October 13, 2024

CATHEDRAL OF THE HOLY FAMILY

28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MONTH OF THE ROSARY: The History of the Rosary



From ancient times, the faithful have prayed a beautiful liturgical prayer known as the Breviary. (Today, it is most frequently referred to as the Liturgy of the Hours.) This form of prayer has its roots in the many monastic traditions of Catholicism which required monks to participate in praying the 150 psalms of the Old Testament in common. In ancient monasteries, this practice required the monks to have the ability to read and understand Latin. The reality, however, was that in those days, many of the monks were uneducated, illiterate, and therefore unable to participate in the daily prayers. For this reason, as early as the ninth century, particularly in Ireland, both brothers (men who are monks but not priests) and lay people who could not read were allowed to substitute the chanting of the 150 psalms with the recitation of 150 Paternosters. In the 11th century, this practice spread beyond the shores of Ireland and became common for anyone who wanted to participate in the Breviary but was unable to read.

The use of Paternoster beads really began to flourish after the 11th century. The many monks and members of the laity who were praying 150 Paternosters as a substitute for the 150 psalms naturally gravitated toward owning a set of Paternoster beads. This version of the Paternoster beads became known as the "poor man's breviary." Since it was a portable means of prayer and many people wanted to wear it from their belt, people soon realized that it was much easier to wear a set of 50 beads rather than 150 beads. This led to the practice of praying the 50-beaded Paternoster three times so that all 150 Paternoster were said.

At the same time that the Paternoster cord grew in popularity in the 12th century, the Hail Mary prayer also became more widely used in devotions. A new form of Marian devotion emerged that took the poor man's breviary as its foundation. To further express a devotion to the Mother of God, monks began to develop a Psalter dedicated to honoring Mary that paralleled the poor man's breviary. It consisted of using the same Paternoster beads, but instead of praying 150 Our Fathers, they prayed 150 Hail Marys. Within a short period of time, 15 Our Fathers were added to break up the 150 Hail Marys into set of 10. These sets of 10 became known as "decades."

The new Marian Psalter was infused with the saving mysteries of the life of Christ and made into a spiritual sword to be used against evil, falsehood, and sin. Unlike its monastic predecessor, the new Marian Psalter was intended as a spiritual weapon and an evangelical tool to conquer heresy and the devil.

Champions of the Rosary, Donald H. Calloway

PARISH NEWS

Here I am Lord, Send me (Isaiah 6:8) The Church dedicates October to the **Holy Rosary** and invites everyone to renew devotion to praying the Rosary. CWL provided pamphlets last Sunday. Pamphlets are on the shelf by the stairs. The Rosary is said in the chapel every Saturday at 11:45 and at 10:30 Sundays in October. Pope Leo XIII said **there is no more excellent way of praying.** Clothing Depot (20th Street) is preparing for Christmas. **Please donate wrapped candies, new bedding, kitchen items and new toys. CWL members deliver donated items** from the house in the entrance. We pray for unborn babies. During the first month of life the baby grows to 10,000 times his size at conception. Muscles from baby and mother are intertwined. By the third week the **baby's tiny heart begins to beat**. We are against abortion. Membership drives are November 17 and 24. Plan to become a CWL member! **Ephesians 5:15** Be very careful then how you live – not as unwise but as wise.

Open in Spirit to God
(Bukas Loob sa Diyos)
Saskatoon Prayer Group
Word Sharing Circle

Open in Spirit of God is a Catholic Charismatic Community. We are a community of disciples inspired by the Holy Spirit to be living witnesses for transformation in Christ. Everyone is welcome to join the Word Sharing Circle every 2nd and 4th Friday of the month 7pm at the Bishop Klein room in the Cathedral of the Holy Family.

Awaken 2024 - "Prayer Devotions" diocesan adult faith series will be held 7 to 9 p.m. on four Wednesdays, Oct. 23, Oct. 30, Nov. 6 and Nov. 13 at the Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Rd., Saskatoon. Deepen your understanding and practice of both traditional and contemporary Catholic devotions, with practical tools and spiritual insights to enrich your prayer life. Cost is $40 for the series, which includes:

- **Oct. 23: Eucharistic Devotion** - Sr. Marlene Aquino
- **Oct. 30: Divine Mercy Devotion** - Fr. Gerard Cooper
- **Nov. 6: TBA** - Fr. Daniel Yasinski
- **Nov. 13: Marian Devotion** - Sr. Malou Tibayan

Register for the four-part series at:
https://form.jotform.com/SaskatoonDiocese/awakenfall2024
or call Astrid Alas for more information: (306) 659-5858.

