



November 17, 2024

CATHEDRAL OF THE HOLY FAMILY

33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

NOVEMBER: MONTH OF ALL SOULS

Our prayers and good works can shorten the time souls spend in Purgatory. *"O God, thou art my God, I seek thee, my soul thirsts for thee; my flesh faints for thee, as in a dry and weary land where no water is. My soul thirsts for God, for the living God. When shall I come and behold the face of God? We can imagine that these inspired words summarize the continual prayer of the holy souls in Purgatory.*



Sins involve a double disorder. First of all, they are an offence against God. They make the soul his enemy. In the case of mortal sin the soul makes a radical choice contrary to its final end. Mortal sin merits eternal separation from God. For the forgiveness of mortal sins committed after Baptism we must have recourse to the sacrament of Confession.

In addition to the loss of friendship with God, sin also damages the sinner himself. It hampers one's personal growth and that of the community of the faithful. For sin has diminished man, blocking his path of fulfilment. A soul that lowers itself through sin drags down with itself the Church and, in some way, the whole world. The soul suffers from the consequences of sin even after receiving sacramental absolution. Besides his particular penance, the sinner needs to make reparation in this life through good works and indulgences. The Church believes in the possibility of a purification for the elect before they see God, a purification altogether different from the punishment of the damned. This is what the Church means when speaking of Hell and Purgatory. In the Book of Revelation Heaven is described in these terms: But nothing unclean shall enter it.

The holy souls in Purgatory experience a great sorrow as well as a great joy. They know that they are confirmed in grace and are *en route* to Heaven. We can assist their progress by means of our prayers, especially in the Holy Mass, which is the supreme offering. The Church has established the Feast of All Souls as a means of encouraging the faithful to persevere in this regard. Throughout the month of November, the Church reminds us of our responsibility to pray for the faithful departed. We are encouraged to seek indulgences on their behalf. The Lord has deigned that any good work which is performed by a person in the state of grace can benefit our deceased brothers and sisters. We can apply these merits in the form of suffrages. Each day that passes offers many possibilities for this work of mercy: whenever we receive the sacraments, especially Holy Communion; when we pray the Holy Rosary; when we offer up physical suffering and the contradictions of daily life. Here we have a wonderful motive for doing our professional work or studies in the best manner possible. In Conversation with God, Francis Fernandez

PARISH NEWS



Here I am Lord, Send me (Isaiah 6:8) "I'm dancing!" By 8 weeks all baby body systems are present. The little one is now jumping, flipping and turning – her first dance steps!

The developing baby ("fetus", which is Latin for "little one") is making rapid progress developing all her organs. The central nervous system is now functioning. **We pray for all unborn babies and their parents.** We have a **prayer bowl** for your prayers. A member takes and prays over them all month. Thank you to Donna Aldous for the T'ai Chi Chia moving meditation - a good way to support mental health! Our membership drive is today and November 24. Foster friendship and deepen community by becoming a CWL member. **There are many ways to become involved, including praying for us at your home!** Bake sale is December 1st. Cakes, muffins, cup cakes, cookies, squares are always appreciated! Let us pray for the souls of the faithful departed, souls that continue to depend on our assistance. This is a **wonderful work of mercy** that is most pleasing to the Lord.



Hello parishioners of the Cathedral of Holy Family, we will be scheduling our next Pancake Breakfast for December 1st, and for everyone (one per family)

that has breakfast, we will be giving our new fridge magnet, please keep this date open and join us for Breakfast! The Craft Guild will be having their sale with us, please come and support them! We will be having our Cash Calendars for sale, there are only 5,000 being sold, so your chances of winning weekly, monthly and quarterly cash prizes are very good!

We will also be taking orders for this years "Keep Christ in Christmas Nativity Wooden Sets", they will be \$85.00, and for everyone who purchases a Nativity Set, they will receive one of our fridge magnets, 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! Thanks, and please feel free to email me or any of our members!

God Bless!! Sir Grand Knight-Wayne Koshman (email:koshmanw@gmail.com)



**Cathedral of the Holy Family
Catholic Women's League**

Membership Drive: Nov 17 & 24 after masses
Annual Bake Sale: Dec 1 after masses



Do you want to grow your faith, serve your community, act on social justice issues and be supported by a sisterhood that embraces these core values? If so.....WELCOME to the CWL...

faith
service
SOCIAL JUSTICE

YOU BELONG WITH US!!

RITE OF
COMMISSIONING
EXTRAORDINARY
MINISTERS OF
COMMUNION



Solemnity of Christ the King
November 24, 2024
9:00am and 11:00am

Enkindle

Diocesan Adult Faith Formation
Advent Retreat



Verbum Dei Sisters

DEC. 07TH, 2024 9:00 AM - 2:30 PM

123 NELSON ROAD



Scan QR code to register or contact:
Astrid Alas
Diocesan Adult Faith Formation Coordinator
amalas@rcdos.ca



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DISCIPLESHIP PATHWAY



CATHEDRAL OF THE HOLY FAMILY
ENCOUNTER
your God
JOIN US FOR
MUSICAL
ADORATION EVERY
THURSDAY!
7-8:30PM

November: Month of All Souls
During the month of November, the Church prays for the faithful departed. Please feel free to write the names of your loved ones in our Book of Remembrance. The Book is located in the back of Main Worship area by the votive candles.



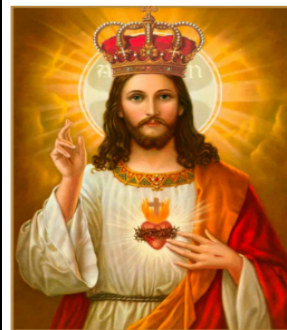
Bishops
ANNUAL APPEAL
2024



SCAN to Give

World Youth Day Celebration

The Solemnity of Christ the King



Bishop Mark will celebrate a special Mass for youth at 6:30pm on Sunday, November 24 at Cathedral of the Holy Family starting with a procession with a Diocesan World Youth Day Cross

Followed by testimonies from young adults (18 to 35 years), and a social gathering. Everyone is welcome.

INTRODUCING...

KID'S ACTIVITY BAGS

BORROW A BAG FOR MASS

RETURN THE BAG AFTER MASS
SO OTHERS CAN ENJOY

**BAGS ARE AVAILABLE ON THE
TREE AT THE CONCIERGE DESK**



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 10:15am

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*

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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 2025 - 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, November 18

12:15 pm Mass for *+William Scheweil*

Tuesday, November 19

12:15 pm Mass for *+Marie Rogers & +Francis Decelles*

Wednesday, November 20

12:15 pm Mass for *+Rosella Zyla*
7:00 pm Mass for *The Most Forgotten Souls*

Thursday, November 21

12:15 pm Mass for *+Bob Nieman*

Mass Intentions next week

Friday, November 22

12:15 pm Mass for *+Braten Kirkwood*

Saturday, November 23

12:15 pm Mass for *+Marcia McAvoy*

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

Kayden Kot

Perla Lansangan

Zenitha Joppa Atebe

Eileen Materi

Rosalind Matchett

Melissa GO

Nori Cheong

Lauren Novak

Russ Gill

+Toribio Ramos

Ethel Zapatra

Isa Glodoveza

Jannette Magdugo

+Pius Ojong Okpa



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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