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1919 Church Calendar 1919

February	March	April
(1) S. Ignatius, Bridge, D.	(1) S. Sathert, B., Endocia	(1) T. Hugh, B., Anguiana
(2) S. Candelmas, Halford	(2) S. Leada, Simpkins	(2) M. Gordonian, Checosia
(3) M. Blaise, B. M., Ansdar	(3) M. Marins, Cunequindis	(3) T. Nicetas, Burgundofera
(4) T. Gilbert, Ababans, B.	(4) T. Owen, Casimir	(4) F. Isidore, B. Dr., Plato
(5) M. Agatha, D., Abelaide	(5) M. Ash Wednesday, Oliva	(5) S. Beno, M., Irene, M.
(6) T. Dorothy, D., Ana, King	(6) T. Felicitas and Perpetua	(6) S. Celus, Continenta
(7) P. Romuald, Richard, B.	(7) F. Thomas, C., Dr.	(7) M. Elthoth, Heselina, B.
(8) S. Eulman, C., Elfrida	(8) S. Deremund, Senan, B.	(8) T. Perpetua, Concessa
(9) S. Anstet, B., Apollonia	(9) S. Frances of Rome, W.	(9) M. Gundecar, Waltrude
(10) M. Scolastica, Ethelstan	(10) M. in Martyrs, Ngape	(10) T. Hbadus, C., Cuana
(11) T. Eucius, B., Ethelora	(11) T. Firmin, Antonia	(11) F. Leo, P. Dr., Godeberta
(12) M. Gaudentius, Eulalia	(12) M. Ember Day, Gregory	(12) S. Aferius, Simplicia
(13) T. Benignus, Maura, W.	(13) T. Ramius, Euphrasia	(13) S. Hermengild, Catina
(14) P. Valentin, Felcula, C.	(14) P. Infans, Matilda	(14) M. Justin, M., Edmuna
(15) S. Jansius, C., Georgia	(15) S. Conquius, Eecritia	(15) T. Rodan, Donatilla
(16) S. Onesimus, Juliana	(16) S. Herbert, Eusebia	(16) M. Harvey, C., Basilis
(17) M. Sittan, Abbot, Nonan	(17) M. Patrick, B., Wiburgis	(17) T. Donan, Abbot, Isidora
(18) T. Heladius, Constantia	(18) T. Gabriel, Archangel	(18) P. Good Friday, Ezeard
(19) M. Mansuetus, Columba	(19) M. Joseph, Quartailla	(19) S. Ursmar, B., Emma
(20) T. Eleutherius, Corona	(20) T. Cathbert, Alexandria	(20) S. Easter Sunday
(21) P. Maximian, Eleonora	(21) P. Benedict, Santuccia	(21) M. Anselm, B. Dr., Bruno
(22) S. Paschasius, B., C.	(22) S. Octavian, Ego, W.	(22) T. Wolphelm, Opportuna
(23) S. Peter Damian, Romana	(23) S. Edelwald, Pelagia	(23) M. George, Walbert, C.
(24) M. Mathias, Bp.	(24) M. Aldemar, Hidelitta, C.	(24) T. Fidelis, Checodestia
(25) T. Wolphelm, Walburga	(25) T. Annunciation, B. M. V.	(25) P. Mar, Coang, Alice
(26) M. Victor, C., Eigna, D.	(26) M. Edgar, B., Marina	(26) S. Crudbert, M. Alda
(27) T. Eander, B., Honorina	(27) T. Rupert, B., Augusta	(27) S. Raynald, Abbot, Jina
(28) P. Oswald, B., Rufina	(28) P. Gunthram, Madacta	(28) M. Cronan, Valeria
	(29) S. Berthold, C., Dola, M.	(29) T. Robert, Wilfrid
	(30) S. Regulus, B., Novola	(30) M. Ercmund, Sophia
	(31) M. Guy, Balina, W., B.	

FEASTS OF OBLIGATION
New Year, Wednesday, 1. Jan.
Epiphany, Monday, 6. Jan.
Ascension, Thursday, 29. May
All Saints, Saturday, 1. Nov.
Immaculate Conception, Mon. 8. Dec.
Christmas, Thursday, 25. Dec.

