CONFIRMATION 2016

For CHILDREN 12 years or older and in Grade 6 or above Second Retreat:

Saturday, October 29th, 9:00-11:00am Third Retreat:

Saturday, November 5th, 9:00-11:00am Fourth Retreat:

Saturday, November 19th, 9:00-11:00am

For ADULTS, 18 years or older

Second Session:

Friday, October 21st, 7:00-9:00pm

Confirmation Celebration:

Friday, November 25th, 7:00pm

YOU GIVE THEM SOMETHING TO EAT

One day Workshop for all who work with Youth - Young Adults, theme: "You Give Them Something to Eat". The day will include prayer, talks and training. Our special guest speaker Daniel Nugent will provide training on Theology of the Body (TOB); this will equip you with tools to help the young people navigate the why behind the what of Catholic sexual morality. Music, YouTube, DVD's, books incorporated to enthusiastically support and equip Youth Leaders to communicate IPII's message of TOB to Teens! October 29, 2016 at St. Anthony's Parish from **9:00am to 4:30pm**. The cost is \$40 and includes lunch. Please call Harriett Cariaga at the Youth Office to register at 403-218-5507 or email Harriett.Cariaga@calgarydiocese.ca

THE SACRED HEART PARISH MISSION

The mission be coming to St. Anthony's Parish, Calgary, October 16th - 19th, 7.00 pm - 8:00 pm led by Redemptorist Missionaries Fr. William Gaffney and Gloria Anson. It addresses the greatest crisis in the church today, the breakdown of family life, by enthroning Christ as King of our households. It will feature reflections, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, hymns and the chance to socialize.

All are welcome, especially children.

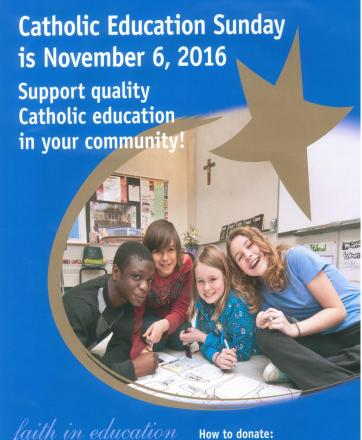
Calgary Premier screening of the film "Over18: A documentary about Pornography"

The statistics pertaining to our children's exposure to pornography online are alarming. The CWL will be hosting the film screening of this documentary by filmmakers Jared and Michelle Brock. The Calgary premier will be at Canadian Martyrs Parish, 835 Northmount Dr. NW on October 29, 2016 at **6:30pm**. There will be a Q&A with filmmaker, Jared Brock, after the movie. Additional screenings will be held in November. For more details please contact Marilou.Legeyt@calgarydiocese.ca or 403-218-5519.

RETREAT DAY FOR MEN: THREE KEYS TO CONFIDENCE IN AN AGE OF CONFUSION

Saturday Oct. 22nd, 9am to 4pm, at the FCJ Christian Life Centre, 219 – 19 Ave SW, Calgary. A retreat day of personal dialogue on the journey of psychological and spiritual maturity, contemplation and union with Christ. More info & to register, call 403-218-5501. Cost is \$50.00 and includes lunch.

RED MASS - In honour of judges, the legal profession, and the administration of justice. Oct. 26, 2016 at 5:00 pm, St. Mary's Cathedral, Presiding: Bishop Frederick Henry. Reception to follow. Guest Speaker: Fr. Stefano Penna (Newman Theological College). All are welcome. To register email: Geoff Adair (geoff.adair@blakes.com) or Tom Ross (tross@mross.com)



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October 16, 2016

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

ST. MARK'S PARISH

5552 Madigan Drive N.E. Calgary, AB T2A 4P2

Phone: 403-273-2266 Fax: 403-235-5887 Parish Website: www.stmarkrcchurch.ca **Office Hours**: Mon — Fri: 8:30 am - 12:00 pm

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Make the Sunday Eucharist a priority in your life

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Charisse Cilos

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Sunday Eucharist

Saturday: 5:00pm

Sunday: 8:00am, 10:00am, 12:00 (Noon) & 6:00pm

Weekdays

Monday & Wednesday: 7:00 pm

(Novena to our Lady recited after Mass on Wednesdays)

Tuesday, Thursday and Friday: 9:00am

Holy Hour with Mass, Adoration and Benediction every Friday at 9:00am and every **First Friday** at 9:00am and 7:00pm.

