



June 30, 2024

CATHEDRAL OF THE HOLY FAMILY

13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

In the Gospel today (cf. Mk 5:21-43) Jesus encounters our two most dramatic situations, death and disease. He frees two people from them: a little girl, who dies just as her father has gone to ask Jesus' help; and a woman, who has had blood loss for many years. Jesus lets himself be touched by our suffering and our death, and he works two signs of healing to tell us that neither suffering nor death have the last word. He tells us that death is not the end. He defeats this enemy, from which alone we cannot free ourselves.



The story of this nameless woman — let us call her this way, “the nameless woman” — in whom we can all see ourselves, is exemplary. The text says that she had tried many treatments, “had spent all that she had, and was no better but rather grew worse” (v. 26). We too, how often do we throw ourselves into mistaken remedies to satisfy our lack of love? We think that success and money make us happy, but love cannot be bought; it is free. We hide in the virtual, but love is tangible. We do not accept ourselves as we are and we hide behind external facades, but love is not an appearance. We look for solutions from wizards and from holy men, to then find ourselves without money and without peace, like that woman. Finally, she chooses Jesus and throws herself into the crowd to touch Jesus' garment. In other words, that woman seeks direct contact, physical contact with Jesus. Especially at this time, we understand how important contact and relationships are. The same goes for Jesus: at times we are content to observe some precepts and to repeat prayers — many times, like parrots — but the Lord waits for us to encounter him, for us to open our hearts to him, that, like the woman, we touch his garment in order to heal. Because, by becoming intimate with Jesus, we are healed in our affections.

Jesus wants this. In fact, we read that, even while pressed by the crowd, he looks around to find who touched him. The disciples were saying: “But you see the crowd pressing around you...”. No: “Who touched me?”. This is Jesus' gaze: there are many people, but he goes in search of a face and a heart full of faith. Jesus does not look at the whole, like we do, but he looks at the individual. He does not stop at the wounds and mistakes of the past, but goes beyond sins and prejudices. We all have a history, and each of us, in our secret, knows well the ugly matters of our own history. But Jesus looks at them in order to heal them. We, instead, like to look at the ugly matters of others. How often when we speak, do we fall into chattering, which is speaking ill of others, “flaying” others. But look: what horizon of life is this? Not like Jesus, who always looks at how to save us; he looks at today; good will, and not the ugly history that we have. Jesus goes beyond sins. Jesus goes beyond prejudices. Jesus does not stop at appearances, but reaches the heart. And he heals precisely the one who had been rejected by everyone, an impure woman. He tenderly calls her “daughter” (v. 34) — Jesus' style was closeness, compassion and tenderness: “Daughter...” — and he praises her faith, restoring her self-confidence.

Sister, brother, you are here, let Jesus look at and heal your heart. Let Jesus look at my heart and heal it. And if you have already felt his tender gaze upon you, imitate him, and do as he does. Look around: you will see that many people who live beside you feel wounded and alone; they need to feel loved: take the step. Jesus asks you for a gaze that does not stop at the outward appearance, but that goes to the heart: a gaze that is not judgmental, — let us stop judging others — Jesus asks us for a gaze that is non-judgmental, but rather welcoming. Let us open our hearts to welcome others. Because love alone heals life. Pope Francis

PARISH NEWS



Here I am Lord, Send me (Isaiah 6:8) Get your registration in for the 104th Annual CWL National Convention this year in **Saskatoon, August 11-14!** Registrations must be in by July 15! We host the convention once in 10 years! Great opportunity to become part of the national CWL To volunteer contact Melanie Fauchoux 206 -220-9520 or melfauchoux@gmail.com. We are responsible for the 6:30 Sunday mass and the Friday evening mass for bishops, etc. Contact Wendy cwlwendy@sasktel.net to help! Thank you to the ladies who are making centerpieces for the tables. Avis reported that both social justice resolutions passed. They will be taken to the government now. We pray for all students and teachers who are finishing this school year. **We pray it was productive, creative, and fruitful and you all have a wonderful, relaxing holiday.** We pray for all people who are dealing with illness and trauma in your life. We pray you find solace in the arms of Jesus. May the sunshine and warmth of summer renew us all!



