## Bishop James Mahoney High School Graduation 2023



Cathedral of the Holy Family
123 Nelson Road
1:00pm
Wednesday, June 28, 2023

## **Graduation Mass**

## Celebrant

Fr. Gerard Cooper

#### **Cross Bearer**

Nicholas Pesenti

### **Altar Server**

Amber Sorensen

## **Music Accompaniment**

Bishop James Mahoney Choir (directed by Ms. Amanda Gourlay)

#### Piano

Ms. Leanne Hamm

## Guitar

Mr. Anthony Dale

### Reader

Claire Kropelnicky

## **Responsorial Psalm**

Will Driedger, Jacob Heppner, Therese Levesque, Mercedes Mychan

## **Prayers of Intercession**

Ali Beaudry, Jaxson Kramchynsky

#### **Gift Bearers**

Jaxson Kramchynsky, Kyle White, Brady Wouters

## **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion**

Ms. Sarah Friske, Ms. Yvonne Musey Johnson, Mr. Andrew Rapin, Mr. Dan Toogood

## **Ushers**

Mme Rebecca Alberts, Mr. Brandon Holmes, Mr. Jeremy Long, Mr. Scott Mantyka

#### Artwork

Raena Wiebe

Prelude

Piano

**Processional** 

Graduands

Opening Hymn
Lead Me Lord

1.Blessed are the poor in spirit

Longing for their Lord

For God's coming kingdom shall be theirs

Blessed are the sorrowing

For they shall be consoled

And the meek shall come to rule the world. Chorus

Lead me, Lord, lead me, Lord
By the light of truth
To seek and to find the narrow way
Be my way, be my truth
Be my life, my Lord
And lead me, Lord, today.

2.Blessed are the merciful,
for mercy shall be theirs

And the pure in heart shall see their God
Blest are they whose hunger
only holiness can fill

For I say they shall be satisfied. Chorus

## Greeting

## **Penitential Rite**

## Liturgy of the Word

## First Reading is a Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Philippians

I thank my God every time I remember you, constantly praying with joy in every one of my prayers for all of you, because of your sharing in the gospel from the first day until now. I am confident of this, that the one who began a good work among you will bring it to completion by the day of Jesus Christ. And this is my prayer, that your love may overflow more and more with knowledge and full insight to help you to determine what is best, so that on the day of Christ you may be pure and blameless, having produced the harvest of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ for the glory and praise of God.

**The Word of the Lord** Thanks be to God.

## **Responsorial Psalm**

This is the day that the Lord has made; Let Us Rejoice and Be Glad.

Give thanks for God's stead-fast love God's Mercy endures forever. Let all those who fear the Lord Give thanks for God's merciful love. *R* 

You are kind and full of compassion Slow to anger, abounding in love.

How good you are, Lord, to all Compassionate to all your creatures. *R* 

The stone that the builders rejected Has become the corner stone.

The Lord has done marvellous things Let us rejoice and be glad.

## **Gospel Acclamation**

Alleluia

## Gospel: Luke 10: 21-24

At that same hour Jesus rejoiced in the Holy Spirit and said, 'I thank you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because you have hidden these things from the wise and the intelligent and have revealed them to infants; yes, Father, for such was your gracious will.

All things have been handed over to me by my Father; and no one knows who the Son is except the Father, or who the Father is except the Son and anyone to whom the Son chooses to reveal him.'

Then turning to the disciples, Jesus said to them privately, 'Blessed are the eyes that see what you see! For I tell you that many prophets and kings desired to see what you see, but did not see it, and to hear what you hear, but did not hear it.' **The Gospel of the Lord**. *Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ*.

## **Homily**

**Profession Of Faith** 

**Prayers of Intercession** 

Offertory

## These Alone Are Enough for Me

Take my heart, O Lord,
take my hopes and dreams.

Take my mind with all its plans and schemes.
Give me nothing more
Than your love and grace.
These alone, O God are enough for me.

Take my thoughts, O Lord,
and my memory,
Take my tears, my joys, my liberty.
Give me nothing more
Than your love and grace.
These alone, O God are enough for me.

I surrender, Lord, all I have and hold.
I return to you your gifts untold.
Give me nothing more
Than your love and grace.
These alone, O God are enough for me.

When the darkness falls on my final days,
Take the very breath that sang your praise.
Give me nothing more
Than your love and grace.
These alone, O God are enough for me.

