



St. Joseph Parish

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Parish Council

Chairperson	Lila Schneider
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Kitchen Coordinator	Lisa Fuchs

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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

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

"REMAIN IN MY LOVE"

(John 15:9)

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 17th, 2025



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 26th @ 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: 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

Welcome to Children's Liturgy



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 26th at 8:00am

Father Yannick will be away from August 12th - August 20th for his brother's wedding.

Replacement priests as follows:

- Saturday August 16th at 7:00pm - Balgonie - **NO MASS**
- Sunday August 17th at 9:00am Pilot Butte - Fr. Lindenbach
- Sunday August 17th 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 24th at 10:30am Balgonie - Fr. Lindenbach
- Sunday, September 7th 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 <https://philomenaretreat.org/>. Register and/or email questions to laurencayer@sasktel.net

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 Donald at (306) 543-2728 or Erna at (306) 221-1567 for tickets.

Save the Date October 19, 2025

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

Employment Opportunity: Sacrament Coordinator

Resurrection Parish is seeking a Sacrament Coordinator to start Sept 15th, 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 accounting@resurrectionparish.ca OR hand delivered to the office at Resurrection Parish, 3155 Windsor Park Road, Regina, SK S4V 3B1 – Attention: G Herman before August 26th, 2025.

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: littleflowerregina@sasktel.net or 306-522-8583

Everyone is welcome!

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 jmrink@sasktel.net

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

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