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

PASSION SUNDAY

APRIL 2RD, 2023

Parish Council

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| Chair Person | Lila Schneider |
| Vice Chair | Vacant |
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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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| Chairperson | Bob Kardash |
| Accountant/Treasurer | Cathy Poelzer |
| Building & Grounds | Mike Schneider |
| Members at Large | Russel McCallum |

Representatives

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| CWL President | Lynne Kardash |
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*Pope Francis' April 2023 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

The solemn procession with palms is the traditional start of this, the first liturgy of Holy Week, the most solemn week in the Church's year. When the procession reaches the church, Mass begins with the Collect.

WE BEGIN THE HOLY WEEK WITH PALM SUNDAY.

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 306.306. 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

Hall rental contact:

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HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

- April 6th: Last Supper of the Lord (7pm)
@ St. Joseph only
- April 7th: Venerate the Holy Cross (1 & 3pm)
 - 1pm at St. Agnes
 - 3:00pm at St. Joseph
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- April 8th: Easter Vigil 8:45pm @ St. Joseph only.
- April 9th: Easter Sunday
 - 10:30 Am @ St. Joseph
 - 9:00am @ St. Agnes

HOLY WEEK is the week which precedes the great Feast of the Resurrection on Easter Sunday: it includes the last days of Lent and the beginning of the Easter Triduum. During Holy Week, the Church celebrates the mysteries of salvation accomplished by Christ in the last days of his life on earth, beginning with his messianic entrance into Jerusalem.

(Ordo p. 191)

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

Holy Week and
Easter Livestream
Schedule

- Palm Sunday: 9:00 AM
- Holy Thursday: 7:00 PM
- Good Friday: 3:00 PM
- Easter Vigil: 8:00 PM
- Easter Sunday: 9:00 AM




Stewardship Bulletin Bits

Sunday, April 2, 2023
Fifth Sunday of Lent

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord

“As they were marching out, they came upon a man of Cyrene, Simon by name; this man they pressed into service to carry his cross.” Matthew 27:32

The Lord calls us to love God and to love our neighbor. Every day we are presented with opportunities to love our neighbor and help him “carry his cross.” These opportunities aren’t usually big events, they are usually ordinary occurrences like helping someone carry their groceries or holding the door open for them. The key is putting the other person’s needs before our own and not expecting anything in return.

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.

Guilt: (**gilt**) Noun: the state of having committed an offence, or remorse over action or inaction. From old English gylt: crime, sin, fault or fine” In 1690, “a sense of guilt” was first recorded, but as a misuse of its original, “guilt by association” was first used in 1941.

Guilt is a negative emotion but can lead to positive change. When related to traumatic events, guilt can result in depression, shame, and anxiety.

Pontifical Collection for the Holy Land on Good Friday

The Good Friday Collection is requested by the Holy See to help maintain the Church’s holy places in the Holy Land, so important to the faith of Christians everywhere, and also to support the faithful who struggle to survive under political and economic oppression and persecution. This Pontifical Collection will be taken during the Good Friday celebration on April 7 2023. Those who are unable to attend the service, or who prefer to contribute online, may do so by Interac e-transfer or CanadaHelps by visiting www.commissariat.ca/supporting-us

Thank you for giving from the heart to Share Lent 2022!



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Development and Peace — Caritas Canada thanks you for supporting the People and Planet First campaign with your Share Lent donation. Your generosity will help support our sisters and brothers in Africa, Asia, Eastern Europe, Latin America and the Middle East.

If you have not had a chance to donate, there is still time to place your Share Lent envelope in the offertory or to donate online at devp.org/give.

Thank you for continuing to pray for all those who are working to build a world of peace and justice.

[TF#342 ChatGPT and AI with John Jalsevac - Part 2](#)

In this part 2 of 2, Deacon Eric and Dr. Brett visit with John Jalsevac about the explosion of interest in Artificial Intelligence and ChatGPT the newest large language model AI to be opened to the general public that demonstrates remarkable capabilities and is poised to have profound effects on arts, culture and the way humans think about themselves and others. Show Snippet: "So if you want to train one of these models how to recognize a cat, for instance, what these programmers will do is they create this neural network using many computers. Then they show it images of, millions of cats, and at the end of it, it can predict that it's a cat with a high degree of accuracy. But a human being can actually detect a cat based upon a very small number. We have this capacity to see things as what they are with almost no effort." thinkingfaith.libsyn.com/chatgpt-and-ai-with-john-jalsevac-part-2

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... Little Black Bear First Nation is a Cree and Assiniboine (Nakota) band located near Balcarres, SK and has a population of approximately 600 members who reside on and off reserve. Chief kees kee hew mus-coo muskwa (Little Black Bear) was one of the Signatories of Treaty 4 on September 15, 1874. Today, Little Black Bear is accomplishing its goals for self-sufficiency through many economic development initiatives including, the ownership of the Petro Canada Service Station and Tim Hortons in Fort Qu'Appelle, SK. Retrieved on March 23, 2023 littleblackbear.ca/

LESSON SEVENTEEN

FAQ: Is the Catechism intended to substitute for local, approved catechisms and catechetical materials?

No. The *Catechism* is intended to assist national and local churches in drafting new catechisms and catechetical materials. As John Paul II said in the Apostolic Constitution *Fidei Depositum*, "It is meant to encourage and assist in the writing of new local catechisms, which take into account various situations and cultures, while carefully preserving the unity of faith and fidelity to Catholic doctrine."

How can we summarize belief in the Trinity? Comment peut-on résumer la Foi en la Trinité ?

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

Read the *Catechism* Text: CCC #'s 198-200

Review the Credo Chart: In the CCCB Catechism, it is found immediately before CCC # 185, or

https://hismercy.ca/content/church_docs/catechism/credo.htm

Saint David of Wales: "Be joyful and keep your faith, and your creed"

Further Reading: <https://www.simplycatholic.com/the-creed/>

Musica Sacra

Good Friday, April 7 at 7:30 PM

in the Campion Chapel, with Conductor,

Dr. Melissa Morgan

Featuring:

Frank Martin's Mass for Double Choir, considered 'One of the greatest a cappella works written this century' this truly wonderful work, combines intensely personal moments of religious contemplation with outbursts of overwhelming glory. Don't miss Musica Sacra at Campion College

Trinity Manor at Westerra: Palm Sunday. Hosanna In The Highest

Welcome Home! No matter how you've reached this point in your life, the bottom line is you deserve the best. Regina's own Trinity Manor, proudly a part of Emmanuel Care community, has challenged the standard for retirement living and with our affordable prices starting at \$2245, the finest in retirement living at an outstanding value! Our services promote opportunities for our residents' personal growth, while providing stimulating and entertaining activities. Allow us to provide a relaxing drive to your medical appointments, and enjoy our variety of fun outings on the Trinity Manor bus. Attend daily mass, receive the sacraments, or spend time in quiet reflection in our tranquil chapel. Sit by the window and enjoy country sunrises, 10 mins from downtown. Our residents reveal "Trinity Manor's best kept secret is the view". For more information on amenities included in our All-Inclusive plan, or to book your personal tour now contact Janet at 306-550-8077 or visit us at www.trinitymanorregina.ca.

The Holy Face of Jesus (shroud of Turin) will be on a billboard from the 3rd-24 April on Sask Dr / Ottawa St. Come gaze on this Holy Face during this Easter season

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Name(s) _____ Phone: _____ Email _____

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