

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

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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.

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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.*

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time—September 22, 2024

God has called us through the good news, to obtain the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Parish Events & Activities

Monday — September 23rd

9:00 am Miracle Quilters gather upstairs

Tuesday — September 24th

7:00 pm MASS † KEN KOKOTT requested by Karl & Sara Bazin

7:30 pm RCIA meeting in the library

7:30 pm CWL Executive meeting

Wednesday — September 25th

9:00 am MASS † MARJORIE HAGEN requested by Gord & Jackie Hagen

10:00 am Faith & Fitness class in Sacred Heart Hall

10:00 am Adult Faith Formation meeting

1:30 pm Social Justice Committee meeting

6:00 pm Public Square Rosary north of City Hall

Thursday — September 26th

7:00 pm MASS † PRINCE FAGTANAN requested by Davincci Fagtanan

Friday — September 27th

9:00 am MASS for LOST SHEEP of CANADA RETURNING to the FAITH requested by Barbara Olsgard

9:30 am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

9:30 am MASS at Riverview † LEONARD STEIN requested by Pat Gossard and family

Saturday — September 28th

1:00-4 pm “End of Life Planning” discussion & info session in Sacred Heart Hall

5:00 pm MASS † LEONARD STEIN requested by Ann & Dave Stewardson

5:00 pm MASS of HEALING for LUCAS WINQUIST at St Anne Parish, Gull Lake, requested by Barbara Olsgard

Sunday — September 29th

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

10:00 am MASS † BALZER & MILDRED STENGLER requested by Bernie Maxwell

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

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

CELEBRATING our ARCHDIOCESAN PATRON



Each diocese in Canada has a patron feast based on the name of their cathedral. In order to promote unity and community with **Holy Rosary Cathedral** in Regina, our deanery parishes will be celebrating the Archdiocesan Patronal Feast Day on **Monday, October 7th**. This is the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary. We will start

with a rosary procession at 8:30 am, followed by Mass at 9:00 am and then coffee and fellowship.

Stewardship Bulletin Bit

“If anyone wishes to be first, he shall be the last of all and the servant of all.”

—Mark 9:35

Jesus teaches us that we are called to love one another. Love involves sacrifice. Sacrifice is a word that many of us don't like to hear. We think it means that we must give up something that we want. However, the literal meaning of sacrifice is “to make holy,” from the words “sacer” = sacred and “facere” = to make. So, when we sacrifice, we make our lives holy by sharing our gifts in the service of God.

LIFE CHAIN — 1st SUNDAY OF OCTOBER



Life Chain is an annual, hour-long, prayerful, peaceful, pro-life public witness on the first Sunday of October (sometimes called “Respect Life Sunday”).

It was started in 1987 by a group in Yuba City, California, called *Please Let Me Live*. Campaign Life Coalition brought the event to Canada in 1990.

Its premise is simple: pro-lifers gather at a pre-determined intersection in their community. An organizer hands out signs bearing messages like “Abortion Hurts Women,” “Adoption: A Loving Option,” and “Jesus Forgives & Heals.” Participants are spaced out along the side of a street, forming a long “chain.” They pray quietly for one hour for an end to abortion, and for God's mercy for all those affected by it. At the end, they return the signs to the organizer.

Last year, 325 Canadian communities participated—pro-lifers from every province (and Yukon!) came out.



Does this sound like something you could do this year? Even if you've never done any sort of activism before, can you hold a sign and pray?

Please mark the event in your calendar — **Sunday, October 6th at 2 pm**. We park at Regier Honda and hold signs between the south service road and Hwy #1.



DISPLAYS IN ST MICHAEL HALL

Please take time to check out the various displays in St Michael Hall highlighting the many ministries that keep our parish a vibrant and faith-filled community. Perhaps you will find an activity that is calling you to serve as well?

Annual Fall Supper
October 6, 2024
 See the sign-up sheets in the foyer



RCIA—ALSO FOR CATHOLICS!

Do you want to gain a deeper understanding of your Catholic faith? Do you need some or all of the Sacraments of Initiation? Are you a baptized Christian from another tradition and desire to become Catholic? All are welcome to join our next Inquiry session on **Tuesday, September 24th** at 7:30 pm. To register, please contact the parish office, or Gisele at 306-741-7317.

POTATO HARVEST

This year the K of C's potato harvest yielded only about 300 lbs. Thanks to Kevin & Terry for organizing the dig earlier this week. Bags of potatoes will be sold after Mass at \$10/bag, with proceeds going to All Saints Catholic School lunch program.



HELP CREATE SLIDES for WEEKEND MASSES



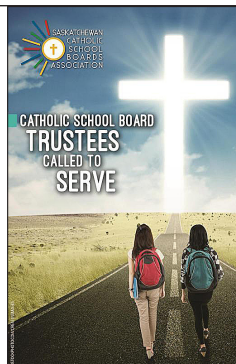
The Liturgy Committee could really use another **slide maker** for the audio visual team. All you need is a bit of time every few weeks and a USB drive! It is all done from the comfort of your own home. Training will be provided along with all previously made slides and templates.

We all benefit from this ministry, so please consider stepping up. Contact **Collette Andree** for more info: collette.andree@gmail.com or phone/text 639-541-1620.

REPRESENT ALL SAINTS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Ted Wallin is stepping down after representing the Swift Current Subdivision of Holy Trinity Catholic School Division for several years. It is really important that we have a voice in advocating for our local Catholic school, so please consider putting your name forth as a candidate for trustee.

The next election will take place November 13, 2024. Nomination **deadline is October 9**. For more info, talk to Ted Wallin or view the requirements at **scsba.ca**.



End-of-Life Planning
Saturday, September 28, 2024
 1:00 - 4:00 pm • Sacred Heart Hall

Guest speakers will include:

- Priest
- Funeral Director
- Lawyer
- Financial Planner

Discuss and learn about:

- Preparing a portfolio of documents prior to death
- Protocol required when death occurs

It is timely for all of us to have our documents and wishes in order to alleviate stress and anxiety for our loved ones at our passing. The Comfort Care Committee is presenting an "End of Life" planning session on Saturday, **September 28th from 1 - 4 pm** in Sacred Heart Hall. Fr Ferdinand, as well as a Funeral Home, Lawyer and Financial Planner will be in attendance. Please register at the office or call / text Colleen Jensen at 306-741-7341.

ANOTHER SUCCESS!

Special thanks to the 60 golfers and many sponsors and volunteers who participated in our Fun Golf Tournament on Friday, Sept 6th. Larry Jensen reports a beautiful day of weather and socializing coupled with a great meal and prizes. Proceeds will go to the parish Building Fund.



NATIONAL DAY!

September 30th is the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation to honour survivors, their families, and communities. The Catholic Church has a significant role and responsibility for Truth and Reconciliation in Canada. We'd like to encourage you to look for events in your community that you can participate in — or find other ways to educate yourself on truth and reconciliation. The office of the Archdiocese of Regina will be closed on Monday, September 30 in honour of this day.



NEW MINISTRY LISTS AVAILABLE

Hard copies of the new ministry schedule (Oct through Jan 2025) are now available at the Information Kiosk. If you need a copy, please pick one up at your convenience. Thank you for your continued dedication and service!



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El Shaddai Cell Chapter	Nim Barcenas & Arnold Tumala	School Board	Ted Wallin
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.