## Communion Hymns Here at This Table

Come and be filled here at this table.

Food for all who hunger
and drink for all who thirst.

Drink of his love, wine of salvation.

You shall live forever in Jesus Christ the Lord.

1. You who labor for justice, you who labor for peace, you who steady the plow in the field of the Lord, Chorus

2 You with lives full of pain, you who sorrow and weep, you, beloved of Christ, come to him, come to him! Chorus 3 Children of ev'ry color in ev'ry land,
you are his own,
he gathers you gently.
Don't you grow weary,
for when you run, you run with the Lord! Chorus

4 You, the aged among us, holy, faithful, and wise, may the wisdom you share form our lives and our world! Chorus

5 Let each woman and man learn from the stranger; we're not so diff'rent and so much unites us.

For we are one,
blest with the Spirit
and the power of love.

## We Are One Body

We are one body, one body in Christ
And we do not stand alone
We are one body, one body in Christ
And he came that we might have life

When you eat my body and you drink my blood, I will live in you and you will live in my love. When you eat my body and you drink my blood, I will live in you and you will love in my love.

We are one body, one body in Christ And we do not stand alone We are one body, one body in Christ And he came that we might have life

Can you hear them crying? Can you feel their pain?

Will you feed my hungry, will you help my lame?

See the unborn baby the forgotten one, they are not forsaken they are not unloved.

We are one body, one body in Christ
And we do not stand alone
We are one body, one body in Christ
And he came that we might have life

I am the way, the truth, the life, I am the final sacrifice.

I am the way, the truth, the life, he who believes in me will have eternal life.

I am the way, the truth, the life, I am the final sacrifice.

I am the way, the truth, the life, he who believes in me will have eternal life.

I have come, your Saviour, that you might have life,
Through the tears and sorrow, through the toils and strife.
Listen when I call you, for I know your need,
Come to me, your shepherd, for my flock I feed.

We are one body, one body in Christ And we do not stand alone We are one body, one body in Christ And he came that we might have life

At the name of Jesus, every knee shall bend.
Jesus is the Lord and he will come again.
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We are one body, one body in Christ And we do not stand alone We are one body, one body in Christ And he came that we might have life

# Closing Hymn Did You Feel the Mountains Tremble

And do you feel the darkness tremble?
When all the saints join in one song
When all the streams flow as one river
To wash away our brokenness
(Oh, sing it out again)

Do you feel the darkness tremble?
When all the saints join in one song
And all the streams flow as one river
To wash away our brokenness

(And hear we see)

Hear we see that, God, You're moving
A time of jubilee is coming

When young and old return to Jesus
Fling wide you heavenly gates

Prepare the way of the risen Lord

And open up the doors
And let the music play
Let the streets resound with singing
Songs that bring Your hope
Songs that bring Your joy, joy
Dancers who dance upon injustice. Repeat

## Bishop James Mahoney High School 2023 Graduates

Principal's Honour Roll \* / Bilingual Diploma B / Health & Sciences Academy HSA

Patricia Adaya Kristine Abby Andal \* Noah Anderson B HSA

Kai Arcand-Salvatin B HSA

Chloe Babiy Zoe Bain

Mark Balicanta \* B HSA Zander Bandet HSA

Brooke Beaudin Alison Beaudry \* Mykhaylo Bilyy Jacob Bodvarson

Billie Boechler \* HSA

Declan Boser
Elysa Bossaer \*
Bailey Boulanger
Ella Bowman
Emmett Box \*
Keenah Braun

Carson Brauner \* HSA

Talia Brotzel Dustin Buller

Nicholas Cardinal HSA

Brooke Chubey
Myah Clatney \*
Jayvin Cross Child \*
Xander Dawson
Anna de Carle \* HSA
Riley Delorme \*

