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Parish Council

Chairperson	Lila Schneider
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Kitchen Coordinator	Lisa Fuchs

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Chairperson	Roseann Anderson
Vice Chair	Vacant
Accountant/Treasurer	Cathy Poelzer
Building & Grounds	Mike Schneider
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Representatives

CWL President	Lynne Kardash
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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

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

"REMAIN IN MY LOVE"

(John 15:9)

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time

ON NOT TURNING BACK

June 29th, 2025



June, 2025

Prayer Intention:

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:

The First Reading relates the call of Elisha. By throwing his cloak over him Elijah was symbolizing the transfer of power. We see how total was the response of Elisha. In slaughtering the oxen and burning the plough, he was precluding a return to his old way of life. Jesus demanded a similar response from those who would follow him.

In the Gospel we begin a new section of Luke's Gospel (9:51-18:14): Jesus' journey to Jerusalem. Luke portrays Jesus as one who knows his destiny and accepts it from God. But he is not interested in telling us the actual route Jesus followed. Instead, he tells us about incidents that happened along the way.

In the first passage we see the hostility Jesus encountered from the inhabitants of a Samaritan village, and his refusal to retaliate as James and John suggested. This is followed by the stories of three would be followers of Jesus. Jesus tells them that total commitment is demanded of a disciple. The choices are not between good and evil, but between the good and the best.

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*

Welcome to
Children's Liturgy



St. Joseph Parish

Mission:

Under the patronage of St. Joseph, we love, honour, and serve our God, our Lord Jesus Christ, and the Holy Spirit by our works of welcoming, charity, and service, and through our faith life of prayer and celebrating the Eucharist.

Vision:

Our vision is to bring people closer to God through faith, service and community.

Values:

Our values are dignity, integrity, compassion and equity.

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

Forms can also be found at the back of the church.

There will be NO morning Mass

Wednesday July 2, 2025

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

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

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

**Funeral for Orville Corbin
Monday June 30th at 11:00am**

after Mass everyone is invited to lunch
in the church basement

burial in Minton at 4:00pm



Stewardship Bulletin Bits

June 29, 2025

Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles

"I have competed well; I have finished the race; I have kept the faith." 2 Timothy 4:7

How many of us can say this? St. Teresa of Calcutta said, "God doesn't call us to be successful, he calls us to be faithful." How many times have we been blinded by the success of the world at the expense of our faith? Matthew Kelly says, "Take one minute each day to remind yourself that you are just passing through this life and will die one day; you will live more intentionally with a passion and purpose."

Feed My Sheep:

Formation in Leadership & Walking Together
in Ministry for Church Leaders

Join Leah Perrault for a free info session and discover a 10-month online program designed for church leaders.



*With hope,
Leah*

Attend One of My Free Info Sessions:

- June 23 at 7:00 PM MT
- July 3 at 4:00 PM MT
- July 15 at 1:00 PM MT
- August 9 at 7:00 PM MT

The 2025-2026 cohorts
begin this late August!

Start the journey

Email leah.perrault@gmail.com
for the Zoom link or visit leahperrault.com/feed-my-sheep-2/

Welcome to our summer Family retreat!

Where?

At the Myriam Family Community on our beautiful site
in the peace of the countryside near McLean,
45 km East from Regina

When?

From Friday July 25th at 5:00

To Sunday July 27th at 2:00

Amazing family activities including adoration, Mass,
bonfire, sports, games and talks for each age groups.
To register, please call Sr. Stephanie at 306-761-0528

Or email pss.prairies@famillemyriam.org

A Youth retreat!

When? July 4-5-6, 2025

Where? At the Myriam Family house of prayer in
McLean SK

Age? From age 13 to 17

How much? Free will offering

To register, call Sr. Stephanie: 306-761-0528 or by
email: pss.prairies@famillemyriam.org

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@famillemyriam.org

Save the Date: Praise in the Park

Wascana Park Bandstand, Regina, SK

Saturday, August 16, 12:00 noon to 9:00 pm

A community event open to the public. All who attend
will be able to share in: Free Hotdog Lunch, Free Supper
& Free Canteen, Free Events for the Kids, Missions Fair,
Prayer Tent & Free Entertainment including our musical
headliner, Corey Lueck.

