### **Holy Child Roman Catholic Parish**

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2636-7th Avenue East, Regina, Sk., S4N 6A3

Office: 306-789-8276

Parish Office: Open Tuesday to Friday from 9 am to Noon

Email: <a href="mailto:holychild@sasktel.net">holychild@sasktel.net</a>
Website: <a href="mailto:www.holychild2019.ca">www.holychild2019.ca</a>

Fax: 306-789-2171



## February 23, 2025 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Weekday Masses: Tuesday to Thursday at 8:30 am

Friday at 9:15 am

Weekend Masses: Saturday 7:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am & 11:00 am

#### **Children's Bulletin**

For other resources, please go to the Archdiocese of Regina website: www.archregina.sk.ca



#### February 23, 2025 – 7th Gunday in Ordinary Time

Masks are optional for everyone. Masks are optional for communion ministers. Some good practices to protect yourself, and others, against Covid-19 and other viruses:

- Practice proper cough and sneezing etiquette (into a tissue or the bend of your elbow).
- Practice frequent handwashing.
- Please stay home if you are sick.

### The Annual General Meeting will be held on <u>Sunday, March 2, 2025</u> at 12:15 pm in the hall (or Balzer Room)

We encourage all members of the Parish to consider coming forward to join the Council. All are welcome to attend, Holy Child needs YOU!

#### Mass Intentions for the week of February 25-28:

Tuesday, February 25 - +Andebrhan Asghedom Wednesday, February 26 - +Edith Bardutz Thursday, February 27 – Intentions for Jerome and Annette Burghardt Friday, February 28 – Intentions for Sr. Marie Baker



#### Ash Wednesday is March 5. Please bring your palms from last year to be burnt for the ashes.

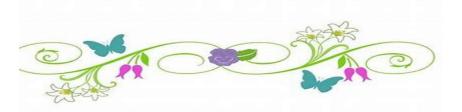
**Jubilee Lenten Pilgrimage to Eucharistic Glory** – Celebrate Jubilee 2025 during the coming Lenten season a spiritual journey! The book "33 Days to Eucharistic Glory" offers short daily personal reflections and there will be an opportunity to share with others on Wednesday evenings. Please contact the parish office if you are interested in finding out more about this special Lenten experience.

The Lenten booklets have arrived!! "Not by Bread Alone", daily reflection booklets for the Lenten season, are available in the office and in the foyer at weekend Masses for \$5.

All are welcome to join us on Friday, March 14th at 7 pm at Holy Child Parish for an evening prayer service, Light in the Darkness, to support victims of clergy sexual abuse. May the graces of the Jubilee year enable us to enter into a synodal relationship that demonstrates a commitment to restoring justice, trust and healing for those who bear the deep wounds of clergy sexual abuse. Coffee and conversation in the hall afterwards. Poster in foyer.

#### **Spring Supper Spectaculaire**

Sunday, March 23 at 5:00 pm at Holy Child Parish
Guest Speaker: Archbishop Don Bolen
Catered by Charlotte's Catering: Roast beef, cabbage rolls, perogies
Tickets: Adults \$40. And Children under 12 \$10.
Tickets will be on sale after Mass starting Saturday, March 1 and Sunday, March 2
Sponsored by Holy Child Social Justice Committee
Poster in foyer



#### Positions to be elected at AGM for 2025: (Sunday, March 2 at 12:15 pm)

- **Chairperson**. The duties and responsibilities of the chairperson include but are not limited to the following: • consultant to the parish priest when needed • prepare agenda for Pastoral Council meetings with parish priest • chair Pastoral Council meetings • one representative on Finance Council • chair for AGM • chair committee re: amendments to the constitution when needed • (chair) recommends parishioners for Lay Ministry Formation • initiate the AGM Organizing Committee • initiate the planning of Pastoral Council retreat • welcome the Archbishop at Confirmation.

