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The Roman Catholic Parishes
of
St. Joseph & St. Agnes
“PEACE BEGINS WITH A SMILE”
(Mother Teresa of Calcutta)

33 SUNDAY IN OT

WITNESSING TO CHRIST
 IN A WORLD OF CONFUTION

NOVEMBER 13th, 2022

Parish Council

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| Parish Coordinator | Vacant |

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Pope Francis' November Prayer Intention:

For children who suffer - We pray for children who are suffering, especially those who are homeless, orphans, and victims of war; may they be guaranteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection.

From today's Reading

Mal 4:1-2/ 2Thess 3:7-12/ Luke 21:5-19

As the liturgical year draws to a close, the focus is on the end of the world and the Second Coming of Christ. The prophets Malachi (First Reading) says that for evildoers the Day of the Lord will a day of judgement; but for the upright it will be a day of salvation. His stark message was meant to act as a warming to sinners and as an encouragement to the just.

The Second Reading also relates to the Second Coming. Some of the Thessalonians, believing that the *parousia* was imminent, saw no need to work. Presenting himself as an example, Paul tells them to go on living and working as normal, and not to be content to live off the community. Luke talks about the *parousia* in close association with the destruction of Jerusalem and the Temple. The destruction of the temple, which Jesus had predicted, had already occurred by the time Luke was writing. This would have been interpreted by some as a sign that the end of the world was starting. But Luke reminds them of the words of Jesus, in which he warned his disciples not to be deceived by rumours and apparent signs that the end was near.

The Gospel goes on to address the situation of Christians in a time of persecution. Persecution will be an opportunity to bear witness to the Gospel. The Lord himself will see to it that believers will triumph in the end, provided they remain steadfast.

HOSPITAL CHAPLAINS

Catholic chaplains visit patients and their families to address any spiritual needs, to pray, to provide a friendly face and comforting presence, to talk about people's fears and concerns, to bring Communion, and to contact a priest for anointing of the sick. Pasqua Hospital, (306) 519-1380 General Hospital (306) 519-1405 Wascana Rehabilitation Centre (306) 530-6511



ST JOSEPH PARISH

**Welcome all
Parishioners & Visitors**

Please Note: Parishioners follow many coming events at

<https://stjosephbalgonie.ca>

Or phone the office @ (306) 771-2387

***Confession is available up to 15 Minutes before Mass
or by appointment***

MASSES WILL BE CELEBRATED

SATURDAY @ 7:00pm

SUNDAY @ 10:30am

MORNING MASS: 8:00 am Tuesday to Thursday
7:00 pm Every Friday—Mass & Adoration
9:00am First Saturday of the month with Adoration

November 19, 2022

Our parish is organizing a cleaning
in the Church and basement.

Gather at 12:30

Cleaning begins at 1:00

All volunteers are welcome

WE ARE HIRING!

St. Joseph's Parish is looking for a caretaker for
snow removal outside the church around the steps
and sidewalks as required over the winter months.

This is a paid contract position. If you are
interested please contact Fr. Chinh at the parish
office or Gwen Herman at
gwen.herman0@gmail.com. Thank you

Our parish looks forward to having a choir.

If you are interested, please contact us:

(306) 771-2387

or

email: stjoseph1@sasktel.net

Thank you very much

Fr. ChinhVu

Donating Note: Acceptable cheque payee names on
donation cheques are as follows:

**St. Joseph Parish, or St. Joseph RC Church,
or St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church.**

Please use one of these acceptable payees when
writing your donation cheques to the Parish. Thank
you for your continued generosity to St. Joseph.

New Options For Donating to St. Joseph Parish

Please visit our parish website:

www.stjosephbalgonie.ca

Under Giving and Sharing button, click on Donate
button for

Donation Options:

Paypal or Credit Card or Debit Card.

Please indicate if Donation is for Operating or
Building Fund

We now offer E-transfer

Please email donation to:

Stjosephbalgonie@gmail.com

SOCIAL JUSTICE NOTE:

Bulletin announcement for the weeks of November
The parish will be collecting food donations for the
Regina Foodbank. *There are always families*
experiencing food insecurity in our communities.
Increased food prices have placed an additional
burden on the most vulnerable.

