MASS SCHEDULE

St. Joseph’s Chapel
Saturday 4:30 pm
Sunday 9:30 am, 11:00 am

Daily Mass (SJC Chapel)
Will resume in September, as part of the College's reopening.

RECONCILIATION

St. Joseph’s Chapel
Saturday 3:30 – 4:15 pm
And by appointment

CHILDREN’S LITURGY

St. Joseph’s Chapel
In abeyance

CHAPEL COLLECTION

2021
July 25: $1,410

2021
July 18: $1,820*

*Includes $250 for FORMED, and $405 through website donation.

FEEDBACK REQUESTED

Sometime in August we will be reviewing how the chapel reopening is doing. I’d like your feedback, especially on safety requirements. Should we keep wearing masks? Bowing instead of shaking hands? Should we put the pews back where they were?

I’d appreciate other feedback too (e.g. are you able to find parking?), but be advised that some topics will be taken as an offer to help.

Please email me at jim.stenberg@ualberta.ca

RESIDENTIAL SCHOOLS

The Archdiocese of Edmonton has prepared an extensive FAQ on its website (caedm.ca/IndigenousRelations) concerning residential schools. The questions include:

Why aren’t we hearing an apology from the Catholic Church in Canada?

Did the Archdiocese of Edmonton operate residential schools?

Will the Catholic Church pay financial reparations to those harmed by residential schools?

...And many other questions. Please go to the above listed website if you’d like to hear the answers! There are also links to other resources, including links to apologies from various dioceses and religious communities regarding residential schools. There is also a link to the report of the Truth & Reconciliation Commission, to the statements made in response to that report by various bishops and the CCCB, and a joint statement by the Anglican Church of Canada, the Presbyterian Church in Canada, the Roman Catholic Entities Parties to the Settlement Agreement, The United Church of Canada, and the Jesuits of English Canada.

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PRAYER FOR GRANDPARENTS

I thank You, Lord, for the comfort of Your presence; even in times of loneliness, You are my hope and my confidence, You have been my rock and my fortress since my youth!

I thank You for having given me a family and for having blessed me with a long life. I thank You for moments of joy and difficulty, for the dreams that have already come true in my life and for those that are still ahead of me. I thank You for this time of renewed fruitfulness to which You call me.

Increase, O Lord, my faith, make me a channel of your peace, teach me to embrace those who suffer more than me, to never stop dreaming and to tell of your wonders to new generations.

Protect and guide Pope Francis and the Church, that the light of the Gospel might reach the ends of the earth. Send Your Spirit, O Lord, to renew the world, that the storm of the pandemic might be calmed, the poor consoled and wars ended.

Sustain me in weakness and help me to live life to the full in each moment that You give me, in the certainty that you are with me every day, even until the end of the age.

Amen.