OTHER FEASTS
Septuagesima, Sunday, 16. Feb.
Ash Wednesday, 5. March
Good Friday, 18. April
Easter Sunday, 20. April
Pentecost Sunday, 8. June
Corpus Christi, Thursday, 19. June
Sacred Heart, Friday, 27. June
All Souls, Sunday, 2. November
First Sunday of Advent, 30. Nov.

Prayers for the Peace Conference.

The government at Ottawa, on Jan. 23rd, issued a royal proclamation, setting apart next Sunday, Feb. 16th, as a day of prayer for the Peace Conference, which says: "Whereas it seems to us fitting that a day should be set apart for a Day of Intercession for the Peace Conference,—

"Now therefore know ye that We have thought fit by and with the advice of Our Privy Council for Canada to appoint and set apart the sixteenth day of February next to be throughout the Dominion of Canada a day of humble prayer and intercession to Almighty God that his blessings may rest upon the Peace Conference, and that under His direction and guidance its deliberations and conclusions may result in the establishment of a world wide peace on a just and permanent foundation; and We do invite all Our loving subjects throughout Canada to observe the said day as solemnly set apart and consecrated for this purpose.

"Of all which Our loving subjects and all others whom these presents may concern, are hereby required to take notice, and govern themselves accordingly."

In accordance with the desire of our Bishop, we give this proclamation, which so thoroughly agrees with the expressed wish of the Holy Father, publicity in our

FASTS OF OBLIGATION
Ember Days, 12, 14, 15. March
11, 13, 14. June
17, 19, 20. Sept.
17, 19, 20. Dec.
Lent, 5. March to 19. April
Vigils, 7. June, 16. August,
31. Oct., 24. Dec.

FIRST DAY OF EACH MONTH
1. Jan. Wednesday 1. July Tuesday
1. Feb. Saturday 1. Aug. Friday
1. March Saturday 1. Sept. Monday
1. Apr. Tuesday 1. Oct. Wednesday
1. May Thursday 1. Nov. Saturday
1. June Sunday 1. Dec. Monday

ECLIPSES
of the sun, 28. May, 22. Nov.
of the moon, 7. Nov.

paper, and ask our readers not to be satisfied with the prayers already prescribed for this purpose by the Bishop for all Sundays, but to redouble their prayers for guidance of the Peace Conference next Sunday.

Religious News

REGINA, Sask.—Archbishop Mathieu left last week for Quebec to attend a meeting of the archbishops of Canada. He expects to be away several weeks.

WINNIPEG, Man.—Archbishop Sinnott preached in the German St. Joseph's Church on Feb. 2. He complimented Father Hilland, O. M. I., the pastor, and the members on the excellent showing made financially during the past year, and praised them for their tactful conduct during the recent disturbances.

ST. BONIFACE, Man.—The Catholics in Norwood recently held a meeting under the presidency of Father Jubinville, for the purpose of organizing a new parish.

MONTREAL.—Archbishop Bruchesi, in company with Canon Chatrier, will leave on Feb. 18, for a trip to Rome.

QUEBEC.—Monsignore Cerretti, who had been delegated by the Pope to bring the Supreme Pontiff's greetings to Cardinal Gibbons on the occasion of the latter's jubilee, recently was the guest of Cardinal Begin.

ST. PAUL, Minn.—The property of St. Mary's parish, this city, consisting of six lots together with the church edifice, parochial school and pastor's residence, has been purchased by the Great Northern Railway Company for the sum of \$145,000, but the Company will not come into actual possession until January, 1922.

—During the course of the year St. Joseph's Parish, Minneapolis, will celebrate the golden jubilee of its organization. Rev. Othmar Erren, O. S. B., pastor, is making preparations for the celebration.

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—Fire, resulting from a defective furnace flue and damage by water used to extinguish it, have so seriously impaired St. James Church, erected 25 years ago, that a new structure will have to be erected.