Decie Deschamps \* B HSA

Ty Deutscher \*
Taylor Don \*
William Driedger

Kaitlyn Dumaresque \* HSA

Chloe Dyck HSA Katelyn Dyck

Easton Edmonstone HSA

Ella Esquirol \*
Jadyn Facca

Tayla Farr \* HSA

Taelor Fehr

J'Lyn Friesen \*
Abhram Gambito
Nolan Ganton

Keira Gareau \* HSA

Chloe Gareau \*
Cole German
Andrew Gettel
Rebecca Graff \*

Madelyn Grass \* HSA Micah Guenther \* HSA

Sierra Guenther \*

Ethan Hadland \* B HSA

Renata Halt Dilon Hammer Payton Hanson Erika Haro \* HSA

Cohen Hawreluik HSA

Jacob Heppner \*
Kyan Herity

Maksym Herman \* HSA

Kienna Higgs

Easton Hobman \* HSA Natasha Hunchak \* HSA

Connor Jackson B Tenley Jaeb \* HSA Victoria Jean B Ryley Joyes \* HSA Andrew Klassen Alexas Koehler

Kristian Kolosnjaji B

Thomas Korol Katie Korolis

Victoria Kosharnovsky Jaxson Kramchynsky Claire Kropelnicky \*

Koby Laroque

Sarah Lavier \* HSA
Bettina Legge \* B
Erika Levesque \*
Therese Levesque \*
Elizabeth Lichtenwald

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Renee Lichtenwald-Kraft \*

Zhanhong Liu Hadyn Locke \* B

Brooklyn Lockhart-Jack Drayton Lonsberry B Donilaine Marie Lorenzo

Lexy Lund \*
Matthew Lutz
Aidan Manegre \*
Denym Mantyka
Brody Marcinkiw
Evan Marshall

Jacob Martin \* HSA

Liam Martin Madison Maskwa Reece Materi

Payton McElwee \* HSA Robert Molyneux \* B HSA

Delainey Morgan Russia Murphy \* B Mercedes Mychan

Nora Mysko

Matthew Neuman Ethan Nimmo Vitaliy Nosach \* B Esther Oderinde \* HSA

Dara Odewale-Olayemi \* HSA

Trevor Oliphant-Turner

Carsen Packet Hannah Palmer Taison Pambrun

Natalie Pardoski \* HSA Macie Parenteau \* HSA Nicholas Pesenti \* HSA

Zoei Poilièvre \*

Colby Prokopchuk \* B HSA Sitara Randhawa \* B HSA

Chrizelle Razon \*

Jasper Robinson Jade Rostata HSA Olivia Ruehs

Arjun Sandhu \*
Joleena Savenye
Ava Sawatsky \* HSA
Odessa Schlosser \*

Teri Schlosser

Olivia Schurr \* HSA Rebecca Scribner

Shevy Shevyakova HSA Applos Tewodros Shibru

Ally Shirran HSA Nicholas Siebert

Joel Sisson Ty Sittler Joel Stein \*

Morgan Stewart Savannah Sullivan \*

Dru Swain

Braxton Tabashniuk

Ethan Tarko \*
Hope Thebeau \*

Sloan Thomson \* HSA Meghan Timmons Mbeurora Tjikuua

Jade Tran

Erin Tremblay \* HSA

Mark Uy \*

Stella Vasyleha HSA

Gavin Vicente

Keela Vogelsang HSA

Luu Vu \* B HSA Kaiden West Kyle White Raena Wiebe Brady Wouters

## **Graduation Exercises**

# Interlude Music May the Road Rise to Meet You

Will Driedger, Jacob Heppner, Viktoriia Kuk, Hannah Levesque, Therese Levesque, Mercedes Mychan

## **Emcees of Ceremonies**

Ms. Hiedi Bodnarchuk and Mr. Kirby Frey

O Canada

BJM Choir

## **Salutatory Address**

Madelyn Grass

## **Presentation of Certificates & Honour Cords**

Mr. Jason Benson, Ms. Luisa Giocoli Clark, Mrs. Tracy Hazen
Assisted by

Maya Boersma, Damaris Hilkewich, Ms. Constance Sacher

## **Presentation of Academic Subject Awards**

**Scholarships and Awards** 

**Governor General Award** 

## **Valedictory Address**

Myah Clatney

## **Special Guest Presenters**

Mrs. Valerie Stone - Representing the St. Anne's Catholic Women's League
Mr. John Marshall - St. Anne's Knights of Columbus
Ms. Luisa Giocoli Clark- Superintendent of Education
Ms. Sharon Zakreski-Werbicki - Board of Education Trustee

## **Scholarships and Awards**

**Grade 12 Leadership Award:** Leadership Awards are given to Grade 12 students in recognition of their overall contribution in all areas of school life. Recipients are chosen based on qualities that include commitment to Christian life, high academic achievement, and participation in both social and athletic activities at Bishop James Mahoney.

