

Christ the Redeemer

Roman Catholic Parish

Mission Parishes: Ste Anne, Gull Lake and St Joseph, Cabri

Christ the Redeemer OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday: 8:30 - 12:30 & 1:00 - 4:30



Seek the Kingdom of God.

PASTORAL STAFF

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Pastor
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SACRAMENTS

Baptisms

Saturday or Sunday after Mass
or by appointment
(Baptism preparation class required)

Reconciliation

Available before all Masses or on request

First Eucharist & Confirmation

Please call the parish office

Marriage

Contact the Pastor
at least six months in advance

Anointing of the Sick

Please call the parish office

WORSHIP

Weekend Mass Times

Cabri - Sunday 9:30 am
Gull Lake - Saturday 5:00 pm

Swift Current:

Saturday 5:00 pm &
Sunday 10:00 am

Weekday Mass Times

Cabri - Tuesday 9:30 am
Gull Lake - Thursday 9:30 am

Swift Current:

Tuesday & Thursday 7:00 pm
Wednesday & Friday 9:00 am

Please consider Christ the Redeemer Parish, your home, in your will.

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*We acknowledge that we are on Treaty 4 Territory, traditional lands of the Nêhiyawak (Cree),
Nahkawé (Saulteaux) and Nakota, and homeland of the Métis, Dakota and Lakota.*

4th Sunday of Lent—March 10, 2024

Let my tongue cling to my mouth if I do not remember you!

Parish Events & Activities

Monday — March 11th

- 9:00 am Miracle Quilters gather upstairs
7:00 pm Lenten Faith Study Program in the library
(instead of Wednesday evening)

Tuesday — March 12th

- 7:00 pm **MASS † GLORIA FAGTANAN** requested by Dave Fagtanan
7:30 pm RCIA meets in the library

Wednesday — March 13th

- 9:00 am **MASS † FE EUSEBIO** requested by Joanna & Allan Kazakoff
10:00 am Moms & Tots play time in Sacred Heart Hall (until 11:30)
10:00 am Lenten Faith Study Program in the library
1:15 pm Senior Cards Social in Sacred Heart Hall
6:00 pm Public Square Rosary north of City Hall
6:30 pm Lenten Penitential Service

Thursday — March 14th

- 10:00 am **MASS at THE BENTLEY † JOHN CHAVTUR** requested by Pauline Bonneville
12 Noon Interdenominational Lenten Service at St Olaf Lutheran Church, followed by lunch by CWL & K of C (*Fr Ferdinand presiding*)
6:00 pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
7:00 pm **MASS † BRIDGET & MARTIN REID** requested by Ethel Choo-Foo
7:30 pm Knights of Columbus meeting

Friday — March 15th

- 9:00 am **MASS INTENTION for JOSEPH COULTER** requested by Nicole & Lane Francis
10:00 am Faith & Fitness class
10:00 am **MASS at WILLOW CREEK † WILL HYSWICK** requested by Jodie Hyswick
7:00 pm Stations of the Cross, led by our youth and the children preparing to receive Sacraments

Saturday — March 16th

- 5:00 pm **MASS INTENTIONS for FR FERDINAND & FR LOURDHU** requested by Judy Knelsen (*Knights handle all ministries*)

Sunday — March 17th — Solidarity Sunday

- 10:00 am **MASS INTENTIONS for ALL PARISHIONERS** (*CWL handles all ministries*)
11:30 am St Patrick's Day Brunch, hosted by CWL

Mass can be livestreamed from www.youtube.com/ArchdioceseRegina or seen on Vision TV

Stewardship Bulletin Bit

"For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son..."

—John 3:16

Of all the wonderful gifts that God has given us, the gift of His own Son is truly the greatest. How can we ever thank God for a gift like that? God does not ask us to sacrifice our own precious firstborn, but He does ask that we are grateful and generous with our God-given gifts; that we nurture and develop our gifts, and in gratitude, generously give back with increase our time in prayer, our talent in charitable works and our treasure to support the mission and ministry of our parish and greater Church.

RETURN TO OUR LADY



Cardinal Raymond Burke this week invited Catholics to join in praying a nine-month novena seeking Mary's intercession beginning on March 12 and culminating on the feast day of Our Lady of Guadalupe on Dec. 12

Cardinal Raymond Burke is an American Cardinal, who founded the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Wisconsin.

"Seven years from now, in the year 2031, the Church will celebrate the 500th anniversary of the apparitions of Our Lady of Guadalupe to Saint Juan Diego.

Filled with the confidence which Our Lady of Guadalupe gives to us and imitating her example, let us be confident and courageous in carrying out this nine-month novena and consecration, so that the truth of His dwelling with us in the Church may shine forth for all to see.



Nearly 60,000 Catholics thus far have pledged to join me in the Novena. May Our Lady of Guadalupe, through us who seek to imitate her messenger, Saint Juan Diego, draw all souls to her Divine Son and to His Mystical Body, the Church."

