Christ the Redeemer Roman Catholic Parish

Mission Parishes: St 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

Rev. Ferdinand Eusebio
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Rev. Daniel Malone Associate Pastor

Deacon David Hagel
Permanent Deacon

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SACRAMENTS

Baptisms

1st Sunday or 3rd Saturday after Mass or by appointment (attendance at Baptism preparation class required)

Reconciliation

Available before all Masses, during Friday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, or upon 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

Swift Current: Saturday 5 pm | Sunday 10 am

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

Weekday Mass Times

Swift Current:

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

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

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

3rd Thursdays 6:00-7:00 pm First Fridays 9:30-1:30 pm Other Fridays 9:30-10:30 am

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

Phone 306-773-9524 • www.ctrparish.com 1850 Springs Gate, Swift Current, SK S9H 4E1

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.

2nd Sunday of Lent—March 16, 2025

It is your face, O Lord, that I seek; hide not your face from me.

Parish Events & Activities

Monday — March 17th

9:00 am Miracle Quilters gather upstairs 11:00 am **FUNERAL MASS** for Rita Legault

Tuesday — March 18th

7:00 pm MASS of THANKSGIVING requested by

Grace Modesto Nongauza

7:30 pm RCIA meeting in the library after Mass

7:30 pm Finance Council meeting

Wednesday — March 19th

9:00 am MASS † WILFREDO LAGUARDIA requested

by Jeuly Completo and family

10:00 am Faith Study on "Seven Deadly Sins / Seven

Lively Virtues" (repeats at 7 pm)

6:00 pm Public Square Rosary north of City Hall

7:00 pm Faith Study (repeat)

Thursday — March 20th

12 Noon Interdenominational Lenten Worship Service

at CTR, hosted by Christ the Redeemer,

followed by lunch

6:00 pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament til 7 pm

7:00 pm MASS † DAVID GREFFARD requested by

Nicole and Lane Francis

7:30 pm Parish Pastoral Council meeting

Friday — March 21st

9:00 am MASS INTENTION for TERRY & VAL

COULTER (Adoration held on Thursday)

10:00 am MASS at WILLOW CREEK

2:00 pm Val's Interdenominational Worship Service at

Riverview, followed by Pioneer Manor at 3:00

7:00 pm Stations of the Cross, led by Adult Faith

Formation and RCIA candidates

Saturday — March 22nd

5:00 pm MASS † ERMA & WILFRED COP requested

by Gisele & Fabian Paulhus

Sunday — March 23rd

9:30 am MASS INTENTIONS for ALL PARISHIONERS

at St Joseph Parish in Cabri

10:00 am MASS INTENTION for ALL DECEASED

KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS MEMBERS

requested by Council 3031 & 1070 Assembly

11:30 am Parish AGM in St Michael Hall after Mass

11:30 am El Shaddai Worship Service in Sacred Heart Hall

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

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

Stewardship Bulletin Bit

"I am the Lord who brought you from Ur of the Chaldeans to give you this land as a possession."

-Genesis 15:7

Just as the Lord gave Abraham, Moses, and the Israelites a land to possess, He has also given each of us a home. Whether your home is grand or humble, it is a gift from God. Abraham prepared a great sacrifice to the Lord in gratitude for the home God gave him. How do you show your gratitude to God for the home He has given you? Do you make a sacrifice of any kind? Do you return any of your finances to God, investing in your eternal home just as you invest in your earthly home?

March 19: SOLEMNITY of ST JOSEPH



This week holds a feast of great significance: The Solemnity of Saint Joseph.

He is the patron saint of the Universal Church and has been the patron saint of Canada for 401 years. According to St André Bessette, he alone among men was fit to be that earthly image of a father for God the Son.

St Joseph's veneration has increased in recent centuries—being particularly beloved by St André and Pope St John XXIII, who added his name to the Roman Canon. He is

the patron saint for fathers, the family, the unborn, workers, social justice, and the dying.

The Litany of St Joseph invokes him under beautiful titles such as: "mirror of patience", "chaste guardian", "solace of the wretched", "hope of the sick", and "terror of demons".