Reconciliation

Wednesday: 6:15-6:45pm

Saturday: 4:15pm-4:45pm or by appointment

WELCOME! New to St Mark's Parish?

Please take a moment to fill out the registration form located at the entrance and place in the collection basket during Mass. Or better yet, drop by the office during office hours, we'd love to meet you!

Baptism - Parents must be registered and practicing Catholics of St. Mark's Parish. Please obtain a copy of your child's birth certificate before contacting the parish. Baptism is every 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month.

First Eucharist - Children should be 7 years or older and in grade 2 or above. The pre-requisite for this sacrament is: Baptism.

Reconciliation - Children should be 8 years or older and in grade 3 or above. The pre-requisites for this sacrament are: Baptism and First Eucharist.

Confirmation - Children should be 12 years or older and in grade 6 or above. The pre-requisites for this sacrament are: Baptism, First Eucharist and Reconciliation.

R.C.I.A. - (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) If you or your friend wish to become a Roman Catholic, please phone the

Marriage - Please contact the office six months prior to the wedding date.

Masses For The Week Of October 17 to 23			
Mon	17	7:00pm	Andrew Manning
			Intentions of
			Kirby and Beth
Tues	18	9:00am	Wilburn Friesenhahn
			Thanksgiving Mass - Birthday
		•	Glenn Howard
Wed	19	7:00pm *	Betty Ryan
		•	For All Souls
Thurs	20	9:00am	John and Mary Vestering Thanksgiving Mass - 60th Wedding Anniversary
		•	Rosanne Koski
Fri	21	9:00am •	Lawrence & Theresa D'Souza
		•	Martha Cornelius
Sat	22	5:00pm	Intentions of
			Rod and Liza Anderson
Sun	23	8:00am	Missa Pro Populo
		10:00am	Intentions of
		TO:OOaiii	Abel and Isabel Rosales
		12:00nn	Intentions of
		12.001111	Allan and Kate Castelo
		6:00nm	Intentions of
		6:00pm	Sol and Heidi Rosales

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

When the Gon of Man comes, will he find faith on earth? (Lute 18.8)

Our church communities have no shortage of money, no lack of volunteers, no paucity of gifts. What many have is a faith problem. The Lord is a just judge.

Jesus assures us that if we have faith in Him, God will grant us justice.

TOGETHER IN ACTION COLLECTIONS

Week of October 9:

\$ 2,551.50

TIA to date:

\$ 20,556.35 \$ 28,104.29

Goal: Short: in Faith, \$
Together \$
in Action

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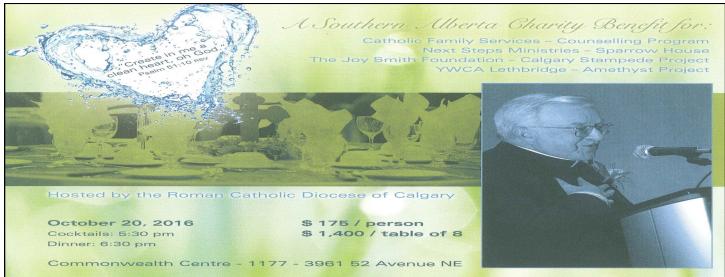
% of our Goal: 73.14

Should be at for Oct.: 83.33% or \$23,419.30 Thank you for your generous donations!

CATHOLIC SPEED DATING EVENT

Are you looking for a good Catholic man or woman? Visit www.CatholicSpeedDating.ca or call Rose at 587-333-1099 for more information and to **REGISTER** for our upcoming events.

