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The Roman Catholic Parishes
of
St. Joseph & St. Agnes
“PEACE BEGINS WITH A SMILE”
(Mother Teresa of Calcutta)
3rd Sunday of Easter
THE ROAD TO EMMAUS

April 23th, 2023

Parish Council

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| Chairperson | Lila Schneider |
| Vice-Chair | Vacant |
| Deanery Rep | Bob Kardash |
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| School of Religion | Bill Rieger |
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| Pastoral Care | Ken & Diane Fahlman |
| Parish Council Sec | Roseann Anderson |
| Youth Ministries | Vacant |
| Parish Coordinator | Vacant |

Finance Council

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| Accountant/Treasurer | Cathy Poelzer |
| Building & Grounds | Mike Schneider |
| Members at Large | Russel McCallum |

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| CWL President | Lynne Kardash |
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Pope Francis’ April Prayer Intention:

For a culture of peace and non violence - We pray for the spread of peace and non violence, by decreasing the use of weapons by State and citizens.

From today’s Reading

Acts 2:14,22b-28/ 1Peter 1:17-21/ Luke 24:13-35

The Emmaus story is a sophisticated eucharistic catechism: a liturgy of the Word’ is followed by a liturgy of the Eucharist’. The expression ‘breaking of bread’ is a technical term for the Eucharist. Luke deliberately uses eucharistic language: Jesus took bread, blessed, broke, gave it to them.

By the time Luke wrote his Gospel half a century had gone by since the Lord’s death and resurrection. So, his readers might look back with envy at the people who were fortunate enough to have seen the risen Lord with their own eyes. But in this story Luke makes the point that those who were in that enviable position did not truly know Jesus until the Scriptures were expounded and the bread was broken.

The Christians of Luke’s time had those same means of recognizing the Lord- the Scriptures and the breaking of the bread. And so have Christians ever since, for the Scriptures and the Eucharist are the essential components of our Sunday service. In the matter of encountering Jesus with faith, a past generation is no more privileged than the present one.

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
9:00 am First Saturday of the month with Adoration

Hall rental contact:

Ms. Margaret Kiel
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Catechism classes

will be held at St. Joseph's on the following Sunday mornings, commencing with prayers and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the church at 9:15 a.m. The students have class in the basement following prayers. *All parishioners are invited to join us for quiet time in prayer and Adoration.*
May 21.

Knights of Columbus 10239 are currently selling Regina Chapter Sask. Roughrider Football Pool tickets @ \$20. The 2023 season, covers all League games, Western Playoff games and the Grey Cup. The proceeds from this project are directed to St. Joseph's building fund.

Last years proceeds were \$3030. If there are any parishioners who would like to help the Knights sell some of these tickets or need one, please contact Orville Corbin 306-501-9961

Anyone requesting an announcement be included in the bulletin, please email the information to ppcsecretary.stjoseph@gmail.com by 5:00 Wednesday. Thank you

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

PFC Meeting

Tuesday April 25 7:30 AM

PPC Meeting

Tuesday April 25 7:00 PM

A Word About Trauma...

Trauma and associated words are being used more now than ever. Do we know the origins of these words? Are their meanings different now than when they were first used? Each week we will explore a trauma-associated word's origins, meanings and evolution.

Hyperarousal [hi"per-ah-row'zal] (Noun)

Merriam-Webster defines this as excessive arousal: an abnormal state of increased responsiveness to stimuli that is marked by various physiological and psychological symptoms (such as increased levels of alertness and anxiety and elevated heart rate and respiration). It is also one of three sets of criteria used to diagnose post-traumatic and acute stress disorder. Symptoms of hyperarousal include exaggerated startle response, disturbed sleep, difficulty in concentrating or remembering, and excessive vigilance.

Trauma Informed Perspectives Workshop – Yorkton Deanery

Are you interested in learning about trauma and how it impacts people? Trauma comes in many forms. Some areas we will look at are natural disasters, accidents, sudden death and other areas. Everyone is welcome to join us for a Trauma-informed Perspective workshop on Saturday, May 6, 2023, from 9:30 - 4:30 St, Gerard parish hall, located at 124 3rd Avenue, Yorkton. For more information or to register, email: csaeducation@archregina.sk.ca.

