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Parish Council

Chairperson	Lila Schneider
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Parish Council Sec	Vacant
Kitchen Coordinator	Lisa Fuchs

Finance Council

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

Representatives

CWL President	Janette Rieger
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

- Please note - for the 4th Tuesday of the month daily Mass will be at **7:00 pm** not 8:00am

First Friday Mass/Adoration & Confession

First Saturday Mass dedicated to the Virgin Mary **** **both days at 8:00 am**



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

"REMAIN IN MY LOVE"

(John 15:9)

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 11, 2026

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Prayer Intention:

For mental health ministry:

Let us pray that the mental health ministry be established throughout the Church, helping to overcome the stigma and discrimination of persons with mental illnesses.



All Parishioners and 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

Catechism classes will be held on Sundays:
October 18, 25, November 8, 15, 29 beginning at
9:00 a.m.

Presentation of Bibles during the September 27
10:30 am Mass.



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October Rosary

For the month of October, please join us in
praying the Rosary before weekend
Masses.

Saturdays:

- Rosary 6:30, Mass 7:00

Sundays

- Rosary 10:00 Mass 10:30

Archdiocese Annual Report 2025

The annual report for the archdiocese is now
available online at

<https://archregina.sk.ca/archdiocesan-annual-reports/>

The Myriam Family of the Prairies invites you

For a day retreat for adults on October 24,
2026,

From 9:30 am to 4:00 pm

With the theme:

Like the Son; my filial life.

The retreat will include Mass, Confessions, Holy
hour, a talk, lunch and fellowship, in the beauty
of nature and the silence of the countryside at
our house of prayer in McLean, Sk, 45 km East
of Regina.

-Free will offering- Please register by
phoning at 306-761-0528 or email:
pss.prairies@famillemyriam.org

ArchRegina Congress: Blessings Remembered, Hope Renewed

*What might God be inviting our parish
communities to become, and where do we begin?*

Join us for our annual Archdiocese of Regina
Congress on October 31 at Resurrection Parish
from 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM (*with an optional Mass
at 9:00 AM*).

Together we'll continue to explore God's vision
for the Church and consider what that vision
might look like in our parishes. Through prayer,
communal discernment, and creative activities,
we'll reflect on our blessings, name our
challenges, and share our hopes and ideas for the
future. Together, we'll identify practical, pastoral
next steps for our parishes and our diocese and
set a path forward as we prepare for our
Archdiocesan Synod Assembly in May 2027.
Please register by Monday, October 26, to
mgurash@archregina.sk.ca or call 306-352-1651.

Archbishop's Appeal October 11

Bulletin Reflection

1st Reading: Isaiah 25:6-10a; 2nd Reading: Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20; Gospel: Matthew 22:1-14

This Sunday's readings remind us of God's abundant generosity and His invitation to each of us to share in His Kingdom. Through the prophet Isaiah, we hear of a rich banquet prepared for all people—a beautiful image of God's desire to welcome, nourish, and bring hope to everyone. In the Gospel, Jesus tells the parable of the wedding feast, reminding us that God continually invites us into a deeper relationship with Him. Our response to that invitation is reflected not only in our faith but also in the way we live, serve, and care for one another.

Fall Development and Peace Workshops

This fall, Development and Peace – Caritas Canada invites us to ask: "Is Canada on Track for Justice?" Join us for a presentation and many activities exploring Canada's role in international development, hear about the importance of Canadian international aid, and discover how we can take action together for a more just and peaceful world.

Everyone is welcome!

For more information contact Michael LeBlanc at mleblanc@devp.org or 306-205-2334.

Workshop Dates:

October 18 – Campion College, Regina – **2:30 pm to 4:30 pm Lower Student Commons (updated time)**

October 25 – Christ the Redeemer Parish, Swift Current – 11:15am to 1:15 pm

October 30 – Holy Rosary Parish, Regina – 6:30pm-8:30pm

Bulletin Bits for October 11, 2026

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"My God will fully supply whatever you need..."

– *Philippians 4:19*

God really does provide for those who are grateful and generous. This is very difficult for people who don't live a stewardship lifestyle to believe. People are skeptical and say it's just coincidence. If you are skeptical, try living a stewardship lifestyle for just one month – be generous with your gifts of time in prayer, talent in charitable works, and treasure, then see how God provides for your needs.

The Chesterton Academy of Regina is a new private independent Catholic high school proposed for Regina in Fall 2027. Beginning with Grades 9 & 10 students, the school will offer a classical education rooted in the Catholic faith, with a focus on strong academics, character formation, and faith.

Save the Date! We are hosting an Information Session on **Thursday, October 22** at 7:00 PM at Holy Child Parish. If you want to learn more about the Chesterton Academy of Regina, are interested in volunteering with us, or want to support the school, please consider joining us.

We are also seeking a Development Chair to lead our fundraising efforts.

Please keep the Chesterton Academy of Regina in your prayers as we continue working toward making this school a reality. For more information, please visit our website: chestertonacademyofregina.ca

"At the Threshold of Grace is a conference for Catholic men and women, just like you. Our keynote speakers, Peter and Debbie Herbeck, will draw from the depth of our Catholic faith to discover the unstoppable river of living water that heals stagnation, resurrects what is lifeless, and empowers you to overflow with abundant fruit for God's glory. On **October 16–17**, step boldly forward to be equipped and rise as a mighty fountain of hope, of peace, and of the life-changing Gospel of Jesus Christ. To register and for more information, head to: BoatsOnFire.net"

Pre-Congress Synod Conversation on Ecumenism

In conjunction with the ArchRegina Congress, you are invited to join a pre-Congress synod conversation on ecumenism/Christian unity.

Catholic doctrine understands that all who are baptized are incorporated into the one mystical body of Christ. Thus, despite the wounds of history, all baptized Christians are one people of God, the church. The Second Vatican Council teaches that elements of sanctification and truth have been preserved in varying degrees by other Christian communities, and calls us to be open to receiving these gifts. All of the baptized share in this ministry of unity.

7 to 9 pm on Friday, October 30, 2026

at Holy Trinity Parish, 5020 Sherwood Dr, Regina.

All are welcome. No registration required.

For more info, contact Nick Jesson at jesson@ecumenism.net

As part of the global synod implementation, a series of synod conversations are planned. Come join in the conversation around these important questions:

- In what ways does our baptismal identity as ambassadors of Christ, entrusted with God's ministry of reconciliation (2 Cor. 5:18-20), shape how we encounter, listen to, and respond to Christians of other traditions—especially when differences or misunderstandings arise?
- What “wounds” from history or current divisions have you encountered in relations with other Christians, and how might processes of repentance and healing begin in our community?
- What gifts from other Christian traditions—such as their spiritualities, theologies, or social commitments—have enriched your faith, and how can we receive them with gratitude?
- What concrete actions can you propose to make ecumenism a lived reality in your parish and community?

*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.

For more info contact Cathy Poelzer 306-533-7002



REQUESTS FOR AN ANNOUNCEMENT

to be included in the bulletin -- please email the information to:

ppcsecretary.stjoseph@gmail.com
prior to Wednesday @ 5:00 pm



NEW PARISHIONERS/ CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Please complete this form and place in the collection basket Date _____

Name(s) _____ Email _____

Address _____ Phone Number _____

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