Some most needed items include: instant oatmeal,
pasta and rice, pasta sauce, canned tuna or salmon,
peanut butter, beans, baby cereal, jars of baby food,
canned vegetables, canned fruit, canned soups and
stews, powdered milk.

Bins will be at the back of the church until Sundays
November.

Please pray for those who are hungry and donate to
help fight hunger and feed hope! Jodi Eberle

Stewardship Bulletin Bits**November 13, 2022****33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

"...Rather, we wanted to present ourselves as a model for you, so that you might imitate us." 2 Thessalonians 3:9

Most people who live a grateful and generous lifestyle don't go around bragging about it. But through their words and actions, others do take notice. They notice because of the joy and peace that results and others desire this in their own life. Know that the way you live your life may be the only interaction others may have with our Catholic faith.

Archbishops Appeal**Pulpit & Bulletin Announcement**

The brochure for the 2022 Appeal highlights the many ministries made possible by your donation. Every program, every ministry and every outreach initiative are a chance for our Archdiocese to grow and foster relationships in our community. Each video that has been and will be shared highlights specific programs in our Archdiocese. Let's reflect on these people and the effect of their hope in Christ. Please consider how you might honour their efforts and needs through your support to the Archbishop's Appeal.

Bulletin Reflection

In the ravages of wars and global crises, it might be tempting to ask the question of whether the end times are happening. As a people of faith, we believe in the second coming of Christ, but until he comes again, what should we do? That is the question posed to Jesus in the Gospel. But Jesus instructs that many people will say the end is coming, but we should be firm in our conviction that to be a people of faith means to be trusting that Jesus knows what he is doing.

We encounter this trusting relationship in our parishes. When we gather for Mass, we listen to the scriptures, encounter and wrestle with the tensions of our lives, and then something miraculous happens: Christ comes to us! When we receive the Eucharist, our souls are nourished, and Christ supports us in our lives until he comes again to the entire world. Your support to the Annual Appeal directly helps parish ministries and the education of clergy and lay people. Please continue to be generous so that our parishes receive the resources and personnel to effectively spread the Good News and support our communities.

Prayer of Intercession

That through our contribution to the Archbishop's Annual Appeal, the many people and ministries may respond creatively and generously to the evangelizing work of the Church.

Advent Resources

If you are a **priest or catechist**, free resources are now available for you before ADVENT. Contact Rob at the Catechesis Department: rbarr@archregina.sk.ca or call: 306-352-1651 ext 6737.

The Myriam Family of the Prairies invites you

For a **day retreat on November 19th**

From 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Including Holy hour, talks and sharing, and Lunch, in the beauty of nature and the silence of the Countryside at our house of prayer in McLean, SK, 45 km East of Regina.

Searching for Light, Let us be bearers of hope!

To register and get the directions **or to follow online**, please contact Sr. Stephanie at 306-761-0528 or by email pss.prairies@famillemyriam.org

An Advent Dialogue

This Advent, join in a Baptist-Catholic dialogue on Christian experience. Join us on Zoom for this unique ecumenical journey with a series of five small-group theological reflection workshops. In each session, participants from the Canadian Baptists of Atlantic Canada will join together with participants from the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Regina to faithfully explore the experience of sacred Scripture in our daily lives. So, grab your coffee cup, and let your hair down, and begin a journey with friends old and new this Advent season.

Group #1 - Wednesday evenings 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. (CST),
November 23rd - December 21st, or

Group #2 - Friday afternoons 12:00 – 1:00 p.m. (CST),
November 25th - December 23rd

To register or for further information contact:

lynda.theoworkshops@usask.ca

CWLF Leadership Program 2023

We are pleased to announce that we are **accepting applications for the 2023 cohort** of our Leadership Program, scheduled to begin in June 2023 at the Providence School of Transformative Leadership and Spirituality, Saint Paul University, Ottawa.

The program is open to all Canadian Catholic women, from all walks of life who have a genuine interest in making a difference in their communities and places of work. For more information or to apply, visit form.jotform.com/222445350741248

itwewin Corner (*itwewin* is the Cree word which means 'the word' or 'as it is said...')