He is also patron saint of <u>our own church in **Cabri**</u>. At 7 pm on March 19th, Mass there will be celebrated with particular solemnity. All are encouraged and invited to attend this Mass.

Attending churches dedicated to saints on their feast days is an ancient Catholic tradition, and it would be a wholesome pious exercise to engage in—particularly with the churches in our parish and deanery.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Once again, we will pray the Stations of the Cross on Friday evenings during Lent starting at 7:00 pm. Each week a different ministry will lead; on March 21st it is Adult Faith Formation & RCIA candidates.



St Patrick's Day Brunch



Sunday at 11:30 (after Mass) • Tickets in advance or at the door

\$15 for adults 13+ • **\$8** for ages 6-12 • **Free** 5 years & under



NEW FAITH STUDY SESSIONS



Join **Bishop Robert Barron** for this engaging presentation on the seven deadly sins that inhibit our flourishing in relationship with God and one another.

Each deadly sin is presented as a pattern of dysfunction within us that leads to

unhappiness. Bishop Barron shows us how to counteract these sinful patterns through "seven lively virtues"—a conscious process of opposition which sets us on the path to healing and happiness. Sessions continue **Wed, March 19, at 10 am**, repeating at **7 pm**. Please come!

LENTEN WORSHIP SERVICES

This year the Interdenominational Lenten Worship Services will be held at **Christ the Redeemer.** On Thursday, **March 20th**, the service will be led by Fr Ferdinand, followed by lunch for a goodwill offering.





PENETENTIAL SERVICE

Our parish Lenten Penetential Service will be held Wednesday, **March 26th** at 6:00 pm.

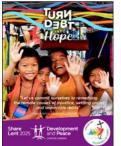
SPECIAL KNIGHTS of COLUIMBUS MASS

On March 23, 1947 the Knights of Columbus were officially installed in Swift Current. To mark the 78th Anniversary, next Sunday's Mass will be offered for the



intention of all deceased members.

All parishioners, Brother Knights, Sir Knights and widows of our deceased Knights are invited to attend Mass on **Sunday, March 23** at 10 am.



SHARE LENT 2025

In this Jubilee Year, Pope Francis calls on us to take part in the global *Turn Debt into Hope* campaign to "forgive the debts of countries that will never be able to repay them."

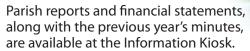
Knowing that 3.3 billion people live in countries that spend more on foreign debt repayment than

on health or education, we must act! Next week we will have a global petition for you to sign calling for:

- 1. Canceling unjust and unsustainable debts
- 2. Reforming the global financial system to prioritize people and the planet
- 3. Establishing a binding and comprehensive debt framework within the United Nations

PARISH AGM NEXT SUNDAY

Please be advised that our parish AGM will be held **next Sunday, March 23,** after the 10 am Mass.





EVERYONE WELCOME

All are welcome to join the **Inter- denominational Worship Services**held at care homes on various
Fridays, organized by the SC and
Area Ministerial Assn (SCAMA).



Thanks to Ecumenical Chair **Val Choo-Foo** and those in our parish who faithfully help at these services by playing piano, singing in the choir, or reading scriptures and prayers.

This month the services will be held **Friday, March 21** at **Riverview** (2 pm) and **Pioneer Manor** (3 pm).



St Patrick flourished in 5th century Britain and Ireland. He is credited with bringing Christianity to Ireland and for his role in converting the Anglo-Saxons. He is known only from two short works, the *Confessio*, his spiritual autobiography, and his *Letter to Coroticus*, a denunciation of British mistreatment of Irish Christians.

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Parish Pastoral Council

Pastor Fr. Ferdinand Eusebio	Knights of Columbus Gord Hagen
Associate Pastor Fr. Daniel Malone	Liturgy Nicole Francis
Chair Liam Choo-Foo	Recorder Gloria Stringer
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Past Chair Emilio Completo	Social Justice David Boucher
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Communications Laura Cornelson	Welcoming Mary Tardif
Deanery Rep Nelson Pompu	Youth John Rey Barraca
Ecumenism Val Choo-Foo	
El Shaddai Cell Chapter Nim Barcenas & Arnold Tumala	School Board Marc Perrault
Finance Chair Barry Cuthbert	Principal, ASCS Lenni Zanidean

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.