuk	SI	Parish
Mon	May 11		Available to book	SI	Kelsey Gamache
Tues	May 12	RIP	Bernie & Emma Walz	SI	Krystyn Lozier
Wed	May 13	RIP	Conchita Ella	SI	Taylor Lozier
Thu	May 14	RIP	Sebastian Llanes	SI	Marcia Lozier
Fri	May 15	RIP	Liza Marku	SI	The Poor & Marginalized of the World
Sat	May 16	RIP	Margaret Choo & Peter Lim	SI	Shelagh Toole
Sun	May 17	SI	Alissa & Konrad Paley	SI	Parish

Booking Holy Mass Intentions

Fr. Mario and Fr. John are each saying Mass daily in their homes. The Mass intentions that have been previously booked for the coming months are being offered as scheduled by Fr. John.

Holy Mass Intentions can now be scheduled with Fr. Mario and they can be offered this week and in the coming weeks.

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

Fr. Rodel Abanto
Wesley Almond
Barb Arthur
Jerome Bulanda
Ruth Callaghan
Mary Carlin
Myrna Castro
Jens Christiansen
Tracy Duerr
Elizabeth
Giuseppina Franceschin
Helen Fuller
Krystyna Ganowicz
Noel Gaudet
Antonio Gialleonardo
Nancy Hreiskevich
Nancy Ann Hreiskevich
Hugh Huck
Tony Iuliani
Marianne Jager

Richard Krickler
Marie McCormic
Liz Mendonsa
Lisa Miller
Faye Muscoby
Kimberly Noll
Bob Osborne
Darryl Ouano
Romeo Ouano
Tom Reid
Greg Reimer
Susie Reimer
John Ryan
Patricia Ryan
Ryan Sampson
Chris Sullivan
Reece Tibbitt
Johanna VanDenAkker
Irene Wahl



Those who have died: Phyllis Marks, Tom Pottie-Pate

MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Yard Work Volunteers Needed!

In an effort to dramatically cut expenses, Holy Name has had to cancel our regular lawn maintenance contract. The task of maintaining the lawns surrounding our church will be taken on by our new **Yard Work Committee**, led by Martin Kraemer, who will create a schedule of volunteers to assist in cutting the lawn surrounding the church.



Please consider sharing your time and talent and help us to maintain our beautiful church yard.

Contact **Martin Kraemer** at: **587-703-8610** or email at: **m_s_kraemer@yahoo.ca**



Holy Name Cares

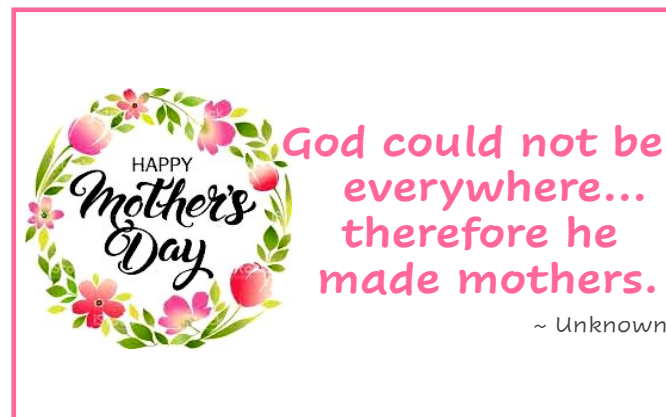
We will continue to provide our much - needed emergency 3-day food hampers as long as we have food available, and strive to do so in the safest manner possible, observing all Alberta Health Service guidelines in our pantry and for our volunteers and clients. We ask for your ongoing support through monetary donations, which will receive a tax receipt.



We hope that when this passes, we will be able to share in the bounty of your pantries of unused food supplies. In the interim, please offer up your prayers of support for our ministry and those most vulnerable to or already affected by the Covid-19 virus.

Do You Have Loved Ones in the Hospital?

When you can't visit the hospital, here's a link to send well wishes to patients. Your kind words of encouragement will be delivered by the volunteers of Alberta Health Services and Covenant Health facilities. Visit: <https://www.albertahealthservices.ca/info/wellwishes.aspx>



Jesus, our way – guide me in life;
Jesus, our truth – teach me your meaning of life;
Jesus, our life – love me always.

THINGS YOU CAN DO...

Visit the Church

Holy Name Church is open, during office hours, for prayer before the blessed sacrament in the tabernacle.

Holy Mass

Weekday Mass is live-streamed from St. Peter's Church Monday to Saturday at 8:30am; www.st-peters.ca/live. Sunday Mass is live-streamed from St. Mary's Cathedral at 10:00am with Bishop McGrattan; www.catholiccyyc.ca

Sacrament of Penance

Confessions are available by appointment only; contact the Parish Office for details.

Spiritual Communion

When it is not possible to receive communion it is beneficial to cultivate in your heart a constant desire for the Sacrament. The prayer from St. Alphonsus of Liguori (bulletin pg4) can help you to make this act of spiritual communion.

Read the Scripture

A link to the daily Mass readings is available through the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops; CCCB.ca

Pray the Liturgy of the Hours

Also known as the Prayer of the Church; it is available without a subscription at <http://universalis.com/>

Do Spiritual Reading

Rosary and other Devotional Prayers

Dispensation from Sunday Obligation

“In the interest of preventing the further spread of COVID-19 and to safeguard the health and well being of the Faithful, I, William T. McGrattan, the Bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Calgary, dispense all Catholics in the Diocese of Calgary from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass indefinitely.”

Sign up for **Diocesan Alerts** Email List

These alerts provide critical and time-sensitive information to parishioners from the Bishop and Pastoral Centre about evolving and significant changes or events. Subscribe to receive alerts at: calgarydiocese.ca



Holy Name's target is to raise **\$37,313.00**

To date we have collected **\$9,214.40**.

Donations will be accepted until **December 31, 2020**.

Any monies raised over and above that amount will be allocated to the Holy Name Parish Building Fund.