DALLAS, Tex.—Bishop Joseph P. Lynch is recuperating from an operation at St. Vincent's Sanitarium, Sherman.

DETROIT, Mich.—The petition filed to bring to a vote next April the proposed constitutional amendment eliminating all parochial and private schools in the State has been declared invalid by the attorney general. This is the second time that the efforts of the enemies of the Catholic schools have come to naught.

COLUMBUS, O.—Msgr. J. Soentgerath, for many years rector of the Josephinum, has resigned. His successor is Rev. Dr. Joseph Och.

ALTOONA, Pa.—By the will of the late Miss Mary Hart of Hollidaysburg she leaves her magnificent home to the Bishop of the diocese as a home for aged Catholic ladies. The approximated value of the property is about \$8,000.

NEW YORK.—The 60. anniversary of the founding of the Paulist Fathers in the Archdiocese of New York in 1858 was celebrated in the Church of St. Paul the Apostle with a solemn high Mass of thanksgiving.

BROOKLYN, N. Y.—Rev. Geo. J. Krim, S. J., former President of Canisius College, Buffalo, has been appointed President of Brooklyn College. He succeeds Rev. Joseph H. Rockwell, S. J., who last summer was appointed Provincial for the Maryland-New York province of the Society of Jesus.

LOUVAIN, Belgium.—Preparations are being made for the opening of the great Catholic university here. The world famous library, which was burned during the German invasion, will be rebuilt at an early date.

MADRID, Spain.—M. Calbedon y Planchon, minister of finances in the Spanish government and former ambassador of Spain to the Holy See, died Feb. 6.

ROME.—News has been received here of the re-opening of the Dominican Biblical School of St. Stephen in Jerusalem.

—The death of Msgr. Tarozzi, ex-secretary for Latin letters to Leo XIII, removes one of those skilled Latinists who made the pontificate of the Pope Leo celebrated for the elegance of language in which his bulls were given to the world.

—The Pope is having coined a special 1919 medal commemorating the cessation of war. On the obverse side it bears the figure of Pope Benedict with the inscription "Benedictus XV., Principis Pacis Vicarius." On the reverse side is an image of the Redeemer with angels on either side representing justice and peace.

St. Peter's Colony

CARMEL.—A beautiful wedding was solemnized here Feb. 3rd, when, before a High Mass celebrated by Father Joseph, Mr. Jos. Schidlowsky, of St. Scholastica's Mission, was joined in holy wedlock to Miss Mary Ratch, of Carmel. After High Mass the blessing of St. Blaise was

imparted to the faithful of our congregation. This was the first time that the blessing of the throats was administered at the Carmel church.

—Mr. Joseph Freistadt, who some time ago made a trip to Leipzig, Sask., as a single man, is now back at Carmel again and feels immensely happy alongside of his new and devoted wife.

WILLMONT.—On Feb. 6th the Rev. Father Lawrence celebrated a High Mass of Requiem for the repose of the soul of the deceased Adolph Bernauer.

—At the blessing of the throats which our pastor imparted to the faithful of our parish, this year, the hair of a young man caught fire which gave occasion to much merry and humorous comment after the services.

FULDA.—On Feb. 6th the remains of Viola Barthel, a three year old girl, were interred in our cemetery, a goodly number of the parishioners accompanying the corpse to the graveyard. This little girl was the latest victim of the influenza in our congregation.

HUMBOLDT.—At a meeting of the councillors of the R. Municipality of Humboldt on Feb. 1st, among others the following decisions were passed: Commencing January 1st, 1919, the Secretary will be paid a straight salary of \$125 per month, and will not be paid any commission on money collected. A motion was passed authorizing the payment of \$1000 to St. Elizabeth Hospital as soon as work has started on the new addition. Noxious weed inspectors were appointed for 1919 as follows: Anthony Jaeb for the east half of municipality, J. H. Doetzel for west half. The secretary-treasurer was authorized to order \$400 worth of gopher poison for 1919. F. I. Hauser, sec. treas., was appointed a delegate from the municipality to attend the annual convention of Saskatchewan Rural Municipalities to be held in Regina.

