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we love
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The family of God is what makes sense out of all the Catholic Faith. Mary is our mother, the Pope is the spiritual father, the saints are like brothers and sisters, the Eucharist is a family meal, the feast days are like anniversaries and birthdays. We are God's family! I'm not an orphan. I have a home! —[Dr. Scott Hahn](#) from *Testimony to Truth*

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May 2020




Welcome home from Peru,
dear Maryse!

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 In the Western Church, the rosary is the preeminent form of prayer to the Blessed Virgin Mary. Once a daily feature of Catholic life, it is now seeing a revival after decades of disuse. May is a very good month to begin praying the rosary daily. The Hail Holy Queen (also commonly known by its Latin name, the Salve Regina) is one of four special anthems to the Mother of God that have traditionally been part of the Liturgy of the Hours, and which vary depending on the season. This prayer is also commonly said at the end of the rosary and in morning prayers.

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31 Pentecost  God is in the midst of us, and it seems that we do not recognize him. He is in our neighbour and desires to be served, loved, and honoured in him and he will reward us more than if we served him in person. How do I behave toward my neighbour? How toward my brothers? — **St. Claude de la Columbiere** from *The Spiritual Direction of St. Claude de la Columbiere*
If the angels were capable of envy, they would envy us for two things: one is the receiving of Holy Communion, and the other is suffering. — **St. Faustina** from *The Diary of St. Maria Faustina Kowalska*



Lacey's Address

Happy Spring ladies and Father!

I hope you are all doing well and are staying healthy and safe.

To start, a bit of sad news. Pat Summers, husband to our late sister in the league, Carol Curtain, has passed away this month. Our sympathies and prayers to his family and friends. He was a great friend and supporter to the CWL and an active member in our parish. He will be sadly missed.

So even though we were not able to gather and celebrate our Anniversary together this past month, I would still like to acknowledge those who reached a milestone and will be receiving their pins at the next available time. We have Lindsay Bouchard at 20 years, Jennifer Poitra at 20 years, Marilyn Toutant at 10 years and Jacqueline Bouchard at 10 years. Please remember to extend congratulations to the ladies when you can. Congratulations ladies! Thank you for being our sisters in the League.

As April comes to an end, so does our C & S gift card fundraiser.

Thank you everyone who sold or bought. As a reminder, C & S has agreed to partner with us for GroFund Me Fridays, beginning May 1st. Use of gift card cannot be applied to this special. Please spread the word to friends and family to come out on Fridays and support the CWL. Remember to mention us at checkout for us to get the benefit.

A special thank you to Mae Ross for continuing to provide us with the daily Novenas throughout the year and, as an added bonus, she has been compiling an amazing song list along with a personal story from each member to go along with it. This has been a fun way to learn about our fellow members and to get to know some new and excellent songs.

Another thank you to Suzanne Moore for continuing to keep us updated with latest developments and producing the Monthly Newsletters. Suzanne has requested that we all share a recipe as well as a bit of trivia about ourselves as a fun little game. I'm definitely looking forward to the recipes! I hope you will all enjoy getting to know each other a little bit more.


If anyone has something that they would like to see or learn more about in the newsletter, or even something that you would like to share with everyone, please let us know early enough to make sure we can get it in the next newsletter.

And finally, just a reminder that all CWL conventions have been cancelled, including Nationals. We have not heard more than that at this time. Also, all local meetings are still on hold until otherwise stated.

I hope you have a wonderful May and remember your mother on Mother's Day.


Sincerely,

Lacey



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20 years in The
League:**

**Lindsay Bouchard
Jennifer Poitra**




**Congratulations on
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League:**

**Jacqueline Bouchard
Marilyn Toutant**



2020 Pope's Intentions

May

That those who have heard the call to become a Deacon will faithfully serve the Church.

Deacons

The Indispensable Role of Catholic Moms

Catholic Moms

St. Zélie Martin, the mother of St. Thérèse of Lisieux, once wrote of raising five daughters: “I long for rest. I have not even the courage to struggle on. I feel the need of quiet reflection to think of salvation, which the complications of this world have made me neglect.”

This sentiment expressed by the saintly wife and mother is a reminder that the struggles that come with the vocation of motherhood — no matter who the mother — are many and real. To this even, and especially, our Blessed Mother can attest. One thinks of the sword of sorrow piercing her heart at Jesus’ presentation; of the panic and fear felt while she and Joseph frantically searched for him at age 12; and, of course, of witnessing his excruciating crucifixion. For all of its joys, motherhood brings with it its share of crosses. Such is the blessing and curse of unconditional love.

In a general audience in January 2015, Pope Francis acknowledged the many challenges that come with saying “yes” to the vocation of motherhood, and he encouraged a deeper understanding and empathy of their daily realities.

“Perhaps mothers, ready to sacrifice so much for their children and often for others as well, ought to be listened to more,” he said. “We should understand more about their daily struggle to be efficient at work and attentive and affectionate in the family; we should better grasp what they aspire to in order to express the best and most authentic fruits of their emancipation. A mother with her children always has problems, always work.”

Motherhood in the 21st century brings with it its own special set of challenges, as is examined in our recent story by Michelle Martin. In addition to the not-so-simple task of raising kids to understand and appreciate the Faith, mothers now are faced with a culture that is antithetical to many Christian values, that is full of technology that both distracts



and tempts, and that operates at a breakneck pace.

“I think the world has become a scary, scary place for children, and I think the world has become a scary, scary place to raise children,” Marcia Segelstein, author of “Don’t Let the Culture Raise Your Kids,” says in the piece.

Despite these challenges, though, mothers also serve as a vital part of the antidote — and this is where they can find encouragement and hope.

“Mothers often pass on the deepest sense of religious practice: in a human being’s life, the value of faith is inscribed in the first prayers, the first acts of devotion that a child learns,” Pope Francis continued in his general audience. “It is a message that believing mothers are able to pass on without much explanation: these come later, but the seed of faith is those early precious moments. Without mothers, not only would there be no new faithful, but the Faith would lose a good part of its simple and profound warmth.”

As we celebrate Mother’s Day this year,

take heart, all you moms. Like St. Zélie, there will be times of struggle. Like Mary, there will be times of sacrifice and pain. But you play an indispensable role in the life of your children.

“A society without mothers would be a dehumanized society, for mothers are always, even in the worst moments, witnesses of tenderness, dedication and moral strength,” Pope Francis said.

And when in doubt? Remember, others have been there.

“Love Our Lady,” St. Josemaria Escriva wrote in “The Way.” “And she will obtain abundant grace to help you conquer in your daily struggle.”

<https://www.osvnews.com/2019/05/06/editorial-the-indispensable-role-of-catholic-moms/>





5 Graces Praying the Rosary Daily Gave My Family: “The Family That Prays Together Stays Together”

Growing up, my brother, sisters, and I could not cross the street in the family minivan without our mother pulling out her rosary beads.

