

Welcome to the Roman Catholic Parish of St. Joseph Calansanctius

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Secretary: Karen Caldwell **Caretaker:** Jason Kim

Pastoral Council Chair: Adolf Garchinski Finance Council Chair: Gary Nolin CWL Chair: Carol Zurevinski K of C Grand Knight: Leon Ferron

Office Hours: 9 am-5 pm (Tues to Fri)
Confession: 30 min before/after Mass or
Contact Fr. Tai to schedule

Wedding: 4-6 months in advance

Baptism: Schedule 2 months in advance



Weekend Mass Times: Saturday: 7:30 pm

Sunday: 9:00 am & 11:00 am

Weekday Mass Times: Tuesday: 7:00 pm

Wednesday to Friday: 9:00 am

First Friday Devotion, March 7th: Confession at 6:00 pm

Mass at 7:00 pm Adoration to 8:00 pm

First Saturday Mass March 1st: 10:00 am

Adoration to the Blessed Sacrament: the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, or 5th

Fridays of each month from 9:30 am to 3:30 pm (Divine Chaplet of

Mercy at 3 pm)

FEBRUARY 23rd, 2025 BULLETIN 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule

Saturday	Feb. 22	NO MASS	River Heights Lodge is on lockdown				
		7:30 pm	Int. Sloane Zurevinski	by: Brent & Carol Zurevinski			
Sunday	Feb. 23	9:00 am	Int. Hal & Ramona Robinson by: Rose Fittkau				
		11:00 am	Mass For All People				
Monday	Feb. 24	10:00 am	† Brian McLane	by: Jim & Maureen McLane			
Tuesday	Feb. 25	9:30 am	Holy Family Mass				
		7:00 pm	† John Bertsch	by: The Family			
Wednesday Feb. 26 9:30 am		9:30 am	EMBM School Mass	† Gilda Bongcaras by: Lilia & Family			
Thursday	Feb. 27	9:00 am	† Holy Souls in Purgator	У			
Friday	Feb. 28	9:00 am	† Roselene Schroh	by: Tim & Mariane Harroun			
Saturday	March 1	TBD	River Heights Lodge MA	ASS			
		7:30 pm	Mass of Thanksgiving	by: Hilda Ulrich			
Sunday	March 2	9:00 am	Mass For All People				
		11:00 am	† Joe & Paula Sander	by: The Family			

NEW PARISHIONERS

Welcome to St. Joseph Calasanctius!

We are glad you are here. In order for us to serve you better, please fill out a **registration form** in the foyer Or contact the office to register at 306-446-1695.

PARISH ACTIVITIES

PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING
PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL
COFFEE & CHAOS
TRI-PARISH YOUTH GROUP
COFFEE & MUFFIN SUNDAY
CWL MASS & MEETING
SOCIAL JUSTICE MEETING
Feb. 25, 2025 @7:30 pm
Feb. 26, 2025 @ 7pm
Feb. 27, 9:30–11:30am
Feb. 28, 2025 @ 7pm
Mar. 02, Following Mass
Mar. 04, 2025 @ 7pm
Mar. 06, 2025 @7 pm

Operation Christmas Child 2024

The numbers are in for the shoebox campaign. Holy Family School-31, St Joseph's Parish-79, totalling 110 boxes; Our area- 1,122 boxes. Saskatchewan- 19,357. Canada- 463,290. This quote is from Gina from Columbia, "The shoebox is something holy! This is a resource God is sending us to bring the message of salvation to children in need." Your shoebox counts!! Thanks for your generosity.





PRAYERS REQUESTED FOR THE SICK

D.K., Nathan, Rita Whelan, Julia Aglieco, Nomencio Dungca, Brant Broschinski, Kathryn, Dorothy Leibel, Genevieve Wangler, 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., Jim Schmidt, Marion Cramatte, Venessa, Sean Osatchoff, K.C., Victor Gillen, Caroline Robin Stewart, Brian Bekkattla, Elaine Roth, Hal Robinson, Lina Lacoursiere, John Lacoursiere.

