Holy Trinity Roman Catholic Parish

November 5, 2023 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.

Welcome to Holy Trinity!

As Catholic Christians we seek to proclaim, celebrate, and live our faith joyfully and to express our love for Christ and each other.



If you are a visitor or are new to Regina or to our parish, we welcome you and hope you have a positive experience in your worship with us. Check our website for a helpful introduction to Holy Trinity and its various ministries and services. Please feel free to contact us with questions or comments. We look forward to meeting you!

To register in the parish, update your information, or request donation envelopes, pick up a form in the Gathering area (bulletin board) or print a copy from our website, call the parish office or drop in during office hours, www.holytrinityregina.ca.

Reconciliation: By prior arrangement and when possible

45 min. before weekend Masses 30 min. before weekday Masses

Weddings & Funerals: Contact Fr. Gaspar

Coming Up at Holy Trinity (Weekday Rosary 25 minutes before Mass)

Fri. Nov. 3	7 pm: Vietnamese All Souls Mass
Sat. Nov. 4	5 pm Mass: + Gail Tayyem
Sun. Nov. 5	9 am Mass: + Ernie Krammer
Sun. Nov. 5	11 am Mass: Pro Populo
Mon. Nov. 6	1:30 pm CWL Executive, meeting room
Tues. Nov. 7	9 am Turkey Pie Making bee, hall kitchen
Tues. Nov. 7	1 pm Forever in Motion, hall
Tues. Nov. 7	7 pm Mass: Ints Mike Krywko
Wed. Nov. 8	8:30 am Mass:+ Lorna Gillespie
Wed. Nov. 8	9 am Bible Study (#4), meeting room
Wed. Nov. 8	6:30 pm Bible Study (#4), meeting room
Thurs. Nov. 9	8:30 am Mass: Ints Catherin Janeeta
Thurs. Nov. 9	9 am Turkey Pie Making bee, hall kitchen
Fri. Nov. 10	8:30 am Mass : + Joanna Hoynacka Coffee Social after Mass, meeting room (see p. 2)
Sat. Nov. 11	5 pm Mass: Pro Populo
Sun. Nov. 12	9 am Mass: Ints Ruth Morrison
Sun. Nov. 12	10 am to 1 pm Pancake Breakfast, hall (see p. 2)
Sun. Nov. 12	11 am Mass: + Richard Sarnowski & Leon Duber

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(bulletin available online)

At Holy Trinity: We pray for the following:

Ruth Morrison, Patricia Roddy, Gisele Croteau, Jacqueline Meeley, Troy Kocur

We pray for the Repose of the Souls of our beloved ones, including Brandon Armstrong, Edward Joseph 'Ted' Sullivan, Lloyd Fiddler, Renee Ferguson, Gwen Gusway, Marj Puchyr, Tex Emery Herperger, Janet Cameron, Dennis Klassen, Rita Ruiz, baby Aya Adeeva, Joan Milligan, James Worton, Manuel Deocareza

Sunday Donations October Regular collection: \$12,742.

Average Holy Trinity expenses: \$21,661 monthly.



Use this link or on our website home

Sacramental Preparation

Baptism Preparation

For parents of infants & young children and expectant parents. Contact the office to register for next session.



Registration form on website.

Sacramental Preparation for First Reconciliation, First Eucharist & Confirmation is underway. We welcome these young people and pray for them on their journey to these sacraments.



Holy Trinity Knights of Columbus General meetings: now 2nd Tuesday of the month. Next meeting Nov. 14 after 7 pm Mass.

Holy Trinity Catholic Women's League General meetings: 2nd Monday of the month. Next meeting Nov. 13 after 6:30 pm Mass. Executive: Next meeting Nov. 6.

Holy Trinity Parish, Regina

Pastoral Staff

Pastor: Rev. Gaspar Lucas 306-924-1993

Deacon Rev. Mr. Eric Gurash
Sacramental Prep: Leslie Young

Support Staff Office Coordinator

Heather Deis: 306-543-3838 **Custodian**: Dominic Dias

Office Hours Mon. to Fri.—9 am to 3 pm Closed statutory holidays (Mon. Nov. 13 for

Nov. 11)

Mass Times:

Sunday Mass Times 9 am & 11 am Saturday 5 pm

Monday— no Mass Tuesday—7 pm Mass

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday Masses 8:30 am

First Friday Eucharistic Adoration after 8:30 am Mass, next is Dec. 1

Catholic Women's League at Holy Trinity



General Meeting-Mon. Nov. 13. Mass at 6:30 pm

CWL memberships due, \$40. Give to an executive member, use blue envelope or place in brown envelope on the CWL bulletin board.

Forever in Motion—a health initiative to promote physical activity with adults.

At Holy Trinity,

Tuesdays, 1:30 to 2:30 pm Starts Tuesday, November 7

Forever in Motion will be held in the hall, with elevator access from the north door where there is accessible parking.

The program is led by a trained volunteer (Holy Trinity parishioner). Everyone welcome. Brochure on bulletin board

At Holy Trinity, a number of parishioners are sensitive to strong odours. For the comfort and safety of others, please do not wear fragrance to church.