It did not matter who we were with, how long the trip took, how much we huffed, puffed, and rolled our eyes—the beads came out and our mama meant business. I do not recall a day when my mom did not pray the Rosary with us **at least** once daily. (Yes,

sometimes it was more than once).

At the time, admittedly, I begrudgingly prayed it with her. We all did.

However, looking back, those are mine and my siblings’ most treasured memories. This was also powerful formation and education in the life of Jesus Christ and His Gospel. After all, the rosary is considered the Bible on a string!

You see, the Rosary demands that we meditate upon the life of Jesus Christ. And I can say with certainty, the grace of God dispensed upon us through this particular prayer is powerful in our lives. Therefore, on behalf of my siblings and me, I’d like to share five graces Our Lady’s intercession gave us through her rosary.

1. **“Never will anyone who says his Rosary every day become a formal heretic.”** – **St. Louis de Montfort** — Boy oh boy is this true! We all have many, many faults. Failing to love the Truth is **not** one of them. Not only are we lovers of Truth, but all five of us happily share the Truth with others.
2. **“The Family that prays together, stays together.”** – **Fr. Patrick Peyton** - My siblings, in-laws, nieces, and nephews remain close. There is no awkwardness, rifts, or drama between us. Sure, we have our little spats, but they are infrequent and quickly resolved.
3. **“The holy Rosary is a powerful weapon. Use it with confidence and you’ll be amazed at the results.”** – **St. Josemaría Escrivá** - As a family, we have our fair share of hardships. We turn to the Rosary, especially during the most difficult times. Somehow, somehow, God always gives us laughter and peace—even in the midst of life’s worst battles. And regardless of how often we sin, the sacraments call us back to reconciliation with Christ, His Church, and with each other.
4. **“When people love and pray the Rosary, they find that it makes them better.”** – **St. Anthony Mary Claret** - We are far from perfect, to be sure. But we are all better than we once were and not as good as we hope to be. With Our Lady’s powerful intercession, we all hope to be saints! The Rosary definitely opens our hearts to the graces of becoming all that God created us to be.
5. **“The Rosary is my favourite prayer.”** – **Pope St. John Paul II** - Save Holy Mass, the Rosary is our family’s favourite prayer. My brother and sisters now pray it with their children. In fact, my nephew, Pete, pulls his Rosary beads out of his pocket if asked, “Where’s your weapon?” He’s 10 years old and prays the Rosary daily on his own.

Thanks be to God for the grace of the Holy Rosary, especially in my family. The Rosary is a Christocentric, simple, powerful prayer through which Our Lady showers our family with grace, peace, and joy. The Rosary is a prayer of authentic conversion of heart. The Rosary is beautiful.

Pray the Rosary with your family, friends, and communities. Pray the Rosary.

Thank you, mom! (Earthly and Heavenly).

Our Lady of the Rosary, pray for us!

https://churchpop.com/2020/02/09/5-graces-praying-the-rosary-daily-gave-my-family-the-family-that-prays-together-stays-together/?_hsenc=p2ANatz--

People often refer to the Gospel as the greatest story ever told. But it’s not really. It’s just the introduction. Or a prelude. What comes after this life, when the blessed enter into the Beatific Vision and see in the Father’s eyes the story of their life, of everyone’s lives, of all the world, that will be the greatest story ever told, the one to which every other story belongs, the story that makes sense of all the stories, the story we’ve been waiting our whole lives to hear. — **Dr. Scott Hahn** from *Hope to Die*

Our Lady, from the moment of her conception, was overshadowed by the Holy Spirit. As the Spouse of the Holy Spirit she models for us what our lives can look like when we say “yes” to God’s will and fully give ourselves over to the actions of the Spirit of God. — **FR. DAVE PIVONKA** from *The Wild Goose*

Consecration of Canada to the Blessed Virgin Mary

Most Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church,
in this time of pandemic, we turn our gaze to you,
and in Christ consecrate to you *the faithful of our Diocese/Eparchy*⁵ *together with all the people of Canada.*

At the Annunciation,
fear gave way to trust as you embraced the mysterious and loving plan of God, who through his providence, care and concern brought about newness of life in you and through you.
Intercede, we pray, on our behalf as your children, *Virgin most faithful.*
Grant us faith, hope and perseverance, as we strive to serve and bear witness to all persons, responding to the needs of those affected by this virus.

Standing at the foot of the Cross at Calvary,
you united yourself with the sufferings of Christ and so uniquely contributed to the mystery of our redemption.
We beseech you as *Health of the sick*, draw to yourself in maternal compassion the brothers and sisters of your Son Jesus and all those who are grieved by this pandemic.
Strengthen the dying and comfort those who weep so that all may experience the healing grace of Christ our Divine Physician.

At the Cenacle, after the Resurrection,
you accompanied the Apostles with prayer for the outpouring of the Holy Spirit.
In your maternal care as *Consoler of the afflicted*, accompany healthcare professionals, all who minister to the sick and those who seek a cure to end this pandemic, that the Holy Spirit may renew the face of the earth.

To all of us, dearest Mary, *Mother of all the living*,
be present and show forth your tenderness, as we raise our eyes to you who shines forth before the entire community as a merciful and compassionate companion on our journey. Time and time again, with burdens weighing heavily on their hearts and in their many necessities, the Christian faithful have sought refuge under your mantle of protection.

Come quickly to our aid at this time, *Mother of Mercy*, and deliver us from the dangers that surround us in our hour of need; watch over especially the elderly, the weak and the infirm, our children and the unity of our families, and all those who give of themselves selflessly in pastoral care to those in need until in your arms and in your gentle embrace we all find safety and solace.

R. Amen.

"To consecrate means to entrust into someone's care something important and precious. In this case, we entrust ourselves, our families, communities, all those affected by COVID-19 and indeed our entire country to the Mother of God. We believe in the power of prayer and especially intercessory prayer. At this difficult time of pandemic, we ask the Virgin Mary to pray for us and to pray with us to the Lord so that, through her intercession, we may obtain from God the necessary graces, the wisdom and the courage, the insights and peace of heart to respond responsibly and with faith to the challenges at hand. Furthermore, May is the month dedicated in a special way to the Mother of Christ. We believe that she is, in a spiritual but real sense, our mother too. For this reason, we turn to her with love and devotion and ask for the help of her powerful and maternal prayers to God for us at this time." - Brief comment from Most Reverend Richard Gagnon, CCCB President, on the 1 May 2020 Marian Consecration.

CANADA54 PRAYERS FOR APRIL 28TH TO MAY 24TH

1. RECITE THE CANADA54 INTRODUCTORY PRAYER OF PETITION

Abba Father, Creator of Heaven and Earth,

We, your sons and daughters, are facing evils both visible and physical as well as invisible; the moral and spiritual evils of our culture.

In varied ways, our nation has turned away from You, and we are reaping a harvest of woes from the seeds we have planted with our own hands. We are no longer glorious and free. We have allowed a bushel basket to be placed over the Light of Christ, who is truth, beauty, and goodness, and we are enslaved by a multitude of sins and vices.

