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May 12th, 2024



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OFFICE HOURS - OFFICE CLOSED MONDAYS & HOLIDAYS

Tuesday - Friday
9:00 am – 6:00 pm

WEBSITES

Church: www.stjosephcalasanctius.com
Diocese: www.padiocese.sk.ca

SACRAMENTS/RCIC/RCIA

Contact the parish office for more information

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday: 7:30 pm
Sunday: 9:00 am & 11:00 am

WEEKDAY MASSES Monday – No Mass

Tuesdays – 7:00 pm and Wednesday-Friday 9:00 am
unless otherwise stated in the bulletin

CONFESSION TIMES

Half an hour before weekday Mass and after
Saturdays 7-7:30 pm
Sundays 8:30 – 9 am & 10:30 – 11 am
For other times, please phone Fr. Phinh

MARRIAGES – by arrangement
four months in advance

BAPTISMS - Schedule two months
in advance

Please consider making your weekly church donations using **AUTO-DEBIT**. By doing this, you can eliminate writing cheques or looking for some cash when you make your donation. The donation is automatically transferred from your bank account to the church after your authorization. This can be set up at the Parish Office. For more information, forms are available in the Narthex, or contact the Parish Office at 306-446-1695.

Masses:

Saturday May 11 Mass @ River Heights Lodge 10:00 am
Saturday May 11 7:30 pm
 + Timothy Heidt – The Family
Sunday May 12 9:00 am
 Mass For All People
Sunday May 12 11:00 am
 Intentions of Dennis Bohun
Monday May 13 Private Mass
 + Dennis Francais – Jared & Kimberly Frey
Tuesday May 14 7:00 pm
 + Anne Heiland – Ruth St. Marie
Wed. May 15 EMBM School Mass 9:30 am
 + Roland Arthur Joseph “Rocky” Beauchesne
Wed. May 15 K of C Mass 7:00 pm
Thursday May 16 9:00 am
 Int. Helen Squires & Family
Friday May 17 9:00 am
 + Josephine Heidt – Florence Dewan
Saturday May 18 Mass @ River Heights Lodge 10:00 am
 Mass For All People
Saturday May 18 7:30 pm
 + Holy Souls in Purgatory – R.H.
Sunday May 19 10:00 am
 + Bill & Yvonne Arsenault – The Family
Sunday May 19 Filipino Mass 5:00 pm

THANK YOU to all of you who supported **The St. Joseph Calasactius Community GARAGE SALE**. Your generosity and support is very much appreciated.

THANKS TO ALL GARAGE SALE VOLUNTEERS!!

A sincere Thanks to all of the diligent volunteers who helped to plan the sale, set up and price items and clean up after the sale. The gift of your time and talents is very much appreciated.

ROSARY WEDNESDAYS Please come to St. Joseph Calasactius at 6:00 pm to pray the Rosary for Canada.

PRAYERS REQUESTED FOR THE SICK

Jacinto Balbin Sr., D.K., Adele Wieggers, Rita Whelan, Julia Aglieco, Nomencio Dungca, Brant Broschinski, Lara L. Kozlowski, John K, Kathryn, Dorothy Leibel, Roselene Schroh, Genevieve Wangler, Marilyn Pavka, Barry Walz, Julia Hardy, Phil Holick, M.N., C.K., Stesania Zuk, Bernice Joss, Blaine Joss, Angela Landa, Hilda Loch, Q.A., Noemi Gonzales, D.B., Marion Cramatte, Vanessa, Eileen Oborowsky, Sean Osatchoff

PARISH MEETINGS

FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING TBA
K of C #7336 Mass & Meeting: May 15, 2024 @7:00 pm
PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING May 22, 2024 @7:00 pm
CWL Mass & Meeting: June 4, 2024
SOCIAL JUSTICE MEETING June 6, 2024 @7:00 pm

Vocation Corner – Ascension – B

A Vocation View: Jesus said to his disciples 'Go into the whole world and proclaim the Good News to all creation.' There are still dark aspects to our world and to our neighbourhood that need the Good News. Answer the call to 'Go and teach all people the Good News, and remember I am with you always, until the end of time.' **Prayer:** For all men and women now discerning their vocation in Christ, that they will have confidence in Him, who calls them each as members of His body, we pray to the Lord. **Action :** IN A WORLD dominated by individualism, secularism and relativism, it is good to be reminded that in the final analysis it is not what we

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Confirmation & First Communion

at St. Joseph will be May 25, 2024 @5pm. Please pray for our Confirmation and First Communion candidates as they prepare for the sacraments.

