

Parish Bulletin

July 5, 2026

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time THIS WEEK – in the parish and online (July 6-July 12)

Everyday	:	3:00 pm Rosary of Mercy
	:	6:00 pm Hungarian Rosary online
		Both Rosaries over Zoom - Call: 587 328 1099
		Then enter the NEW Meeting
		ID: 4032283834 , Then Press #,
		Then enter the NEW Meeting Password: 3102
July 8, Wednesday	:	9:30 am Seniors Gathering
	:	12:00 pm Holy Mass (Bilingual)
July 11, Saturday	:	6:00 pm Holy Mass (English)
July 12, Sunday	:	10:30 am Holy Mass (Bilingual)
		followed by coffee in the Hall

CEMETERY MASSES – all at 7:00 p.m. – celebrated by Bishop McGrattan

Tues., Aug. 25	Mountain View Cemetery Chapel
Wed., Aug 26	Edenbrook Cemetery Chapel
Tues., Sept 1	Queen's Park Cemetery
Wed., Sep 2	St. Mary's Cemetery

ST. MARY'S UNIVERSITY STAMPEDE BREAKFAST

Wed., July 8, from 9:00 am to 11:00 am at the university campus.
Free registration, pancakes, live entertainment, face painting, etc.

FRANK and an ODDITY of HISTORY

An April 29, 1903, a portion of Turtle Mountain crashed down on the outskirts of the Village of Frank in the Crownsnest Pass in south-western District of Alberta (Alberta did not become a province until 1905). This is called the Frank Slide. Frank soon recovered and the coal mine was reopened. Father Felix Lajat, a Benedictine priest (see the notice about St. Benedict elsewhere in this bulletin) took up residence there in 1907 and on November 13, 1910, a church was blessed on land donated by the American Coal and Coke Company. In 1917, the wind blew the church down and it was not rebuilt, Frank being between Blairmore and Bellevue.

Jump ahead more than a hundred years and it is discovered that the Church still owns the land on which the Frank church was built and is trying to sell it for \$ 74,900, which would help pay off the debt on the present church in Blairmore.

ST. BENEDICT – Saturday, July 11

He was born about 480 in central Italy and eventually attracted many to the monastic life (i.e. living as monks).

Sometime around 525 to 530 he established an abbey at Monte Cassino, somewhat southeast of Rome, where he died in 550 or so.

He did not set out to establish an order but his rule caught on (it is summarized by the Latin 'ora et labora', pray and work) and eventually many autonomous (i.e. independent) monasteries were established, including the great abbey of Pannonhalma in Hungary.

SCOUT GROUPS: Congratulations to our Scout groups which survived a rather damp summer camp at Pidgeon Lake, Alberta

SUNDAY OFFERING 2026 June 22 - 28 Thanks for your support!

Regular collection (envelopes): \$ 770, Loose: \$ 120,
Together in Action: \$ 100, TIA Year-to-Date: \$ 6,032,
TIA 2026 target for the parish: \$ 15,159,
Multiply the Hope: \$ 0, Year-to-Date: \$ 32,431.