**Guy Giroux Scholarship:** Guy Giroux was a much-loved teacher at BJM who passed away unexpectedly in 2001. Among his many attributes, Mr. Giroux always had a soft spot in his heart for students with tenacity and strength of character to meet challenges and wished to recognize their success in the classroom and school environment. Recipients are students who have taken the personal initiative to significantly improve as a student throughout the year or high school career at BJM. Improvement must be in evidence in attendance, attitude, work habits, grades, and facing personal challenges.

The Les and Irene Dubé Service & Justice Scholarship: This Scholarship, from St. Thomas More College, is designed to recognize a student's demonstrated passion for social justice. The recipient, who is successful academically and shows sensitivity to the marginalized, will participate in social justice programming at St. Thomas More College next academic year.

**SYA Scholarship**: The Saskatchewan Apprenticeship and Trade Certification Commission (SATCC), with its partners in industry and government, administer a Youth Apprenticeship Industry Scholarship Program to reward students' commitment and achievement in the Saskatchewan Youth Apprenticeship (SYA) Program. Students are encouraged to graduate high school with knowledge in the trades and to pursue apprenticeship or other post-secondary training in a designated apprenticeship trade after graduation.

**SRK Consulting Scholarship**: SRK Consulting has established a scholarship to be awarded to a graduating student from Bishop James Mahoney High School who has excelled in the Math and Science disciplines, while maintaining participation in at least one intercollegiate sport in their grade twelve year.

**Community of Saints Award**: The Hastings Family commissioned the Greater Saskatoon Catholic Schools Foundation to establish this award to recognize a Grade 12 student from Bishop James Mahoney High School. The student must have exemplified a spirit of acceptance, assistance, consideration, and comradeship towards fellow students and especially students with special needs.

**University of Toronto National Book Award:** Recipients must be students who excel in academic pursuits, demonstrate enthusiasm for intellectual exploration and have a strong involvement in the lives of their schools and communities.

**St. Anne's Knights of Columbus Bursary:** St Anne's Knights of Columbus presents bursaries to graduating students continuing on to post-secondary who best exemplify the Christian values of compassion, generosity and a Catholic Christian lifestyle.

**St. Anne's Catholic Women's League Bursary**: St. Anne's CWL presents bursaries to graduating students continuing on to post-secondary who best exemplify a Catholic Christian lifestyle and are involved in the School, Parish and Community.

## Athletic and Social Awards presented on June 13, 2023

**Bishop James Mahoney Athletic Service Award**: awarded yearly to a Grade 12 student who assists the athletic program as a support staff member. While these contributions often go unnoticed, our athletic programs would not prosper without the work that these support staff provide.

## Recipients - Payton McElwee & Natalie Pardoski

**Grade 12 Male Athletic Award:** presented annually to a Grade 12 student who demonstrates motivation, positive leadership, a Christian attitude, participation, and skill in one or more sports during their Grade 12 year at Bishop James Mahoney high School.

Recipients - Emmett Box, Jaxson Kramchynsky, & Denym Mantyka

**Grade 12 Female Athletic Award:** presented annually to a Grade 12 student who demonstrates motivation, positive leadership, a Christian attitude, participation, and skill in one or more sports during their Grade 12 year at Bishop James Mahoney high School.

## **Recipient - Myah Clatney**

**Grade 12 Male Athletic Dedication Award**: presented to a graduating student who demonstrates a Christian attitude, a yearlong (two seasons intensive/three seasons) dedication and participation in our school's athletic program in their Grade 12 year, and qualities of good sportsmanship and commitment to athletics.

## Recipient - Jacob Heppner

**Grade 12 Female Athletic Dedication Award**: presented to a graduating student who demonstrates a Christian attitude, a yearlong (two seasons intensive/three seasons) dedication and participation in our school's athletic program in their Grade 12 year, and qualities of good sportsmanship and commitment to athletics.

## **Recipient - Taylor Don**

**St. Anne's CWL Social Award**: presented to a Grade 12 student for overall contribution to the Social Area at BJM in a wide variety of activities. This individual demonstrates leadership, motivation, participation, Christian attitude, and a high calibre of performance in the respective areas.

