

# 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

**Rev. Ferdinand Eusebio**  
Pastor  
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**Rev. Lourdu Bandhanadam**  
Associate Pastor

**Deacon David Hagel**  
Permanent Deacon

**Aileen Barraca**  
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### SACRAMENTS

#### **Baptisms**

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday or 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday after Mass  
or by appointment  
(attendance at 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.*

# 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time—June 23, 2024

*A great Prophet has risen among us; God has looked favourably on his people.*

## Parish Events & Activities

*Fr Ferdinand is on vacation until July 12th.*

### Monday — June 24th

9:00 am Miracle Quilters gather upstairs before their summer break; will resume in September

### Tuesday — June 25th

7:00 pm MASS † WILL HYSWICK requested by the CWL

### Wednesday — June 26th

9:00 am MASS of HEALING for the TUMBACH FAMILY requested by Mary Tumbach  
6:00 pm Public Square Rosary north of City Hall

### Thursday — June 27th

6:00 pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament  
7:00 pm MASS † JEAN KOSLOSKI requested by Agnes Watson and family

### Friday — June 28th

9:00 am MASS † FAYE GOUDY requested by Mary & Marcel Tardif  
10:00 am MASS at RIVERVIEW

### Saturday — June 29th

5:00 pm MASS † BETTY O'BRIEN requested by Ron O'Brien

### Sunday — June 30th

10:00 am MASS † BETTY O'BRIEN requested by Ron O'Brien  
11:30 am El Shaddai Cell Group worship service in Sacred Heart Hall  
1:00 pm MASS INTENTIONS for ALL PARISHIONERS at St Joseph Parish in Cabri

*Mass can be livestreamed from [www.youtube.com/ArchdioceseRegina](http://www.youtube.com/ArchdioceseRegina) or seen on Vision TV*

## Stewardship Bulletin Bit

*"Then he asked them,  
'Why are you terrified? Do you not yet have faith?'"*

—Mark 4:40

Do you really trust God? Is God your first choice or last resort? Is your faith something you just do on Sunday or do you live the Gospel message every day of the week? Many of us know about God. How many of us have a personal relationship with Him? Start now, open your heart to receive our Lord. Talk and listen to Him every day. Move your discipleship from head knowledge to heart knowledge.

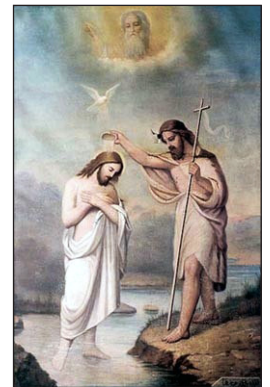
## NATIVITY OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST



*Only three birthdays are celebrated on the Church's liturgical calendar—the Nativity of Our Lord (Dec 25), the Nativity of His Mother (Sept 8), and the Nativity of His forerunner, John the Baptist, on June 24.*

St John the Baptist was set apart from the womb to prepare the way of the Lord and was a significant figure connected to the Incarnation and the Redemption. The Church honors him because of his role in preparing the way for Christ.

God sent many prophets to speak to us before Jesus. This is because at first, He tried to speak to us Himself, and we disobeyed. He chose men throughout history to be prophets, to teach others about Him. Throughout the Old Testament, people were even unfaithful to God through the teachings and leading of the prophets. God sent prophets like John the Baptist to soften their hearts, call them to repentance, and truly prepare people for Christ's coming so they'd be able to recognize Him and receive Him when they encountered Him. John was the last of these, and the greatest.



*"Truly, I say to you, among those born of women there has risen no one greater than John the Baptist."  
—Matthew 11:11*

*"Do not be afraid, Zechariah, for your prayer is heard, and your wife Elizabeth will bear you a son, and you shall call his name John."  
—Luke 1:13*

***St John the Baptist, Pray for Us!***



REGISTRATION OPEN

# Sacramental Preparation

FOR CHILDREN GRADE TWO AND OLDER TO PREPARE FOR THE SACRAMENTS OF RECONCILIATION FIRST COMMUNION CONFIRMATION



BEGINNING FALL 2024  
FAMILIES MUST BE REGISTERED IN THE PARISH FOR CANDIDATES TO BEGIN PREPARATIONS





## Parish Finance Council UPDATE

Finance Council has submitted a request to the Diocese for funding to complete the paving on our Parish property. We were recently advised by the paving contractor that they would be unable to complete the work until fall at the earliest—but in all likelihood not until next spring. We will keep parishioners apprised of timing on this project.

## MIRACLE QUILTERS UPDATE

The Miracle Quilters are pleased to announce that they have made a donation of **\$1,000** to the Building Fund. And a reminder that they have a display of quilts in Sacred Heart Hall and in the north foyer. Many more quilts are available for purchase. They make perfect gifts for graduates, weddings, anniversaries, babies, etc.



The quilters will take a summer break until after Labour Day but are pleased to help you with a purchase over the summer. Contact information is posted with the quilt display in the north foyer. Thanks to everyone who supported our fundraising efforts by purchasing quilts and quilted items.

## Update & Appreciation...



*Food for Thought* was a delightful evening. We enjoyed a delicious roast beef dinner and **Peter L'Heureux** was an exceptional speaker. There were also prizes: Dolores Dale and Dennis Longtin each won a bottle of wine, Barb Arling received a Treen's gift certificate, and John Wagner took home \$355 from the 50/50 draw. The event raised a profit of \$1,888.00 for the Building Fund. Here's hoping we have another event like this soon!

## AN EXCELLENT OPTION



Now that most sporting playoffs are over, the Olympics have not yet started, and TV reruns abound, why not find out what the parish *Formed* subscription can offer?

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- Enter "Christ the Redeemer Swift Current"
- Go to "Create a new account" and click on "Next"
- Enter your name & email address. That's it!

## SUMMER MEAL PROGRAM



The Knights, CWL and Social Justice Committee are again joining forces to make frozen meals and muffins for 30 families in our community over the summer, to be delivered to the Family Resource Centre—now located in Hillside Plaza.

If you are able to bake muffins or help prepare meals, please see the sign-up sheet on the Social Justice bulletin board.



Our meals will be prepared on **Thurs, July 4** in the kitchen, but muffins can be baked anytime. Be sure to mark them for the "Summer Meal Program." If you have questions or wish to volunteer, please contact Michele at 306-774-5171.

**EXPLORE Camp Lemieux**

**Online Registrations Now OPEN!**

<b>Youth Camp</b> (8-12 yrs) July 28-Aug 1	<b>IMPACT Camp</b> (13-16 yrs) July 21-25	<b>Family Camp</b> (All Ages) Aug 6-9
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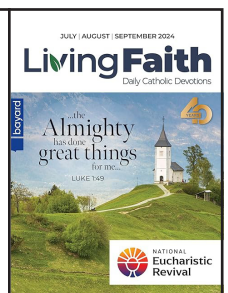
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## DAILY DEVOTIONS

"Living Faith" booklets for the 3rd quarter of 2024 (July, Aug, Sept) are available in both foyers. They are free, but a donation will help the CWL with shipping costs & exchange rates. If you know of a shut-in who would like a book, please let the office know.



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**Parish Pastoral Council**

**Pastor** ..... Fr. Ferdinand Eusebio  
**Associate Pastor** ..... Fr. Lourdu Bandhanadam  
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 & Claudette Lebel

**Social Justice** ..... David Boucher  
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**Welcoming** ..... Mary Tardif  
**Youth** ..... John Rey Barraca

**School Board** ..... Ted Wallin  
**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.