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: holychild@sasktel.net
Website: www.holychild2019.ca

Fax: 306-789-2171



February 16, 2025 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading: Jeremiah 17:5-8 Psalm 1 Second Reading: Corinthians 15:12, 16-20 Gospel: Luke 6:17, 20-26



Weekday Masses: Tuesday to Friday at 8:30 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 16, 2025 – 6th 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 18-21:

Tuesday, February 18 - +Clem Henry Wednesday, February 19 - +Misgna Zere & Amanel Habte Thursday, February 20 - +Antonia Vlahovich Friday, February 21 - +Pappachan



Ash Wednesday is March 5. Please bring your palms from last year to be burnt for the ashes. World Day of the Sick is February 11, the memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes, highlighting the healing ministry of Jesus. Please keep the sick, the suffering and all who care for them in your prayers.

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.

Positions to be elected at AGM for 2025:

- **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.



MEMORIAL BOOK This month we will remember

Annie Kary	Feb. 1, 2009
Olga Nasewich	Feb. 1, 2018
Roy Selinger	<i>Feb. 3, 1997</i>
William Prokopetz	Feb. 3, 2011
Bernard Parisloff	Feb. 4, 2000
Amelia Steinhubl	Feb. 4, 2012
Valerie Kobialko	Feb. 4, 2020
Stephen Klock	Feb. 5, 1988
Helen Lenius	Feb. 6, 2002
Joe Wihlidal	Feb. 6, 2016
Maureen Gass	Feb. 8, 2015
Jacob Schaaf	Feb. 10, 1991
Mary Weisgerber	Feb. 10, 2002
Antonia Vlahovich	Feb. 11, 1994
Casey (KJ) Renkas	Feb. 11, 2011
Ann Greenwald	Feb. 12, 1984
Stella Savoie	Feb. 12, 1993
Christopher L. Kuzmicz	Feb. 12, 2003
Helen Fahlman	Feb. 12, 2008
Roy Klock	Feb. 12, 2023
Jennie Bertrand	Feb. 13, 1991
Stanley Niedzwiedz	Feb. 14, 1983
August Nagel	Feb. 15, 2007
Anthony Wihlidal	Feb. 15, 2011
Katherine Sebastian	Feb. 16, 1991
Doreen Klock	Feb. 16, 2001
Clara Fahlman	Feb. 16, 2017
Michael Donauer	Feb. 17, 1979
Mary Walchuk	Feb. 17, 1991
Patricia Sharber	Feb. 17, 1996
Gladys Fuchs	Feb. 17, 2017
Anne Hanowkși	Feb. 18, 2003
Mathias Volk	Feb. 18, 2010
Katherine Brodner	Feb. 19, 2004
Ron Mastel	Ŧeb. 19, 2004 Feb. 19, 2021
Michael Kary	Feb. 20, 2005
Stephanie Straub	Feb. 20, 2013
Marlene Kessel	Feb. 21, 2016
Henri Balzer	Feb. 22, 1986
Ralph Melle	Feb. 22, 2006
John Wittman Jr.	Ŧeb. 22, 2000 Feb. 23, 1977
Ruwan Ranasinghe	Feb. 23, 1989
Louis Senger	Feb. 24, 1964
Sophie Schatz	Feb. 24, 1993
Rosalie L'Heureaux	Feb. 24, 1993
Mary Gafencu	Feb. 26, 2002
Thomas Reis	Feb. 26, 2004
Les Anderson	Feb. 27, 2004
Tillie Schneider	Feb. 27, 2010
John Francais	Feb. 28, 1999

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2024

Misgna Zere











Archdiocese of Regina February 16, 2025

6th Sunday in rdinary Time

The Myriam Family of the Prairies invites you

For a day retreat for adults on February 22, 2025

From 9:30 - 4:00

With the theme:

The adventure of my spiritual journey;

The purgative phase

The retreat will include a talk, Mass, Holy hour, prayer ministry, lunch and fellowship, in the beauty of nature and the silence of the countryside at our house of prayer in McLean, Sk, 45 km East of Regina.

A Youth Retreat!

What? A 24 hours youth retreat

When? March 7th, 5:00 pm to March 8th, 3:00 pm.

Where? At the Myriam Family house of prayer in McLean SK Age? From age 13 to 17

How much? Suggested donation; 25\$/person

To register, call Sr. Stephanie: 306-761-0528 or by email:

pss.prairies@famillemyriam.org



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 5 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.