The chairperson shall be elected for a three-year term of office. They may be elected for two consecutive terms. Prior to another re-election they must be absent from that position for one year. The chairperson and vice-chairperson shall have Holy Child Pastoral Council experience.

- **Members at Large**. The duties and responsibilities of Members at Large include, but are not limited to, the following: • be a voice for issues and concerns from parishioners • report activities they are aware of to Pastoral Council • be in touch with the pulse of the Parish as a whole and take on unassigned duties as required.

Maximum of four Members at Large shall be elected at the Annual General Meeting for a three year term with eligibility of re-election. One position shall be a Youth Member at Large.

**Eligibility:** Only registered parishioners fully initiated in the Catholic Church and 16 years of age or older shall be eligible to serve on the Pastoral Council as set out in the by-laws.

The Holy Child Memorial Fund was established to remember our deceased loved ones through art and environment mediums, such as the stained-glass windows. When donations are received, they are entrusted to this fund until such times when other symbols of faith are purchased to enhance the beauty of the Church. Deceased loved one's name are written in the Memorial Book located at the back wall of the church and remembered by the Parish Community in the month of the anniversary of their death. If you would like to contribute to this fund, Memorial Fund envelopes are available at the entrance of the church, or you may call the Parish Office with the information.

**The Holy Child Social Justice Committee** has an account at Sarcan, if you would like to donate your recyclables. Go to any Sarcan's Drop & Go location and enter Holy Child on the screen when asked for the group. They will then receive an etransfer from Sarcan for any donations given to them. Thank you for your support!

#### Please remember to put your name and \$ amount donating, for accuracy purposes.

Parishioners are encouraged to use donation envelopes or Pre-Authorized Debit. Your donations are recorded, and an income tax receipt is issued. If you would like a box for 2024, please use the sign-up sheet in the foyer or call the office. If you are new to the Parish and have not registered or any changes in your address, phone number, please use the "New Parishioners/Change of Address" form on the back page of the bulletin or call the office.

#### **Kindergarten and Pre-Kindergarten Registrations**

- **St. Catherine School**, located at 150 Brotherton Avenue is currently accepting **NEW** student registrations for the 2024/2025 school year. This includes registrations for our Pre-Kindergarten, Kindergarten and Elementary Intensive Support Classroom (EISC). Please visit our website <a href="https://www.stcatherine.rcsd.ca">www.stcatherine.rcsd.ca</a> to submit your registration. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at (306)791-7325.
- **St. Theresa School** is now accepting Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten registrations for the fall. Pre-Kindergarten must be 3 years old before they start, and Kindergarten students must be 5 years old as of December 31, 2024. To register please go to our website <a href="https://sttheresa.rcsd.ca/register">https://sttheresa.rcsd.ca/register</a> and select the correct registration form for Pre-Kindergarten or Kindergarten.

**French Immersion Registration at Ecole St. Elizabeth**, located at 5149 E Green Brooks Way, is accepting registrations for kindergarten to Grade 8 for the 2024-2025 school year. Call 306-791-7300 to register. For details, please visit at <a href="https://www.rcsd.ca/school/StElizabeth">www.rcsd.ca/school/StElizabeth</a>. Children must be five (5) years of age by December 31, 2024, and must reside in our attendance area.



### MEMORIAL BOOK This month we will remember











# We welcome everyone to an evening prayer service. Friday, March 14<sup>th</sup>, at Holy Child Parish.

#### LIGHT IN THE DARKNESS



SUPPORTING VICTIMS OF CLERGY SEXUAL ABUSE

May the graces from the Jubilee year enable us to foster a synodal relationship with those who bear the deep wounds of clergy sexual abuse. By acknowledging the harm, addressing the trauma, and walking alongside the wounded, we demonstrate a commitment to restoring justice and trust for all.

Holy Child Parish 2636 – 7<sup>th</sup> Ave E.

Friday, March 14<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm

Coffee and conversation will follow in the hall.