Friday, November 18th at **St. Mark's Church** Age Range: Women 24 to 32 | Men 27 to 35



This year, the Bishop's Dinner is shining the light of Christ into the dark issues of human trafficking and pornography. Bishop Henry will give a keynote address speaking on having a Clean Heart. We hope you will join us to be challenged by Bishop's words but also to support our four amazing beneficiaries who are working to aid those impacted by these hard issues. Entertainment will be provided by the Stout Hearted Knights. Our 2016 beneficiaries are:Catholic Family Service's Counselling Program, Next Step Ministries' Sparrow House, The Joy Smith Foundation's 2017 Stampede Project and the YWCA Lethbridge's Amethyst Project. Contact Samantha Jones at samantha.jones@calgarydiocese.ca or 403-218-5531 for more.



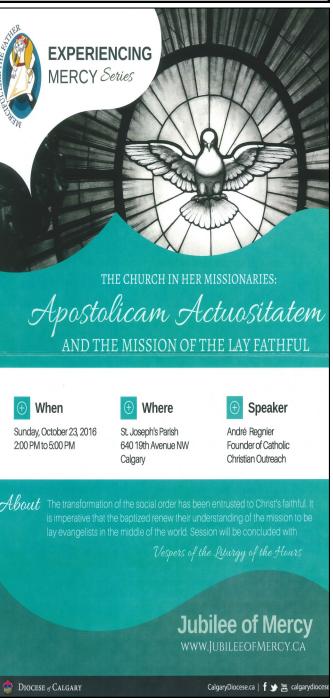
Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SSVP)

Helping the poor in our Parish Phone: 403-204-8918

SSVP food room supplies are low. We've been busy this year!

TOP PANTRY NEEDS:

Cereal
Canned Meat
Jam
Pasta
Rice (1 lb. bags)



In Our Parish During The Week Date Group/Event Venue Time Oct 17 Legion of Mary Conf Rm 5:30pm Oct 18 Weekday Coffee Club Hall 9:45am Al-Anon Family Group Conf Rm 1:30pm 10AM Choir Church 6:30pm 19 Wedding - Renewal of Vows Church 2:00pm 6:15pm Confessions **RCIA** Hall&Conf.Rm. 7:30pm Oct 20 8AM Choir Church 7:00pm Knights of Columbus Conf Rm 7:30pm Oct 21 K of C Wellness Program Hall 5:30pm Adults - Confirmation Class Conf Rm 7:00pm Oct 22 Children - Second Retreat ALL 9:00am Baptism Church 11:00am HOLD Hall 1:00pm 5PM Choir 3:00pm Church Confessions 4:15pm FFL Church&Hall 6:30pm 23 SFC Oct Hall 1:30pm

Ministries:

Parish Council: Bernie Aguilar - baguilar@telus.net Liturgy: Margaret Inkster - marginkster@shaw.ca Eucharist: Annie Brillantes - erbrillantes@shaw.ca Sacraments: Irene Aguilar - iaguilar@telus.net Catholic Women's League (CWL): Alice Dietrich Knights of Columbus: Ed Cuaresma -

Hall

3:00pm

sec2014hq@gmail.com

6PM Choir

Pastoral Care: Madoline Guirnela Legion of Mary: Ester Ricafranca

Lectors: Romell Bermundo - romell.bermundo@outlook.com

Couples For Christ(CFC): Tony & Lily Sia Lu -

tonysialu@gmail.com

Couples For Christ Foundation For Family and Life

(CFCFFL): Lydia Ogoc - lcogoc@gmail.com

MARRIAGE PREPARATION "FOR BETTER & FOR EVER..."

Accepts all couples preparing for marriage. Upcoming Dates: Oct 17/Nov4-5, Nov 14/Dec2-3. For more dates, registration or information contact 403-218-5505 or email lifeandfamily@calgarydiocese.ca.