Development & Peace Thank you for helping us reap our rights together!



Laudate Deum, Pope Francis reminds us that "everything is connected" and "no one is saved alone" (LD, 19). This is why peasant farmers in the Global South need our solidarity to ensure that their rights are respected.

"The rights enshrined in UNDROP provide a clear pathway for peasants in countries like Nigeria to enjoy access to land, and the gifts of nature, and to live in dignity. They expect Canada to make laws to hold her companies accountable and prevent them from polluting the environments and abusing people and the planet in our country."— Nnimmo Bassey, Executive Director, HOMEF

If you haven't already done so, please sign our campaign letter at devp.org/act to ask Canada to adopt mandatory human rights and environmental due diligence legislation.



"...the Pope's main concern is that the 2025 Jubilee Year be prepared in the best possible way."

THE JUBILEE PRAYER

Father in heaven, may the faith you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel.

May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth.

To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever. Amen



Becoming Who & What We Are Called To Be

Today's liturgy invites us to BECOME the kind of person God calls us to be. This means that we must be people who have fully assimilated the values of the Kingdom and constantly endeavor to be "disciples" who reproduce in ourselves, as close as possible, the traits of the Master. In a world full of superficiality, pretenses, and hypocrisy, – all forms of moral blindness – if we really want to help and guide those who are affected by such blindness, we must rid ourselves of the many specks or logs that impair our moral vision and may even blind us completely. The best way to help our brothers and sisters blinded by sin is for us to become morally sound "trees" that bear abundant fruits of an authentic Christian life. In this Eucharistic celebration let us implore the grace to do just that!

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER 2025

Prayer Service March 7, 2025 9:30 – 11:30 am

St. Joseph Calasanctius Church 1942-98th Street, North Battleford Sponsored by St. Joseph CWL Everyone Welcome!

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Echoing the World Day of Prayer for the Sick, there will be Anointing of the Sick following the 9 and 11 o'clock Masses on Sunday March 2nd, 2025. "The sacrament of Anointing of the Sick confers a special grace of the Holy Spirit on Christians who are suffering from serious illness, and not exclusively on the faithful who are at the point of death" (CCC: 1514).

Operation Christmas Child

How to contribute to Operation Christmas Child.

Obviously, there is packing a shoebox. Buy the items and pack the box yourself. What is loads of fun is buying a bunch of different items and getting together with family and friends for a packing party. There are other ways than packing a shoebox. Go to packabox.ca. There is the option of packing a shoebox online. If you don't like shopping or are unable to, this is a great way to help. And there is the option of a cash donation. Money is always needed for the costs associated with the program. Shipping, printing material, training teachers, teaching the program, etc.

The receiving of a shoebox is the beginning of a child's journey toward Christ.

EUCHARISTIC MINISTER TRAINING

There will be training at 11:00 am for those wishing to be commissioned as Eucharistic Ministers of the Bread and Cup on Saturday March 8, 2025. Please see the signup sheet in the Narthex.

24 Hours of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Date & Time: Friday, March 14, 3:00pm to Saturday March 15, 3:00 pm, 2025 Venue: Our Lady of Sorrows Parish, Paradise Hill Healing and Anointing of the Sick on Sat. at 2:00 pm. You are free to spend the night, resting with the Lord in the church. Free-will donation for meals will be appreciated. Registration is free. Contact: 1-306-344-7897 email: kpsalzl@littleloon.ca or 306-480-5647 email: dap3fen@gmail.com or

Parish office: 1-306-344-2033. Father Frederick Akah, MSP, is available for the Sacrament of Reconciliation and Confession

GLOBAL GATHERING OF BELIEVERS

When: Feb. 28 from 6:30 to 9 pm Mar. 1 from 9 am to 4 pm (Come and Go) Where: Territorial Drive Alliance Church Why: To worship, repent & pray together To build unity among believers - both locally & globally To be inspired by the work that God is doing across the world To be equipped to live out the Great Commission. Every believer is welcome!