At this hour, in the year 2020, we turn our eyes to Mary, Mother of Jesus Christ, your Only-Begotten Son. Through the daily prayer of the Rosary, and by virtue of our nation having been consecrated to her Immaculate Heart in 1947, we, the Church, reclaim Canada for the Blessed Virgin Mary; Our Lady of the Cape. Queen of the Most Holy Rosary, Queen of Canada.

As in the past, may she turn her eyes to us once again and bring us back to You, the One True God that You may forgive our sins and heal our land.

O Glorious St. Joseph, Pillar of Families, Hope of the Sick, Terror of demons, Protector of the Church, Patron of Canada, pray for us. Amen

2. RECITE THE NOVENA TO ST. LOUIS DE MONTFORT - April 28th to May 6th

St. Louis de Montfort, who during your life on earth taught Christians how to have true devotion to Mary, and had a zeal for becoming a Canadian missionary; pray for us. May God make us apostles of the last days, to find refuge in the Immaculate Heart of Mary, and to courageously witness to Christ and His Glorious Cross. Amen.

2. NOVENA TO ST. KATERI TEKAKWITHA - May 7th to May 15th

Saint Kateri, Lily of the Mohawks, who during your life on earth welcomed the Holy Catholic Faith with devotion and fervor, overcoming physical limitations, brought about by the small pox epidemic; pray for us. May God heal us of the Coronavirus. May He also bring renewal to our first Nations people, providing much needed reconciliation and healing. Amen

2. NOVENA TO BLESSED MARIE LEONIE PARADIS - May 16th to May 24th

Blessed Marie Leonie, who during your life on earth inspired many women to spend their lives in the care for Priests in Canada, modelling great humility and service; pray for us. May God send forth a new outpouring of His Holy Spirit upon the priests serving in Canada today. May they, by your Grace, transcend present scandals and discouragement in order to proclaim Your Word and administer the Holy Sacraments with faithfulness and heavenly power. Amen

3. RECITE THE ROSARY

4. RECITE THE PRAYER FOR THE HEALING OF CANADA

Our Lady of the Cape, Queen of Canada, we your children humbly prostrate before you, implore your grace and help.

With confidence we come to you, O Queen of the Holy Rosary; to you do we turn our eyes. Bestow on us, we beg you, this special favour for the healing of our country, Canada.

Grant us health of body and purity of soul; increase our faith and love so that we may know your divine Son better and serve Him ever faithfully.

O tender and merciful Mother, intercede for those who are dear to us. Heal the sick, comfort the dying and have pity on the faithful departed.

Protect our families; guard our country; and keep holy Mother Church safe from all evil.

Our Lady of the Cape, Queen of Canada, may we love you more and more, so that one day united with you in heaven, we may praise your Son eternally. Amen.

CANADA54 PRAYERS FOR MAY 25TH TO JUNE 20TH

1. RECITE THE CANADA54 INTRODUCTORY PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Abba Father, We, your sons and daughters, rejoice in your Mercy and Love; echoing the song of Mary, Our Queen. We, the people of this generation, call her Blessed. For, you continue to do great things through her, and Holy is Your Name.

From the bottom of our hearts we thank you for giving to us Our Lady of the Cape as a refuge for all Canadians. We are experiencing her protection from the present storms of our day. For this we praise and thank you. With eagerness we await the triumph of Her Immaculate Heart in our Land.

St. Joseph, humble and chaste spouse of the Blessed Virgin, your prayers are powerful, and you inspire us toward holiness. Thank you for reflecting the Father's Heart to us. Amen

2. NOVENA TO BLESSED FREDERIC JANSSOONE - May 25th to June 2nd

Blessed Frederick Janssoone, who during your life on earth persuaded Canadians in their devotion to Mary, Our Lady of the Cape, and stirred up expectant faith in their hearts; pray for us. May God enkindle once again, steadfast confidence in the intercessory power of the Queen of the Most Holy Rosary, to bring about the triumph of her Immaculate Heart in our land. Amen.

2. NOVENA TO ST. MARIE DE L'INCARNATION AND ST. FRANCOIS DE LAVAL - June 3rd to June 11th

St. Francois de Laval and St. Marie de l'Incarnation, who during your lives on earth served faithfully the Catholic church as she developed within New France, providing education in the Faith and care for the sick and the poor; pray for us. May God unite under a single purpose, the efforts of all clergy, religious communities and laity; that division, misunderstanding and apathy will not dilute the lived Gospel. Amen.

2. NOVENA TO THE CANADIAN MARTYRS - June 12th to June 20th

Holy Canadian Martyrs, who, during your lives on earth, boldly and with heroic perseverance, proclaimed the Saving Gospel of Jesus Christ, even to the shedding of your blood; pray for us. May God inflame our hearts with energetic commitment to the new evangelization, so that the Holy Catholic Church in Canada may awaken from slumber, and fulfill her mission with signs and wonders. Amen.

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Does The Bible Condemn Repetitious Prayer?

The rosary is a popular Catholic devotion that the Catechism endorses as a “form of piety” that expresses the “religious sense of the Christian people” (1674). But for many Protestants, the rosary, with its repetition of the Hail Mary prayer, contradicts Jesus’ command to “Use no vain repetitions as the heathens do” (Matt. 6:7; KJV). It would seem that the Catholic practice of praying the rosary is a direct violation of Jesus’ command.

1. Jesus wasn’t condemning prayers that involve repetition, but rather the idea that the quantity of prayer determines its efficacy.

The Greek word translated “vain repetition” is *battalogeō*, which can mean to speak in a stammering way, saying the same words over and over again without thinking. But it can also mean “to use many words, to speak for a long time.” So it can connote either mindless repetition or quantity.

Which meaning does Jesus have in mind? The context reveals that Jesus has the quantity of prayers in mind. For example, Jesus says in verse 7, “For they [the Gentiles] think that they will be heard for their many words,” as if their many words could wear down the gods in order to get what they wanted. This is the mentality of prayer that Jesus is telling his disciples to avoid—the mentality that sheer volume of words ensures that God hears us.

This explains why Jesus says in verse 8, “Don’t be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him.” The implication is that it’s futile to think a bunch of words is needed for God to hear a prayer, because he already knows it. So, Jesus is not concerned with

repetition simply. He’s concerned with the idea that simply multiplying words makes prayers efficacious.

2. The rosary is not meant to gain favours from God due to the amount of prayers repeated.

According to the Catechism, the rosary is an “epitome of the whole gospel” (971). It is meant to focus our hearts and minds on the mysteries of Christ’s life, mysteries such as his conception in Mary’s womb at the Annunciation, his birth in Bethlehem,



his baptism and preaching ministry, his glorious resurrection, and his ascension into heaven.

