

# Welcome to the Roman Catholic Parish of St. Joseph Calansanctius

Diocese of Prince Albert, Saskatchewan, Canada

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Pastor: Fr. Tai Le 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

Sunday : 9:00 am & 11:00 am

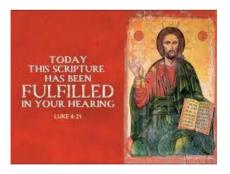


No Weekday Masses from January 26<sup>th</sup> – February 20<sup>th</sup>, 2025.

**Adoration to the Blessed Sacrament:** the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, or 5<sup>th</sup> Fridays of each month from 9:30 am to 3:30 pm (Divine Chaplet of Mercy at 3 pm) **\*There will be no First Friday & Saturday Masses in February.** 

# JANUARY 26th, 2025 BULLETIN Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Weekend Mass Times: Saturday: 7:30 pm



Then Jesus, filled with the power of the Spirit, returned to Galilee, and a report about him spread through all the surrounding country. He began to teach in their synagogues and was praised by everyone. When he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, he went to the synagogue on the sabbath day, as was his custom. He stood up to read, and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written: 'The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favour.' And he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. Then he began to say to them, 'Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing.'

# **Mass Schedule**

Saturday	Jan. 25	10:30 am	St. Paul Feast Day Mass with Bishop Stephen Hero				
		7:30 pm	Int. Pauline Bingham				
Sunday	Jan. 26	9:00 am	Mass For All People				
		11:00 am	† Dexter Rico & † Lourdes Agra	by: The Family			
Monday	Jan. 27	No Mass					
Tuesday	Jan. 28	No Mass					
Wednesday	Jan. 29	No Mass					
Thursday	Jan. 30	No Mass					
Friday	Jan. 31	No Mass					
Saturday	Feb. 1	7:30 pm	Int. Hal Robinson	by: Mervyn & Adrienne Welter			
Sunday	Feb. 2	9:00 am	Intentions of Family	by: Hilda Ulrich			
		11:00 am	Youth Mass for The Intentions of All People				

If you would like to offer a Mass for your loved ones, please call the office at (306) 446-1695

# **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 fover Or contact the office to register at 306-446-1695.

# **Bishop's Annual Appeal:** "Bring Your Gifts to the Altar"

October 27, 2024 – December 31, 2024 Every gift is greatly appreciated!

Our parish has been asked to raise \$30, 374.00 for the year's Appeal. 74 pledges have been submitted by St. Joseph Calasanctius parish as of January 7th, 2025 for a total of **\$29, 015.00.** This is 95.5% of our parish goal. We are \$1359.00 short of our goal. There is still an opportunity to donate. Because of the Canada Post mail strike, the Bishop's Annual Appeal will continue until January 31, 2025. If writing a cheque, date the cheque December 31, 2024. Please consider the 2024 Bishop's Annual Appeal a choice for your donations for 2024.

#### PARISH ACTIVITIES

SACRAMENT ENROLMENT MASS January 26, 2025 @ 11am **COFFEE & CHAOS** January 30 9:30-11:30am **COFFEE & MUFFIN SUNDAY** Feb. 2<sup>nd</sup> Following Mass February 6, 2025 @7 pm SOCIAL JUSTICE MEETING PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING Feb. 25, 2025 @7 pm PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL Feb. 26, 2025 @ 7pm

## **HEARTFELT THANK YOU**

We would like to extend our appreciation for all who helped with the Conference room this past week. Thanks to Coffee & Chaos for donating the paint. Thanks to Elwood Fuchs, Tom Hagel, Floyd Desmarais & Marc Bonneau for moving furniture. Thank you to our painters: Irene Craig, Elwood Fuchs, Denise Huxley, Chandra Kosolofski, Denise Schmidt and Carol Zurevinski. The Conference Room looks great with a fresh coat of paint. The gift of your time and talents is very much appreciated.

#### PLEASE PICK UP YOUR ENVELOPES

Envelopes will no longer be mailed out.

