

Lenten Parish Mission

March 10-12, 2025

**“Let us look at the Crucifix,
our hope is there.”**

-Pope Francis

MISSION SCHEDULE:

Day 1: Monday – March 10, 2025

6:30pm Rosary

7:00pm Holy Mass followed by 1st Talk

Day 2: Tuesday – March 11, 2025

6:30pm Rosary

7:00pm Holy Mass followed by 2nd Talk

Day 3: Wednesday – March 12, 2025

6:30pm Rosary

7:00pm Holy Mass followed by *short
concluding talk, Eucharistic Adoration,
Sacrament of Penance
Closing with snacks & Fellowship*

*Veneration and Contemplation of the True
Cross & St. Francis of Assisi relics*

**Saint Gabriel Parish
—Rectory Chapel—**

316 Windermere Dr, Chestermere
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Mission
led by:

Sr. Katrina Le



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St. Gabriel the Archangel Catholic Parish

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9 MARCH 2025

1ST SUNDAY IN LENT

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It is written,
'Man does not live
by bread alone'

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Luke 4:4



FIRST SUNDAY
OF LENT

SUNDAY EUCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

Sunday Masses are held at St Gabriel School (SGA)
197 Invermere Drive, Chestermere AB

- **Saturday 5:00 PM**
- **Sunday 9:00 AM and 10:30 AM**

Last Sunday of the Month in Langdon
255 Centre Street, Langdon, AB at the I.O.O.F. Hall

- **Sunday 4:00 PM**

WEEKDAY EUCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

- **Tuesday 7:00 PM** - Rectory Chapel
- **Wednesday 8:15 AM** - St Gabriel School
- **Thursday 8:00 AM** - Our Lady of Wisdom
- **Friday 1:00 PM** - Rectory Chapel

ADORATION & EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

- **Friday 1:30 PM** - Rectory Chapel

RECONCILIATION (Confession)

Tue. 6:30 pm (Rectory), Sat 4:00 pm to 4:30 pm (SGA)
Or by appointment 403 455 0196



Couples for Christ
invites you to a
Christian Life Program (CLP)
in Chestermere

EXPERIENCE THIS

Life renewal

PROGRAM THAT IS GROUNDED
IN THE CATHOLIC FAITH

Grow in Faith, gain friendship, and enjoy
fellowship.

This invitation is for all adults, married and single.

Fridays at 6:30 pm

Rectory Chapel, 316 Windermere Dr. Chestermere.

- **Mar 14, Mar 21, Apr 4, Apr 11, Apr 25**
- **Free to attend**
- **Child minding available**

For further info & to register, please contact:

Adam & Lecele Nguyen
780-66-2366
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Mark & Analn Colon
403-389-5445

Visit www.couplesforchrist.ca
for more info on Couples for Christ

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS those who are sick or in need of your support tis week:

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| Angel Limjap Lozano | Casey Darling |
| Thuy Nguyen. | Doug Oliver |
| Enrique Isidro | Denise Hiscock |
| Greg Blancher | Bobby Fraser |
| Winston Wheaton | Candice Duke |
| Rose Armes | Barb Perry |
| Bev Scherman | Sonia Mora |
| Achilles Tioco | Rene Asprer |
| Shannon Quinney | Janice Roberts |
| Mario Varela | Mr. & Mrs. Becerril |
| Joan Mallard | Oscar & Renate Klune |
| Paul Perry | Karen Lerner |
| Harold Stret | Annie & Stu Orr |
| Norma Jean Gault | Catellier Family |
| Murray & Sylvia Urbshott | Dennis Urbshott |
| Frank Pineau | Madeleine Gagne |
| Dave Monk | |

If you or someone you know is in need of our prayers, please contact the parish office so we can add him/her to the prayer list.

Homebound parishioners who would like to receive Confession and/or Holy Communion at home, please contact the parish office 403 455 0196.

Parishioners preparing for surgery, or who suffer from serious illness or old age, or in danger of death can request the Sacrament of Anointing of the sick at the parish office.

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS all the souls of the faithful departed.

May they rest in peace

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| Perry Keller | Wilma Bittman |
| Remi Del Bello | |

		Mass Intentions
MON	MAR 10	NO MASS
TUE	MAR 11	7 :00 pm Mass (Rectory Chapel) INTENTION: ZAHN FAMILY
WED	MAR 12	8:15 am Mass (St Gabriel School) INTENTION: TIMOTHY SEHN & CAROL AMIOT, RIP
THU	MAR 13	8:30 am Mass (Rectory Chapel, only for this day) INTENTION: POLLARD FAMILY
FRI	MAR 14	1:00 pm Mass (Rectory Chapel) INTENTION: MULLEIN PARKO, RIP
SAT	MAR 15	5:00 pm Mass (St Gabriel School) INTENTION: THUY NGUYEN
SUN	MAR 16	9:00 am Sunday Mass (St Gabriel School) INTENTION: ALL PARISHIONERS 10:30 am Sunday Mass (St Gabriel School) INTENTION: OBERTO & RUTH, RIP

Gospel Reflection

Luke’s account of the temptations follows right after the genealogy, which concludes “son of Adam, son of God.” Adam, who was also God’s son and was tempted in the garden, failed the test. Jesus, the son of God, was tempted in the wilderness, and passed the test. This sets up an interesting parallel between two contrasting ways of responding to “divine provenance.”