Meditating on these mysteries is meant to give us a deeper knowledge of Christ and draw us into a deeper communion with him, so that we can be more conformed to him. And we include Mary in that meditation because her soul “magnifies the Lord” (Luke 1:46). The rosary, therefore, is a way to meditate on Christ in order to foster a greater love for him. The repetition of prayers serves that meditation—and that’s a biblical thing.

3. The Bible affirms prayers that involve repetition.

We can start with Jesus himself. Notice that right after Jesus condemns the “vain repetitions” of the Gentiles, he commands the apostles, “Pray like this... Our Father who art in heaven.” Does Jesus intend for us to only say it once? Are we forbidden to repeat the Lord’s Prayer? Most Protestants have said it many times; perhaps they say it more than once a day.

Another example is Jesus’ prayer in the

Garden of Gethsemane: “Father...remove this cup...not what I will, but what you will” (Mark 14:36). Mark tells us that Jesus prayed this multiple times: “And again he went away and prayed, saying the same words” (14:39). Surely, Jesus wouldn’t be violating his own command not to pray with “vain repetitions.”

We also have an example from the “four living creatures” (angels) that John sees in heaven: “Day and night they never cease to sing, Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord God Almighty” (Rev. 4:8). If any prayer involves repetition, it’s this one!

The Psalms even give us forms of prayer that involve repetition. Consider, for example, Psalm 136. Its refrain, “for his steadfast love endures forever,” occurs twenty-six times. Must we say that the Holy Spirit (the third person of the Trinity) who inspired the

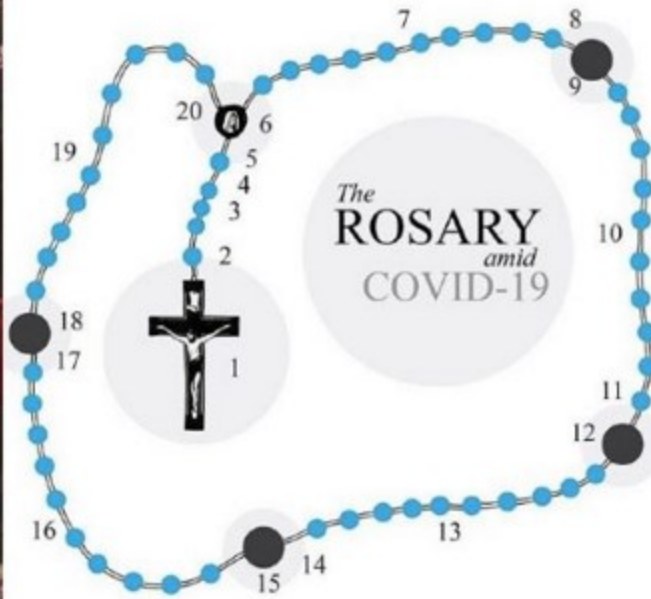
Psalmist to write this, is at odds with Jesus (the second person of the Trinity)?

Since the Bible affirms prayers that involve repetition, we can conclude that the repetition in the rosary does not violate Christ’s words.

COUNTER-CHALLENGE: Why should we think that a condemnation of useless repetition is a condemnation of any repetition? Couldn’t there be repetitious prayer that is heartfelt and helps us love God more?

AFTERTHOUGHT: One of the benefits of praying the rosary is that it protects us from focusing our prayer too much on what we want and need. Praying for our needs is a good thing, but it shouldn’t be the only thing we pray about. The rosary helps us to focus on what should be the first object of prayer: Jesus.

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Pope Francis encouraged the faithful to pray the Rosary throughout the month of May. In a Apr. 25 letter, he said “contemplating the face of Christ with the heart of Mary our Mother will make us even more united as a spiritual family and will help us overcome this time of trial.”

He requests that families and individuals “rediscover the beauty of praying the rosary at home in the month of May.”

Instagram user For Dust Thou Art shared a beautiful method of praying the Rosary amidst the coronavirus pandemic.

In the original post, the user writes, “Here’s something I’ve been working on in isolation. I wrote five prayers to be used at the Mysteries (in lieu of, or along with). I hope this brings a little light to your day. Stay safe out there!”

The Rosary includes a simple diagram explaining the intention for each mystery. The user includes a prayer for the suffering and dying, a prayer for the workers, a prayer for gratitude, a prayer for understanding, and a prayer for courage.

1. Sign of the Cross; Apostles' Creed
2. Our Father
3. Hail Mary (x3)
4. Glory Be
5. Prayer for the Suffering and Dying; Our Father
6. Our Father
7. Hail Mary (x10)
8. Glory Be
9. Prayer for the Workers; Our Father
10. Hail Mary (x10)
11. Glory Be
12. Prayer of Gratitude; Our Father
13. Hail Mary (x10)
14. Glory Be
15. Prayer for Understanding; Our Father
16. Hail Mary (x10)
17. Glory Be
18. Prayer for Courage; Our Father
19. Hail Mary (x10)
20. Hail, Holy Queen; Sign of the Cross

Prayer for the Suffering and Dying

Lord God,
 May your spirit descend upon those who are suffering at the hands of this pandemic. Across the world, men and women are wrestling with the weight and loneliness that only the dying know; May you bring light to their dark hour.
 Amen.

My flesh and my heart may fail, but God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever. (Psalm 73:26)

These things I have spoken to you, that in Me you may have peace. In the world you have tribulation, but take courage; I have overcome the world. (John 16:33)

Do not fear, for I am with you; do not be afraid, for I am your God. (Isaiah 41:10)

Prayer for the Workers

Lord God,
 May you bless and strengthen the countless souls across the world, who in the midst of this pandemic, rise to the monumental task of keeping our societies together: the medical professionals tending to the afflicted; the law enforcement and firefighting community; the shipping, trucking and delivery professionals; the food service and grocery personnel; the men and women of the trades, and all those whose work keeps the world turning, and those our limited memories and knowledge fail to mention.

For in the midst of a global pandemic, our lights are on, our homes are heated, our food kept cold, our deliveries arriving, our connectivity unbroken, and these blessings do not go unnoticed. May your blessing fall on the heads of those whose hands make these things possible.
 Amen.

And if you draw out your soul to the hungry, and satisfy the afflicted soul; then shall your light rise in the darkness, and your darkness shall be as the noon day. (Isaiah 58:10)

Prayer of Gratitude

Lord God,
 May our hearts be grateful for the wellspring of opportunity and potential that this pandemic has created; for in the routine and repetition of a life without conflict, the soul's character goes untested. Let us be tested, Lord, and let us rejoice in it.

As darkness and even death weaves its way through our lands, let us find ways to carry the light, to help those in need, to love more deeply, to fortify our souls in study and prayer, to grow closer to each other and to you, Lord. And lastly, let us be grateful for the forging of our character this time will bring about.
 Amen.

And not only this, but we also exult in our tribulations, knowing that tribulation brings about perseverance; and perseverance, proven character, and proven character, hope; and hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured out within our hearts through the Holy Spirit who was given to us. (Romans 5:3-5)

Prayer for Understanding

Lord God,
 In the midst of this pandemic, may our minds and our hearts be at peace. Let us not fill our days with anxiety and fear, but be assured that there is much we do not know, nor understand, but that you do know, and that you do understand.