Special collection envelopes and new boxes of labelled 2025 envelopes are on the table in the foyer. For those using the new boxes of envelopes, they are numbered now. Put your full name and address on the first envelope in the box to register it and after that, your donations will be recorded using the number on your envelope – no need to re-write it each time. Auto-debit/deposit can be an option for your donations to the parish if you prefer. Please contact the parish office at 306-446-1695 if you would like a box of envelopes or to set up auto-donations or for further information.

#### PRAYERS REQUESTED FOR THE SICK

D.K., Nathan, Rita Whelan, Julia Aglieco, Nomencio Dungca, Brant Broschinski, Kathryn, Dorothy Leibel, Roselene Schroh, 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.,

Caroline Robin Stewart, Brian Bekkattla, Elaine Roth, Hal Robinson, Lina Lacoursiere, John Lacoursiere.

#### **Developing Rights of Peasants in the Global South**

We often take for granted the variety and abundance of food in Canadian stores. Most of us are unaware that 70-80% of our food is gathered or farmed by peasants in the global south. Peasants and rural communities are being threatened. Think of land grabbing, resource theft and the contamination of soil, air and water by private Canadian corporations. How can you cultivate your land when mining or oil companies set up nearby polluting the environment and trampling on your rights?

Peace and Development have been mobilizing with peasants so that they can live with dignity and have their rights respected. The rights to land, water, health, clean environment, food sovereignty and education.

To guarantee respect for the rights of peasant and rural communities in the Global South, we call on Canada to adopt strong mandatory human rights and environmental due diligence legislation so that no Canadian companies can commit such violations. Such a law would require Canadian companies to prevent, report and remedy human rights and environmental abuses across global supply chains, and five victims access to such justice in Canadian courts.

#### **CWL VALENTINE'S LUNCHEON**

St. Joseph Calasanctius Parish Hall – 1942 98th Street

North Battleford Thursday February 13, 2024 11:30 am - 1:00 pm Silver Collection

#### 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



"...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

#### Knights of Columbus #7336 Sunday Brunch

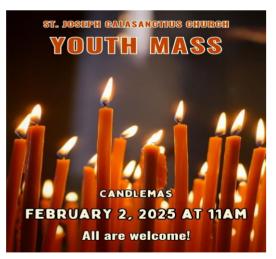
At St. Joseph Parish Hall – 1942-98<sup>th</sup> Street N. Battleford Sunday, February 9, 2025 9:30 am – 12:30 pm All You can eat – Ages 13 & Up \$13.00 Children 12 & Under \$5.00; Preschoolers Eat Free Menu: Buttermilk Pancakes, Ham, Scrambled Eggs, Regular Toast, Waffles, Breakfast Sausage, French Toast, Hashbrowns, Fruit Cocktail. Drinks & Condiments: Coffee, Tea, Hot Chocolate, Juice, Whipped Cream, Berry Topping, Regular Warmed Syrup, Diabetic Syrup, Peanut Butter & Jam, Detchup/Mustard **Everyone Welcome-Please Join Us.** 

#### **FOOD DRIVE**

During February school break children in food insecure homes are particularly at risk as they don't have their schools to watch over them and assist when needed. The St. Joseph Parish Social Justice Committee is holding a collection for Battlefords District Food & Resource Centre from January 18th - February 2nd focusing on items for the 'Children's Backpack' program. The backpacks will be assembled prior to the break so school children in 'food insecure' homes will have food to carry them through until the regular Friday backpack program resumes. Suggested non-perishable items they can eat and prepare themselves: 100% fruit juice drink boxes, granola bars, instant oatmeal, noodle bowls, canned pastas, cereal, crackers, etc. are some Of course, any and all donations are greatly ideas. appreciated.

#### **SHARING GRIEF'S JOURNEY**

Based on demand from the community we will have 2 groups. Each group is 8 weeks, starting Mon. Jan. 27, 2025. Monday afternoons from 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm Monday evenings from 7:00 – 8:30 pm All participants must preregister, please contact: Sue: 306-441-5441 or Denise: 306-441-3338



# **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 sign up sheet in the Narthex.

# FR. TAI'S TIME AWAY

Father Tai will be away from January 26<sup>th</sup> to February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2025. In case of emergencies during this time, we will be contacting Father Millan.