—The following soldiers have recently returned from the front: Pte. H. Salmond, Pte. Thos. Johns, Pte. Ruben Harrington and Pte. W. R. McClocklin. All four of them have seen considerable fighting in France and were badly wounded.

—Peter Lux met with a painful accident on Feb. 1st at the Ries farm, about 8 miles northwest of town. He was engaged in sawing wood with a circular saw outfit, when the framework in some manner worked loose and while endeavoring to hold it in place he came in contact with the saw and was badly cut about the face. He was brought in to the hospital, where he is getting along as well as could be expected.

—The malady of influenza is making its second visit in our town. Some thirty persons are being molested with this second instalment of the dread and stubborn disease. On Saturday, Feb. 8th, the oldest son of Mr. Geo. Stokes, our harness maker, died of the influenza at the age of 10½ years. It is also stated that Mrs. Stokes is in a critical condition, suffering from the pestilence.

—The kind reader is referred to Kelly Bros. advertisement on page eight.

—On Tuesday, Feb. 4th, the Rev. Father Benedict joined at the Immaculate Conception Church in the holy bonds of matrimony Valentin Gerlinsky, of Cavell, Sask., and Cecilia Froes, the latter a member of the Immaculate Conception Mission.

—On Sunday, Feb. 9th, Chas. Johns and Lenora Anstett were united for the union of life in St. Augustine's Church at Humboldt. The Rev. Father Benedict officiated at the ceremony and pronounced the nuptial blessing.

—Mr. P. J. Flood, the brother-in-law of Mr. A. Kelly, was a visitor in Humboldt last week.

—Mr. Arpin, the representative of the Banque d'Hochelega, has purchased the two corner lots, north of Mr. Pitzel's meat market, from Mrs. Mary Bauer, paying therefor the sum of \$3,000. In the course of next summer the head officials of the bank intend to erect a handsome new bank building on the acquired property. Up to that time the new bank which will open up on March 1st, will transact business in temporary quarters.

—At the council meeting of the R. Municipality of Wolverine, held Feb. 3rd, among others the following decisions were arrived at: The following fire constables be re-appointed: Div. 1 C. Hope, Div. 2 John Hodson, Div. 4 E. Doppler, Div. 6 A. G. Schmidt, and the Sec. be authorized to purchase 6 constables badges and supply same to the constables appointed; that the following pounds and poundkeepers be designated:

Div. 1	C. Costelle	C. McGonnell	SW 22-34-22
" 3	C. Wanstell	A. Henry	NE 21-34-24
" 4	J. Imken	J. Stevenson	SW 28-36-23
" 5	H. Pocock	" 6	A. Dundas
" 2	C. Trainor	" 7	H. Pocock
" 3	R. Fraser	" 8	C. Trainor
" 4	R. Fraser	" 9	R. Fraser

that the foregoing pounds and poundkeepers be approved and appointed for 1919 and the Sec. be authorized to secure 6 Brand Books for use of pounds, the said Brand Books to be handed to the councilors for distribution; that the Sec. be and is authorized to place an advertisement in the Saskatoon Star, Regina Leader and all three local papers for one insertion, asking for applications for the position as municipal weed inspector; all applicants must have a knowledge of noxious weeds and must provide their own auto car; salary \$500.00 for continuous duties June 15 to Aug. 15 incl. together with two weeks continuous duties during the first part of threshing season; that

each resident farmer as in former years and in addition a bounty be given on gopher tails; that the bounty on gopher tails be 2 cents for each tail delivered prior to June 1st, 1919; that the Sec. be authorized to instruct solicitor to apply to registrar of land titles for the titles on lands not redeemed and purchased by council at tax sale 1916; that the reeve and Council be appointed delegates to attend Municipal Convention and that \$25.00 each be advanced to ward their expenses; that the usual fee of \$15.00 be forwarded to the Saskatchewan Assoc. of Municipalities; that in response to an appeal from the Salvation Army Red Shield Campaign a grant of \$50.00 be forwarded to the fund; that a grant of \$50.00 be made to the St. Elizabeth Hospital at Humboldt; that the Sec. be and is instructed to draft and send to Col. M. Lang, M. P., a letter from this council urging him to bring all his influence and power to bear on the government to bring about the construction of the Humboldt-Saskatoon and also the Lanigan-Humboldt lines.