# SPRING SUPPER SPECTACULAIRE

Roast Beef, Cabbage Rolls & Perogie Supper By Charlotte's Catering

Adults: \$40

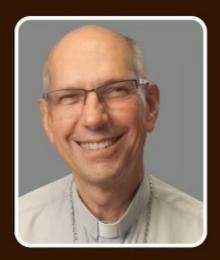
Children 12 & under: \$10

To Purchase Tickets:

Call: Faye @ 306-527-9363 or

Carol @ 306-536-1663

E-transfer: hcsocialjustice@ sasktel.net



An evening of stories, humour, music and reflection by **Archbishop Don Bolen** 

Holy Child Parish, 2636-7th Ave E, Regina

SUNDAY, MARCH 23

5:00 PM

Sponsored by Holy Child Social Justice Committee

Thank you for your support!



### Archdiocese of Regina February 23, 2025

# Bulletin

7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### **MyGen Youth Rally**

Young people in grades 9 -12 (mature grade 8's also welcome) from around the Archdiocese are invited to come together for a celebration of community and faith at this year's "My Gen" Youth Rally. This one-day event is free of charge and happens on Saturday March 29th at Archbishop M.C. O'Neill High School in Regina. It starts at 9:00 am and ends at 11:00 pm. It will be a day of music, talks, games, prayer, service projects, sacraments and community. Further info and registration link can be found at: mygenrally.ca Spots ARE limited!



#### **Archdiocese of Regina RENEW Lent**

RENEW your Lent with weekly reflections, music, prayer resources, and other Lenten activities to enhance your Lenten journey, from Ash Wednesday to Holy Week. Sign up at archregina.sk.ca/news or email communications@archregina.sk.ca.

#### Stewardship Bulletin Bit

"But rather, love your enemies and do good to them, and lend without expecting anything back..." - Luke 6:35

Easier said than done, right? But, if we are to imitate Christ, most of us need to practice mercy and compassion more frequently. Start with the little daily annoyances that we experience, the unkind word or hateful glance we receive. Instead of plotting revenge on that person, try saying a quick prayer for that person. Praying for our enemies doesn't change them; it changes us. Mercy and compassion will keep us on the path to holiness.

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Life in Abundance as Proclaimed by a Universal Christ - A 7-Episode video series with Father John Weckend

Father John shares some of his reflections on a cosmic and more universal approach to 'The Christ'. It brings a broader approach to

the dogma of the Incarnation and how it affects our life and spirituality.

Episode 6 is now available. The remaining episodes will be released weekly on Friday at 7 am.

If you enjoy the videos, please Like or Subscribe. Feedback is welcome in the Comments or email FatherJohnWeckend@gmail.com

Use one of these ways to watch:

- Father John Weckend YouTube Channel.
- On YouTube, search @FatherJohnWeckend.

### TF #439: Brett Salkeld and Thomas Harmon on Ordo Amoris – Part One

In this multi-part series, Dr. Brett Salkeld sits down with Thomas P. Harmon, Scanlan Foundation Chair and Professor of Theology, to explore how Thomas Aquinas' Ordo Amoris—the order of love—can help us understand the moral dimensions of immigration policy. As the new U.S. administration introduces sweeping changes in outreach and border policies, this conversation examines how properly ordered love informs our responsibilities toward the stranger, the vulnerable, and the political community as a whole.thinkingfaith.libsyn.com/brett-salkeld-and-thomas-harmon-on-ordo-amoris-part-1



#### **Chrism Mass**

Friday, April 11 3:00 PM Holy Rosary Cathedral





"No one can do what only you can do. Let us help each other, then, to believe that we are loved and precious, that we are made for great things."