Brother Knights and parishioners, come and get your charity appeal tickets (\$10,000 grand prize in November) and cash calendars (\$25,000 total prizes though 2025) to support KofC charities, and find out about their great works in our province.

Knights of Columbus® Denis Mahoney Council 8215

Scholarship Award 2024

Students! If you are a graduating grade 12 student and either a Knight or a child of one of our council members, and entering into a post-secondary program in the fall, apply with Denis Mahoney Council 8215 to be eligible for a **Knights of Columbus scholarship!**

For More Information
Contact:
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SEE OUR WEBSITE
knightsofcolumbus8215.com
 Please apply by **August 31, 2024**

79th Rama Pilgrimage

AUGUST 14 & 15, 2024
RAMA, SK

Do whatever He tells you (John 2:5)

OUR LADY OF LOURDES SHRINE

Wednesday, August 14th

VIGIL OF MARY'S ASSUMPTION

Thursday, August 15th

FEAST OF MARY'S ASSUMPTION

3:00 pm: Chaplet of Divine Mercy / Stations of the Cross

4:30 pm: Supper - Book by Aug. 2
Call: (306) 593-6120

6:00 pm: Hymns of Praise to Mary

6 - 7:45 pm: Confessions

8:00 pm: Celebration of the Holy Eucharist
 *Living Rosary, Candlelight Procession
 *Exposition & Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament

8:30 am: Morning Devotional Prayers to Mary in Polish (Church)

9:00 am: Mass in Polish (Church)

10:00 am: Divine Liturgy in the Byzantine Rite

11:00 am: Final Mass

- Anointing of the Sick and Aged
- Blessing for Plenary Indulgence
- Blessing of Religious Articles

Lunch after Mass - Book by Aug. 2
Call: (306) 593-6120

CHARTER BUS (Aug. 14 only) | **Saskatoon:** Call Mila (306) 664-3695 | **Humboldt:** Call Nestor (306) 682-2048 | **Cost:** \$36.00/seat (Non-refundable) | **Like Rama Grotto on Facebook** | **Website:** www.ramashrine.ca

CLASS OF 2024

Congrats!

FROM ALL OF US AT HOLY FAMILY!

CATHEDRAL OF THE HOLY FAMILY

ENCOUNTER

your God

JOIN US FOR
MUSICAL
ADORATION EVERY
THURSDAY!
7-8:30PM



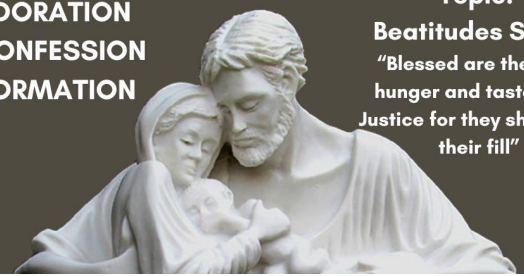

CATHEDRAL OF THE HOLY FAMILY
PRESENTS

BELOVED

FIRST FRIDAY
July 5th, 2024 7:00-9:00PM

**ADORATION
CONFESSION
FORMATION**

Topic:
Beatitudes Series
"Blessed are they that
hunger and taste after
Justice for they shall have
their fill"

HAPPY CANADA DAY

*May God Bless our Country
and all her people, that it may
always be a land of peace,
justice and compassion.*



CELEBRATION OF BAPTISMS



1st & 3rd Saturdays
@
10:00am

To register, please see
holyfamilycathedral.ca/our-ministries



chalice.ca

**Chalice would like
to thank your parish
for supporting our
mission by hosting
a Sponsorship
Weekend!**




Chalice extends their heartfelt gratitude to Fr. Cooper and Cathedral of the Holy Family parish for hosting a Child Sponsorship Weekend on the Feast of Corpus Christi.

As a result, 20 children were sponsored, in addition to those who are usually sponsored after more time and consideration.

On behalf of these children, we give thanks to God that you have revealed His love to them and have given them hope for the future!

