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

**“REMAIN IN MY LOVE”**  
 (John 15:9)

**PENTECOST**

**JUNE 8<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

**Church Hall Bookings**

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**Parish Council**

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| Chair Person        | Lila Schneider      |
| Vice Chair          | Vacant              |
| Deanery Rep         | Lila Schneider      |
| Ecumenism           | John Dean           |
| Liturgy             | Cheryl Behrns       |
| School of Religion  | Bill Rieger         |
| Social Justice      | Jodi Eberle         |
| Stewardship         | Gwen Herman         |
| Pastoral Care       | Ken & Diane Fahlman |
| Parish Council Sec  | Roseann Anderson    |
| Kitchen Coordinator | Lisa Fuchs          |

**Finance Council**

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|----------------------|------------------|
| Chairperson          | Roseann Anderson |
| Accountant/Treasurer | Cathy Poelzer    |
| Building & Grounds   | Mike Schneider   |
| Members at Large     | Russel McCallum  |
|                      | Bob Kardash      |

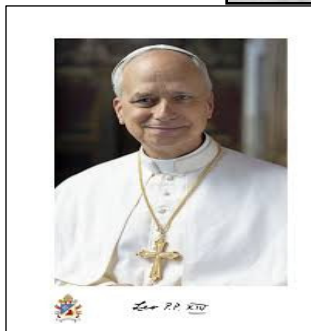
**Representatives**

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| CWL President       | Lynne Kardash  |
| Knights of Columbus | Pat Leibel, GK |

**MASS WILL BE CELEBRATED**  
**SATURDAY @ 7:00 pm**  
**SUNDAY @ 10:30 am**

**Daily Mass at 8:00 am**  
**Tuesday to Friday**

**First Friday and Saturday Mass**  
**8:00 am followed by adoration**



*Pope’s Prayer Intention—June 2025:*

***For that the world might grow in compassion***  
*Let us pray that each one of us might find consolation in a personal relationship with Jesus, and from his Heart, learn to have compassion on the world.*

**From the readings:**

Acts 2:1-11/ 1 Cor 12:3-7.12-13/ Jn 20:19-23

Luke has the giving of the Spirit happening on the feast of Pentecost. Jewish tradition saw Pentecost as the fest of the giving of the Law on Mount Sinai. According to a legend a mighty wind turned to fire and a voice proclaimed the Law. In a further refinement, the fire split into seventy tongues corresponding to the seventy nations of the world, to convey that the Law was proclaimed not only to Israel, but to all nations. Luke exploits this tradition. He, too, has the mighty wind and tongues of fire coming upon the group of disciples. But for Luke the universal proclamation was not that of the Law, but of the Good News, a proclamation that has undone the sentence of Babel and re-united the scattered nations.

In his Gospel John had the giving of the Spirit happening on Easter Day. However, we must avoid any impression of a two-fold initial solemn bestowal of the Spirit. Luke and John are saying the same thing: the risen Lord gives the gift of the Spirit, and inaugurates the mission of the Church. That they differ in their dating is due to theological concerns.

**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**

*Welcomes all  
Parishioners & Visitors*



**DONATING NOTE:**

*Thank you for your  
Continued generosity to St. Joseph*

For Options for Donating to St. Joseph Parish  
Please visit our parish website: [www.stjosephbalgonie.ca](http://www.stjosephbalgonie.ca)  
Under Giving and Sharing button, click on Donate button for

**Donation Options:**

**Credit Card, Debit Card or eTransfer**

Please email donation to: [Stjosephbalgonie@gmail.com](mailto:Stjosephbalgonie@gmail.com)

**PRE-AUTHORIZED DONATIONS**

**IS PRE-AUTHORIZED DONATIONS (PAD) AN OPTION FOR YOU?** You may choose a monthly automatic debit to your bank as an alternative to the weekly Sunday Collection & Building Fund donation envelopes.

PAD forms are available in the church foyer or at the parish office.  
\*\*\*If your preference of payment is PAD - submit your form in a sealed envelope and drop it in the collection basket or directly at the parish office –

For more info contact Cathy Poelzer 306-533-7002

**Sacrament Registration**

Registration is being accepted for catechism classes for First Communion and Confirmation. Contact Bill Rieger at 306-539-8781 or [st.j.catechism.balgonie@gmail.com](mailto:st.j.catechism.balgonie@gmail.com)

Forms can also be found at the back of the church.  
Classes will begin on January 12th, 2025.



Stewardship Bulletin Bits

June 8, 2025

Pentecost Sunday

*"The Advocate, the Holy Spirit whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all that I told you." (JOHN 14:26)*

The materialism of our society lures us to concentrate more on what we want than on what God wants for us. The relativism of our world tells us that we should be tolerant of all things, that there is no absolute truth. Pray to the Holy Spirit to transform our lives and to guide our thoughts, words and actions. What you put in your mind, heart, and soul affects your actions. Put good things in and good things will come out.

Congratulations to Ryan & Robin Yanko  
Elizabeth Sophie Carole Yanko will be baptized on  
June 11, 2025 at St. Joseph Parish, Balgonie.  
May the Lord bless your family always.  
Faithfully.

The gifts of the Holy Spirit are: wisdom,  
understanding, counsel, fortitude, knowledge,  
piety and fear of the Lord

Young adult retreat  
August 8-9-10, 2025  
At the Myriam Family house of prayer in  
McLean SK  
Free will offering  
Come to be renewed in Christ's love.  
To register, call Sr. Stephanie: 306-761-  
0528 or by email:  
[pss.prairies@famillemiriam.org](mailto:pss.prairies@famillemiriam.org)



Getting married? Want a weekend away to focus on your relationship? "A Wedding is a Day, a Marriage is a Lifetime". **Catholic Engaged Encounter** has been providing meaningful, retreat format marriage preparation for 50 years and is in 30 countries and 200 dioceses around the world. The next weekend is June 20-22. For more info or to register visit [cecanada.ca/regina](http://cecanada.ca/regina)

# Pope Leo XIV Meets Pontifical Commission for the Protection of Minors

By Deborah Castellano Lubov

Pope Leo XIV received the Pontifical Commission for the Protection of Minors on Thursday morning in the Vatican. In the restructuring of the Roman Curia, Pope Francis had elevated the Commission, which works to safeguard and prevent abuse and which he instituted at the start of his papacy...

<https://www.vaticannews.va/en/pope/news/2025-06/pope-leo-xiv-thanks-pontifical-commission-for-protecting-minors1.html>



- The seven sacraments instituted by Christ are:**
- Baptism.
  - Confirmation.
  - Eucharist.
  - Reconciliation.
  - Marriage.
  - Anointing of the Sick.
  - Holy Orders.



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