Turkey Pot Pies: Last chance this weekend to sign up for pre-sale for parishioners, max. 15 per family; sign the list in the Gathering Area. Limited quantities; first come, first served. Initial pick-ups start Nov. 10 after morning Mass.

2023-24 Sunday Missals will be at Holy Trinity next week with copies available for sale to parishioners (self-serve). Lectors & musicians receive a labelled copy for their ministry.

Next Pancake Breakfast at Holy Trinity: Sun. Nov. 12, 10 am to 1 pm



Pancakes, eggs, sausage, ham, syrup, strawberries, whipped topping, coffee, juice. Served 10 am to 1 pm. Freewill offering. Hosted by Knights of Columbus.

Archbishop's Annual Appeal

Mass & Bulletin Announcement This week marks the midway point of the 2023 Archbishop's Appeal. As disciples of Jesus Christ, we are called to live generously, sharing from the blessings God has graciously given us. We ask that you prayerfully consider donating to this year's Archbishop's Appeal. If you have any questions regarding the Appeal, don't hesitate to contact the Development office at annualappeal@archregina.sk.ca or call (306)352-1684.

Watch this week's video: Archbishop Don's Halfway message

Holy Trinity's goal is \$34,533 To date, we have raised \$13,430.



Coffee Social after morning Mass on Friday, November 10. Plan to attend Mass at 8:30 am and stay for refreshments and socializing. If you wish, bring something sweet or savoury to share.

Parishioners of Holy Trinity Parish: We are looking for new members to join the Parish Pastoral Council and Parish Finance Committee.

Please consider coming forward to sit on either of these groups. We could use new members on the Finance Committee now, and for new members for the Parish Pastoral Council, we could use your name before the next Annual General Meeting (AGM), which will be held March, 2024.

Our next Parish Pastoral Council Meeting is Tues., Nov. 21, starting with Mass at 7 pm. Meetings open to all Parishioners. If you have any questions or want to see what goes on at a meeting, please join us.

Alex Wlodarczyk, Parish Pastoral Council Chairperson Michelle Gibney, Parish Finance Committee Chairperson

Holy Trinity Parish on Facebook—A great opportunity to be connected and up-to-date on our events and activities.



You can find us by searching for "Holy Trinity Parish, Regina" on Facebook, or with this link; https://www.facebook.com/holytrinityregina 'Like' and 'Follow' us to stay informed and engaged!

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY - Holy Trinity Parish is looking for a Building and Grounds Coordinator to oversee the operation and maintenance of Holy Trinity Parish building and grounds. For details of the activities and responsibilities, please contact the parish office.

Help the Cuernavaca Project in Mexico for village sustainability projects.

Donate your Sarcan containers to help those in need in Mexico. Use Drop & Go with key word "**project**". Cuernavaca project under the auspices of the Archdiocese of Regina.

Cuernavaca Baking Trays fundraiser. If you are able to assist by donating homemade baking for these Christmas trays, please contact Debbie Bulych (306) 545-7654.

If you are diabetic and experience an extreme drop in your blood sugar while in the church and are in need of something to elevate it, please note there are some items in a labelled blue container on the microwave in the kitchenette (main level just past the bathrooms). There are also two drinks (orange juice & iced tea) in the fridge, labelled 'For Diabetic Use Only'.

Archdiocese of Regina Bulletin (Nov. 5) Link Engaged Encounter, De Margeri Series 2024



Archdiocese of Regina Masses On-Line https://archregina.sk.ca/live

Links at www.youtube.com/ArchdioceseRegina
Past Masses available online.

THINKING FAITH Podcast hosted by Deacon Eric Gurash and Dr. Brett Salkeld of the Archdiocese of Regina.

TF373: Bonaventure, The Arts, and Catholic Education - Part 2 In this part two of two episodes, Dr. Brett Salkeld and returning guest, Brett Fawcett sit down to discuss the implications Bonavanture's examination of the arts and theology might have on Catholic education. Show Snippet: "The third day is the exterior light. And that's the light of mechanical art. The production of artifacts. So the liberal arts are the arts of a free man, as they call them. These are the servile arts which Bonaventure does not seem to look down on. I mean, he puts them lower than maybe internal philosophy or internal light, but he still sees them as reducing to theology."

Listen to the podcast.

Link to previous podcasts

Camp Monahan Christmas Dinner and Dance Fundraiser, November 25 at Resurrection Parish. Music by Sed Contra and brisket dinner by Schmitty's Catering. Tickets are \$40 and can be purchased online at www.campmonahan.ca or by contacting our office at (306)522-1047 or campmonahan@sasktel.net

Conquest Catholic Boy's Club is up and running again this year! To join or try it out, come to our next meeting! Meetings are at St. Anne's Parish (1701 Cowan Crescent) Grades K-6 6:25 pm on Wednesdays Grades 7-12 6:25 pm on Fridays Questions? Call Mark Joubert at 306-527-1068

Purdy's Chocolates—Conquest's "In the Spirit of St. Nicholas" project to promote the example of charity that the saints provide us, embodied through the patron saint of our project, St. Nicholas. Obeying Jesus' words to "sell what you own and give the money to the poor", Nicholas used his whole inheritance to assist the needy, the sick, and the suffering.