Hello parishioners of the Cathedral of Holy Family, today we will be having our Sunday Sundae for parishioners after all three Masses. We will be scheduling our famous Pancake Breakfast for November 10th, please keep this date open and join us for Breakfast!

We will also be doing a BBQ for the Face-to-Face ministry for Sunday, Oct.27th.

We will also be taking orders for this years " Keep Christ in Christmas Nativity Wooden Sets", they will be $85.00, so please keep us in mind and have one of these NATIVITY SCENES IN YOUR YARD THIS YEAR!

Also, if you have been wanting to be a Knight in our Council, please get in touch with one of our members and we can discuss how we can get your Dream of being a Knight possible!



Ordination to the Priesthood – Bishop Mark Hagemoen will ordain Deacon Luke Tran (Van Tam) to the priesthood during a diocesan celebration beginning at 7 p.m. **Friday, Oct. 18** at the Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Rd., Saskatoon. Everyone is welcome! *(Vocations and the education of future priests is supported by the BAA.)*

Diocesan Fall Congress

9 am to 4 pm Wed. Oct. 16

Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon

"Developing Disciples of Christ: Understanding the Critical Relationship Between Catechesis and Evangelization"
with keynote speaker Julianne Stanz;

This day of enrichment and inspiration is open to all!
Cost is $30 (includes lunch). Register at:
form.jotform.com/SaskatoonDiocese/fallcongress2024
or for more information, contact Marilyn Jackson at
mjackson@rcdos.ca or (306) 659-5836.

DISCIPLESHIP PATHWAY





Time Out for Moms

TOFM

Time Out For Moms (TOFM) is a Catholic enrichment group for women and mothers of all ages, featuring weekly gatherings of women from many parishes held at the Cathedral of the Holy Family. This Fall, TOFM is exploring the Bible characters Martha and Mary (Luke 10:38-42). We'll have great speakers, snacks, fellowship, and childcare for children 6 weeks and up from **9:15 am - 11:15 am on Tuesday mornings at Holy Family Cathedral from October 15 -November 26 (no session on October 22). Registration is open now until October 8 (or until spots fill up).** Cost is $100 and there is financial aid available - our sponsors would love to help if you need it! Please visit our website at tofm.ca or email us at tofmsaskatoonsk@gmail.com for more info or to register. We hope to see you there!



"TO THE HEIGHTS" NIGHT

Friday, October 25, 7pm
Cathedral of the Holy Family

Fr. David Bellusci OP
will be at the Cathedral to speak about
Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati
journey towards God, reflecting on his
life of virtue, love and sacrifice.



Ordination to the Priesthood

Luke Tran Van Tam



Cathedral of the Holy Family
October 18, 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*
Financial Secretary - *Linda Bobowski*
Facilities Manager - *Jim Nakoneshny*
Administrative Assistant - *Johanna Fashola*
Pastoral Council Chair - *Jonas Taillon*
Finance Council Chair - *Denis Sirois*

Contact us!

Baptism (Infants): *andy@holyfamilycathedral.ca*
Christian Initiation (RCIA): andy@holyfamilycathedral.ca
Confirmation & First Eucharist: *hfsacraments.ca*
Covenant of Care: Parish Office: *306-659-5800*
Marriage: *gcooper@rcdos.ca*
Marriage Preparation: March 2025 - *gcooper@rcdos.ca*
Reconciliation by appointment: *info@holyfamilycathedral.ca*
Communion to Homebound: *info@holyfamilycathedral.ca*
or call *306-659-5800.*
Facility Rentals: *jim@holyfamilycathedral.ca*

Mass Intentions next week

Monday, October 14
12:15 pm Mass *for +Rick Yule*

Tuesday, October 15
12:15 pm Mass *for Siermacheski Family*

Wednesday, October 16
12:15 pm Mass *for Kevin Kaufmann*
7:00 pm Mass *for Nicole Lacoursiere*

Thursday, October 17
12:15 pm Mass *for +Alex & +Cynthia Billy*

Mass Intentions next week

Friday, October 18
12:15 pm Mass *for +Lolita Romero*

Saturday, October 19
12:15 pm Mass *for Nicole Lacoursiere*

Expected Livestream Schedule
Mass will be available at Saskatoonmass.com for other Parishes.

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
†Noel Daniels
†Jean Lux
Kayden Kot
Perla Lansangan
Zenitha Joppa Atebe
Eileen Materi
Rosalind Matchett
Melissa GO
Nori Cheong
Lauren Novak
Russ Gill



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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