<https://novena.cardinalburke.com/#sign-up-form>

Sign up to receive encouragement and spiritual direction from Cardinal Burke leading up to the Feast Day of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

*Ask about our Hearing Aid System.
We have equipment for 12 people to use.*

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR MARCH



For the new martyrs...

We pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world inflame the Church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm.

TRAINING NEXT-GEN FARMERS in INDONESIA



In rural Indonesia, young people are abandoning agriculture to work in cities. Over time, this could threaten food sovereignty. Our partner PAYOPAYO empowers village communities to work together to find solutions to common challenges related to agriculture, food, energy, natural resource management and

the engagement of youths, especially women.

This Lent, meet our solidarity visitor Karno Batiran, the executive director of PAYOPAYO. Learn more at devp.org/lent.

SOCIAL JUSTICE EASTER FOOD HAMPERS

The Social Justice committee is preparing food hampers for families this Easter—**on request**. Please contact Michele Vallee at 306-774-5171 or kmvallee@sasktel.net if you, or someone you know, could use a hamper.




Parishioners are invited to bring non-perishable food items or cash donations to the church **by Palm Sunday**. Cash should be left at the office, not in the food bins.

Hampers will be assembled in St Michael Hall on **Mon, March 25**. If you can help sort, assemble or deliver hampers, please contact Michele—and thank you!

SENIORS CARD SOCIAL

It's the **2nd Wednesday** of the month this week and the Social Justice Committee is once again hosting a fun afternoon for seniors 55+, men and women, free and open to anyone in the community as well as visitors. Popular games are Whist, Cribbage & Skip Bo—but bring a game you like to play. It's fun to learn something new! Come socialize **Wed, March 13** from 1:15 - 4:30. Enjoy dessert and a beverage.





ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Swift Current & District Pro Life

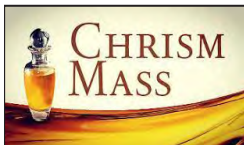
Tuesday, March 19 • 7:00 pm

Community Baptist Church • 800 2nd Ave NW

Your input is needed!

If you know of someone in need of prayers, please contact the parish office: 306-773-9524.

CHRISM MASS in REGINA



The Chrism Mass (Blessing of the Oils) will be held on **Monday, March 18** at Holy Rosary Cathedral in Regina beginning at 2:00 pm.

St Patrick's Day Brunch



The CWL will host a Sunday Brunch on **March 17 at 11:30 am** (after Mass). On the menu is a hearty breakfast casserole, smoked sausages, coleslaw, seasonal fruit, muffins and Irish soda bread.

Advance tickets are on sale before & after Mass.

\$12 for adults 13+ • **\$8** for ages 6-12 • **Free** 5 years & under

CLOTHING ITEMS for ALL



For a Lenten project, CWL members donated anonymous clothing items which were displayed at their March general meeting. Members were free to browse and select items they wanted or needed. There are still many items in St Michael Hall, which ANY parishioner is free to take. Leftover items will be donated to the Community Living bins on Monday morning. A goodwill offering is encouraged, but not required.

MOMS & TOTS PLAY GROUP IS BACK!



Young mothers and their kids are invited to gather in Sacred Heart Hall for fellowship on Wednesday mornings from **10 - 11:30 am**. Come for coffee, treats and play time. For more information, please text or call Denise @ 306-750-7363.

Note: Calendar for March mistakenly has the sessions beginning at 9:30 am...

ARCHBISHOP'S APPEAL



The 2023 campaign raised over \$1.4 million. The goal for our parish was \$41,782; actual amount donated by CTR was \$22,240.94 — or 53%.

We truly appreciate the generosity of the many people who helped make this year's Appeal a successful one.

Lent Worship Services



There are just two more Lenten Ecumenical Worship Services, this year being hosted by St Olaf Lutheran Church on Thursdays at noon.

On **March 14**, please come join Fr Ferdinand and our fellow Christians for a half-hour of scripture, prayer, song and reflection. Lunch will follow, provided by the CWL and Knights of Columbus.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

On Friday, March 15th our youth and the children receiving their sacraments will lead the Stations of the Cross. Join in this meaningful Lenten service.



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Other Ministries

In addition to the committees we have on Parish Pastoral Council, active groups include the Miracle Quilters, our Comfort Care team, a Sacramental Preparation team, and the Prayer Shawl ministry. Bible Study and RCIA sessions are led by Adult Faith Formation, and a core group meets for public praying of the Rosary every Wednesday at 6:00 pm downtown north of City Hall.

Be sure to check out our brochure display and the Lighthouse media kiosk in the north & south foyers. As well, our library features books and videos on a variety of spiritual subjects.

**Please check inside,
under Parish Events
& Activities, for
dates & times of
meetings.**