K OF C # 7336 Mother’s Day Brunch

Sunday, May 12th, 2024 9:30 am – 12:30 pm
 Adults: \$13; Children 6-12: \$6;
 5 & Under: Free **Come & Enjoy!**

The Pope’s Prayer intentions for May For the formation of religious and seminarians We pray that religious women and men, and seminarians, grow in their own vocations through their human, pastoral, spiritual and community formation, leading them to be credible witnesses to the Gospel.

5km Charity Walk/Run

Proceeds to Canadian Mental Health Battlefords Branch Inc.
Sponsored by: Our Lady of Fatima RC Church
 100 Main St W, Meota, SK S0M 1X0
 Saturday, May 18 10:30 am to 12:00 pm
 Pre-registration at 9:30 am \$10/ person; \$30/family
 Begins at Meota Catholic Church
 Contact Charles Baillargeon – 306-713-1901, Participants receive entrance into prize draws, hotdogs and juice;

Father Phinh Do will be celebrating the 20th anniversary of Ordination this month. All are invited to attend Mass Tuesday, May 28th at 7pm followed by coffee & cake in the hall

MOTHER'S DAY PRAYER: Loving God, You wrap your arms around your people and show your everlasting love in the same way a mother loves her children. We are grateful for the love you have taught us through the mothers in our lives: our own mother who brought us into this world, the mothers of friends who have welcomed us into their homes and families, our grandmothers who took time for us, and the mothers who have helped us even though we were not their children. Bless all the mothers of this world today. May they know the fullness of love they have shared and be blessed every day of their lives. Amen

2024 PENTECOST RETREAT WITH 24 HOURS OF EUCHARISTIC ADORATION at Our Lady of Sorrow Parish

Church, 103 1st Avenue, Paradise Hill, SK.

Date: Friday May 17, 3.00 pm – Saturday May 18, 3.00 pm

Registration is Free. Just Call or text: 1-306-344-7897.

Email: kpsalzl@littleloon.ca

Or Patty Fenrich: Ph. 1-306-480-5647.

Email: dap3fen@gmail.com

Or Parish Office: Ph.: 1-306-344-2033

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***See Poster in Narthex for details.**

THE CATHOLIC FAITH EXPLAINED

Symbolon Sessions at 1:30pm and 7 pm.

Session 9: MARY AND THE SAINTS, May 30, 2024

Session 10: THE LAST THINGS, June 6, 2024

****Attention St. Joseph CWL Members.** If you have had a change of phone number or email, please text your new information to Carol at 306-446-4461, or email the information to the Parish office at st.josephcalasanctius_nb@padiocese.ca

Friday May 31st Living Rosary

In honour of the Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, you are invited to join us for an evening of prayer and fellowship at St. Vital Catholic Church Battleford with Mass at 6:30pm

Living Rosary to follow outside the church

In this Living Rosary each person will represent one bead and will lead one prayer of the rosary. This is an all ages event, we hope to see you there!

Let's gather to be witnesses to our beautiful Catholic faith and to grow in community!!

Fellowship and refreshments in the hall, please bring a snack to share.

On Sunday May 19th, summer Mass times will begin. There will be only one Sunday Mass at 10:00 am.



Flores De Mayo
May 25, 2024, Saturday
"To Jesus through Mary"

Where: Notre Dame de Lourdes Parish
North Battleford

Mass: 9:30 am

Mass President: Bishop Stephen Hero
Bishop of Prince Albert

Procession/Motorcade: 10:45/11:00 am
Enthronement of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Potluck Lunch: 12 noon @ Notre Dame
School Gym

Program: 1:30 pm @ Notre Dame
School Gym
Flower Offerings to Mary
Tributes to Mary

Closing Remarks: 3:30 pm

"Here I Am, Lord, I come to do
your will." Psalm 40:1-5

Pro Life Mass at Notre Dame Church Fri. May 31 at 7pm
Check out Campaign Life Coalition at campaignlifecoalition.com and Euthanasia Prevention Coalition at www.epcc.ca. These organizations are in urgent need of donations to continue the work they do in fighting abortion and euthanasia.

Musical Extravaganza at St. Vital Parish Saturday, May 25.

A great evening of food, family and friends along with talents and antics of John Chipak & Dave McQuaid. Special guest appearances Erin McQuaid & Abbott and Costello

There will also be a Bake Sale- items sold all evening.

6:00 pm – Supper (burger, fries & beverage) - \$8.00

(hot dog, fries & beverage) – \$5.00

7:00 pm – Strike up the Band!

Free admission! Everyone welcome!

All proceeds to St. Vital Roof Repair Fund.

