

STEWARDSHIP: Celebrating & Sharing God's Gifts.

"For it is better to suffer for doing good, if that be God's will, than for doing evil." 1 Peter 3:17

The old line says "if you want to make God laugh, tell him your plans." Many of us are diligent in our planning, making sure things are progressing smoothly, then disaster strikes, we don't get the result that was intended. An unforeseen problem arises. Many times we may respond negatively. Why me? I did everything right! Here's the thing - God has a different and better plan in store for you.

Getting Married this summer? Last chance to participate in a Catholic Engaged Encounter weekend marriage preparation retreat. June 2-4 weekend near Wolseley. For info - www.ceewest.com & click onto Regina. Call Stella & Ron (3060596-2951).

St. Francis is accepting **kindergarten registrations**. If your child was born in 2012, now is the time to call! Contact the school at (306) 791-7335 to book a meeting time to register. Prekindergarten registrations are being taken for students born in 2013.

The Canada Day Eucharistic Celebration by Archbishop Donald J. Bolen at the Blessed Sacrament Church, 2049 Scarth St, Regina . 10:00 a.m., Saturday, July 1, 2017. Pancake brunch following the Mass. The Knights of Columbus, Catholic Women's League, Regina City Police

ARCHDIOCESE OF REGINA LAY FORMATION PROGRAM- GO MAKE DISCIPLES!
Are currently accepting applications for the Fall intake of this three-year program. Contact: Eric Gurash 306-1651 ex 211. Email egurash@archregina.sk.ca

ARE YOU NEW IN THE PARISH OR HAVE CHANGED ADDRESSES???

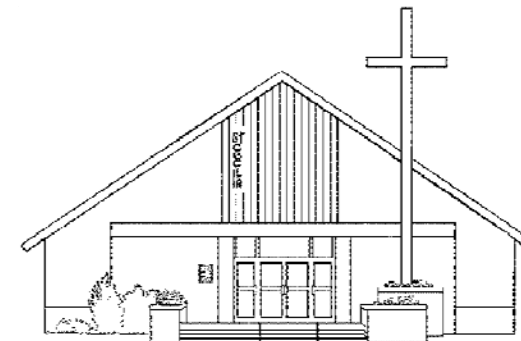
Welcome to St. Cecilia's. Any questions or concerns - give us a call. Please complete the following form drop it off at the office or drop into the collection basket marked - Attention: Parish Office:

NAME: _____ PHONE # _____

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Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 20/21, 2017

What is most important is that the believer, as well as the believing community, pass on to its young the great truth that Jesus Christ has saved us. Such is the ground of our faith and hope as well as of all the Spirit's gifts

Monday May 22	No Mass	Acts 16:11-15/Jn 15:26-16:4a
Tuesday May 23	Mass 7:00 p.m.	Acts 16:22-34/Jn 16:5-11 Intentions for Margaret Wah Ta from Paulette Wemler
Wednesday May 24	Mass 7:00 p.m.	Acts 17:15,22-18 Note Mass time change - Confirmation & 1st Eucharist Intentions of the young people receiving 1st Communion & Confirmation
Thursday May 25	Mass 8:30 a.m.	Acts 18:1-8/Jn 16:16-20 Intentions for Roseann Schafer from Donelda Exner
Friday May 26	Mass 8:30 a.m.	Acts 18:9-18/Jn 16:20-23a RIP Albert, Emily & Urban Stang from Bernie Ermel
Saturday May 27	Mass 7:00 p.m.	Acts 18:23-28/Jn 16:23b-28 For the intentions of all parishioners
Sunday May 28	Mass 10:00 a.m.	Acts 1:1-11/Eph 1:17-23/Mt 28:16-20 For the intentions of all parishioners

Reconciliation - By appointment

REGISTRATIONS FOR BAPTISMS ARE NOW BEING TAKEN - Sessions are May 25, June 1 and Baptisms will be June 11. Call the office to register - 306-545-4051.

CWL WINDUP - Tuesday, May 30, Mass: 6 p.m. Supper: 7 p.m.

All ladies of the parish are welcome. Speaker: Christel Gee (a retired teacher who will talk about her Tanzania projects) Members are to get your tickets from your team leaders. **Cost is \$16.00 Deadline for tickets is May 22.**

CWL Rider Cooler Raffle Tickets on Sale (Proceeds to the Parish) Cost of \$5 per ticket or \$10 for 3 tickets. Draw date: Saturday, July 1

PROGRESSION TO PENTECOST Parents are encouraged to remind their children of the **FIFTY DAYS OF EASTER** as we "journey" to **PENTECOST SUNDAY**. We celebrate Easter Joy and count the days to Pentecost (the birthday of the Church) using the Easter Eggs from the Children's Offertory on Easter Sunday.

Camp Monahan is accepting donations for our fundraising **garage sale** that runs **May 25-28, 424 Mullin Ave.** Call our office @ 306-522-1047 to arrange pick up or drop off of items. More info on our website: www.campmonahan.ca . Camp Monahan extends best wishes & thanks to all this Easter!

Archbishop M.C. O'Neill Catholic High School 50th Anniversary - Save The Date(s) May 26-28, 2017 as the school and alumni have a variety of anniversary events planned. Please contact oneill50th alumni@gmail.com for more information

The Anglican-Roman Catholic Covenant Implementation Committee invites you to join us for our Annual Worship Service on Pentecost Sunday June 4th at 7:00 p.m. Vespers will take place at **Holy Trinity Catholic Church**. Archbishop Don Bolen and Bishop Rob Hardwick will both be in attendance. Very Rev. Mike Sinclair, Rector of St Paul's Cathedral and Dean of the Diocese of Qu'Appelle, will be the homilist. The service will be followed by a reception.

Variety Night is an annual initiative of the **Archdiocese of Regina Youth and Young Adult Leadership Teams**. It is a dynamic evening of music, drama, dance, comedy and food! This year we celebrate 10 years with a show entitled "Our Favorite Things" in which we feature some of our favorite acts from over the last 9 years. It's a great night out for a worthy cause! This year's proceeds go to orphanages in the Philippines and Belize as well as some local charities. Shows are held at **Resurrection Parish on May 26, 27, 28, 29**. Tickets at Resurrection Parish office at the Archdiocese of Regina office, from any cast member or by calling 306-540-6321.

TF35: What's A Catholic To Believe About Marian Apparitions?

Welcome to another week of Thinking Faith! Brett and Eric are continuing with last week's Marian theme (In keeping with this Marian month of May) and ripping into the mailbag to answer some listener questions about Marian Apparitions. This week we address questions from James and Elaine who find themselves wondering about the propensity of Mary to appear from time, the tradition of the Church to mark some of these places as special pilgrimage sites, and just how we, as Catholics, ought to approach the testimonies and experiences of the witnesses, seers, and pilgrims associated with them. As we prepare to honor the 100th Anniversary of the Fatima Apparitions which began on May 13, 1917, we invite you to join us as we ask "What's A Catholic to Believe about Marian Apparitions?"

<http://thinkingfaith.libsyn.com/tf35-whats-a-catholic-to-believe-about-marian-apparitions>

Has the way we've told our Canadian Story in the past been completely honest? The work of the recent Truth and Reconciliation Commission made it abundantly clear that there is great need for us to be engaged in a new level of listening and learning to walk together. Mark your calendars! Consider attending--**The 11th Annual Archdiocesan Social Justice in Motion Conference. Holy Child, June 24, Listening, Learning and Walking Together.** Cost \$30

Just kiddingChris: Uh-oh. I just made an illegal left turn. Mike: That's okay. The police car behind you did the same thing.