Stewardship Bulletin Bit

"Blessed are you when people hate you...exclude and insult you, and denounce your name...on account of the Son of Man." - Luke 6:22 All of us have been in situations when someone has made a negative comment or joke about God or our Catholic faith. How did you respond? Did you stay silent or pretend to go along with the crowd because you didn't want to cause waves and then, later, you felt bad? Know that God is with you all the time; the Holy Spirit will put the right words in your mouth. Pray for the strength and courage to proclaim our faith to others, especially during uncomfortable situations.

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TF #438: Living In The Psalms - Part 4

Join Deacon Eric Gurash Join Deacon Eric Gurash for part three of Living in the Psalms. In this final episode of our four-part series on Living in the Psalms with Deacon Eric Gurash, we examine the place of the Psalms in our Church and our spiritual

lives and discuss various tools for making their rich poetry and timeless wisdom our own and truly living in the Psalms. thinkingfaith.libsyn.com/living-in-the-psalms-part-4-0



Chrism Mass

Friday, April 11 3:00 PM



Santa Maria Senior Citizens Home 4215 Regina Avenue Regina, SK S4S 0J5 639-625-7100 FAX 639-625-7115

Call for Directors and Volunteers

Dear friends,

Do you enjoy...

- Supporting Quality of Life experiences for Seniors?
- Engaging with people who share your enthusiasm for helping others?
- Working on fundraising campaigns?

Please consider joining our Santa Maria Foundation Board of Directors.

If you feel like a Board is not something you can do, you can also support our Foundation as a volunteer:

- Help sell tickets
- Help us when we host events (e.g., Pie Days)
- Help us organize parties

For more information, or to register your interest, please contact:

Leona Burhart, Chair

lburkhart@archregina.sk.ca

Kelly Chessie (Executive Director) kelly.chessie@saskhealthauthority.ca or call 639-625-7094

Please join us in sharing hope for a generous year for our Home and its community of residents, families, and staff. Through your generosity, together we can enhance the quality of the lives of Santa Maria's residents.

Santa Maria Foundation is a registered charity. CRA Charitable Number: 838998243 RR0001 Tax deductible receipts are issued for all donations.

Santa María Foundation: Because We Care.



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1) The purgative phase



Including Mass, Holy hour, talks, sharing, and lunch, in the beauty of nature and the silence of the countryside at our house of prayer in McLean, Sk, 45 km East of Regina.

To register, and to get location directions, Please contact Sr. Stephanie at **306-761-0528** or by email pss.prairies@famillemyriam.org

Donation based, to help our mission continue!





Made to Be - a Catholic women's group presents:

Rest

Adoration, Confession, Prayer Ministry, and Fellowship

4th Sundays from 7:30-9:00 pm

January 26 - St. Martin de Porres parish February 23 - Holy Family parish March 23 - St.Martin de Porres parish April 27 - Holy Family parish



join us on WhatsApp



FRIENDSHIP WITH JESUS RETREAT

FEB 24 - MAR 24 7pm Mondays REGISTER by FEB 20

free, limited spots
Christ the King, Regina
registration required
www.christtheking.ca

Deepen your Relationship with God & Strengthen your Prayer Life

Experience the "Inner Peace in Friendship with Jesus", as we prepare ourselves for the Lenten season.

It is an unique opportunity to experience the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius.



Transformation through Reconciliation

MAR 1 - MAR 22 Saturdays, 10am - 12pm

Parish Centre, Christ The King 3239 Garnet Street, Regina (after 9am Mass)

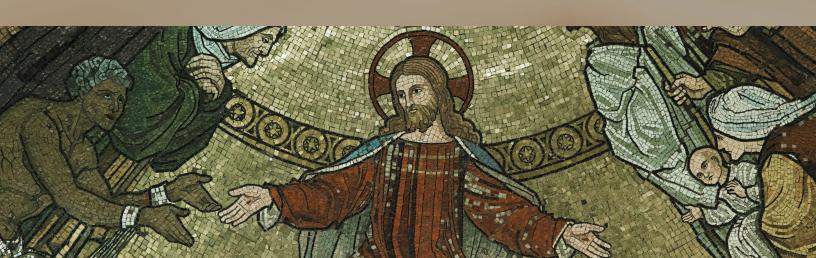


free registration www.christtheking.ca

In Part 3 of our adult catechism "Deep Dive" Series we will be exploring the mystery of the Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation.