"Praise in the Park gathers Christians from different
communities to celebrate Christian faith in word and
song, and to rejoice together in the abundant blessings
of God. Celebrating faith and rejoicing in God's goodness
is always a blessing, but is a special grace when we are
able to do so together. Come join us!" - Archbishop
Donald Bolen

**Please contact us for donation information or any
questions: reginapraiseinthepark@gmail.com**

Visitation House Update

Visitation House has been serving women and children in
the Heritage Neighbourhood in Regina for nearly 25
years. The Advisory Board is now taking some time of
discernment to review and refresh the vision and mission
of Visitation House. As it is each year, Visitation House
will be closed for July. Until further notice, physical
donations will not be accepted. Please watch for updates
in the coming months. Financial donations continue to be
gratefully accepted and can be mailed to Visitation
House. Please pray for the members of the Advisory
Board, those who have been guests of Visitation House,
and those who will visit in the future. If you would like to
lend your voice to the conversation, please contact Lisa
Polk.

St. Philomena mother-daughter retreat: discover together God's gift of true femininity. Based on biblical wisdom, Catholic teachings, and the theology of St. John Paul II, this weekend retreat is geared towards girls ages 11 to 14 and their moms. Hosted at St. Peter's Abbey, Muenster, SK., Sept. 12-14 by Regnum Christi Regina. \$425 per mother-daughter pair until July 25. Check out the website at <https://philomenaretreat.org/>. Register and/or email questions to laurencayer@sasktel.net

Leadership Camp 2025

Each year the Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry of the Archdiocese of Regina invites young people interested in growing in faith, community and their ability to be leaders to come together for an amazing camp experience. This year's theme is "Celebrate!". There are dates for young adults, (Aug. 9 & 10) for older teens in grades 10-12 (Aug. 10-13) and younger teens in grades 7-9 (Aug. 14-16). The camp is held at Glen Harbour Kids Camp about 40 minutes from Regina. Check the poster or email oyyam@archregina.sk.ca for more info. Registration can be found at www.bit.ly/oyyam-camp

St. Philomena Walking Pilgrimage

Everyone is invited to join us for all or part of the 7th annual Saint Philomena Walking Pilgrimage. This pilgrimage is sponsored by the Archdiocese of Regina and will start on August 11th in Yorkton, SK, and finish on August 14th at the Rama Shrine. This is a guided pilgrimage with rest stops, meals, support vehicles, and a trailer carrying tents and sleeping gear to each overnight stop. Mass or Divine Liturgy is celebrated each day. Everyone is welcome to join us for those celebrations – a great way to show support for the pilgrimage and the pilgrims! For more information see our website at stphilomena.ca or phone 306-728-5525.

Camp Monahan 80 Years of Camping

Come celebrate 80 years of camping at Camp Monahan! Join us for our Homecoming weekend June 28-29. Come out to camp anytime or stay the weekend! Cabins available to rent Saturday evening. You can register online for camp and the homecoming weekend by visiting our website www.campmonahan.ca

July 1st Canada Day Mass

The Knights of Columbus and the Santo Nino Council invite you to Blessed Sacrament Church Mass 10 AM Monday, July 1st, with Archbishop James Weisgerber as main celebrant and homilist. Reception follows.

Requests for an announcement to be included in the bulletin, please email the information to ppcsecretary.stjoseph@gmail.com prior to Wednesday @ 5:00pm.

Jesus Youth Saskatchewan Invites you to the Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine at St. Laurent (near Duck Lake) on Sunday August 3, 2025. The St. Laurent Shrine is a designated pilgrimage site for the Jubilee Year of Hope. Pilgrims are invited to gather at 2pm. Adoration and Reconciliation will take place in the grotto at 3pm. Mass will take place at 4pm followed by a potluck meal. Those who are interested in attending are invited to register by: Email CONTACT.SK@JESUSYOUTH.CA or Phone (306) 514-0606

NEW PARISHIONERS/ CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Please complete this form and place in the collection basket

Name(s) _____ Email _____

Address _____ Date _____

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