Fr. John Weckend, Archdiocese of Regina Truth and Reconciliation Healing Committee.

Did you know... the TRC's call to action #60 calls upon the four Settlement Agreement churches [Roman Catholic, Anglican, Presbyterian, Methodist] to begin allocating funds for community-based healing and reconciliation projects. In response, the Archdiocese of Regina has established a TRC Healing Committee, comprised of Indigenous and non-Indigenous members to seek concrete ways of carrying this out.

Grief and Loss Accompaniment workshop

There are many different kinds of Grief and Loss. Loss of relationships, loss of a loved one, ambiguous loss, and shattered assumptions. When people are in the middle of suffering a significant loss, there are many emotions to deal with. We will explore and look at how to accompany someone during this emotional time in their life. The workshop will focus on the language of accompaniment. Please join us on Saturday, November 19 from 1-5 pm via zoom. You can register by emailing victimserviceadvocacy@gmail.com.

TF322: Reading For Consolation with Dr. Susan Johnston - Part 1

Deacon Eric and Dr. Brett visit with the University of Regina English Department head, Dr. Susan Johnston as we discuss reading for consolation in difficult times.

Show Snippet: "There is the genuine need for comfort that we all do experience; and what we find comforting should be teaching us something if we are ready to learn it."

thinkingfaith.libsyn.com/reading-for-consolation-with-dr-susan-johnston-part-1

Meat Pies for Sale

Meat pies are available in either white flour crust or whole wheat flour crust. The large pies are sold for \$20 each while the small pies are sold for \$9 each. You can order them directly from Saint-Jean-Baptiste Parish at 2517 – 25th Avenue, phone: 306-586-5006, text: 306-539-5086. To pay cash or cheque.

Sing-A-Long

St. Peter's CWL are hosting an afternoon of singing songs from the 30's, 40's & 50's.

A time of Remembrance of our soldiers past and present. Sunday, Nov. 13 at 2 pm, St. Peter's Church hall, 100 Argyle St. Wheelchair accessible. Freewill Offering. Refreshments served. Everyone welcome.

Becoming a Church of Closeness: *The Challenges & Opportunities of Synodality*

Catholics around the world want to respond to Pope Francis' vision of becoming a "Church of closeness". But what does it mean to live out synodality practically in the parish? We get it — learning how to live out such a big and bold vision in a local parish isn't always clear. This is why Divine Renovation and Alpha invite you to our online event, happening Friday, November 18: **Becoming a Church of Closeness: *The Challenges and Opportunities of Synodality***. Join in this global conversation, where you will:

- Participate in a discussion with Sr. Nathalie Becquart on synodality and why we're called to become a Church of closeness
- Learn practical ways you can implement synodality in your parish
- Connect with Catholics from across the world who share a passion for mission and evangelization

Here's what you need to do:

1. **Register today** for Becoming a Church of Closeness: *The Challenges and Opportunities of Synodality* at divinerenovation.org/synod.
2. Invite a fellow priests or parishioners to join you.
3. Be equipped to become a strong, thriving parish that brings people to Jesus!

So, [register today!](#)

Friday, Nov. 18, 2022 • | Noon Central |

Grey Cup Parking Fundraiser

There will be a parking fundraiser on Sunday, November 20 for the Grey Cup at Holy Rosary Cathedral and Catholic School Board (with permission). Please watch for signs. Let all your friends, families, and visitors know, please! \$10. per car. Thank you for all your support over the past year! Call Bernadette at (306) 525-0049 landline or (306) 537-4158 mobile if you have questions.

SAVE THE DATE

Do you need to downsize or declutter? Garage Sale in support of the Cuernavaca Project to be held at Holy Trinity parish hall (5020 Sherwood Drive) on Thursday, January 26, Friday, January 27, and Saturday, January 28. Watch for more details in January 2023.

NEW PARISHIONERS/ CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Please complete this form and place in the collection basket

Name(s) _____ Phone: _____ Email _____

Address _____ Date _____

New Change of Address Wish to have Church Envelopes Wish Home Visit