Chalice envisions a world where all children and families have the means to overcome the cycle of poverty. Please prayerfully consider a call to sponsorship, a unique way to live out your faith by providing hope for a child in need. Please visit chalice.ca or call 1-800-776-6855 for more information on our mission and to sponsor a child today.

IGNITE JUNIOR

August 20-22, 2024

Cathedral of the Holy Family

Grades 6-8,
Tuesday - Thursday
1pm - 8:45pm

\$149/ participant
Registration Deadline is August 15

Registration and more info at:
facetofaceministries.ca/events/ignite-junior-saskatoon-2024/



WEEKLY LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Sunday Mass Times

Sunday: 9:00am, 11:00am, & 6:30pm

Weekday Mass Times

Monday - Saturday: 12:15pm

Wednesdays: 7:00pm

Mass @ Sherbrooke: Fridays at 10:15pm

Reconciliation

Thursday: 7pm - 8:30pm

Friday: 11am - 12noon

Saturday: 11am - 12noon

Eucharistic Adoration:

Musical Adoration: Every Thursday 7pm - 8:30pm

1st Friday: **BELOVED** 7pm - 9pm

Rosary & Devotion to Our Lady of

Perpetual Help: Wednesdays @ 6:00pm

Rosary: Saturday 11:45am - 12noon

If you are unable to attend regular Reconciliation times, please phone the office to make an appointment: 306-659-5800

Clergy, Staff, & Council Members

Bishop of Saskatoon - *Most Rev. Mark Hagemoen*

Pastor Rector - *Fr. Gerard Cooper*

Associate Pastor - *Fr. Joe Nelo Penino*

Faith Formation Minister - *Andy Korvemaker*

Coordinator for Evangelization & Discipleship - *AJ Vicente*

Financial Secretary - *Linda Bobowski*

Facilities Manager - *Jim Nakoneshny*

Administrative Assistant - *Johanna Fashola*

Pastoral Council Chair - *Angie Possberg*

Finance Council Chair - *Denis Sirois*

Contact us!

Baptism (Infants): andy@holycathedral.ca

Christian Initiation (RCIA): andy@holycathedral.ca

Confirmation & First Eucharist: hfsacraments.ca

Covenant of Care: Parish Office: 306-659-5800

Marriage: gcooper@rcdos.ca

Marriage Preparation: March 2024 - gcooper@rcdos.ca

Reconciliation by appointment: info@holycathedral.ca

Communion to Homebound: info@holycathedral.ca

or call 306-659-5800.

Facility Rentals: jim@holycathedral.ca

Mass Intentions next week

Monday, July 1

12:15 pm Mass for +Rod Sulik

Tuesday, July 2

12:15 pm Mass for Paula Wilkie

Mass for +Val Sonntag

Wednesday, July 3

12:15 pm Mass for Cathy Drew

& Family

7:00 pm Mass for +Mary A. McAvoy

Thursday, July 4

12:15 pm Mass for +Arnold Penpena

Mass for +Deacon Paul

Wheeler

Mass Intentions next week

Friday, July 5

12:15 pm Mass for +Tony Keene

Saturday, July 6

12:15 pm Mass for Bev Chomiak

Please Include in your Prayers

This list is for those who are in need of prayer, whether they be sick or well, living or deceased. If you would like your name or a name of a loved one to be listed, please call the parish office: 306-659-5800

Maryann Babylonia

Zenitha Joppa Atebe

Nori Cheong

†Noel Daniels

Eileen Materi

†Jean Lux

Jean Gareau

Kayden Kot

Rosalind Matchett

Perla Lansangan

Melissa GO



Holy Family Prayer

Most Beloved Sacred Heart of Jesus, As you are the Father's Beloved Son in whom he is well pleased, May we serve others in love as we have been served in love.

Most Blessed Immaculate Heart of Mary As All generations call you blessed through your fiat, May we too move with haste to share the gift of God's love to others.

Most Betrothed Chaste Heart of St. Joseph As you took Jesus and Mary into your home, May we foster free, faithful, fruitful and total love in our family.

Holy Family of Nazareth, grant that our families too may be places of communion and prayer, authentic schools of the Gospel and small domestic churches, Jesus, Mary, and Joseph, Graciously hear our prayer. Amen.



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