MÜNSTER.—Word has been received from the United States that the Rev. Father Alfred Mayer, O. S. B., of Moorhead, Minn., is in poor health for quite a while, and that his physician has advised him to seek relief in a warmer climate.

—The Pilla family were, of late, visited by the influenza a second time, but in no case was there a serious development.

—The C. N. passenger train No. 2 met with a mishap near Kamsack on Feb. 5th, when the pullman car was derailed, giving the passengers a very severe shaking up, but no one was seriously injured.

—The following Rev. Fathers were visitors at the Abbey during the course of last week: Father Ca-

simir of Dead Moose Lake, Joseph of Engelfeld, Dominic of Watson, Bernard of Anaheim and the Rev. Father S. Drapeau of Rosthern.

—A kind reader of St. Peters Bote at Steelman, Sask., sent in \$5.00 for the missions among the heathens, a reader at Bruno \$10.00 for the orphans. Thanks!

—The Banque d'Hochelega was opened up for business on Tuesday of this week. Mr. Chas. A. Roussau, of Howell, has been appointed first temporary manager.

—The weather which was quite severe since the beginning of the month, took on a milder form Feb. 9th, the thermometer rising again above the zero mark.

—Attention might be called to our Prize Contest on page seven. It is of course understood that the words should be arranged in alphabetical order; that is those beginning with a first; then those with a etc. How many words did you get together, so far?

—With this issue the St. Peters Bote is completing its 15th year of existence. The past year was an eventful year, indeed, bringing in its train the enforced conversion of St. Peters Bote from a German into an English weekly.

LENORA LAKE.—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gerwing, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gerwing and Mr. John Gerwing are visiting relatives in the United States.

—At the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Lake Lenore Rural Telephone Co. the following officials were elected: President Herman Schmitz; directors: Jos. Hopfner, John Mager, Pet. Wolsfeld and Christ. Hopfner.

—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Pet. Skalicky at the hospital in Humboldt last week. Shortly after birth the child was baptized.

ANNAHEIM.—Mrs. Martin T. Reynolds was delivered of a baby-boy last week. The child was born and baptized in St. Elizabeth Hospital at Humboldt.

PUBLIC AUCTION.—Having decided to give up farming I will, on Tuesday, February 18th, offer for sale by public auction my 7 horses, 26 head of cattle and all farm implements; the sale to take place on my farm, the S.E. 1/4 S. 24-38-20W2, 9 miles N.E. of St. Gregor and 9 miles N.W. of Engelfeld.

M. Kloss, Owner.
ST. GREGOR.—The Merchants Bank of Canada has opened a branch in our village on Thursday of last week. Until a suitable location can be secured, the business of the bank will be transacted in Mr. A. J. Ries' store-building. The St. Gregorians are jubilant over their unexpected and speedy success in having obtained a bank.

ENGELFELD.—The malady of influenza is bidding us good-bye again.

WATSON.—The population of the town of Watson numbers, according to an official estimate of the town clerk, 300 souls.

—The Rev. Father Dominic made a visit to Bruno and Münster, during the course of the past week. While in Münster, he made arrangements to have the annual financial report of the Sacred Heart Congregation printed.

ST. BRIEUX, Sask., Feb. 6th, 1919
Dear St. Peters Bote:—

A meeting of the business men of St. Brieux was called on Tuesday, Jan. 21st, for the purpose of forming an organization to promote the best interests of the village. "The Publicity Commission" was adopted as a name for the organization. Mr. D. B. Smith, manager of the local branch of The Canadian Bank of Commerce, was chosen to act as president of the Commission. Mr. L. Demay was appointed to the office of Sec. Treas. The meetings are to be held every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. A committee was appointed to draw up a