

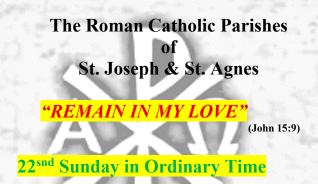
St. Joseph Parish

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Chairperson Roseann Anderson
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Members at Large Bob Kardash

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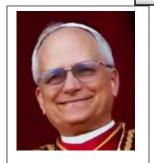
CWL President Lynne Kardash Knights of Columbus Allen Herman, GK

MASS WILL BE CELEBRATED

SATURDAY @ 7:00 pm SUNDAY @ 10:30 am

START YOUR DAY with MASS Tuesday to Friday @ 8:00 AM with Fr. Yannick

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



September, 2025 Prayer Intention:

August 31st, 2025

For our relationship with all of creation

Let us pray that inspired by Saint Francis, we
might experience our interdependence with all
creatures who are loved by God and worthy of
love and respect.



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

COFFEE- DONUTS- MUFFINS

Sunday, Sept14th after Sunday Mass
To take place in the church foyer

*** This is a good opportunity to meet Father Yannick and socialize with fellow parishioners**

We hope to see you there!



Sunday, September 21st 10:30 AM

Installation Mass for Fr. Yannick

with celebrant
Archbishop Donald Bolen

Watch the bulletin for further details

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: <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 for catechism classes

Sacrament of Reconciliation beginning Fall 2025

& First Communion and Confirmation classes beginning January 2026

Contact Bill Rieger for more information or email st.j.catechism.balgonie@gmail.com

On behalf of the **Knights of Columbus and the CWL**, we extend our heartfelt thanks to all our parishioners, golfers, sponsors, and businesses who supported our 21st Annual Golf Tournament.



It was truly a wonderful day filled with fun, fellowship, and community spirit. Thanks to your overwhelming generosity, we were able to donate \$5,000 to the Alzheimer's Society of Saskatchewan.

This achievement would not have been possible without the commitment and kindness of everyone who participated, contributed, or helped in any way.

Once again, thank you from all the members of the organizing committee!!!!!



August 31, 2025

22st Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Rather, when you hold a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind; blessed indeed will you be because of their inability to repay you." LUKE 14:13-14

One of the main principles of living a stewardship lifestyle is to give without expecting anything in return. This is difficult for some to comprehend in our "consumerist" culture that we live in. This is even difficult for many parish communities that have become heavily dependent on parish fundraising events to support the mission and ministry of their local parish. Generally speaking, at a parish fundraiser, you pay money and receive something in return, it's just a financial transaction. This is opposed to our parish offertory at Holy Mass, where you unite your sacrifice with Jesus', renewing our covenant relationship with Him.

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.

CONQUEST BOYS CLUB REGISTRATION

Registration is now open for the Conquest Boys' Club 2025-26 year! Conquest Boys' Club is for Catholic boys who want to grow in virtue, to learn more about their faith and serve the church. Conquest is a leadership program that helps form the future leaders of our church, future fathers, future husbands and builds strong foundations for our Catholic young men. To register, scan the QR Code provided or on our poster in your Parish, or email conquest.regina@gmail.com

Father Yannick will also be assisting with the French Masses in Regina @ St. Jean Baptiste Parish, as he speaks the French language—the replacement priest will be for St. Joseph

 Sunday, September 7th at 10:30 am Balgonie - Fr. Thomas Nguyen

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

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.

<u>Financial donations continue</u> 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.
\$ 425.00 per mother-daughter pair until July 25

Check out the website https://philomenaretreat.org/.

Register and/or email questions
to laurencayer@sasktel.net

Faith Formation classes will be held this year for mature teenagers and adults who:

- wish to have a better understanding of the Roman Catholic Church,
- join the Roman Catholic Church,
- or for those who did not complete stheir sacraments

The dates and times will be determined to best suit those who are interested.

For more information contact: Bill Rieger or Deacon Ken Fahlman, or e-mail st.j.catechism.balgonie@gmail.com

When U Pray - God Listens When U Listen - God Talks When U Believe - God Works

Volunteering in St. Joseph parish



- The survey results have been reviewed, with lots of interest in a variety of activities to bring our parish community together and raise funds..
- To make these events possible, VOLUNTEERS are needed to carry out your suggested activities !!!! We are asking members of the parish to help and take a role in organizing an event.
- Once we have volunteers for teams, we will move forward with suggested activities such as brunches, bingos, family dance, craft sale with kids activities, etc. & we are open to any other ideas.

To date we have a small number of volunteers, and they were working hard with the activities taking place this summer. (Garage Sale, July 1st BBQ, Knight of Columbus/CWL Golf tournament, Catered lunch at the Grotto to name a few.)

So to **increase** the numbers of volunteers we need **your** help to continue to make our parish community viable. Please pray and consider sharing your talents to Lead/volunteer to organize an event this year for the parish.

Sign up sheets will be out at the Coffee/muffin gathering after Mass on Sunday, September 14th



- * REQUESTS FOR AN ANNOUNCEMENT to be included in the bulletin ----
- please email the information to ppcsecretary.stjoseph@gmail.com prior to Wednesday @ 5:00pm.

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