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**The Roman Catholic Parishes
 of
 St. Joseph & St. Agnes**

**“PEACE BEGINS WITH A SMILE”
 (Mother Teresa of Calcutta)**

34 SUNDAY IN OT

CHRIST THE UNIVERSAL KING

NOVEMBER 20th, 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

2Sam 5:1-3/ Col 1:12-20/ Luke 23:35-43

David had already been anointed King of Judah by his own people at Hebron. Now we hear how the northern tribes all acknowledge him as their king (First Reading). Thus, David became king of a united country. His kingship prefigured the universal kingship of Christ.

The Second Reading is essentially a liturgical hymn in praise of Christ. The first part speaks of his role in creation; the second of his role in redemption. On this feast we acclaim Christ as head of the Church and ruler of the universe.

In the Gospel we see how the inscription over the cross, and all those who witnessed the crucifixion (the crowd, the rulers, the soldiers, and the thieves) unwittingly proclaim the true identity of Jesus. The irony is that the titles which are pronounced in mockery are true: Jesus is both Messiah and King.

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

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

SOCIAL JUSTICE NOTE:

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

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

Our parish looks forward to having a choir.

***If you are interested, please contact us:
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or

email: stjoseph1@sasktel.net

***Thank you very much
Fr. ChinhVu***

Stewardship Bulletin Bits

November 20, 2022

Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

“...giving thanks to the Father, who has made you fit to share in the inheritance of the holy ones in light.”

Colossians 1:12

God wants us to be happy! Instead of looking at the Ten Commandments as being restrictive and telling us what we can't do, look at them as guides for living a joy-filled and peaceful life. Most of our problems arise when we put our own needs first or we spend most of our time trying to acquire more stuff. Instead, try putting God first in all things. We were made for God. Open your heart and let Him in!

Archbishops Appeal

Pulpit & Bulletin Announcement

In this year's Appeal, Archbishop Don reminded us that “when we place our hope in God, who transforms darkness into light and death into life, we learn that all things are possible”. As we move through the coming week, let us reflect on a time in our life when God carried us through a seemingly impossible time. Let us consider how our donation to the Appeal can inspire hope in the lives of those around us.

Bulletin Reflection

Today is the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. The readings focus on the reality that gift, the inheritance, that Christ the King gives us is the gift of eternal life. The first and second readings explore this in the anointing of King David and Saint Paul's account of the divinity of Christ. Life itself was made through Christ, and it is Christ who reconciles the world back to God. The earthly rulers sneered at Christ on the Cross, not realizing that this was the ultimate act of love and devotion to God. When the criminal asks for eternal life, Jesus says, “today you will be with me in Paradise.” This shows us that our inheritance is secure, since only the King of the Universe could make such a promise.

The Church works to promote social justice in the world. In keeping government accountable by enacting just legislations, to promoting equity and solidarity among all people, your support to the Annual Appeal directly supports the office of Social Justice in the ministry of promoting the reality of Christ the King. Please give generously to ensure this work continues.

Prayer of Intercession

For all priests, religious, clergy and lay persons who offer their best gifts daily to bring the light of Christ to others through the ministries supported by the Annual Appeal, we pray to the Lord.

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.

Journey Through Advent

Sign up for a weekly Advent series with Reflections by Fr. Christian Lindenbach, music, prayer, resources and other activities to enhance your Advent Journey. These weekly reflections will be emailed each week during Advent. To sign up, email mgurash@archregina.sk.ca

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 proper name for the people commonly known as the Sioux is **Oceti Sakowin**, meaning *Seven Council Fires*. Each of the *Seven Council Fires* was made up of individual bands, which were based on kinship, location, and dialect — Lakota, Dakota, or Nakota. From ancient times, each division of the *Seven Council Fires* had their own lifestyle, traditions, and customs, which developed similar but unique cultures. Retrieved from stjo.org/native-american-culture/oceti-sakowin-seven-council-fires/ 11/06/22.

LESSON FIVE The Catechism: truth that makes sense!

What is the purpose of the Catechism? The *Catechism* serves several important functions:

- a. It conveys the basics and fundamentals of Catholic faith in a complete and summary way.
- b. It is the point of reference for all catechisms.
- c. It is a declarative explanation of Catholic doctrine, some of which are dogma.
- d. It assists those who have the duty to catechize, namely promoters and teachers of catechesis.

Is there a proof for the existence of God? Est-ce qu'on peut prouver l'existence de Dieu?

3 Minute Video: <https://archregina.sk.ca/group/catechetical-support-parishes/>

Text: read, CCC#'s 27-33 & 231

St. Thomas Aquinas: read the 5 proofs God's existence of God in his *Summa Theologiæ* which is famously known for answering this question. First Part, Question 2, Articles 1, 2 & 3 (*Prima Pars*, q. 2, a. 1-3)

Sacred Scripture: John 14.3, 7, 1 John 5.20

TF323: Reading for Consolation with Dr. Susan Johnston - Part 2

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

Show Snippet: "Our faith is a faith for grownups, and we do ourselves, and we do the Church, and we do the faithful a disservice when we want to stay with; and we began talking about that comfort and the restoration of the social order, but we really do betray things if that's where we stay because that is not the way grownups encounter the world."

thinkingfaith.libsyn.com/reading-for-consolation-with-dr-susan-johnston-part-2

Regina Little Theatre Presents: The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe

Regina Little Theatre is staging a production of "The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe" from Nov. 30 through Dec. 3 at the Regina Performing Arts Centre. The play is an adaptation of part of the Narnia Chronicles by C.S. Lewis, which, as you may know, is strongly rooted in the Christian tradition. The play is suitable for all ages. and more than half the cast is composed of children and teenagers. To further encourage family participation, our Saturday (Dec. 3) matinee features a \$10 admission for children 12 years and younger.

Canadian Physicians for Life Nursing Mentorships

Our goal with the nursing mentorship program is to help nursing students grow to be the absolute best version of themselves, both professionally and personally. Holding life-affirming views as a nursing student can cause feelings of isolation in class or in clinicals. It was precisely to combat this sense of isolation that CPL launched our nursing mentorship program. We warmly welcome any nursing student in Canada who agrees with Our Values and Principles www.physiciansforlife.ca/about/ to apply to our program and be matched with a nurse who can show them the ropes and support them on their nursing path.

Nursing students can apply here to receive jotform.com/form/201685864735264 and nurses can apply here jotform.com/form/222356899488275 to offer mentorship with CPL. Feel free to write me with any questions about the nurses mentoring program or CPL in general.

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.

Trinity Manor at Westerra: Welcome Home!

Regina's new active living retirement community is proudly a part of the Emmanuel Care, and Emmanuel Care is under the leadership and sponsorship of the Catholic Bishops of Saskatchewan. With customized packages, and a wide choice of social and recreational activities, our residents say "Trinity Manor has everything I need. I could sell my car because I don't need it". Located in the beautiful Westerra neighborhood of Regina, our personal care suites, run by nurses, offer extensive amenities and specialized services starting at \$2245. Trinity Manor's customized care plans offer different tiers of support, and is ideal for couples. When you join our community, you become more than just a resident, you become part of a wide and diverse village of family and friends. Attend daily mass, visit with our spiritual care workers, or spend time in quiet reflection in our tranquil chapel. Unwind by enjoying country sunsets, 10 mins from downtown. What's included in our all-inclusive plan? Contact Janet at 306-550-8077 for more information, or to book your personal tour now. Visit us at www.trinitymanorregina.ca

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