

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. Daniel Malone
Associate Pastor

Deacon David Hagel
Permanent Deacon

Aileen Barraca
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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 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.

Phone 306-773-9524 • www.ctrparish.com
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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.*

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time—August 18, 2024

With the Lord there is mercy; in him is plentiful redemption.

Parish Events & Activities

Monday — August 19th

NO MASS

Tuesday — August 20th

7:00 pm MASS † MARJORIE ANDREE requested by the Andree family

Wednesday — August 21st

9:00 am MASS † RITA WORTH requested by Stan & Marilyn Lautsch

6:00 pm Public Square Rosary north of City Hall

Thursday — August 22nd

7:00 pm MASS † ROSALIND KOSOLOFSKI requested by Darlene Kosolofski

Friday — August 23rd

9:00 am MASS † PEDRO Jr & AIDE OCAMPO requested by Geffry Ocampo and family

9:30 am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (*new time*)

Saturday — August 24th

5:00 pm MASS † ALL DECEASED MEMBERS of the SCHMIDT FAMILY requested by Agnes Watson and family

Sunday — August 25th

9:30 am MASS INTENTIONS for ALL PARISHIONERS at St Joseph Parish in Cabri

10:00 am MASS † PETER WEBER requested by the Barraca family

11:30 am El Shaddai Cell Group worship service in Sacred Heart Hall

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

Stewardship Bulletin Bit

“Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him.”

—John 6:56

This line from Scripture is what ultimately separates Catholics from our Protestant brothers and sisters. Jesus is really present in the bread and wine that are consecrated at Holy Mass. It is His actual body and blood that we consume. The Eucharist is the greatest gift we can receive, and shows the great love that Jesus has for each of us.

BECOMING ROMAN CATHOLIC



If you (or someone you know) would like to hear more about Jesus, we invite you to join us at an Inquiry Session.

This does not assume a commitment to join the Catholic faith family, but is a first step—where you inquire, explore and search for ways to grow in your relationship with God. We invite those who have not been baptized into any faith denomination, those who have been baptized into a non-Catholic faith denomination, or baptized Catholics contemplating also receiving the sacraments of Eucharist or Confirmation.

Inquirers attend Inquiry sessions until they make a decision to join the Catholic faith family. They are then invited to enter the process called the **Rite of Initiation of Adults (RCIA)**, which leads to the reception of the Sacraments of Initiation: Baptism (for those who have not been baptized), Confirmation, and Eucharist.



Some people will need more time than others as they prepare for the lifetime commitment that comes with membership in the Catholic Church. The usual length of preparation time is 1-2 years. However, this time commitment may be shorter for those who have already been baptized and are seeking full communion in the Catholic Church (receiving Confirmation and Eucharist).

If you are contemplating becoming a Roman Catholic, or you would simply like to have additional information, please contact Gisele at 306-741-7317, or the parish office at 306-773-9524 to make an appointment with the priest.

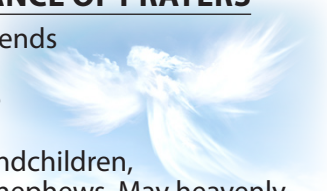
BAPTISM PREPARATION

If you wish your child to be baptized in September, October or November, you must attend the mandatory Baptism preparation class on **Wed, August 28 at 7 pm** in the library. Forms are available from the office, and should be returned to Eileen Hartman or Fr Ferdinand in advance.



CONDOLENCES & ASSURANCE OF PRAYERS

Christ the Redeemer Parish extends condolences and assurance of prayers to the family of Jerome Dillman—to his wife Marites, his children, stepdaughter, grandchildren, siblings, and many nieces and nephews. May heavenly choirs of angels welcome Jerome into his eternal home, and may the peace of our Lord comfort and sustain his family during this time of sorrow.



SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Registration is open for children Grade Two and older to prepare for the sacraments of

Reconciliation, First Communion and Confirmation. Families must be registered in the parish. Please use the QR code at right or contact the parish office.



OUR NEW ASSOCIATE PASTOR



On June 7, 2024 the Archdiocese of Regina welcomed **Father Daniel Malone** to the priesthood, and we are so pleased to have a newly ordained priest in our midst. The parish welcomed Fr Daniel after Mass on Sunday, August 4th.

Fr Daniel was born and raised in Regina, and his parish was Holy Rosary Cathedral. He discerned his vocational

calling in high school, and studied at St Philip Neri Seminary and later St Augustine's Seminary—both in Toronto. His ordination was a time of profound joy and anticipation.



CWL MEMBERS ATTEND NATIONAL CONVENTION



Ten members of our local CWL Council attended the 104th Annual Convention of the Catholic Women's League of Canada, held in Saskatoon from August 11-14, 2024. Registrations totalled 593 from across Canada.



Our Spiritual Advisor, Fr Ferdinand, accompanied us on Monday & Tuesday, and we were very grateful for his presence. The theme was "*Giving Praise on the Prairies*," and there were exceptional liturgies celebrated daily.

Archbishop Don Bolen informed us about the Papal Doctrine of Discovery, and Deacon Harry Lafond of the Muskeg Lake Cree Nation helped us understand the Cree perspective and how we can move forward together.

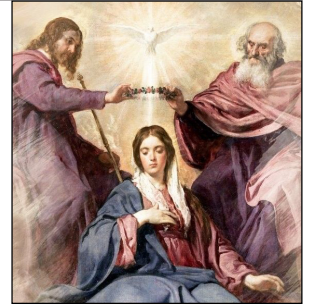
Guest Leah Perrault spoke on our guiding principle for the next two years: "*Here I am Lord, send me.*" Her message was powerful and inspiring.

Breakout sessions informed us on many topics—from palliative care, leadership and social media, to catechesis and women in the church. Resolutions were passed on a variety of mental health/social justice issues.

Lots of great food and fun was had as we dressed as pirates, dancing to Brad Johner & Sons; and enjoyed "A Taste of Ukraine," singing along with the talented and hilarious **Ukeladies**. Executive reports and a lively Q&A session rounded out the convention, enjoyed by all.

THE QUEENSHIP of the BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

In 1954 Pius XII instituted the memorial of the **Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary** "so that all may clearly recognize and more zealously venerate the kind and maternal rule of the Mother of God." It is celebrated on the octave of the Assumption—August 22.



Time again To Golf for our Parish...

**Friday,
September 6th**
**Elmwood
Golf Course**

Christ the Redeemer's annual **Fun Golf Tournament** is set for **Friday, Sept 6th**. Open to parishioners and guests, as always, fun is the first priority. It's a day full of laughs & fellowship. Enter the "Texas Scramble" as an individual, couple or as a team—all male/female, or mixed. The fee of \$150 includes an afternoon of golf with cart, followed by a great meal and prizes.

Registration begins at 11:30 am, with the **shotgun start** at 1:00 pm. Tax deductible receipts will be issued for the eligible portion of the entry fee.

Committee Chair Larry Jensen is happy to answer any questions at 306-741-2368. Other contacts are listed on the entry forms, found on our website or from the office.

Cheques payable to Christ the Redeemer Church.

ASSISTED HEARING SYSTEM

There is an assisted hearing system available to sign out before 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.



ITEMS FOR THE BULLETIN



Just a reminder that the bulletin is produced *by* and *for* parishioners. Please keep the office informed of any upcoming events and meetings so we can publish relevant details in a timely and accurate fashion. There is a lot going on in our parish, so we need your help.

We are currently gathering information for the September calendar—typically a busy month as we return from summer break—and we don't want to miss anything. Contact Aileen at 306-773-9524, or email ctrsc@sasktel.net. *Thank you for your support!*

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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.**