## Recipient - Therese Levesque

**Theatrical Performance Award**: presented to a Grade 12 student who has made a major contribution to the theatrical performances at BJM.

## **Recipient - Maksym Herman**

**The J. H. Schoen Band Leadership Award:** is awarded to a Grade 12 band student who has consistently performed at a high level and who has demonstrated a willingness to serve in many ways that benefits our school's band program.

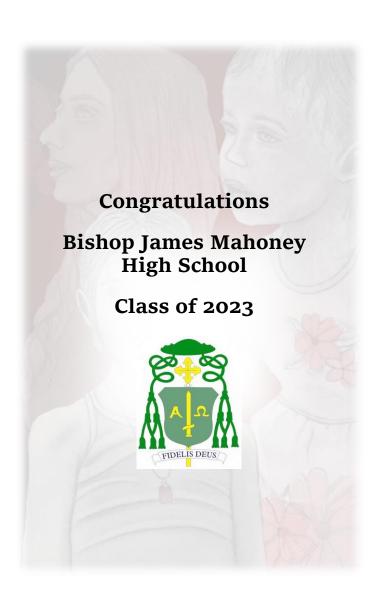
## **Recipient - Ava Sawatsky**

**Saints Shield Medallion**: At BJM Catholic High School, we are very proud of the many thousands of hours that both students and staff dedicate to the extracurricular programs of the school. Saints Shield Medallions are presented to students who have been significantly involved in extracurricular activities throughout their four years of high school. Gold, Silver or Bronze medallions are awarded based on the number of activities in which they have been involved. **Recipients – Gold:** Madelyn Grass, Micah Guenther.

**Silver:** Myah Clatney, Décie Deschamps, Evan Marshall, Jacob Martin.

**Bronze:** Erika Haro, Maksym Herman, Sarah Lavier, Macie Parenteau, Sloan Thomson.

**SRG Spirit Award:** given to a Grade 12 SRG member who best demonstrates dedication, enthusiasm, and commitment to the SRG throughout the year. **Recipient – Madelyn Grass** 





Dear Grade 12 Graduate:

On behalf of the Premier Scott Moe and the Government of Saskatchewan, I am pleased to congratulate you on your high school graduation.

Earning your Grade 12 is an impressive accomplishment that will allow you to pursue many of the remarkable opportunities available to you after graduation. I hope that you feel a sense of pride as you reflect on the successes that have led you to this point.

As you consider your future plans, whether they include enrolling in post-secondary education or entering the workforce, I hope you choose to build a life in Saskatchewan. As a resident of this province, you also may qualify for the Saskatchewan Advantage Scholarship, which provides \$750 per year to a lifetime maximum of \$3,000 if you enrol at a Saskatchewan post-secondary institution and have demonstrated need when applying for student aid. You can visit <a href="https://www.saskatchewan.ca">www.saskatchewan.ca</a> to learn more about all the advantages available to you in this great province.

I know your path to graduation has been filled both with challenges and accomplishments. As you mark a significant moment in your life, I encourage you to reflect on the family, friends and educators who have helped you along the way. I hope you are able to celebrate this occasion with your loved ones.

I am sure this is just one of many impressive accomplishments you will achieve in your life. Best wishes for a future full of success.

Sincerely,

Dustin Duncan

Minister of Education



#### A Message from His Honour The Lieutenant Governor of Saskatchewan

On behalf of His Majesty King Charles III, King of Canada, it is my pleasure and privilege to extend greetings to every student graduating from high school this year in Saskatchewan.

Congratulations Class of 2023! This is a momentous milestone in your life, and it is important to celebrate your efforts and accomplishments.

As you mark this significant achievement, I wish to acknowledge the teachers and educational administrators who have helped you realize your goals. I also want to recognize the families of the graduates. Thank you for providing the students with the support they needed to succeed.

Graduates, as you plan for the future, I encourage you to make ongoing education a priority, and to consider how you might contribute to the greater good. You have proven that you have tremendous potential. You can help create strong, healthy communities that we all want to live in. The future of our province and our country rely on your vision and leadership. I urge you to take an interest in current affairs, to vote in elections and to volunteer in your community. I cannot wait to see what you will achieve!

Please accept my best wishes in your future endeavours, and once again, congratulations on graduating from Grade 12!

Sincerely,

Russ Mirasty

Lieutenant Governor

Province of Saskatchewan