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20th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

August 18th 2024

Prayer to the Holy Spirit for St. Joseph Calasanctius Parish

O Holy Spirit, You sanctify the people of God through ministry and the Sacraments.
You also give the faithful special gifts, allotting them to everyone according to Your will.

Grant that individuals, administering grace to each other may be good stewards
of the manifold gifts given by God for the building up the whole Body in charity.

O Divine Spirit, Arise in the hearts of all those who have
been Baptized in the Name of the Most Blessed Trinity

and inspire them with fidelity in living a Stewardship Way of Life.

Let us be counted among those building up the Church in the world,
for our good and the good of all we serve.

O Promised Paraclete, Like those who waited and prayed for Your
glorious outpouring on the day of Pentecost, so we too pray that

You might pour out Your anointing
on St. Joseph Calasanctius Parish.

Rekindle a fire in us, so that we might be renewed
by your power and love. Amen

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Summer Office Hours

Tuesday	9:00 am – 5:00 pm
Wednesday	9:00 am – 5:00 pm
Thursday	9:00 am – 5:00 pm

Masses:

Friday Aug. 16	9:00 am
+ Patricia Etcheverry – Frey Family	
Saturday Aug. 17	RHL Mass 10:00 am
Mass for All People	
Saturday Aug. 17	7:30 pm
Int. Bernie Kropp – Shirley Glowa	
Sunday Aug. 18	10:00 am
Int. Mike Cooke	
Monday Aug. 19	No Mass
+ Anne Heiland – Ben & Darcy Elias	
Tuesday Aug. 20	7:00 pm
Int. Joe & Elaine Sikora – Jim & Maureen McLane	
Wed. Aug. 21	9:00 am
+ Dennis VVan Der Haegen – Frey Family	
Thursday Aug. 22	9:00 am
Int. Chris & Paula Hudec– Jim & Maureen McLane	
Friday Aug. 23	9:00 am
+ Aurea Saluta – Saluta Family	
Saturday Aug. 24	RHL Mass 10:00 am
Mass for All People	
Saturday Aug. 24	7:30 pm
+ Greg Baranieski – Cecilia & Larry Dunn	
Sunday Aug. 25	10:00 am
Int Mike Cooke	

Summer Mass Times

St. Joseph Parish: Sat. 7:30 pm/Sun. 10:00 am
Notre Dame Parish: Sat. 7:00 pm/Sun. 11:00 am
St. André Parish: Sun. 9:30 am
Moosomin – St. Charles: Sun. 1:00 pm
St. Vital Parish: Sat. 5:00 pm Sun. 10:30 am
Delmas – St. Jean Baptiste: Sun. 9:00 am
Cochin – Ste Rose de Lima: Sun. 9:00 am
Glaslyn – Holy Cross: Sun. 11:00 am
Edam – Christ the King: Sun. 9:00 am
Jackfish -St. Leon: Sat. 7:00 pm
Meota – Our Lady of Fatima: Sun. 10:30 am
Vawn - St. Hippolyte: Sun. 12:00 pm

PRAYERS REQUESTED FOR THE SICK

Jacinto Balbin Sr., D.K., Adele Wieggers, Nathan, Rita Whelan, Julia Aglieco, Nomencio Dungca, Brant Broschinski, 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, Venessa, Sean Osatchoff, Dorothy Prince, Caroline Robin Stewart, Brian Bekkattla Joseph Do Huy Cuong (brother of Father Phinh)

Vocations Corner: Twentieth Sunday of the Year – B

A Vocation View: John's Gospel reveals God's promise of the Word made flesh. This is revealed through the sacrifice made by Christ: "I am the living bread, come down from heaven ... the bread I give is my flesh for the life of the world ..." Do this in memory of Him.

Prayer: For all those now discerning their vocations in Christ, that they may be filled with the Holy Spirit and nourished by the living bread of His holy will for them, we pray to the Lord. **Action :** THE GREATEST LOVE STORY of all time is contained in a tiny white host.

Ven. Archbishop Fulton J Sheen.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD 2024 RETREAT

Rachel's Vineyard Ministries of SK
Retreat Date: October 4, 5:00 pm to
October 6, 4:00 pm, 2024

Rachel's Vineyard Ministries of SK weekend retreats offer an opportunity for healing to women and men who have struggled with the emotional and/or spiritual pain of abortion.