Garage Sale Fundraiser St. Joseph Parish Hall
1942-98th St. N. Battleford

LAST DAY: Saturday May 11th – 9:00 am – NOON

We Have Children's Toys & Items, Household Items, Adult & Children's Clothing & Shoes, Games (Outdoor & Indoor), Décor, Sports, Plants, Garden Stuff, Books, Furniture, Office Items, etc. **Thank You For Your Support!**

Queen's House Retreat and Renewal Centre visit our webpage for a list of all upcoming programs and to register for all programs: For more information contact Sarah Donnelly: 306-242-1916 x226 Please see the bulletin board for events. http://www.queenshouse.org/?page_id=4399

brought us into this world, the mothers of friends who have welcomed us into their homes and families, our grandmothers who took time for us, and the mothers who have helped us even though we were not their children. Bless all the mothers of this world today. May they know the fullness of love they have shared and be blessed every day of their lives. Amen

What are Mass intentions?

When a priest celebrates Mass each day, he offers each Sacrifice of the Mass for a particular person, or intention. By doing so special graces from God are applied upon that person or intention. The act of offering prayers for the dead at Mass goes back to AD 235. Canon Law also confirms this practice and states, "In accord with the approved practice of the Church, any priest celebrating, or concelebrating is permitted to receive an offering to apply the Mass for a specific intention" (Can. 945 §1).

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For whom can I request a Mass be offered?

Anyone may ask a priest to offer a Mass for several reasons. For example, Masses can be offered *in thanksgiving, for the intentions of another person (such as on a birthday)*, or as is most common, *for the repose of the soul of someone who has died.*

Why do we pay money to request a Mass intention?

Canon Law also states, "The Christian faithful who give an offering to apply the Mass for their intention contribute to the good of the Church and by that offering share its concern to support its ministers and works" (945 §2). This refers to a longstanding practice in the Church of offering a specified amount of money to the Church for a particular intention offered by the priest. This is not the act of selling something sacred for money (simony), but it is for the purpose of supplying items for Mass and for the support of the priest. In Dioceses of Canada, the standard offering for a Mass stipend is \$10.

*"Remember, Lord, your servants...and all gathered here, whose faith and devotion are known to you. **For them, we offer you this sacrifice of praise** or they offer it for themselves and all who are dear to them: for the redemption of their souls, in hope of health and well-being, and paying their homage to you, the eternal God, living and true."*

— *The Roman Canon (Eucharistic Prayer I)*

SERENA Are you interested in Natural Family Planning? If so, please visit the website at www.saskserena.ca

MOTHER'S DAY PRAYER Loving God, You wrap your arms around your people and show your everlasting love in the same way a mother loves her children. We are grateful for the love you have taught us through the mothers in our lives: our own mother who

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NEED STUFF?

Garage Sale Fundraiser
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Thursday May 9th – NOON – 7:00 pm

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When our praises & worship go up the Glory of God comes down.

P – U – S – H.

Pray Until Something Happens

Featuring Include:

1. Fellowship & Praise/worship; 2. Eucharistic Adoration
3. Inspiring Talks; 4. Love Feast; 5. Testimonies; 6. Shared prayer;
7. Spiritual empowerment; 8. Holy Mass; 9. Healing Service.

Free-will donations for the meals will be highly appreciated.

Camp Ground is Available.

Registration is Free. Just Call or text: 1-306-344-7897. Email: kpsatz@littlesoon.ca

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TIME TABLE:

FRIDAY, May 17, 2024:

- 3.00pm - Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament And Divine Mercy Chaplet in song
- 4.00pm - Personal Prayers & Reconciliation.
- 5.00pm - Divine Office & Spiritual Readings
- 5.30pm - Supper Break
- 6.30pm - Scriptural Rosary
- 7.00pm - Holy Mass
- 7.45pm - Praise & Worship
- 8.00pm - 1st Talk: **The Advocate will be with You Forever.**
- 8.40pm - TESTIMONIES
- 9.20pm - INVOCATION OF THE HOLY SPIRIT.
- 10.00pm - Break

MIDNIGHT: ALL NIGHT VIGIL WITH THE LORD

SATURDAY, May 18, 2024:

- 7.00am - Good Morning Holy Spirit.
 - 7.30am - Breakfast
 - 9.00am - Holy Rosary, Personal Prayer & Reconciliation
 - 9.30am - Holy Mass.
 - 10.20am - Praise and Worship
 - 10.40am - 2nd Talk: **Receive the Holy Spirit.**
 - 11.20am - TESTIMONIES
 - 12.00 noon - Lunch break
 - 1.00pm - Worship! Worship!! Worship!!!
- INVOCATION OF THE HOLY SPIRIT.
- 2.20 pm - HEALING SERVICE
 - 2.45pm - BENEDICTION
 - 3.00pm - Departure