

SEEN AROUND THE PARISH: Meetings have begun. Dates are being set for different things. We're on our way to an exciting time. The blessing & commissioning of the teachers from both schools next Sunday and a Pancake breakfast to follow.

STEWARDSHIP: Celebrating & Sharing God's Gifts. The dishonest manager in today's parable knew how to manipulate money to his own advantage. But the Gospel warns that no one can serve both God and money. Which do I serve? Is my stewardship such that anyone can tell.

Prayer of Thanks - Father, I am thankful for Your mercy in my life. Even when You are displeased with my sin, I know that You love me and You hear my prayer. Thank You that You forgive my sins and stand ready to help me begin again.

Did you know **EVERYONE** is welcome to borrow books & DVD's free-of-charge from the Archdiocesan Resource Centre. Drop by 445 Broad St. N. to take a look or browse online by clicking on 'Resource Center' at www.archregina.sk.ca

41st Luther Lecture - "Faith in the Face of Empire: A Palestinian Christian Perspective." Mon., Sept. 26 at 7:30 p.m. in the Rex Schneider Auditorium (Luther College, 3737 Wascana Parkway, Regina), Admission is free with refreshments to follow the lecture. Complimentary parking in lot 13M (formerly lot 3M). Everyone is welcome to attend.

Come join **SERENA Saskatchewan** for the fifth annual "Run for the Family" on Sat., Sept. 17 (8:30 a.m.) in Saskatoon. Run or walk 1km, 3km or 5km (strollers welcome). To register, visit www.runningroom.com (Races - province SK-click date). For more info or for pledge forms, contact sask@serena.ca

A REMINDER: It makes sense... "REDUCE SCENTS" for the benefit of those sensitive to fragrances, please reduce or eliminate your use of scented products before coming to church.

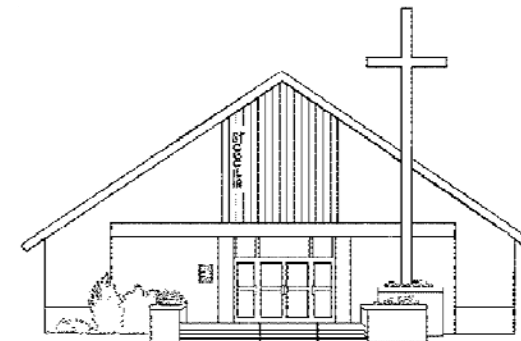
ARE YOU NEW IN THE PARISH OR HAVE CHANGED ADDRESSES???
Welcome to St. Cecilia's. Any questions or concerns - give us a call. Please complete the following form drop it off at the office or drop into the collection basket marked - Attention: Parish Office:

NAME: _____ PHONE # _____

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25th SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Sept. 17/18, 2016

The unforgivable sin against the Holy Spirit begins with lying, rationalization, cover-up and dishonesty. When we sustain a lie for any length of time, we begin to warp our own insides and the sin can become unforgivable not because God doesn't want to forgive but because we no longer see any need to be forgiven. Lying, especially to ourselves, hardens and corrupts the spirit. That's why Satan is called the prince of lies rather than the prince of weakness.

Monday Sept. 19	No Mass	Prov 3:27-34/Lk 8:16-18
Tuesday Sept. 20	Mass 7:00 p.m.	Prov 21:1-6,10-13/Lk 8:19-21 Intentions of Jame & Hser Gay Paw - Wah Ta children
Wednesday Sept. 21	Mass 8:30 a.m.	Eph 4:1-7,11-13/Mt 9:9-13 RIP Frank Terry from Bernadette Warnke
Thursday Sept. 22	Mass 10:15 a.m.	Eccles 1:2-11/Lk 9:7-9 (Sacred Heart School at the Church) RIP Faye Chabot from Gerald & Kay Hollis
Friday Sept. 23	Mass 8:30 a.m.	Eccles:3:1-11/Lk 9:18-22 RIP Chu Nguyen from Trinh Cao
Saturday Sept. 24	Mass 7:00 p.m.	Eccles 11:9-12:8/Lk 9:43b-45 For the intentions of all parishioners
Sunday Sept. 25	Mass 10:00 a.m.	Amos 6:1a,4-7/1Tm 6:11-16/Lk 16:19-31 For the intentions of all parishioners

Reconciliation - By appointment

PARISH NEWS

BAPTISM - Our next baptism will be Oct. 16, sessions begin Sept. 29. To register contact the office at 306 545-4051.

YTD Budget & Actual Sunday & Capital Collections for Aug. 14, 2016

Budget: Reg. \$125,731

Actual: Reg. \$115,144

"COUNTRY BLEND" CONCERT - Here at St. Cecilia's on Sunday, Oct. 30, 7:30 p.m. Tickets may be bought after the weekend masses \$20 for the concert. There will also be a supper before the concert for \$20 (limited amount of tickets). Tickets may be gotten by contacting Dale & Janette - 306 543-0560 or Al & DiAnna - 306 543-6646.

Blessing & Commissioning of Teachers -from St. Francis and Sacred Heart Schools is next Sunday (Sept. 25) followed by a Pancake Breakfast put on by the Fr. Burns Knights of Columbus. Come out to show your support to our teachers. Everyone welcome to attend.

