

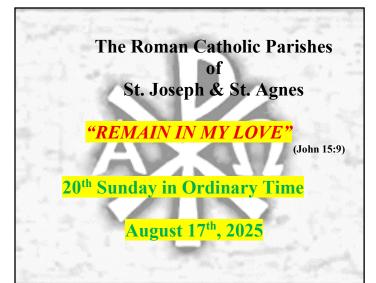
# St. Joseph Parish

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# **Church Hall Bookings**

Margaret Kiel Phone: 306-771-4230 Email: Stjoseph1@sasktel.net

# **Parish Council**

Chairperson Lila Schneider Vice Chair Vacant Deanery Rep Lila Schneider Ecumenism John Dean Liturgy Cheryl Behrns Bill Rieger School of Religion Social Justice Jodi Eberle Stewardship Gwen Herman Pastoral Care Ken & Diane Fahlman

Parish Council Sec Roseann Anderson Kitchen Coordinator Lisa Fuchs

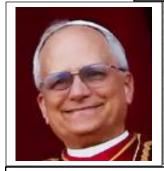
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Chairperson Roseann Anderson
Vice Chair Vacant
Accountant/Treasurer Building & Grounds Mike Schneider
Members at Large Bob Kardash

Representatives

CWL President Lynne Kardash Knights of Columbus Pat Leibel, GK

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



# August, 2025 Prayer Intention: For mutual coexistence

Let us pray that societies where coexistence seems more difficult might not succumb to the temptation of confrontation for ethnic, political, religious or ideological reasons.



# ST JOSEPH PARISH

Welcomes all Parishioners & Visitors

### 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.

#### 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

# **Father Yannick**

We welcome you with open arms and look forward to your ministry with our parish!



We will be having our first Parish Pastoral Council meeting on August 26<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm in the church basement. There will be no Mass before this meeting. This will be Father Yannick's first PPC meeting.

#### **DONATING NOTE:**

# Thank you for your Continued generosity to St. Joseph

For Options for Donating to St. Joseph Parish
Please visit our parish website: <a href="www.stjosephbalgonie.ca">www.stjosephbalgonie.ca</a>
Under Giving and Sharing button, click on Donate button for

# **Donation Options:**

Credit Card, Debit Card or eTransfer

Please email donation to: <u>Stjosephbalgonie@gmail.com</u>

#### 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

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

Please note we will be renovating the Rectory so Father Yannick will not be moving in until August 23/24th weekend. Due to this, there will be no morning masses for the first three weeks in August.

Morning Masses will resume Tuesday August 26<sup>th</sup> at 8:00am

Father Yannick will be away from August 12th - August 20th for his brother's wedding. Replacement priests as follows:

- Saturday August 16<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm Balgonie -NO MASS
- Sunday August 17<sup>th</sup> at 9:00am Pilot Butte Fr. Lindenbach
- Sunday August 17<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 am Balgonie Fr. Lindenbach

Father Yannick will also be assisting with the French Masses in Regina @ St. Jean Baptiste Parish and we will have replacement priests as follows:

- Sunday, August 24<sup>th</sup> at 10:30am Balgonie -Fr. Lindenbach
- o Sunday, September 7<sup>th</sup> at 10:30am Balgonie
  - Fr. Thomas Nguyen

#### August 17, 2025

# 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Do you think I have come to give you peace on Earth? No, I tell you, but rather division." Luke 12:51

Many of us like to play it safe, not cause waves with our family and friends, especially when it comes to politics and religion. We don't want to cause any turmoil. However, many times this is at the expense of the truth. The truth being Jesus Christ. Too many people are misguided because they rely on their own limited human ability to reason and are not allowing faith in God to guide them. Form your conscience; take a stance for life, marriage, and religious liberty.

# **Walking Together**

A program of Catholic Engaged Encounter designed to support MARRIED COUPLES in their vocation of marriage through accompaniment. We invite couples of all stages, from newly married to decades of marriage, to come together to share the gifts, graces, and experiences of their vocation.

Drop-in sessions, no registration required. Saturdays at 7:30 pm at Holy Rosary in the O'Neill room (use the west ramp entrance) September 6, October 4, November 1, December 6. For more information contact Miri or James Schiller at wd1@ceecanada.ca or 306-535-7518.

## **Charismatic Prayer Gathering**

**Resurrection Parish** 

Below are the dates for the Resurrection Charismatic Prayer Gatherings currently scheduled for the fall.

