

August 29, 2010 – 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

ROMAN CATHOLIC FAMILY OF DAYSLAND, HEISLER, KILLAM & PARISHES

Daysland – Our Lady of the Prairies Church * Heisler – St. Martin Church * Killam – St. Joseph Church
Polska Church – St. John the Baptist Church * Prague Church – St. John Nepomucen Church
Spring Lake - St. Boniface Historical Church * Strome – St. Peter Historical Church

PRAYERS AND SUPPORT FOR PAKISTAN

The Bishops of Canada have joined in the appeal by Pope Benedict XVI for Catholics to respond with solidarity and compassion to the victims of Pakistan's devastating floods. The worst monsoon season in decades has caused flooding that claimed 2,000 lives and affected another 20 million people. About a fifth of the country is affected with an **estimated six million people left homeless**. Pakistan is slightly smaller than Ontario and is home to 170 million people.

"May these brothers of ours, so harshly tested, not lack our solidarity and the concrete aid of international solidarity," the Holy Father said in his appeal. The president of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops, Most. Reverend Pierre Morissette, has written a letter urging Canadians to respond generously to their brothers and sisters in dire need. "They have lost family members, and are injured, hungry, sick and homeless. In addition to their immediate needs, there is everything that will also need to be done to rebuild their communities as well as their economy and local agriculture, once the devastating floods end. The rains have simply destroyed roads, farms and homes."

Despite the magnitude of this disaster, the international response has not been quick, possibly for political reasons. But Bishop Morissette stressed that the victims of the flooding, often the poorest in the country, are not responsible for their government policies. He urged Canadians to support them by donating to Development and Peace, which is working directly with Caritas Pakistan, a member of Caritas Internationalis, the Church's global humanitarian aid network. "Caritas Pakistan is rooted in the local community. Despite their own personal losses, its volunteers and staff have been hard at work since the onset of the flooding, doing their best to meet the needs of others who are also suffering. The Development and Peace appeal offers us an opportunity to provide immediate support as well as long-term assistance." *Special envelopes are included in all our bulletins this weekend in which we can give our support.*

The Government of Canada has pledged to match private donations to the Pakistan relief effort dollar for dollar:

- The contributions received by a parish must be intended for relief efforts and humanitarian assistance in Pakistan;
- The contributions must be made by September 12, 2010 - **Please write the cheque to your parish.**



INFORMATION about CONFIRMATION in 2011

SUNDAY, MAY 01, 2011 at 9.00 AM Mass at Our Lady of the Prairies Church - Daysland

Preparations will be held at three centers: Heisler, Daysland and Killam. The preparation includes special catechism classes (from November 2010 to April 2011) and a retreat (in April 2011- the date will be announced at later time after consultation with the parents).

The registration form can be downloaded at our website at www.rcfamily.ca or contact our parish office for a copy. **The registration deadline is October 22, 2010.** Please send the registration to the office by mail, fax or e-mail. You can also bring the registration to the office in person or put in the envelope in the collection basket at any of our Sunday Masses.

The candidate for Confirmation should be at the age of 12-14 (grades 6-8).

The candidate needs to attend all classes and the retreat. The only reason that will be accepted for not attending a class is sickness. If this commitment cannot be made, then Confirmation should be delayed until the commitment can be fulfilled. A meeting with parents of registered children to receive the sacrament of Confirmation in 2011 will be held on Tuesday, **October 26, 2010 at 7.30 PM** at Our Lady of the Prairies Church in Daysland. Further information will be given to parents at that meeting. It will be decided also at that meeting which day and time is best for Confirmation classes for each centre.

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SUNDAY MASSES

FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH:

Saturday at 7.00 PM – Killam
Sunday at 9.00 AM – Daysland
Sunday at 11.00 AM – Heisler

SECOND SUNDAY OF THE MONTH:

Saturday at 7.00 PM – Heisler
Sunday at 9.00 AM – Killam
Sunday at 11.00 AM – Daysland

THIRD SUNDAY OF THE MONTH:

Saturday at 7.00 PM – Daysland
Sunday at 9.00 AM – Heisler
Sunday at 11.00 AM – Killam

FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE MONTH:

Saturday at 7.00 PM – Heisler
Sunday at 9.00 AM – Killam
Sunday at 11.00 AM – Daysland

FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE MONTH:

Saturday at 7.00 PM – Daysland
Sunday at 9.00 AM – Heisler
Sunday at 11.00 AM – Killam

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday – No Mass

Tuesday – 7.00 PM at Daysland Church

Wednesday – 9.00 AM at Killam Church

Thursday – 4.15 PM at Killam Hospital

Friday – 12.00 PM at Heisler Church

First Thursday of the month at 2.00 PM
at Providence Place in Daysland

First Friday of the month at 10.00 AM
at Big Knife Villa in Forestburg



Next Baptism Preparation Session:

Sep. 09, 2010 at 7.00 PM – Killam Hall

Confessions: anytime by appointment

Marriages: call office for information

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday August 28, 2010 - 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
7 PM Daysland – Our Lady of the Prairies Church

Intention: For good harvest weather

Sunday August 29, 2010 - 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
9 AM Heisler – St. Martin Church

