

Our Lady of Fatima (Redvers)
St. Maurice (Bellegarde)
St. Anthony (Storthoaks)



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May 19, 2024—Pentecost!

Mass Schedule

- Mon, May 20, 9:00 a.m.**
+John Revet by Charles/Anita Henrion
- Tues, May 21, 7:30 p.m.**
+Cecile Chicoine by Jerome/Carol Poirier
- Wed, May 22, 9:00 a.m.**
+Millie Culbertson by Gilbert Couture
- Thurs, May 23, 7:30 p.m.**
+Holy Souls in Purgatory
- Fri, May 24, 9:30 a.m. (Estates)**
+Charles Tinant by Lucille Tinant
- Sat, May 25, 7:00 p.m. (Bellegarde)**
+Poirier/+Beriault Families by Joe/Irene Poirier
- Sun, May 26, 9:00 a.m. (Storthoaks)**
Special Intentions by Richard Chicoine
- Sun, May 26, 10:45 a.m. (Redvers)**
Pro Populo



Liturgical Ministries (Redvers)

To ensure your name is still on a ministries list or to volunteer contact Carol Poirier (452-8397).

Sunday, May 26, 10:45 a.m.

Hospitality

Matthew/Bryanna Lemieux Family

Lectors

Ron/Janelle Martin

Collection

Raymond Lamotte
Emile Magotiaux
Linden Poirier
Seth Poirier

Communion

Denis Quennelle



Redvers

Pastoral Council Chairperson

Marc Wolensky 306-840-7282

Parish Hall Bookings

Anita Colleaux: 306-452-3868

Caretaker

Coralie Wolensky



Bellegarde

Pastoral Council Chairperson

Guy Poirier: 306-840-7744



Storthoaks

Pastoral Council Chairperson

Richard Chicoine: 449-2231

Parish Hall Bookings

Monique Dumaine: 449-2237

Please Pray For...

- ◆ **+Millie Culbertson**, whose funeral was held at Our Lady of Fatima, Redvers on Mon, May 13. May her soul, and all the souls of the Faithful Departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace!
- ◆ **Kennedy Poirier/Morgan Robertson**—who were received into the fullness of the Catholic faith through the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Eucharist at Our Lady of Fatima, Redvers on Sunday, May 19. May a life of faith in the living God lead them always in the ways of holiness.
- ◆ **Philomena Mary-Ann Raes**—daughter of James/Catherine Raes, who was baptized at Our Lady of Fatima, Redvers on Sunday, May 19. May the saving grace of the Holy Trinity sanctify her and her family always.
- ◆ **Nadia Dekeyser, Stefanie Harlos, Eli Lemieux, Abigail Reimer, Rita Walshon, Michael Waro, Amelia Whitrow**—May our children who will be Confirmed and receive their First Holy Communion at Our Lady of Fatima, Redvers on Sunday, May 26 always grow with their families in faith and love of Christ and his Church.
Note: A luncheon/reception will follow the celebration next Sunday to which everyone is invited!



Blessing of Seeds—You may bring a sample of seeds and place them at the foot of the altar, that they may be blessed for your fields/gardens. Let us pray for the Lord's favour, grace in abundance, forgiveness of our sins, protection from all calamities, a fruitful season with a bountiful harvest. In all things, may we be thankful!

Meetings...

- ◆ **Tues, May 21, 7:30 p.m. (Redvers)—Mass/Parish Council Meeting**
 - ◆ **Thurs, May 23, 7:30 p.m. (Redvers)—Mass/KC Meeting**
- ◆ **Sat, May 25, 10:00 a.m. (Redvers)—Sacramental Preparation/Rehearsal**
 - ◆ **Tues, May 28, 7:00 p.m. (Redvers)—Mass/CWL Meeting**



Mary, Mother of the Church

(Monday after Pentecost)

St. Paul VI, at the conclusion of the Third Session of the Second Vatican Council in 1964, declared the Blessed Virgin Mary as "Mother of the Church," that is to say of all Christian people, the faithful as well as the pastors, who call her the most loving Mother and established that "the Mother of God should be further honored and invoked by the entire Christian people by this tenderest of titles." But it was not until February 11, 2018, that the Congregation for Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments inscribed a new obligatory Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary as Mother of the Church, into the General Roman Calendar. This memorial is celebrated every year on the Monday after Pentecost, which is appropriate as Mary was also present in that room for the birthday of the Church. By issuing the Decree on the celebration of the feast of Mary, Mother of the Church, Pope Francis wishes to promote this devotion in order to "encourage the growth of the maternal sense of the Church in the pastors, religious and faithful, as well as a growth of genuine Marian piety."

The decree reflects on the history of Marian theology in the Church's liturgical tradition and the writings of the Church Fathers. It says Saint Augustine and Pope Saint Leo the Great both reflected on the Virgin Mary's importance in the mystery of Christ. "In fact the former [St. Augustine] says that Mary is the mother of the members of Christ, because with charity she cooperated in the rebirth of the faithful into the Church, while the latter [St. Leo the Great] says that the birth of the Head is also the birth of the body, thus indicating that Mary is at once Mother of Christ, the Son of God, and mother of the members of his Mystical Body, which is the Church." The decree says these reflections are a result of the "divine motherhood of Mary and from her intimate union in the work of the Redeemer." Scripture, the decree says, depicts Mary at the foot of the Cross (cf. Jn 19:25). There she became the Mother of the Church when she "accepted her Son's testament of love and welcomed all people in the person of the beloved disciple as sons and daughters to be reborn unto life eternal."