The Archdiocese of Regina Lay Formation & Evangelization Program. One weekend per month from Oct. Until June, Catholics who want to know, love and serve Christ more deeply come together at Campion College in Regina, Are you ready to fall more deeply in love with Jesus Christ and His Church? We are currently accepting applications for the Fall intake of this three-year program. For more information or to register, please contact our Program Coordinator, Eric Gurash at 306 325-1651 ext 211 or email him at egurash@archregina.sk.ca

BLESSED SACRAMENT CARETAKER POSITION: Candidates who apply for this position should have a Gr. 12 education; have/obtain a Fireman's certificate; have a Caretaker Technician Certificate or equivalent experience to demonstrate knowledge & understanding of cleaning/maintenance processes, products & equipment. The successful candidate shall choose their own flexible time required to accomplish the job duties & responsibilities. The position benefits include s three weeks of vacation, dental & disability, as well as a matching employer pension contribution. Please submit your resume on or before Sept. 23/16 with references to Rev. Barry J. Anwender, Pastor, Blessed Sacrament Parish, 2049 Scarth St., Regina, SK S4P 2H5

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS - wanted by the Archdiocese of Regina High School Leadership Team to become a part of a team of teens that want to grow in faith and provide leadership throughout the diocese. The team travels around the diocese on all kinds of adventures; leading retreats and providing all kinds of service to the community. Time commitment is flexible, but would be once a month at the most. Give it some thought! It looks very good on a scholarship resume as well! For more info, please call Michelle or Braden at 306 352-1651 or by emailing yml@archregina.sk.ca

Greystone Bereavement Centre - 1802 McAra St. Has published it's Fall & Winter Programs and Services Guide for 2016-17. Please refer to the parish bulletin board in the church foyer for complete information or contact 306-523-2784; or online www.rpci.org "Because no one should have to grieve alone ..."

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Sept. 29 - Fall Clothing Sale - St. Martin de Porres 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 "All you can stuff into a bag" for \$5.00

Sept. 30/Oct. 1 - Holy Trinity C.W.L. 4TH ANNUAL TRADE, CRAFT & BAKE SALE - to be held Fri., Sept. 30 (5-8 p.m.) & Sat., Oct. 1 (9:30 - 3 p.m.). Tables are still available. For an application or information contact Darlene Kosolofski at kd.kosolofski@sasktel.net or 306 949-8542.

Oct. 2 - Saint Jean Baptiste Fall Supper - from 4-6 p.m. St. Jean Baptiste, 2517 - 25th Ave.

Oct. 2 - Annual Perinatal Loss Memorial Gathering - Balloon Release for bereaved parents, siblings, extended family members the gathering will take place in the auditorium at Wascana Rehabilitation Centre, 2180 23rd Ave., Regina, beginning at 2 p.m. To register, please call Rev. Mary Brubacher at 306 766-3569 or email at mary.brubacher@rqhealth.ca

Oct. 15 - I am Catholic - Tackling the Challenges We Face in Today's World - A one day Workshop facilitated by the Regina Deanery Pastoral Council. At Holy Trinity Parish from 9:30a.m. - 4 p.m. Two dynamic young speakers from our own Archdiocese: Brett Salkeld will speak on assisted Suicide in the morning and Eric Gurash will do a presentation entitled Creating a Culture of Christian Hospitality. Register by Tues., Oct. 11. Free will offering will be taken. To register: Annette Polasek - 306 586-2630; Judy Klenk 306 789-6980; Betty Capnerhurst 306 761-2210.

Oct. 19 - Michael A. Riffel CSCC - is hosting a Parent Information Night at 7 p.m. presenting Motivational Speaker KEVIN BROOKS, "Drive to Save Lives Tour"TO IMPACT. TO MOTIVATE. TO INSPIRE. www.kevinbrooks.ca

17th Annual Perinatal Loss Memorial Gathering & Balloon Release for parents siblings, extended family members & staff will be held on **Sunday, Oct. 2 at 2 p.m.** This event is to remember our precious babies who have died from pregnancy loss or infant death. The gathering will take place in the auditorium at Wascana Rehabilitation Centre, 2180 23rd Ave., Regina. To register please call Rev. Mary Brubacher at 306 766-3569 or email at mary.brubacher@rqhealth.ca

Would you be willing to assist persons who have been incarcerated? COSA (Circles of Support & Accountability) is looking for volunteers. For further information check out their website at www.cosass.ca or phone Forence at 306 539-1334.

Are you called to visit the sick? "The Basics of Spiritual Care Visiting" is being sponsored by the Department of Spiritual Care, Regina Qu'Appelle Health Region and is suitable for all faith communities. This one-day program is necessary to become a spiritual care volunteer in RQHR facilities. It is being held Fri., Nov. 4 at St. Mark's Lutheran Church, 3510 Queen St. (8-8:30 registration, 8:30 - 4:15 program). Contact Angela 306 766-3564, Linda 306 766-2473 or Val 306 766-3566 for further information.

Jest kiddingLittle Johnny opened the big family Bible with fascination, and looked through the old pages. Suddenly, something fell out of the Bible. Little Johnny picked it up and looked. An old leaf from a tree had been pressed between the pages. "Momma, look what I found," he called out. "What have you got there, dear?" His mother asked. With astonishment in the young boy's voice he answered: "I think it's Adam's swim suit!"