Intention: For all members of our parish communities

11 AM Killam – St. Joseph Church

Intention: For the repose of the soul of Austin Arntzen

Monday August 30, 2010 - Weekday

No Mass

Tuesday August 31, 2010 - Weekday

7 PM Daysland – Our Lady of the Prairies Church

Intention: For favorable weather

Wednesday September 01, 2010 - Weekday

9 AM Killam – St. Joseph Church

Intention: For a successful school year for all students & teachers

Thursday September 02, 2010 - Weekday

2 PM Daysland – Providence Place

Intention: For the repose of the soul of Alfred Prehn

4:15 PM Killam – Hospital Chapel

Intention: For a bountiful harvest

Friday September 03, 2010 - St. Gregory the Great; pope, doctor

10 AM Forestburg – Big Knife Villa

Intention: For the repose of the soul of Joseph Strauss

12 PM Heisler – St. Martin Church

Intention: For the repose of the soul of Dale Albers

Saturday September 04, 2010 - 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

7 PM Killam – St. Joseph Church

Intention: For all CWL members

Sunday September 05, 2010 - 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9 AM Daysland – Our Lady of the Prairies Church

Intention: For the repose of the soul of James Orr

11 AM Heisler – St. Martin Church

Intention: For all members of our parish communities


THE EUCHARIST GIVES US JESUS CHRIST


The Church has always understood a Real Presence. For example, St. Ignatius of Antioch, who was eaten by the beasts in Rome around 107, wrote: "The Eucharist is the flesh of our Savior Jesus Christ" (To Smyrna 7:1). St. Justin the martyr wrote around 145 A. D.: "We have been taught that the food is the flesh and blood of that Jesus who was made flesh" (Apology 1. 66. 2). The Council of Trent in 1551 defined that **Jesus is really present in the Eucharist, body and blood, soul and divinity.**

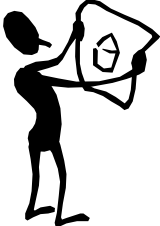
PARISH FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Regular Sunday Collection: August 22, 2010

Daysland: \$ 1,463.00 * Heisler: \$ 1,046.67 * Killam: \$ 1,765.00

CHURCH CLEANING	SECURITY INSPECTIONS
 <p style="text-align: center;">Daysland</p> <p>Aug 30 – Sep 05: Shannon Omoth, Kathleen Badry, Sherry Loesch, Irene Feddema Sep 06 – Sep 12: Maryanne Wolokoff, Joan Badry, Grace Zimmer, Jeanne Hamm Sep 13 – Sep 19: Pat Hamm, Sherry Zimmer, Joanne Whittleton, Shawna Heck</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Heisler</p> <p>September: Rose Weller, Darlene Zimmer, Barb Roth, Lori Zimmer</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Killam</p> <p>Aug 29: D'Arcy Evans Sep 5, 12, 19: Dianne Kelndorfer, Kelli Moser, Sharon Moser</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Daysland</p> <p>Aug 29 – Sep 04: Peter Pudlowski Sep 05 – Sep 11: Colette Green Sep 12 – Sep 18: Bernie Szott</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Killam</p> <p>Aug 30 – Sep 05: Ernie Kueber Sep 06 - Sep 12: Tony Schnettler Sep 13 – Sep 19: Reg Fee</p>


VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR CHURCH CLEANING IN KILLAM	
<p>St. Joseph Parish in Killam is looking for more volunteers to clean the church (upstairs only). <u>If you are not currently on the list and you would like to help</u> please contact parish office before September 30, 2010 at 780-385-3503 to leave your name and you will be included in the roster for church cleaning. For more information please call office at 780-385-3503.</p> <p>Thank you very much for your consideration to this matter and your cooperation.</p>	

 CHURCH CLEANING COORDINATOR NEEDED IN DAYSLAND
<p>Our Lady of the Prairies Parish in Daysland is looking for church cleaning coordinator. The duties include: supplying cleaning clothes, checking that the vacuum is kept empty, keeping the scrub room clean and organizing the annual church general cleaning. If you would like to be the new church cleaning coordinator please contact parish office at 780-385-3503.</p> <p>Thank you very much for your consideration to this matter and your cooperation.</p>


Stewardship Moment... Virtues of the Disciple & Christian Steward - Mercy

“Go and learn what the Scriptures mean when they say, ‘Instead of offering sacrifices to me, I want you to be merciful to others.’ I didn't come to invite good people to be my followers. I came to invite sinners.” Matthew 9:12-14

One of the greatest measures of mercy is the commitment to be compassionate towards everyone we meet. We pray that we will always be a community that welcomes all people with love and compassion.

	<p>In Loving Memory of WILLIAM “BILL” HUCULAK (1931-2010)</p> <p>Funeral Service: Friday, August 27, 2010 at 2.00 PM in Bugar Memorial Chapel in Camrose</p>
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Parish Pastoral Council Meeting in Heisler	
<p>Wednesday, September 01, 2010 at 7.30 PM - In the church</p>	

	<p>GREG YUHA BENEFIT</p> <p>BBQ and Auction</p> <p>Sunday, August 29, 2010 * 1.00 PM – 4.00 PM</p> <p>Bawlf Community Hall</p> <p>A group of community members and friends from the Bawlf/Rosalind area are hosting a Benefit - BBQ and Auction for Greg Yuha. He has had MS for 20 years and is going to India in September to receive the Liberation treatment that is being given to MS patients.</p>
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