

LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary is a lay Catholic organization whose members are giving service to the Church on a voluntary basis around the world. We meet every week for one hour of intercessory prayer. Our service is to visit people in homes, seniors lodges and hospitals, working closely with our Priest. If you cannot attend meetings, you may join as an auxiliary member, and offer your service to the Church through Legion prayers. You are encouraged to become involved in the life of the Church. If you know of someone who needs a visit, or wants to join call Lorraine at 780-663-2017 or email bluelor44@gmail.com. O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to you.

FAITH FITNESS & FUN RUN/WALK

The 11th Annual Faith, Fitness & Fun Run/Walk takes place Saturday, May 28, 2016, on the grounds of St. Joseph Seminary and Newman Theological College located at 10012-84 Street, Edmonton at 10:00am.

To register, please visit runningroom.com, or take a brochure found at the church. Registration fee includes T-shirt, hospitality, prizes and fun.

Our parish is encouraged to participate!! The Knights of Columbus will be donating funds, this is a fun event for everyone-even the family dog!

The foundation of St. Joseph Seminary and Newman Theological College provides vital financial support for both institutions through the Fun Run/Walk and a variety of other fundraising initiatives throughout the year. Unlike other education institutions, they receive no government funding. It is the generosity of donors, sponsors and friends like you that enables them to thrive. If you cannot participate, consider sponsoring a runner/walker.

There is a fun run/walk group that meets on Wednesday evenings at 7:30pm outside St. Martin's Church. Contact Knights of Columbus Dan Clark at 780-603-5142 for more information. Everyone is encouraged to come out, we welcome strollers, and dogs. See you there.

THE MISSION TO MANY GROUP-VIKING

The Mission to Many group will be holding an Awareness Fundraiser Turkey Dinner on **Saturday, April 30th** at the Viking Community Hall.

The doors will be open at 5:00pm with music by the Ratte Family musicians. Supper will begin at 5:30pm followed by entertainment by singer/songwriter Amber Bauer.

We only hold our fundraiser dinners every second or third year. We would greatly appreciate your support. Tickets are \$35.00 per person and can be purchased from Brian Rozmahel, Patricia and Pres Winter, Mary and Arnold Hanson, and Karen Kolonosky. Thank you in advance for your support.

Roman Catholic Churches of St. Martin of Tours Holy Heart of Mary and St. Gregory

Pastor: Fr. Michael Schumacher

Secretaries: Denise Komick, Charlotte Hrynyk

Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday

9:30am to 3:30pm

Thursday: 1:00pm to 4:00pm

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Weekend Mass Times:

Saturday: 4:30 pm

1st & 3rd Sunday: 9:00am

2nd & 4th Sunday: 11:15am

5th Sunday: 11:15am

Weekday* Mass Times:

Tuesday: 9:00am

St. Joseph's Hospital

Wednesday: 9:00 am

*may change, please check
monthly calendars

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:45 pm or by
appointment.

Children's Liturgy

During Sunday Mass,
except July and August.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Sacrament of Reconciliation

1st Friday of each month

Holy Heart of Mary

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Weekend Mass Times:

2nd & 4th Saturday: 6:30pm

1st & 3rd Sunday: 11:15 am

5th Sunday: 9:00am

Weekday* Mass Times:

2nd and 3rd Thursday/Lodges

St. Gregory

4824 49 Avenue

Holden, AB T0B 2C0

Phone: (780)688-2465

Weekend Mass Times:

1st & 3rd Saturday: 6:30 pm

2nd & 4th Sunday: 9:00 am

5th Saturday: 6:30 pm

Weekday* Mass Times:

2nd Tuesday 2pm at Lodge

Mass and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Sac- rament of Reconciliation

1st Thursday 4:00pm

APRIL 24, 2016 5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

The Road to Discipleship: Glory, service and love

Discipleship in Christ is demanding. It calls us beyond our comfort zones to places we do not easily choose to go. After Judas left, Jesus instructed his disciples—through his words and witness—how they are to proceed. He foretells his glorification by God. He calls each to love one another as he has loved them ... even unto death. To let go of selfish egos and hardness of heart, and to fully embrace God and neighbor frees and transfigures us. However, to the world (and the ego) that love looks like failure. It feels like suffering. Mother Teresa said, "I have found the paradox that if you love until it hurts, there can be no more hurt, only more love."

*Week-day mass times may
change, please check the
bulletin or the monthly calendar



If you are new to our parishes please fill out a **New Parishioner Form**.

We continue to pray for: Florence Bosse, Elsie Mochnach, Mary Heisler, Mike Dmytryk, Ed Sokalski, Vivian Prestash, Paulette Ryan, John Stetsko, Lavonne Leeson, Lucyna Osko, Daggan Newman, Irene Poulin, Bill Smolak, Billy Yaremko, Laughlyn McMaster, Jesse J. Sams, Linda Myshaniuk.

And continue to pray for the Holy perseverance of the Seminarians in our Archdiocese

Let us remember in our prayers, our priests who have died during the month of April.

MASS SCHEDULE

VEGREVILLE, St. Martin of Tours

Saturday April 30, 2016 Mass 4:30pm

Sunday May 1, 2016 Mass 9:00am

HOLDEN, St. Gregory the Great

Saturday April 30, 2016 Mass 6:30pm

VIKING, Holy Heart of Mary

Sunday May 1, 2016 Mass 11:15am



Congratulations to all the Children in our Parish who received their First Holy Communion on Saturday April 23, 2016.. May Jesus continue to fill you with his grace.

HISTORY WITH THE SAINTS

Friday May 20, 2016	7:00pm
Friday June 3, 2016	7:00pm
Friday June 24, 2016	7:00pm



ST. MARTIN OF TOURS YOUTH GROUP

Sunday May 1, 2016	6:30pm-8:30pm	Scavenger Hunt
Sunday May 15, 2016	6:30pm-8:30pm	Eucharist
Sunday June 5, 2016	6:30pm	Year End BBQ

Meeting times and subject will be posted each month.



READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY MAY 1, 2016

1st Reading: Acts 15. 1-2, 22-29

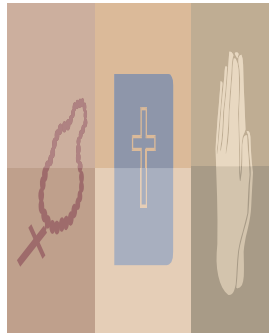
2nd Reading: Revelation 21. 10-14, 22-23

Gospel Reading: John 14. 23-29

DEVOTIONAL ACTIVITIES

The Rosary

1st Monday of the Month	6:15pm	Vegreville St. Michael's Manor
2nd Monday of the Month	6:00pm	Vegreville Heritage House
4th Monday of the Month	6:30pm	Mundare Fr. Filas Manor
1st Tuesday of the Month	11:15am	Vegreville Care Centre
Every Wednesday	1:00pm	Mundare Fr. Filas Manor
Every Thursday	5:45pm	Mundare Mary Immaculate



ST. VINCENT de PAUL – VEGREVILLE

"Love the poor and your life will be filled with sunlight-and you will not fear the hour of death". The monthly collection for our Society of St. Vincent de Paul will take place next Sunday May 1, 2016 during Mass. Donations of non perishable food items or contributions to the poor box are gratefully accepted. Thank you in advance for your generous contributions.