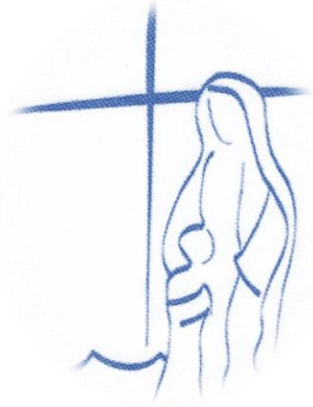


Lac Ste Anne Parish



September 10, 2023

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Regular Mass Times

Lac Ste Anne

Sunday 10:00

Tuesday 7:00 pm

Wednesdays 9:00 am

Our Lady of the Lake, Alexis

Sunday 12:00

Day of Truth and Reconciliation

On September 30, we celebrate the Day for Truth and Reconciliation. All Canadians learn, recognize and reflect upon the history and ongoing legacy of residential schools, the trauma experienced by many, and the hope for a healthy future. The day emphasizes the ongoing need for reconciliation and building and strengthening relationships between Indigenous and non-Indigenous people.

September 30 is also Orange Shirt Day, a day when Canadians wear orange to recognize the ongoing intergenerational effects of residential schools and to acknowledge that “Every Child Matters”. The orange shirt symbolizes the stripping away of culture, self-esteem and freedom from Indigenous children over generations.

How Orange Shirt Day began

Orange Shirt Day began in British Columbia in 2013 when a residential school survivor, Phyllis Webstad, shared her story of having her shiny new orange shirt taken away on her first day at a residential school. Since then, Orange Shirt Day has been an opportunity for Indigenous and non-Indigenous people, governments, schools and communities to come together in the spirit of reconciliation.

Commemorating the Day for Truth and Reconciliation is a direct response to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission Call to Action 80, which called for a day to commemorate the

history and legacy of residential schools.

In Alberta, we commemorate the day every year, and encourage people to participate in events close to them. (from Alberta Government website) Nelson Mandela said: “In the end, reconciliation is a spiritual process which requires more than just a legal framework. It has to happen in the hearts and minds of people” September 31, 2023 – We will celebrate a special Mass of healing and reconciliation, prayers and tying of the ribbons at healing tree with a feast to follow at Lac Ste Anne Church. All are invited.

A Prayer for Trust & Confidence in God’s Mercy

St Pio of Pietrelcina September 23

O Lord, we ask for a boundless confidence and trust in Your divine mercy, and the courage to accept the crosses and sufferings which bring immense goodness to our souls and that of your church. Help us to love you with a pure and contrite heart, and to humble ourselves beneath your cross, as we climb the mountain of holiness, carrying our cross that leads to heavenly glory. May we receive you with great faith and love in Holy Communion and allow you to act in us as you desire for your greater glory. O Jesus, most adorable Heart and eternal fountain of Divine Love, may our prayer find favor before the Divine Majesty of your heavenly Father

. CRS Fall Conference 2023 Sept 29-Oct 1, 2023

Come for all things are NOW ready! Join the Catholic Renewal Services for our Fall Conference, Sept 29-Oct 1, 2023 in St.

Thomas More Parish Hall.

On Sat Sept 30 at 7:00 pm there will be a mass with healing service open to the public, a love offering will be taken. Mass is also in the parish hall.

Truth and Reconciliation September 31, 2023

We will celebrate a special Mass of healing and reconciliation, prayers and tying of the ribbons at healing tree with a feast to follow at Lac Ste Anne Church. All are invited.



Pancake Breakfast First Sunday of the month



join us for a time of fellowship in the parish hall after Mass.

Parish Council Meeting

September 19, 2023 has been rescheduled for October 24, 2023 after the 7:00pm Mass

Food Bank open Wednesdays 9:30-3:00.