CWL & DEANERY 5 LENTEN RETREAT

On Saturday March 22nd, 2025 there will be a Retreat with Leah Perreault here at St. Joseph Calasanctius. Further information, times, and details will follow.

AMSP/MSP LENTEN RETREAT

St. Joseph Calasanctius Parish Saturday, April 12, 2025 10:00 am to 3:30 pm Please register by Thursday, April 10. Fr. Paase, MSP 1-306-441-9985 Germaine Vany, Chair AMSP Canada 1-306-398-7601 or Theresa Duchscher 306-490-7774

The Battlefords Marriage Prep Team is very pleased to offer a Marriage Prep Week-end happening on April 4th & 5th at St. Vital Church, Battleford. If you would like a full itinerary, have any questions or would like to register, please email Fr. Greg @ gregelder@padiocese.ca

Knights of Columbus #7336 Sunday Brunch

At St. Joseph Parish Hall – 1942-98th Street N. Battleford Sunday, March 9, 2025 9:30 am – 12:30 pm All You can eat – Ages 13 & Up \$13.00 Children 12 & Under \$5.00; Preschoolers Eat Free

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS # 7336 FISH FEAST March 23, 2025

Menu: Appetizer - Smoked Salmon Main Course – Pike Fillets, Shrimp, French Fries & Gravy Variety of Salads

Cocktails: 4:30 pm; Supper: 5:30 pm Cost: \$35/ticket

*Advanced Tickets Only (non-refundable)
Tickets available from Marc Bonneau.
Phone 306-446-0556

Financial Information of the Parish

February 3rd to 9th, 2025

Budgeted weekly expenses: \$5000.00 **Collections:** Envelopes: \$ 900.00; Loose: \$ 547.95;

Auto-Debit: \$ 2180.00 **Total Donations:** \$3697.95

Thank you so much for your generous donations!



Cindy Isenor

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	Feb. 22	Feb. 23	Feb. 23	Mar. 1	Mar. 2	Mar. 2	Mar. 8	Mar. 9	Mar. 9
	7:30 PM	9:00 AM	11:00 AM	7:30 PM	9:00 AM	11:00 AM	7:30 PM	9:00 AM	11:00 AM
Commen-	Carol	Jim	Michel	Shirley	Theresa	Youth	Shirley	CWL	Karen
tator	Zurevinski	McLane	Piché	Glowa	Joss-Bilous	Mass	Glowa	Mass	Weiler
Lectors	Carol	Elizabeth Spriggs	Tim Harroun	Shirley	Sharon Huard	Youth	Shirley	CWL	Adeline Weiler
	Zurevinski	Avya Spriggs	Michel Piché	Glowa	Martin Halyk	Mass	Glowa	Mass	Marie Weiler
Communion Body Blood		Janet Laird Lilia Balbin Michael Hudec	Brandy Pyle		Jim McLane	Pat Smith		CWL	Nathan Pyle Brandy Pyle Pat Smith
Greeters	Pat Smith Denise Schmidt	Jim McLane Lyle Laird	Denise Huxley Florence Dewan	Lorne & Shirley Glowa	Lyle & Janet Laird	Youth Mass	Lorne Glowa Pat Smith	Mass	Denise Huxley Florence Dewan
Ushers	VOLUNTEERS	Orville & Theresa	VOLUNTEERS	Lorne & Shirley Glowa	Jerry & Theresa	VOLUNTEERS	Lorne & Shirley Glowa	CWL	Gary Weiler Nathan Pyle
		Bilous			Duchscher			Mass	
Gift	VOLUNTEERS	Orville & Theresa	Gary & Karen	VOLUNTEERS	Sharon Huard	Youth	VOLUNTEERS	CWL	Silver
Bearers		Bilous	Weiler		Mary Rice	Mass		Mass	Family
Altar Servers	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS

[&]quot;A person's attitude toward their profession clearly helps determine the results achieved by it. Whoever regards their work as a mere source of income or as a pastime will perform differently from the person who feels that their profession is an authentic vocation."