Let us keep in mind at all times the love of our God, and of each other, and stay true to the arc of our lives, even if the world goes dark around us. Never let us forget, Lord, who we are and why we are.
 Amen.

Where then does wisdom come from? And where is the place of understanding? Thus it is hidden from the eyes of all living, and concealed from the birds of the sky. Destruction and Death say, 'We have heard a rumor of it with our ears.' God understands the way to it and he alone knows where it dwells, for he views the ends of the earth and sees everything under the heavens. (Job 28:20-24)

Prayer for Courage

Lord God,
 In this time of great uncertainty, may our hearts be overflowing with courage, shored up by your hands. Though fear may surround us, let us rise anyway, to meet each day, to take care of those around us, to be a bulwark against doubt, selfishness, incompetence and inconsideration; to be a light in the darkness.
 Amen.

Be strong and courageous! Do not tremble or be dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go.
 (Joshua 1:9)



A new movie depicting the miraculous events of Fatima has been delayed due to the coronavirus epidemic. The highly anticipated film, *Fatima*, was planned for the 2020 Easter season, but now the faithful will have to wait for the August 14 release. The announcement was made on the movie's Facebook page, where the producers wrote: The circumstances that the world finds itself in now require precautionary measures and action. As a result, we are postponing the opening of *Fatima* in theaters to August 14, 2020. We will continue to share Our Lady of Fatima's powerful message of peace, hope, and love for us all here.

Fatima, based on a true story, revolves around Lúcia Santos, a young Portuguese girl, and her two younger cousins, Jacinta and Francisco Marto. These three

children experienced a series of six visions of the Blessed Virgin between May and October of 1917, which have become popularly known as apparitions of "Our Lady of Fatima."

The visions occurred during a time of religious persecution in Portugal and the government was not pleased by the children's accounts, which inspired thousands of faithful. The preview shows how Lúcia, Jacinta, and Francisco were doubted by skeptics and even arrested at one point, but were unwavering in their claims and refused to yield under tense situations.

Angelus News reports that *Fatima* is actually a remake of the 1952 Warner Brothers film *The Miracle of Our Lady of Fátima* for a modern audience. Producer Rose Ganguzza noted that the original

version, released within living memory of the time period, assumed knowledge of the socio-political state of early 20th-century Europe, which was a driving force around the story of *Fatima*. Now the film is expanded to give important historical context to those who are new to the story.

The filmmakers expressed their disappointment in the delay, but they said that they will utilize the extra time to increase awareness of the coming film on social media. They said in a press release:

"The power of its legacy has brought together an eclectic international group of cinema artists who believe that *Fátima's* miraculous message of faith and peace, which galvanized the world over a century ago, is more important than ever."

The devotion of the Three Hail Marys



The Blessed Virgin Mary promised the following:

"To any soul who faithfully prays the Three Hail Marys, I will appear at the hour of death in a splendor of beauty so extraordinary that it will fill the soul with heavenly consolation."

The devotion of the Three Hail Marys is a traditional Roman Catholic practice of reciting three Hail Marys as a petition for purity and other virtues. It should be prayed after waking in the morning, and before going to bed, following the examination of conscience at

night. This devotion has been recommended by St. Anthony of Padua, St. Alphonsus Liguori, St. John Bosco and St. Leonard of Port Maurice. Two saints, Mechtilde and Gertrude, are said to have received revelations from the Blessed Virgin Mary regarding this practice.

The Forgotten Spiritual Power of Blessed Salt

You're probably already familiar with holy water. But how well do you know **blessed salt**? Both holy water and blessed salt are **sacramentals**, or sacred signs that dispose people to receive grace (cf. *Sacrosanctum Concilium* 60; not to be confused with Sacraments).

The use of salt for religious purposes by the people of God goes back thousands of years to the Jewish people before Christ. And it has been used by Christians since the early Church, especially in the Roman rite. Today, the use of **blessed salt in the liturgy** is mostly in the Extraordinary Form, especially in exorcisms, baptism, the reconsecration of an altar, and the blessing of holy water. But even in the Ordinary Form, blessed salt may be used in the blessing of holy water.

Blessed salt is also traditionally **used to bless homes**. It can be sprinkled, or even laid down in a line, intended to act as a **spiritual line of protection against evil spirits** (you may have seen this in horror movies, but this is a real traditional Catholic practice!). Some people even use it in cooking. If you'd

like some blessed salt, simply take some ordinary salt to your priest and ask him to bless it! <https://churchpop.com/2017/09/02/the-forgotten-spiritual-power-of-blessed-salt/>



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TELEPHONE HOTLINE

Are you feeling isolated or bored and you need someone to talk to? There is a spiritual service of compassionate listening for you.

The Franciscan Missionaries of Mary

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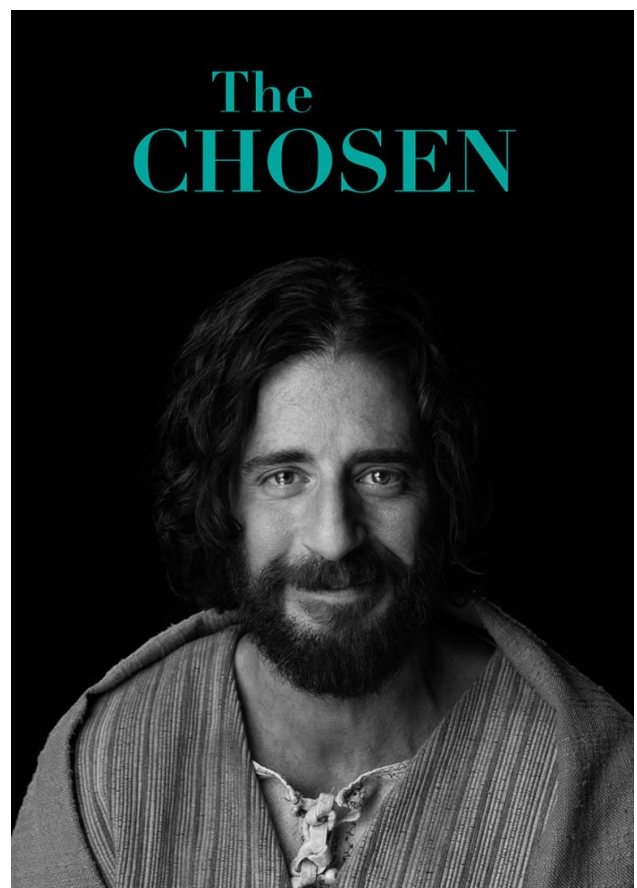
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Come to Me, all you who are weary and heavy-burdened ... Mt 11:28



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The Chosen Series

A charismatic fisherman drowning in debt. A troubled woman wrestling with real demons. A kind, gifted young man ostracised by his family and his people for working as a publican. **In this ground-breaking first season of *The Chosen*** see how Jesus reaches each of these and more as He works His first miracles and embarks on His ministry to change the world. See Him through the eyes of those who knew Him. Available **for free viewing** on YouTube, by App for iPhone and iPad, *The Chosen* wasn't bankrolled by Hollywood studios. It was funded by 15,000 investors who raised more than \$10 million for the show to be created. VidAngel is distributing it.