- How do the three temptations connect with the three ways the church invites us to observe Lent: fasting, almsgiving and prayer?
- How do the temptations Jesus faced manifest themselves in our world today?
- Which of these temptations plague you the most?

(Reflection: Diocese of Saskatoon)

TOGETHER IN ACTION

TOGETHER in ACTION | 2025 We have started our TIA 2025 Campaign

This year our parish goal is \$16,400

Thanks to a very generous family of our parish, your donations to TIA will be double for a limited time

For online donations: www.catholicyc.ca/TIA

Surplus donations collected will go towards our Parish Building Fund

Lenten Mission 2025



Take time to step back and reflect this Lenten season

March 10, 11 and 12
7pm - 9pm

Rectory Chapel
316 Windermere Drive

Veneration of Relics of the True Cross of Our Lord Jesus Christ and St. Francis of Assisi

With Sister Katrina, member of Divine Mercy Sisters on their Order's 10th Anniversary



Catholic Kids Media

1ST SUNDAY IN LENT, CYCLE C

Sunday Reading Story for kids

Watch in YouTube

APOSTOLIC BLESSING ON THE SOLEMNITY OF ST JOSEPH
With Bishop McGrattan at St. Mary's Cathedral, Calgary.
Wednesday, March 19 - 7:00 pm

Men's Conference with God Squad
Fri-Sat, Mar 14-15 at St Michael's, Calgary.
Join us for God Squad Canada's 28th Annual Men's Conference, Pilgrims of Hope.
Be inspired by keynote speakers, foster spiritual growth, and build connections with other men of
Register now at godsquad.ca.



Beloved Daughters

Debbie Herbeck

Rachel Herbeck

Come and Stay:

Relationships Rooted in Love

Women's Conference

Acts 16:13-15 | John 1:35-42
Ephesians 3:14-21 | Proverbs 27:9

MAY 9-10, 2025

St. Michael's Parish
Calgary, AB

Friday at 7:00 pm - 9:30 pm
Saturday at 8:30 am - 4:00 pm

Register Here

<http://beloveddaughtersycc.com>
 @beloveddaughtersycc

JESUS, OUR LIVING HOPE - WITH HEATHER KHYM

Thu, Mar 13, from 7 pm to 9 pm
at McGivney Hall, St. Mary's University.

Join St. Mary's University for the final event in the *Inspiration Unplugged* series, featuring Heather Khyrn presenting *Jesus: Our Living Hope*. Explore how Christ is our source of hope in everyday life. [More](#)

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION	
BAPTISM	For adult baptisms, please call Fr. James. 403 455 0196 For infants, print and fill out Baptism Registration available in our website and contact the parish office for more information and requirements.
FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST HOLY COMMUNION (Grade 2-7)	Mar 13- Session #2 First Eucharist prep. at OLW, please arrive 5:50 pm
CONFIRMATION (Grade 6-7)	Apr 12 - Retreat with the Bishop at St Michael's in Calgary. 9 am to 4 pm
RCIA Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults	Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. - <i>Matt. 11:28</i> Anyone interested in joining the Catholic church founded by Jesus himself, please contact Fr. James at 403.455.0196



CHURCH WEDDING FOR CIVILLY MARRIED COUPLES

Presided by Bishop McGrattan
13 Sep 2025 at St Mary's Cathedral

Register & attend one of the Sacred Grace information sessions at any of the following locations:

- [Sun, Mar 9 at 6 pm – St. Thomas More, Calgary](#)
- [Sun, Mar 16 at 6 pm – St. Patrick's, Calgary](#)

Please note that the Sacred Grace team can also assist couples in arranging for their parish priest or deacon to celebrate the Sacrament of Matrimony at their home parish, if preferred.

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Dr. Ben Akers and Dr. John Sehorn discuss how St. Helena discovered the True Cross of Christ.

CARING FOR SENIORS PREVENTING ELDER ABUSE & EMBRACING CULTURAL SENSITIVITY

To register: <https://www.catholiccyyc.ca/seniors> or call Mara at 403-218-5521.

- **Date:** Wednesday, **March 12, 2025**
- **Time:** 10 am – 3 pm
- **Location:** Catholic Pastoral Centre (120 17th Ave SW, Calgary)
- **Complimentary Lunch & Refreshments**



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