Participants are invited to explore the profound healing and grace offered through the Sacrament of Reconciliation. We will embark in thoughtful discussions and reflective exercises to deepen our understanding of forgiveness and the importance of reconciling with God and one another.

Join us as we discover the path to healing, mercy, and a renewed relationship with God and our community.





is hosting their

Annual Fundraising Gala April 25, 2025

St Martin de Porres Parish 4720 Castle Road, Regina

Adults: \$35

Children 7-17: \$15

Under 6: FREE

Cocktails: 5 pm

Supper: 6 pm

(Roast-beef Dinner by Charlotte's Catering)

Speaker: 7 pm

Banquet Guest Speaker:

Jonathon Van Maren serves as the Communications Director for the Canadian Centre for Bio-Ethical Reform. His writings have been translated into more than six languages and published in the *National Post, National Review, First Things,* The Federalist, The American Conservative, The Stream, the *Jewish Independent,* the *Hamilton Spectator, Reformed Perspective Magazine*, LifeSiteNews, and LifeNews, among others.



Change Minds. Save Lives. Transform Culture.

To purchase tickets, email rpla@sasktel.net with your FULL NAME, EMAIL ADDRESS, HOW MANY TICKETS YOU ARE PURCHASING, AND PHONE NUMBER. Then, please e-transfer the payment to rpla@sasktel.net. Call 306-569-1985 for other payment options.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.

40-HOURS FOR LIFE



Hosted by

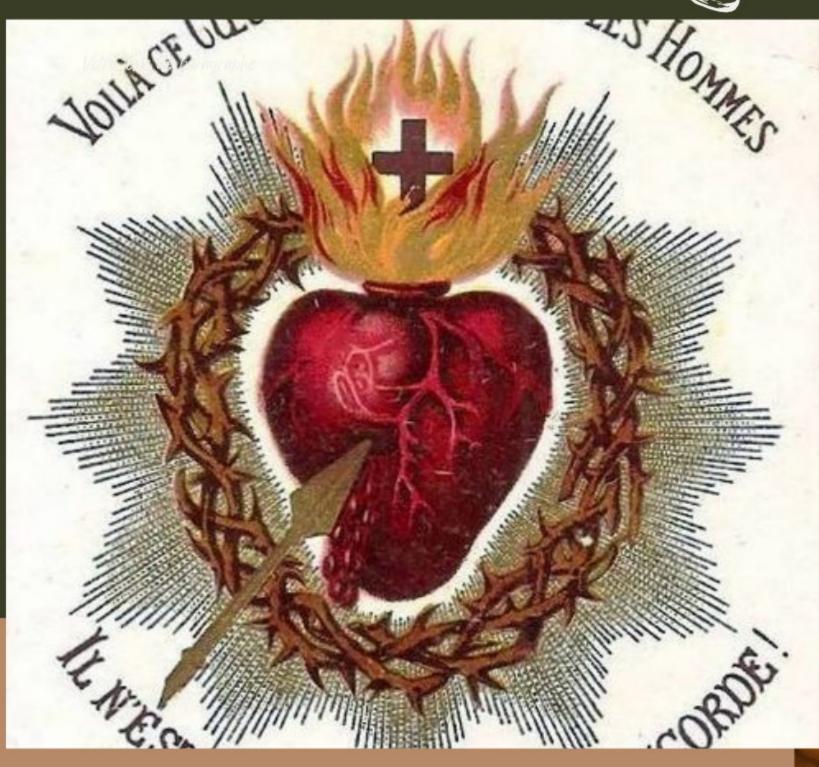


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This lent, come — even for just one day and pray to end abortion ... because nothing is more important than protecting the most vulnerable in society!

March > 3



Who? For youth 13-17 years old
When? Starting Friday March 7th at 5h00 pm
Ending Saturday March 8th at 3h00 pm
Where? At the Myriam Family of the Prairies, McLean,
45 km east of Regina

<u>Cost:</u> Suggested donation 25\$
<u>To register</u>, please contact Sr. Stephanie
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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 3rd 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, 2707-7th Ave. E., 306-791-7390 Miller High School, 1027 College Ave., 306-791-7230

NEW PARISHIONERS / CHANGE OF ADDRESS 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>		