LESSON NINETEEN

FAQ: Is the Catechism an expression of inculturation on the global level?

Yes. The Church is not exclusive to any race, nation, lifestyle, or custom. The Church enters into communion with all different forms of culture.

The *Catechism* re-expresses the Christian message at the level of the universal Church, representing a successful inculturation of the faith at a specific level. It reformulates the documentary tradition of the Church within the global culture in an admirable way.

What pictures do we have of the Holy Trinity? Quelles images y a-t-il de la Très Sainte Trinité ?

Watch Videos: archregina.sk.ca/group/catechetical-support-parishes/

Catechism Text: CCC # 689

Sacred Scripture: John 1.18 (Father & Son) & Luke 3.22 (Dove/Holy Spirit).

Saints: an exercise in meditation and prayer could provide a *personal* image/understanding of the Holy Trinity. Likewise, St. Faustina wrote in her diary: *I understand the spiritual espousal of a soul with God ... (and) ... I have come to understand His Trinitarian quality and the absolute Oneness of His Being* (entry 1020).

Stewardship Bulletin Bits

Sunday, April 23, 2023

Third Sunday of Easter

“Did not our hearts burn within us while He talked to us on the road, while He opened to us the scriptures?” *Luke 24:32*

How often do you take the time to discern what Jesus is calling you to do with your life? Are your prayers always petitions, asking Jesus to do things for you? If so, that's a one-sided relationship. Living our faith means developing a personal relationship with Jesus. Just like any friendship, there is give and take, each side listening to each other and helping each other out. Take time, in silence, to listen to what Jesus is asking of you today.

TF345The Doctrine of Discovery is Not a Doctrine with Archbishop Donald Bolen and Archbishop Richard Smith - Re-leased from the "Up Front with the Archbishop" podcast.

In light of the Vatican's recent repudiation of the "Doctrine of Discovery", we are very pleased to share the following conversation between Archbishop Donald Bolen and Edmonton Archbishop Richard Smith on Archbishop Smith's "Up Front" podcast discussing this latest statement from the Vatican and the true history and context of the Church's relationship with this so-called doctrine.

Show Snippet: "Those definitions going hand in hand speak to any concept, argumentation, and justification for European colonizing powers to come and take indigenous lands. And what the Vatican was repudiating was, in a broad sense, any of those argumentations or justifications used to do so, saying it was never right; indigenous people always had rights." Discover more great conversations on the Archdiocese of Edmonton's Up Front with the Archbishop Podcast; caedm.ca/upfront/thinkingfaith.libsyn.com/the-doctrine-of-discovery-is-not-a-doctrine-with-archbishop-donald-bolen-and-archbishop-richard-smith-re-leased-from-the-up-front-with-the-archbishop-podcast

Development and Peace – Caritas Canada

Presentation: “CREATE HOPE” - Join us at Queen's House (601 Taylor St. W, Saskatoon) at 7:30 pm, Friday, May 5th to welcome via video link Micheline Lévesque, who shares her wealth of experiences as a development officer for Development and Peace in Asia & the Middle East. Q&A and Social to follow. This event is free of charge and will be available online; register at "bit.ly/partnersatwork". Inquiries, email mleblanc@devp.org or call 306-205-2334.

St. Joseph Parish Building est. June 22, 2003



20th Anniversary Celebration of Consecrated Church Building - St. Joseph Parish, Balgonie

Sunday, June 25, 2023

Mass: 10:30 AM

Banquet: 12:00 PM Parish Hall

Church Building Fundraiser
Cost: \$35/person (Roast Beef Dinner)

Available at Banquet Dinner: 50/50 Tickets and Raffle Baskets Draws

Tickets available for purchase. Tickets on sale from Apr. 17- Jun 5th, 2023

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NEW PARISHIONERS/ CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Please complete this form and place in the collection basket

Name(s) _____ Phone: _____ Email _____

Address _____ Date _____

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- Wish Home Visit