## SACRAMENT ENROLMENT MASS

# Sunday January 26<sup>th</sup>, 2025 at 11:00am

The children will be making their Enrolment Promise during this special Mass. The Sacrament students will be receiving First Communion and Confirmation in June.

# SACRAMENTS PROGRAM DATES 2024/25

If the date at your parish does not work for you, you may attend the activity at the other parish to make sure everyone can attend all these activities. Please put the dates in your calendar right away.

Parent Meeting #2 (with child & internet device) Notre Dame – Tues. March 4<sup>th</sup> 6:30-7:30pm St. Joseph's – Thurs. March 13<sup>th</sup> 6:30-7:30pm First Reconciliation Notre Dame – Tues. March 25<sup>th</sup> 6:30-7:30pm St. Joseph's – Wed. March 26<sup>th</sup> 6:30-7:30pm

#### Sacrament Masses

St. Joseph Rehearsal – Tues. June 3<sup>rd</sup> 7 pm St. Joseph Calasanctius – Wed. June 4<sup>th</sup> 7:00 pm



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS # 7336 FISH FEAST March 23, 2025 Menu: Appetizer - Smoked Salmon Main Course – Pike Fillets Shrimp French Fries & Gravy Choice of 5 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

#### LUMEN CHRISTI AWARD

The Light of Christ Catholic Schools Board of Education will present annual awards to worthy recipients who have demonstrated outstanding leadership in the field of Catholic Education in our local community(s). Awards could be given in each of two categories: a) Faculty/Staff b) Alumni/Friend This award will be presented annually at the Staff Celebration Night to honor those who have made significant contributions to Catholic Education in Light of Christ Catholic Schools and to the greater Catholic community. Nomination forms are available at the parish office, or at the Light of Christ School Division Office.

#### Financial Information of the Parish January 13<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> , 2025

Budgeted weekly expenses: \$5000.00 Collections: Envelopes: \$ 1220.00; Loose: \$ 245.00; Filipino Mass: \$ 272.00; Auto-Debit: \$ 1960.00; Total Donations: \$ 3697.00 Thank you so much for your generous donations!



	Jan. 25	Jan. 26	Jan. 26	Feb. 1	Feb. 2	Feb. 2	Feb. 8	Feb. 9	Feb. 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-	Denise	Maureen	Michel	Carol	Orville	Youth	Shirley	CWL	Karen
tator	Schmidt	McLane	Piché	Zurevinski	Bilous		Glowa		Weiler
Lectors	Denise	David Wiegers	Enrollment	Adrienne Welter	Maureen McLane	Youth	Shirley	CWL	Wendy Hunchak
	Schmidt	Janet Laird	Mass	,	Kimberly Frey		Glowa		Brandy Pyle
Communion Body		Ramona Robinson	Nathan Pyle		Theresa Bilous	Pat Smith		CWL	Nathan Pyle
Blood		Jim McLane Pat Smith	Brandy Pyle Pat Smith						
Greeters	Lorne Glowa	Florence Dewan	Enrollment	Lorne & Shirley	Orville & Theresa	Youth	Lorne Glowa	CWL	Pyle Family
	Pat Smith	Denise Huxley	Mass	Glowa	Bilous		Pat Smith		
Ushers	Lorne & Shirley	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	Lorne & Shirley	Jerry & Theresa	VOLUNTEERS	Lorne & Shirley	CWL	VOLUNTEERS
	Glowa			Glowa	Duchscher		Glowa		
Gift	VOLUNTEERS	Sharon Huard	Enrollment	VOLUNTEERS	Janet & Lyle	Youth	VOLUNTEERS	CWL	Volk Family
Bearers		Mary Rice	Mass		Laird				
Altar Servers	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS

"Devote your first and principal care to cleansing your own conscience. Let cleansing the consciences of others come later. For how can one be of use to others who takes no care of their own self? — St. Francis Xavier