- Pope Francis

Protect peace
Imagine Be Not Afraid
Praise

Change 2

## MARCH

from 9:00am - Midnight

Archbishop M.C. O'Neill Catholic High School (134 Argyle St N, Regina, SK)

Grades 9-12 \*\*\*

Free but donations are appreciated For info and to register; WWW.MYGENRALLY.CA

MyGen Rally is a shared mission of:



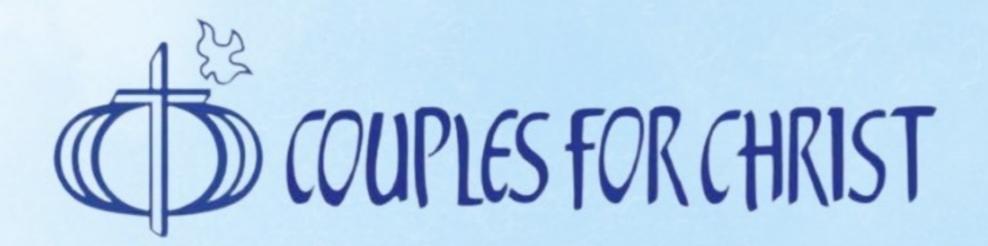


Archdiocese of Regina





"If today you hear His voice, **harden not your hearts**" -Psalm 95:8



INVITES YOU TO



5 SATURDAYS | 1:00 - 4:00 PM STARTING MARCH 8, 2025 CHRIST THE KING PARISH 3239 GARNET ST, REGINA SK

### **OPEN TO**

COUPLES MARRIED IN CHURCH COUPLES IN CIVIL MARRIAGE OR COMMON LAW SINGLE ADULTS (40 YEARS & ABOVE)

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL:

MYKEL DAVID | 306 3512482 LEMUEL LIMOSNERO | 306 5915367 CRIS MASAOAY | 306 5372883 SCAN TO REGISTER



\*SNACKS ARE PROVIDED\*

YOU ARE **CHOSEN** AND YOU ARE **LOVED** 





#### Sacrament of Baptism:

Please call the parish office (306-789-8276).

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**;

Celebrated 45 minutes before each Mass (ending 15 minutes before Mass). Also, by appointment: contact the pastor (306-789-8276).

#### **Sacrament of Anointing:**

Contact the pastor (306-789-8276).

#### **Sacrament of Marriage:**

Please call the pastor (306-789-8276) at least 8 months prior to the intended marriage date.

#### **Spiritual Care at the Hospitals:**

If you or a family member are at the General Hospital, Pasqua Hospital, or Wascana Rehabilitation Centre and would like a visit from a Catholic Chaplain, or to arrange for the anointing of the sick, please call the chaplain directly:

- General Hospital (306-519-1405)
- Pasqua Hospital (306-519-1380)
- Wascana Rehabilitation (306-530-6511)

#### Holy Child Parish Council Meetings 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday at 7:00 p.m.

Charlene Rogalski Chairperson
Gerald Hoffart Vice-Chairperson
Agnes Parisloff Social Justice
Faye Helmerson Social Justice

Gerald Hoffart, GK Knights of Columbus

Paul Ponak Finance
Wayne Matt Hall/Catering
Dave Helmerson Building & Grounds

Maureen Wild Secretary

Sharon Bender Deanery Representative
Laurie Kirkness Member at Large
Vacant Member at Large

#### **Parish Team**

Pastor Fr. Brian Meredith
Permanent Deacon Rev. Mr. Dennis Ziegler

Pastoral Assistant Marian Grady
Business Manager Gail Kraft
Administrative Assistant Rita Wingert

#### **Catholic Schools**

St. Catherine, 150 Brotherton Ave., 306-791-7323 St. Elizabeth, 5149 E. Green Brooks Way, 306-791-7300 St. Theresa, 2707-7<sup>th</sup> Ave. E., 306-791-7390 Miller High School, 1027 College Ave., 306-791-7230

<b>NEW PARISHIONERS / CHANGE OF ADDRESS</b> Please complete this form and place it in the collection basket or send it to the parish office		
Name(s):		
Address:	_ Postal Code _	Phone
Children's name(s) (living at home), and year of birth		Email Address (optional)
New Change of Address		Wish to have church envelopes  (Direct deposit available upon request)
For questions about donations, please click <u>here</u> or email <u>holychild@sasktel.net</u>		