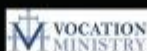


Uplift Your Priest

April 20 - May 1, 2020

Daily Deed Ideas

- Call/text/ email your priest
- Send spiritual bouquets to him
- Drop off popcorn and snacks for movie night
- Send him drawings or paintings by children
- Pray, fast, and offer sacrifices for him
- Send him an Amazon or restaurant gift card
- Make a family video message/song of affirmation for him
- Create a sidewalk message in front of church/rectory
- Post picture of your family with your priest
- Drop off or have dinner/lunch delivered
- Send financial support to the parish, if able
- Hold a "Parade of Love" for him
- Challenge 3 families/individuals to pray a Rosary for him (think Ice Bucket Challenge on social media)
- Invite him and other people or families for a digital "gathering"
- Write him a letter thanking him for his sacrifices
- Deliver any protective gear or cleaning supplies he may need



Fr. Patrick Hyde, OP

@frpatrickop

Yesterday, I anointed someone dying from COVID19. His sheer joy when he recognized my voice was one of the most beautiful & powerful experiences of faith in my life. "Father, I'm so glad you're here. Now I can go in peace." This is the power of the Sacraments & why I'm a priest.

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***** 2020 MARCH FOR LIFE --- LIVE AND ONLINE *****

National Week for Life and the Family

May 10 - 17

Due to covid 19 restrictions, the 2020 National March for Life in Ottawa and the pro-life rally on Parliament Hill on May 14, and the Manitoba March for Life, will be replaced with a national program of online events.

Virtual National March for Life 2020 – Online schedule of events

PRO-LIFE FILM FESTIVAL

Sunday, May 10 at 8:00pm EDT

Strings Attached + Conversation with Obianuju Ekeocha, Producer of the film and Founder of Culture of Life Africa

Monday, May 11 at 8:00pm EDT – STAY TUNED

Tuesday, May 12 at 8:00pm EDT

Fatal Flaws: Legalizing Assisted Death + Conversation with Alex Schadenberg, Executive Director of the Euthanasia Prevention Coalition, and Kevin Dunn, international speaker and director of *Fatal Flaws*.

VIRTUAL CANDLELIGHT VIGIL

Wednesday, May 13, at 8:00pm EDT

Hosted by A Guy and a Girl @guyandgirlmusic

Featuring special guests sharing their life-affirming testimonials, reflections, and prayers

VIRTUAL MARCH DAY

Thursday, May 14

National Pro-life Mass from Notre Dame Cathedral in Ottawa 12PM -1PM EDT. Celebrated by the Most Reverend Terrence Prendergast, S.J., Archbishop of Ottawa on EWTN and MarchForLife.ca

‘Be Not Afraid’ National March for Life Special on Eternal Word Television Network (EWTN) 1PM - 2:30 PM EDT hosted by EWTN’s Doug Keck, with special guests international pro-life speakers [Kevin Dunn](#) and [Stephanie Gray](#) and Matthew Wojciechowski, Vice-President for Campaign Life Coalition, organizers of the Canadian National March for Life. Guest appearances by pro-life activists and leaders.

Virtual Pro-life Rally and March for Life 2:30 – 4:30 PM EDT hosted by CLC’s Vice-President Matt Wojciechowski and CLC Youth Coordinator Josie Luetke. Featuring a great line-up of pro-life, religious, and political leaders and international guests along with very special appearances from Canadians across the country.

PRO-LIFE Webinar hosted by CLC Youth & Niagara Region Right to Life

Friday, May 15 from 12:30-3:00 pm EDT

An educational seminar run by youth for youth, with fellowship and practical steps to getting more involved in the pro-life movement.

NOTE: Changes to schedule may occur in the upcoming days. For latest updates go to www.marchforlife.ca

Children: The Crowning Glory of Marriage

May 10-17, 2020



National Week for Life and the Family

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Visit www.cccb.ca for resources and parish use guides

A Summary of “Love Made Fruitful”, chapter five of *The Joy of Love*

The Catechism of the Catholic Church echoes the Second Vatican Council when it states that children are the crowning glory of marriage (CCC, 1652, *Gaudium et Spes*, 48). Children are born of the love between a father and mother. Borrowing the title of chapter five from Pope Francis’ apostolic exhortation, *The Joy of Love* (*Amoris Laetitia*), we could say that children are “Love Made Fruitful.” Pope Francis reminds us that “love always gives life.” Children are a gift from God and “are a living reflection of [the] love” between a father and a mother. As a sign of God’s “utterly gratuitous dimension of love,” children are not a mistake but are to be accepted and protected so that they may attain their “final goal [which] is the joy of eternal life.”

Parents exercise “responsible parenthood” when they discern wisely—according to their particular circumstances in life—the number of children they desire to raise. At the same time Pope Francis states that “large families are a joy for the Church . . . [because] they are an expression of the fruitfulness of love.”

God reveals his love through the love of a child’s parents. Fathers and mothers participate with God “in the miracle of a new life.” “Every child has a right to receive love from a mother and a father; both are necessary for a child’s integral and harmonious development.” “The clear and well-defined presence of both figures, female and male, creates the environment best suited to the growth of the child.”

Despite their intense desire “some couples are unable to have children.” This in no way diminishes their marriage which is a “communion of life.” Parenthood “is not a solely biological reality, but is expressed in diverse ways.” Some couples become parents through adoption and in this manner “become channels of God’s love.” There are different “ways of experiencing the fruitfulness of love.” “No family can be fruitful if it sees itself as overly different or ‘set apart’.”

Each one of us comes from a family; “we are all sons and daughters.” We have not created ourselves but have received life as a great gift. “In the family we learn to live as one.” “From this initial experience of fraternity, nourished by affection and education at home, the style of fraternity radiates like a promise upon the whole of society.” Families are part of a larger family made up of many members from the wider community. This “extended family” is meant to help those in need: single mothers, orphans, and widows.

Grandparents are also part of this extended family. “Very often it is grandparents who ensure that the most important values are passed down to their children and ‘many people can testify that they owe their initiation into the Christian life to their grandparents.’” Pope Francis has said that “Grandparents . . . are entrusted with a great responsibility: to transmit their life experience, their family history, the history of a community, of a people; to share wisdom with simplicity, and the faith itself — the most precious heritage!” (Meeting with the Elderly, 28 September 2014).