As in previous years, the Conquest boys will be selling Purdys chocolates. Proceeds to the <u>Canadian Centre for Bio-Ethical Reform</u> (CCBR), Canada's educational human rights organization dedicated to making abortion unthinkable in Canada.

Order Online - Go to Fundraising.purdys.com At top right of page, click either on "Sign In" using your account from last year or "Register" a new account. If creating a new account, enter the Conquest customer number 14903.

Orders must be placed before Nov. 26 to be delivered before Christmas. Add your delivery address and phone number in the "additional information" section so we can arrange to drop off your order. Chocolates will be dropped off on or before Dec. 12.

Check the Bulletin Board for other community events:

Nov. 30—Scott Woods at Heritage United Church

Dec. 2—Briercrest College Christmas Musical (Caronport)

Christmas Craft & Bake Sale November 17 & 18 from 10 am to 4 pm, St. Peter's Parish Hall, 100 Argyle St. Regina, Anyone wanting to rent a table to display their crafts and sell, contact AnneMarie 306-525-5507.

SCAM ALERT—Be aware that some emails are being sent from scammers claiming to be some of our priests and office staff. Names are being pulled from parish and diocesan websites to create fake email (often Gmail) accounts.

You may notice the email address may have some correct info, though in an unfamiliar form with additional characters, numbers, or periods. Most will ask you to contact them or send information.

Do not reply to any suspicious emails. If you are in doubt, contact the person the email is claiming to be from using an alternate contact method (do not reply to the suspicious email).

Also note: At no time will our priests, deacons, religious or diocesan staff contact you seeking Google Play cards, iTunes cards or any other form of personal financial assistance.

Made for Greatness—A Catholic Men's Event—Friday, Nov. 10 at St. Basil's Ukrainian Catholic Parish, starting with 6 pm meal. This month's testimony is from Ken Fahlman, an Aspirant for the Diaconate in the Archdiocese of Regina.

itwewin Corner (*itwewin* is the Cree word which means 'the word' or 'as it is said...')

Archdiocese of Regina Truth and Reconciliation Healing Committee.

Did you know... Chacachas First Nation is a Cree band located near Whitewood, Sask. In 1881, Indian Agent McDonald and colonial surveyors decided to place Kakisheway and Chacachas on the same reserve without their consent. In a federal court ruling (https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/saskatchewan/ochapowace-illegal-amalgamation-1.5451822) in 2020, Judge Phelan found that the Chacachas and Ochapowace bands were illegally amalgamated under the Indian Act in 1884 and that the Crown (Canada) did not honouably fulfill and uphold its promises in Treaty 4. Chief Chacachas (http://www.chacachas.ca/about/) signed Treaty 4 on September 15, 1874. Chacachas First Nation is currently led by five (5) Headpersons (http://www.chacachas.ca/membership-and-governance-process-letter/) who are working with membership to establish processes for

Development and Peace — Caritas Canada Urgent Help Needed - Update Government of Canada Matching Donations until November 12 - Development and Peace is raising funds for the Palestinian people besieged in the southern Gaza Strip, who are in urgent need of help. Facing a near-total blockade and ongoing bombardment, our partner Caritas Jerusalem urgently needs help to provide food, water, shelter, hygiene kits, healthcare and psychosocial support to the wounded, the displaced and the bereaved. So, as you join Pope Francis in praying that "weapons be silenced" and that "the cry for peace" is heeded, we invite you to give generously to help our sisters and brothers in Gaza. As a member of the Canadian Foodgrains Bank, Development and Peace — Caritas Canada is also participating in the Humanitarian Coalition's Gaza Humanitarian Emergency appeal. This means that donations for this cause will be matched dollar for dollar by the Government of Canada up to a maximum of \$10 million until November 12.

To donate visit https://devp.org/en/please-help-families-in-need-in-gaza/

Tourtières Meat Pies available in either white flour crust or whole wheat flour crust. Large \$20; small \$9 each. Order from Saint-Jean-Baptiste Parish at 2517 – 25th Avenue, 306-586-5006, text: 306-539-5086. Cash, cheque, or e-transfer at baptiste@accesscomm.ca (please, specify your order and phone number).

TREASURE TROVE TABLE TOP SALE Saturday, November 25 -

10 am to 4 pm - Holy Rosary Cathedral Hall (entrance off the east parking lot). For more information and to rent a table, please call/text/message manager Bernadette at (306) 537-4158.. 100 % of TABLE RENTAL PROCEEDS toward the Downtown Lunch sponsored by Holy Rosary Cathedral on Saturday, December 2.

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General Hospital Chaplain Jerry Fitzgerald 306-519-1405

Wascana Rehab Centre Chaplain Joan Rink 306-530-6511



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