

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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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 Nēhiyawak (Cree),
Nahkawé (Saulteaux) and Nakota, and homeland of the Métis, Dakota and Lakota.*

Easter Sunday—March 31, 2024

This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.

Parish Events & Activities

Note: Divine Mercy Novena, begun on Good Friday, continues until Sunday

Monday — April 1st

OFFICE is CLOSED

Tuesday — April 2nd

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2:30 pm Mass at Pioneer Manor postponed til Apr 9th

5:00 pm CWL Supper meeting at 5:00 pm

No evening Mass

Wednesday — April 3rd

OFFICE is CLOSED

No morning Mass

6:00 pm Public Square Rosary north of City Hall

Thursday — April 4th

6:00 pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

No evening Mass

Friday — April 5th

9:00 am **MASS for the LEGAL PROTECTION of LIFE from CONCEPTION to NATURAL DEATH** requested by Gisele Paulhus followed by First Friday Adoration until 1:30

9:30 am Divine Mercy Holy Hour from 9:30 - 10:30; Reconciliation until noon

10:00 am Faith and Fitness class

Saturday — April 6th

5:00 pm **MASS for ALL DECEASED MEMBERS of OBIEN - CRUZ FAMILIES** requested by Leda Cruz and family

Sunday — April 7 — DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

10:00 am **MASS INTENTIONS for ALL PARISHIONERS**

11:30 am Sacramental Preparation in the church

11:30 am Parish AGM

2:30 pm Divine Mercy Holy Hour until 3:30

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

Stewardship Bulletin Bit

"Think of what is above, not of what is on earth."

—Colossians 3:2

On this day we thank God for His Son, Jesus, who died, rose and opened the gates of heaven for us. We celebrate and sing "Alleluia." Let's try to keep the joy of this Easter season in our hearts throughout the year! Pray daily and listen for how God is calling each of us to joyfully use our gifts to fulfill His salvation plan.

NEXT SUNDAY is DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY



St. Faustina's Diary records our Lord's promises of extra-ordinary graces on Divine Mercy Sunday:

I want to grant a complete pardon

to the souls that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion on the Feast of My mercy. (1109)

To receive these graces, the only condition is to receive Holy Communion worthily on Divine Mercy Sunday (or the Vigil celebration) by making a good confession beforehand and staying in the state of grace and trusting in His Divine Mercy. In addition, our Lord says through St Faustina that we are to perform acts of mercy:

"Yes, the first Sunday after Easter is the Feast of Mercy, but there must also be acts of mercy." (742)

DIVINE MERCY NOVENA

The 2nd Sunday of Easter is **Divine Mercy Sunday**. The novena to the Divine Mercy begun on Good Friday will end **Sunday, April 7th at 2:30 pm** with an hour of prayer, including the Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy. Support materials are in the south foyer.



CONDOLENCES & ASSURANCE OF PRAYERS

Christ the Redeemer Parish extends condolences and assurance of prayers to the family of Marty Peru—to his wife Laurie, children, in-laws, siblings, granddaughters, and many nieces and nephews, and great nieces and nephews. May songs of the angels welcome Marty into his eternal home.



BAPTISMAL CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations Wrenley Meyers and Amelia Graf on your Baptism March 16, 2024. Welcome to our community of faith.



Check out the **Religious Cabinet** in the north foyer. Many new products and giftware have recently been added. If you are interested in purchasing an item on the weekend, a CWL member would be most willing to assist you. Or inquire at the office during the week.



Eucharistic Adoration

FIRST FRIDAY—April 5, 2024

The 9am Mass will be followed by **Divine Mercy Holy Hour** from **9:30 - 10:30** and Adoration until 1:30 pm. Please sign up in the south foyer. Priests will be available for Reconciliation until noon.



LIVING FAITH BOOKLETS

Living Faith booklets for the 2nd quarter of 2024 (April, May, June) are available in both the north and south foyer. They are free, courtesy of the CWL, but a donation would be much appreciated to help with shipping costs and exchange rates.



PARISH AGM NEXT SUNDAY

Please be advised that our parish AGM will be held on **Sunday, April 7th** after the 10 am Mass. Parish reports are available at the Information Kiosk, or in the north foyer during the week.



SOCIAL JUSTICE EASTER FOOD HAMPERS



Thank you! Once again your generous food and monetary donations have made it possible for our parish to distribute Easter hampers to families in our community.

A special thank you to the crew who sorted, shopped and packed—and to the K of C who delivered the hampers. Easter blessings to all!

Have You Considered ...



Do you sing? Play an instrument? Join one of our choirs!
Mixed • Contemporary • CWL • Youth
WE NEED YOU!

We need people to lead the choir, be a Psalmist, or contribute as a musician. Especially needed are **piano and organ players**. Music adds so much to our service and the time commitment is small. For choir members, it's about 30-60 minutes a week for practice, plus the Mass itself. Leaders will need an extra hour or two to read and pray about which hymns to choose.

If you are ready to "Make a Joyful Noise to the Lord," please contact **Peggy Marshall** at 306-773-1462.

FRIDAY "FAITH & FITNESS" CLASSES



Come out for free drop-in classes at the church on **Fridays at 10 am**, led by Val Choo-Foo. Perfect for all abilities and ages, especially seniors and older adults. Exercises can be done sitting or standing and include stretching, cardio, balance, flexibility and core. All you need is comfortable clothing and a water bottle. Resistance bands are available for \$5 if you don't have one.

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION for APRIL



For the role of women ...



We pray that the dignity and immense value of women be recognized in every culture, and for the end of discrimination that they experience in different parts of the world.

ASSISTED HEARING SYSTEM

There is an assisted hearing system available to sign out during Mass. The devices are on the counter in the short hallway by the Children's Liturgy room. We encourage you to try out this system in order to make your Mass experience more fruitful and enjoyable.



SARCAN DROP & GO

DONATE to the PARISH BUILDING FUND

Do you have cans & bottles piling up in your house or garage? Our parish has an account with Sarcan Recycling Depot. Our log-in # is **3067739524**—the parish phone number. Regular hours are 9 am to 5 pm. For a detailed look at the process of "Drop & Go," please visit our website, or pick up a sheet from the Information Kiosk. Note that glass bottles must be placed in one of the crates provided by Sarcan, NOT in the bags or boxes you brought them in. **Thank you for donating!**



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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.