“God has given the family the job of ‘domesticating’ the world and helping each person to see fellow human beings as brothers and sisters.” “By their witness as well as their words, families speak to others of Jesus. They pass on the faith, they arouse a desire for God and they reflect the beauty of the Gospel and its way of life.” “Their fruitfulness expands and in countless ways makes God’s love present in society.”

<https://colf.ca/en/events/item/301-national-week-for-life-and-the-family-2020>

*Jesus, you are the Eternal Son of the Father,
impart your Spirit to us so that we may live
as children of God, our Father.*

*Help us to cherish our children by passing on
the faith so that as Christian families
we may be fully alive, radiating God’s glory
for the salvation of the world.*

Amen

National Week for Life and the Family
May 10-17, 2020

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This date in history....

- 3,267,867 global confirmed cases; 233,560 total deaths; 1,020,446 total recovered
- We are at 54 days of social/physical isolation/distancing
- One Canadian Dollar equals 0.71 USD.
- Gas is 74.9 cents per litre in Lorette
- Oil bottomed out in the stock market. A barrel of monkeys is worth more

than a barrel of oil.

- Schools have been closed since mid March and will continue for the rest of the school year; teaching is done remotely on-line.
- The government has instituted compensation for millions of people who have been laid off from their jobs and for post-secondary students who rely on part-time jobs.
- Back to work is slowly being instituted as the curve seems to have flattened.
- Many are anxious to visit their hairdresser.
- Parents are experiencing homeschooling; working parents scramble to find childcare.
- We can only see grandparents and other extended family and friends on Zoom, WhatsApp, Skype or Facetime, or through a window if someone visits in person.
- Homebound families are spending more quality time together; others are at their wits' end.
- Handshakes, hugs and kisses are not exchanged.
- Social distancing means staying more than six feet away from each other.
- Some people report others who break the social distancing rule.
- People are doing drive-by parades to celebrate birthdays.
- Playgrounds are not accessible to the public.
- Summer camps of all kinds have been cancelled.
- Walking paths and some public parks are accessible.
- Provincial parks are currently closed; no camping reservations are being offered.
- Golf courses are closed.
- Bars and restaurants are open only for takeout, home delivery and pick-up.
- All major and minor league sports competitions have been cancelled, as well as kids' sports.
- All festivals, entertainment events have been banned/ cancelled.
- Weddings, family celebrations and birthdays have been cancelled.
- Funerals limited to 15 people.
- No one can visit the sick in the hospital.
- Shortage of disposable masks and gloves in hospitals.
- There are fewer ventilators than there should be.
- You cannot find isopropyl alcohol easily... the supply per person is limited.
- People are wearing masks; some places require that you wear them to enter.
- Toilet paper, hand sanitizer, bleach, antibacterial wipes and anything Lysol or Clorox is in short supply and limited per person.... if you can find them.
- People are sewing cloth masks, gowns and head coverings; some for personal use, some for sale and some for donating them to medical facilities.
- Companies have offered their services by reconfiguring their production machines to produce PPE (personal protective equipment) – testing kits, face masks, respirators, hand sanitizer and other essentials.
- Health care employees forbidden to work in more than one facility.
- Stores are closing early to disinfect everything. (24-hour stores are even closing by 9pm)
- There are lines / tapes on the floors inside stores to keep people 6 feet apart.
- Store checkouts, pharmacies and even fast food drive-through windows have added plexiglass between the employee and the customer.
- Australia, USA, Canada and European countries have closed their borders.
- Western Australia has been divided into 9 territories; an instant \$1,500 fine is issued for crossing the border without a valid reason. (Transport workers, Essential services etc)
- Truck drivers, medical personnel, store clerks and farmers have gained the gratitude and respect of the nation.
- No one is travelling for leisure. Airports empty. Tourism has the worst crisis in history.
- The churches are closed or online, though some bishops in the States are opening their churches.
- Canada and the United States are being consecrated to the Blessed Virgin Mary and we are being asked to participate in a 54-day novena

Notre Dame de Lorette Parish
At-Home Prayer for Palliative Care, May 8, 2020

National Palliative Care Week, May 4 – 10, 2020

The Catholic Women's League of Canada, Notre Dame de Lorette council, would like to invite you to participate in an *At-Home Day of Prayer for Palliative Care on May 8, 2020* which has been chosen to run simultaneously with National Hospice Palliative Care Week. Let us unite in prayer for the sick and the dying.

“God has a weakness for the prayers of his people. Indeed, prayer is man’s greatest power. Therefore, we must never tire of knocking at the door of God’s heart and asking for help. For God is a relentless warrior when he is called upon to defend his people.” (Pope Francis)

The church will be open from noon to 7:00PM for prayer (limit of 8 people at one time with social-distancing of 2 meters). If door happens to be locked ring doorbell at rectory for assistance.

Confessions by appointment with Fr. J. Mario
204-270-8154

Prayer suggestions:

Way of the Cross (approximately 1 hour)

<http://saltandlighttv.org/blogfeed/getpost.php?id=69128&language=en>

Reflections on Suffering in Sickness and Dying

Written by Sr. Nuala Kenny

Divine Mercy Chaplet

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pveUcGwrpkU> (16.58 minutes)

The Holy Rosary

<http://www.catholictv.org/shows/the-rosary/the-sick-and-suffering> (Glorious Mysteries - 27.42 minutes)

Eucharistic Adoration – perpetual, live

https://m.youtube.com/results?search_query=perpetual+adoration+live

Prayer for the Protection of Human Life

<https://www.colf.ca/en/publications/item/211-prayer-for-the-protection-of-human-life>

You may participate in a live-streamed Holy Mass lifting up to the Lord all the sick and the dying; pray for quality Palliative Care and the Sanctity of Human Life.

<https://www.wordonfire.org/daily-mass/> - 7:15AM CST

<https://saltandlighttv.org/mass/> - 5:30AM, 10:00AM, 2:00PM, 9:30PM (all times CST)

Spiritual Communion: My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now 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.



The following bits of trivia belong to some of our members. To guess who belongs to each statement, refer to the member list on the front page. No peeking at the answers on the last page until you have filled in each blank!

1. I've attended 3 out of the 4 schools in Lorette. _____
2. I once spent the night in a building that was literally covered in baboons and subsequently tsetse flies, and survived to tell about it. _____
3. I have been diagnosed with Williams Syndrome _____
4. I have skied on the Red River _____
5. I broke my pinkie finger catching a nerf ball. _____
6. I was cut from the high school choir by our sister/nun director for lack of tone, just before they got to sing at the Legislative Buildings. _____
7. I still hold citizenship from my country of origin. _____
8. My ancestry takes our family back to Prussia. _____
9. I started wearing glasses before the age of three. _____
10. I have seen Saint Pope John Paul II in person three times _____
11. I was honoured to be able to help start the Lorette Food Bank. _____
12. I was the 1st female Eucharistic Minister in the Notre Dame de Lorette Parish. _____
13. I was blessed to have a womb buddy (twin) _____
14. I can hunt and fish, gut, skin, prepare the carcass, cut up and package the meat. _____
15. I stepped into a snake hole. You have never seen anyone move so fast to get out! _____
16. I am able to chug a beer in less than 3 seconds. I have even won a few "titles" while vacationing abroad _____
17. I was born in Edmonton. _____
18. I was once academically suspended from university – and asked not to come back! _____
19. I was trained and worked as a Medical Laboratory Technologist. _____
20. I worked and met my husband at a packing house. _____
21. I graduated from nursing in 1975. _____



Why I like living in Winnipeg:
 Man, riding a bike, during a snowstorm, in April,
 carrying a canoe, during a global pandemic.
 Nothing Winnipeggers can't get done. Nothing.