September 21

October 19

November 30

7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Come Alive! You are invited! Come and experience Christ's loving embrace through music, praise, worship, teaching, prayer, and fellowship! Mark your calendars now. Hope to see you there!

## Ladies of the St Joseph Parish

We are asking for your help by contributing desserts for the Golf Tournament Fundraiser supper on Friday, August 22. We are in need of 11 - (9 x 13) pans or 15 pieces per pan.

If you can help with this request, please notify Dolores Donais, at 306-535-0590 or Lynne Kardash at 306-530-6328 by Thursday morning August 21. Desserts can be dropped off at 4 on Friday Aug 22 at the church basement in Balgonie. Thank you for your support.

## **Visitation House Update**

Visitation House has been serving women and children in the Heritage Neighborhood in Regina for nearly 25 years. As it was noted last month, the Advisory Board is taking some time of discernment to review and refresh the vision and mission of Visitation House. We have made the decision to open the doors for just 2 weeks in August, weekdays from August 11th until August 22nd. Beginning August 25th Visitation House will be temporarily closed while the space undergoes some renovations and updates. Until further notice, physical donations will not be accepted. Please watch for updates in the coming months. We hope to open the doors in October and can't wait to share the vision of the refreshed space. The 25th Anniversary will be celebrated in November, and we'll share that date once it is secured. Financial donations continue to be gratefully accepted and may be made by mailing cheques to Visitation House. If you would like to donate via another method, please call Theresa at Visitation House. Fr. John Weckend has once again organized a relay team for the Queen City Marathon to raise money for Visitation House. Please check with your parish to see if you can donate there or contact Theresa. Please continue to pray for the guests of Visitation House, past, present, and future, and those who serve as volunteers and advisory board members. If you would like to be a part of the exciting new future for Visitation House in any way, please contact Theresa Hilbig at Visitation House or Lisa Polk at the Archdiocese of Regina.

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 <a href="https://philomenaretreat.org/">https://philomenaretreat.org/</a>. Register and/or email questions to laurencayer@sasktel.net

**Employment Opportunity: Sacrament Coordinator** 

Resurrection Parish is seeking a Sacrament Coordinator to start Sept 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025. The sacraments under direction in this role are Baptism, Confirmation & First Eucharist and First Reconciliation. The role is permanent part time averaging 15 to 20 hours a week during the year with a summer break. There is a possibility of creating two part-time positions if the gifts, talents and availability of individuals applying make this the optimum way to deliver the sacrament programs.

Resumes and/or questions may be emailed to <a href="mailto:accounting@resurrectionparish.ca">accounting@resurrectionparish.ca</a> **OR** hand delivered to the office at Resurrection Parish, 3155 Windsor Park Road, Regina, SK S4V 3B1 – Attention: G Herman before August 26<sup>th</sup>, 2025.

# Italy from October 29 to November 15.

Trip includes the Papal Audience and mass in the Vatican. For more information call Joan Rink at (306) 533-1648 or email <a href="mailto:imrink@sasktel.net">imrink@sasktel.net</a>

Come and enjoy Jesse Lamont as he pays tribute to *Elvis* in an afternoon of song and music Sunday Sept. 21 at 2:00 p.m. at Our Lady of Peace Parish, 425 Broad St. North. Refreshments and decadent desserts are included. Admission is \$20.00 if in advance or \$25.00 at the door. 12 years and under are \$10.00, and under 5 years are FREE. Call Donalda at (306) 543-2728 or Erna at (306) 221-1567 for tickets.

# Save the Date October 19, 2025

For the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration of Our Lady of Fatima Parish Redvers, Saskatchewan Starting with Mass at 3:00pm

# Trunk Sale & BBQ - Saturday, August 23

10:00 AM to 3:00 PM

Little Flower Parish Parking Lot – 420 College Ave., Regina

Join us at Little Flower Parish for a Trunk Sale and BBQ — a fun mix of flea market, garage sale, and craft sale, all from the trunk of your car! Rent a space, bring your items, and enjoy a great day with the community.

There will be food for sale, a 50/50 raffle, and games for kids. All proceeds will support parish needs.

To reserve a space, contact: <a href="mailto:littleflowerregina@sasktel.net">littleflowerregina@sasktel.net</a> or 306-522-8583 Everyone is welcome!

Requests for an announcement to be included in the bulletin, please email the information to <a href="mailto:ppcsecretary.stjoseph@gmail.com">ppcsecretary.stjoseph@gmail.com</a> prior to Wednesday @ 5:00pm.

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