

# 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

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Permanent Deacon

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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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**1850 Springs Gate, Swift Current, SK S9H 4E1**

*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.*

# 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time—September 1, 2024

*O Lord, you are good and forgiving, full of mercy to all who call to you.*

## Parish Events & Activities

**Monday — September 2nd — Labour Day**

NO MASS / OFFICE IS CLOSED

**Tuesday — September 3rd**

OFFICE IS CLOSED

- 2:30 pm Mass at Pioneer Manor is cancelled
- 5:00 pm CWL “Brown Bag” supper meeting
- 7:00 pm **MASS † ANNETTE OCAMPO** requested by the Ocampo family

**Wednesday — September 4th**

- 9:00 am **MASS of BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS for YVETTE COTE** requested by Joanna & Allan Kazakoff
- 10:00 am Comfort Care Committee meeting
- 6:00 pm Public Square Rosary north of City Hall

**Thursday — September 5th**

- 7:00 pm **MASS † NATHANIEL OROLA** requested by Loida & Daniel Orola

**Friday — September 6th**

- 9:00 am **MASS for the LEGAL PROTECTION of LIFE from CONCEPTION to NATURAL DEATH** requested by Gisele Paulhus
- 9:30 am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
- 11:00 am Registration for CTR Fun Golf Tournament at Elmwood; tee time of 1:00 pm; supper to follow

**Saturday — September 7th**

- 5:00 pm **MASS † HELEN ANDREAS** requested by Darcy & Margaret Dewar
- 5:00 pm **MASS INTENTIONS for NEWLYWEDS TYLER & TATIANA BANG** at St Anne Parish Gull Lake requested by Barbara Olsgard

**Sunday — September 8th**

- 9:30 am **MASS INTENTIONS for ALL PARISHIONERS** at St Joseph Parish in Cabri
- 10:00 am **MASS † THOMAS WATSON** requested by Agnes Watson and family
- 11:00 am Parish Picnic in St Michael Hall
- 11:30 am El Shaddai Worship Service in Sacred Heart H

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



### CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Children's Liturgy will be starting up soon and we need volunteers to help lead the children. All activities are prepared in advance for leaders to use with their group. Please consider helping with this important ministry. Contact Aileen in the church office if you have questions or are interested in volunteering. *Thank you!*

## Stewardship Bulletin Bit

*“Be doers of the word and not hearers only...”*

—James 1:22

It's easy to understand the definition of stewardship – living a grateful and generous life. The hard part is doing it! How do your words and actions reflect God's word? Do you share your time in prayer with God daily? Do you use your talent to help those in need without expecting anything in return? Are you generous with your financial resources? If not, what are you waiting for?

### LEARNING & LOVING THE CATHOLIC FAITH



*RCIA stands for Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults. It is the Catholic Church's way of initiating new members.*

RCIA is much more than a program. It is a learning and loving process in which conversion of the heart brings one to Jesus Christ. RCIA is an opportunity for:

- Those who have not been baptized
- Those who have been baptized in another Christian faith tradition and are now interested in the Catholic Faith
- Those who were baptized in the Catholic Faith but did not receive First Communion and/or Confirmation
- **Those Catholics who wish to learn more about their Catholic Faith**

Those attending gain a deeper appreciation and understanding of the Catholic beliefs



and practices. All are welcome and there is no obligation to make any commitment to become Catholic. Our classes will start at 7:30 pm on **Tuesday, September 10, 2024.**

Sometimes, those of us who have been Catholic our whole lives forget to offer this information to others who may be interested in becoming Catholic. They may be ready, but are not sure how to make an inquiry. However, if they are not ready today, you may have planted a seed that will grow and bloom into a decision some time in the future.

### SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION FALL 2024



Registration is open for children Grade Two and older to prepare for the sacraments of **Reconciliation, First Communion**

and **Confirmation**. Our first session will be held on Sunday, **Sept 22nd at 11:30 am**. It is not too late to register, but please verify that you are registered with the parish first. Please use this QR code or contact the parish office.





**Last chance to register—for golf or just supper! Call Larry at 741-2368**

**Friday, Sept 6th • Elmwood Golf Course**

\$150 includes golf, cart, supper and prizes • Supper alone is \$30  
Registration starts at 11:00 • Tee time 1:00 pm • Supper to follow



**SEPTEMBER 8th AFTER MASS**

After Sunday Mass next week, stay for food, fun and fellowship as we host our annual picnic in St Michael Hall. The parish will provide hot dogs and hamburgers, and parishioners are invited to bring a potluck salad or dessert. *Hope to see you there!*

**PARISH PICNIC**

**CALLING ALL MINISTRIES**

All ministries are invited to create a poster promoting the work they do, and the role they have in our parish community. In this way we can learn about all that is available at Christ the Redeemer to enhance our faith journey.



Posters will be displayed in St Michael Hall beginning September 8th and continuing until mid-October. All participants should bring their posters to the church library by **Thursday, Sept 5th**.

**MIRACLE QUILTERS ARE BACK**



As summer winds down, the Miracle Quilters are ready to get back to work making quilts and quilted items.

Monday, **September 9** will be our first day back. If you are interested in sewing, ironing or just playing with fabrics, come upstairs and check us out. We welcome visitors to see what we are doing!

The summer was hot and so were our quilt sales, even though we were on vacation. As a result of these purchases, we were able to donate \$1,500 to the Building Fund. Thank you for continuing to support our fund-raising efforts.

**NEW DAY for "FAITH & FITNESS" CLASSES**



Free drop-in fitness classes resume at the church on a new day—**Wednesdays at 10 am** starting September 11, led by Val Choo-Foo. They are 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.

**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. Our turn to host is usually once a month, and each of two services on the day lasts about 30 minutes.

We resume on **Fri, Sept 13**, starting at Riverview at 2 pm and Pioneer Manor at 3 pm. Please let Val know if you are interested. Phone or text 306-741-8550.

**MINISTRY LISTS OCTOBER through JANUARY 2025**

If there are any changes to the weekend ministries you are currently volunteering with, or if you would like to add your name, please phone the office by **4:00 pm on Mon, Sept 16**. We are in need of:



**Coordinators • Greeters • Ushers • Lectors • Altar Servers  
Body of Christ Ministers • Music Ministry**

If you are comfortable with some technology, consider volunteering to operate the projector/sound system. And we are still looking for someone with knowledge of PowerPoint to help create the slides.

Thank you in advance—all of these activities help to make our attendance at Mass more meaningful.

**ARE YOU CALLED TO SERVE?**



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**POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION for SEPTEMBER**



*For the cry of the Earth ...*

We pray that each one of us will hear and take to heart the cry of the

Earth and of victims of natural disasters and climactic change, and that all will undertake to personally care for the world in which we live.



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**Associate Pastor** ..... Fr. Daniel Malone  
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**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.