YOU GOTTA LAUGH...

I do hair, nails, and makeup every day except Sunday... this virus has business booming. 47m Like Reply 🤔 1

where are you from? I need my hair done 46m Like Reply

Va Beach.

I'm a mortician. Want an appointment? Keep going outside. 😊

Stay home, sis. You're more beautiful alive than dead. 45m Haha Reply 🤔 4



Quarantine has turned us all into dogs. We roam the house all day looking for food. We are told 'no' if we get too close to strangers. And we get really excited about car rides.



The spread of Corona virus is based on two factors.

1. How dense the population is.
2. How dense the population is.



Tweet

Father Dan Beeman @inthelineofmel

Uber eats drops off food. I close door. Driver knocks again one minute later. I think he must have given me the wrong order. "Are you a priest? A Catholic priest?" - Yeah, this is the rectory. "Well can I go to confession before you eat?"



THE DROP IN GAS PRICES DURING "A STAY AT HOME ORDER" IS LIKE A BALD-MAN WINNING A COMB.



Wife and I went to the store with our mask on, got home took off mask, and brought home the wrong wife...pay attention people!!!



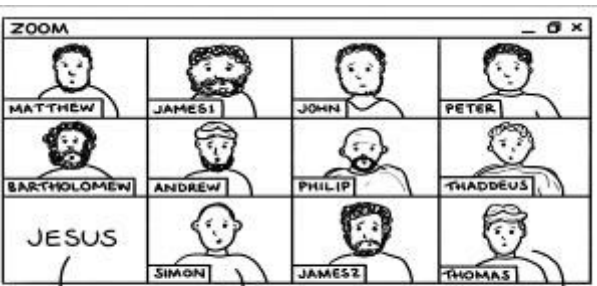
21 days in lockdown. I'M FINE. Thanks for asking.



You can either have a nice day or you can help your child with their math homework. You can't have both. -Coronalations 03:30



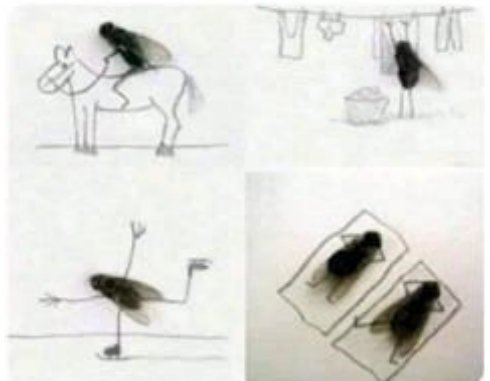
HOMESCHOOL PROJECT: Match The Lids



HEY. HOW ON EARTH IS HE IN THE MEETING? UNLESS HE TURNS ON HIS CAMERA I WILL NOT BELIEVE IT



Day 5 of quarantine: Found a dead fly.



It's Catholic Covid Bingo!

Live stream of priest who can't work camera	Ate meat on Friday out of justice because everything else has been taken away from me	Reposted that priest hearing confessions in a car line	Emailed my priest asking him why he isn't hearing confessions in a car line	Explained to Protestant why "Livestream worship" isn't the same
Channel surfed Live Streamed Masses	Sprayed Stations of Cross booklet with Lysol	Looked for Father Mike Schmitz "Crossfit at Home" video by Ascension Presents™	Ordered Pizza on a Friday with half meat, half without to save some for Saturday	Considered buying stock in Flocknote
Bragged about how "I've been homeschooling for years" to rookies	Texted a priest friend to see if there is a "secret Mass" I can get in on	JUBILEE SPACE	Made my kids kneel at the right time on our living room carpet	Watched re-runs of Bishop Barron doing movie reviews from 2018
Wondered how Nancy Pelosi will work to fund abortion because of Covid and still call herself Catholic	Bragged that my Bishop waited the longest to cancel public Masses	Secretly wished they just won't bring back the Chalice after all of this	Made my kids Zoom into a Life Teen Life Night	Made my kids wear their school uniform at home because they were clean
Told people that Corona means crown in Latin and had them just stare at you	Told my kids that in Communist countries, they never get to have public Mass	Signed up for online tithing since I can't go to Chick-fil-A	Got weirdly excited to see the Mass from the rectory/convent chapel	Wondered how hard it would be to find the key to the Tabernacle and self-communicate when no one is looking

Homeschool Schedule

- 9:00 Intro to Toilet Flushing
- 9:15 Lab: Turning Off a Light Switch and Closing a Door
- 9:30 Lecture Series: Why We Don't Eat the Food Under the Cushions
- 10:00 Group Project: How to Stop Making Unnecessary Noise
- 10:30 Presentation: How to Close a Cheez-Its Bag
- 11:00 Lecture Series: It's Not All About You
- 11:30 Covering a Cough 101
- 12:30 Lecture Series: What Happens When We Eat All the Froot Loops in One Day
- 1:00 Advanced Chewing with Your Mouth Closed
- 1:30 Lecture Series: The Importance of Changing Underwear
- 2:00 Field Trip: How to Have Fun Without Leaving the Porch
- 2:30 Lecture Series: Reading is Not Punishment
- 3:00 Essay Topic: How to Fill Twelve Hours of Screen Time

DO NOT CALL THE POLICE ON SUSPICIOUS PEOPLE IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD!

THOSE ARE YOUR NEIGHBORS WITHOUT MAKE-UP AND HAIR EXTENSIONS!



- GUESS WHO ANSWERS**
1. Lacey Bernardin
 2. Sue Johanneson
 3. Jaquelyne Cournoyer
 4. Connie Haas
 5. Lindsay Bouchard
 6. Kathleen Messner
 7. Marcia Poirier
 8. Nette Lambert
 9. Maryse: Charter
 10. Suzanne Moore
 11. Iris Swiderski
 12. Mary-Ann Novak
 13. Rolande Chernichan
 14. Jennifer Potira
 15. Mae Rossi
 16. Jolene Capina
 17. Lucille Chay
 18. Heather Kolwica
 19. Carol Mravinec
 20. Susan Bernier
 21. Monique Jeanson

Check on your crafting friends. They're not O.K.

AND JUST LIKE THAT

HAVING A MASK, RUBBER GLOVES, DUCT TAPE, PLASTIC SHEETING AND ROPE IN YOUR TRUNK IS OKAY