Rachel's Vineyard Retreat, written by Teresa Burke, PhD, focuses on God's love and forgiveness in a non-judgemental environment. Spiritual exercises focus on God's forgiveness, compassion and mercy which help participants work through repressed grief and anger. There are certified counsellors and a priest involved in every retreat.

The retreat is a chance to escape from the daily pressures of work and family, to focus on a painful time in life, and to begin healing through a supportive process. Many preconceived fears of condemnation are transformed into blessings, many memories of abandonment, pain and confusion are replaced by peace and reconciliation.

The retreat is open and welcomes all individuals seeking healing.

For more information or to register, please contact Elaine at 1-306-480-8911 or email r.vineyardsk@sasktel.net

The Pope's Prayer intention for August

For the political leaders We pray that political leaders be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and for the common good, especially caring for the poor and those who have lost their jobs

ST. JOSEPH CALASANCTIUS FEAST DAY

And WELCOME CELEBRATION

For Our Parish Priest Father Tai Le

August 25, 2024

Mass at 10:00 am

Followed by potluck luncheon in the hall.

Please bring your favourite main dish, salad, or dessert and come out to welcome Father Tai Le.

We will enjoy a great meal and fellowship.

All are welcome to join us for this special celebration.

Ministry volunteer sign up sheets are posted in the Narthex. Please sign up if you are able to attend.

Choir practice begins prior to the Sunday Masses at 8:45 am – We invite all youth and adult choir members and musicians to please join the choir.

New musicians are also welcome.

Donations Needed

There are many requests from within the community for food, diapers and hygiene products, as the Food Bank is having a hard time to meet the needs. If you are able to donate non-perishable items, please drop them in the collection barrel at church, or bring directly to the Food Bank. If you prefer to give a monetary donation, please either call 306-937-5505, or make an e-transfer to info@BDFRC.ca. Thank you.

FIRST FRIDAY AND SATURDAY MASSES

September 6th First Friday Mass 6:30 pm

September 6th Adoration 7:00 -8:00 pm

September 7th First Saturday Mass 10:00 am

***There will be no River Heights Mass on 1st Saturday**

Friday Adoration

There will be Friday Adoration following the Friday Morning Masses 9:30 am until 3:30 pm with

Divine Mercy Chaplet at 3:00 pm

Sign-up sheets will be available.

Please sign up to spend time in Adoration

Friday, August 23rd

Friday August 30th.

***There will be no Day time Adoration on 1st Fridays.**

PARISH CALENDAR

St. Joseph Calasanctius Feast Day August 25, 2024

Fall Supper October 20, 2024

Installation Mass for Father Tai Le: November 17, 2024

Further details on the Installation Mass to follow.

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).

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)

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

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

Marriage Preparation Options

The Roman Catholic Diocese of Prince Albert has options for Marriage Preparation.

1. Online marriage preparation course offered through Agape Ministries.
2. Marriage Preparation Weekend in the Battlefords
3. Other options may be available for couples preparing for marriage at the parish level. Please inquire with your pastor.

For more information about any of these options, please call Fr. Michael Fahlman at (306) 922-4747 (ext 224) or email chancellor@padiocese.ca or Frances Lloyd (306) 922-4747 (ext 0) or email info@padiocese.ca



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A statue of St. José de Calasanz in Zaragoza. (Image: Ecelan/Wikipedia)

Quote: *Joseph Calasanz, wise interpreter of the signs of the times, considered education, given in a “brief, simple and effective manner,” the guarantee of success in the life of students and the leaven of social and ecclesial renewal. Moreover, he saw school as a new way of evangelizing and for this reason he wished religious and preferably priests to take on the task of teaching, committing themselves to offering the child an all-round culture, in which the religious dimension would be considered and lived in a profound manner. Calasanz consequently outlined the figure of the priest, teacher of little ones and of the poor, while at the same time raising to ministerial dignity an office considered by his contemporaries as lowly and of little prestige. ~Letter from Pope John Paul II to the Superior General of the Piarist Fathers*

	August 17	August 18	August 24	August 25	August 31	September 1	September 7	September 8
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Communion		VOLUNTEERS		VOLUNTEERS		VOLUNTEERS		VOLUNTEERS
Greeters	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS
Ushers	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS
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