

STEWARDSHIP : March 1, 2020 - First Sunday of Lent

"It is written: The Lord, your God, shall you worship and him alone shall you serve."
 (Matthew 4:10) Tempted between the riches and power of this world and service to God, Jesus chose service to His Father. If we wish to truly follow Jesus, we, too, must decide to turn away from worldly power and riches and put God at the center of our lives. Lent is our time to prune ourselves of earthly things. Ask God how he is calling you to serve.

At the invitation of Archbishop Don, the **Papal Nuncio to Canada, Archbishop Luigi Bonazzi**, will visit the Archdiocese from March 10 to March 12 to unite and encourage us all in our shared mission as disciples of Jesus Christ. A special Mass with Archbishop Luigi will be March 10 at 7 pm at Holy Rosary Cathedral. A reception will follow. All are welcome. Another key component of this visit is to share with the Nuncio some of the steps the Archdiocese has taken with victims of clergy sexual abuse. Please consider attending a service in support of victims of clergy sexual abuse on Wednesday, March 11 at 7 pm at Holy Trinity Parish, 5020 Sherwood Drive. Archbishop Luigi and Archbishop Don will be in attendance. All are welcome.

Registration for Kindergarten with Regina Catholic Schools beginning in the fall is on now. If your child was born in 2015, they're eligible to begin Kindergarten in September 2020. To register, call the school nearest you. Have your child's birth certificate, baptism certificate, and provincial health card handy. For more details, visit www.rcsd.ca.

ARE YOU NEW IN THE PARISH OR HAVE CHANGED ADDRESSES?

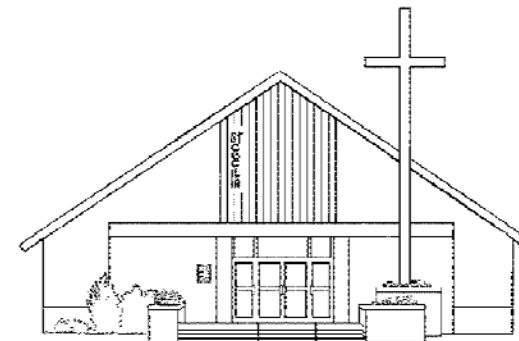
Welcome to St. Cecilia. Any questions or concerns - give us a call. Please complete the following form drop it off at the office or drop into the collection basket marked - Attention: Parish Office:

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It is good to remember, namely, that we are God's special, blessed sons and daughters, even when our lives seem empty, anonymous, and devoid of any special privileges because then we won't forever be putting God and our restless hearts to the test, demanding more than ordinary life can give us.

Monday March 2	No Mass	Lev 19:1-2,11-18/Mt 25:31-46
Tuesday March 3	Mass 7:00 pm	Is 55:10-11/Mt 6:7-15 Adoration & Reconciliation: 7:30 - 8:30 RIP Capt. Hermenegildo Domingo from Ernie Erwin Domingo
Wednesday March 4	Mass 8:30 am	Jon 3:1-10/Lk 11:29-32 St. Francis School Library RIP Bruno Tonnasini from Ines Breda
Thursday March 5	Mass 8:30 am	Es 14:1,3-5,12-14/Mt 7:7-12 Intentions of Bev Hoffart from Lucille & Merv Harrick
Friday March 6	Mass 8:30 am	Ez 18:21-28/Mt 5:20-26 Adoration & Reconciliation: 9 - 10 Intentions of Phyllis Kaip from Paulette Wendler
Saturday March 7	Mass 7:00 pm	Deu 26:16-19/Mt 5:43-48 Reconciliation: 11 am - Noon For the intentions of all parishioners
Sunday March 8	Mass 10:00 am	Gen 12:1-4/2Tm 1:8b-10/Mt 17:1-9 For the intentions of all parishioners

Reconciliation - By appointment

The Men's and Women's Club will be serving brunch Sunday, March 15 after the 10 am Mass. The cost is \$5 a person, children under 6 free. Menu includes pancakes, eggs, ham, sausage, and hash browns. Proceeds will be donated to Carmichael Outreach.

The **Annual General Meeting** is Sunday, March 15 after the brunch. The meeting will include approval of the 2020 budget and filling of Pastoral and Financial Council positions. The 2019 Pastoral and Financial reports will be available next weekend in the Welcoming Area,

Lenten Parish Mission - Beloved Chosen Anointed - Christ the King Parish, 3239 Garnet St. March 2-4, 7-9 pm.

Monday March 2 - Praise & Worship, Talk, Adoration & Benediction

Tuesday March 3 - Praise & Worship, Talk, Sacrament of Reconciliation

Wednesday March 4 - Holy Eucharist, Homily, Prayer Ministry following the Mass

Knights Rock V, the Annual Fundraiser hosted by the Campion College Knights of Columbus Council, is Saturday, March 7, Multipurpose Room, U of R campus
Doors open: 7 pm Live Music: 7:30 by Sed Contra and special guests. Tickets (only \$10!) available at Campion College, the Archdiocese of Regina, or from any member of the Campion Knights of Columbus.

My Gen Youth Rally - 'Into the Deep' Attention all students in grades 8 -12!

You are invited to be a part of something special; something bigger than any one person. You are invited to be a part of the **My Generation Youth Rally**. (My Gen) Join us March 28-29 at Archbishop M.C. O'Neill Catholic High School in Regina as hundreds of young people from across Southern Saskatchewan gather to celebrate their Catholic faith and to grow in community with one another! Come enjoy music, art, service projects, games, sports and "escape rooms" as well as prayer, new friendships and opportunities to learn about God and faith. For more info or to register, please see www.mygenrally.ca

Lenten Prayer Lunches Our Lady of Peace Parish, 425 Broad St. N., is hosting Prayer Lunches on Fridays at 12:15 pm. Come and join in a short prayer service followed by a soup lunch.

Women at the Well A Catholic Women's Event for women thirsting for an encounter with Jesus. Saturday, March 14 at the Marian Centre, 1835 Halifax St. 2-3 pm. Please ring the bell at the blue door on the south side. Parking is available in the lot north of the building.

Made for Greatness is a monthly event for men. Adoration begins at 6 pm, followed by Mass and stations of the cross. Friday, March 6 at Resurrection Parish, 3155 Windsor Park Rd. During Lent, there is no meal as part of the event. For more information, please contact Deacon Kevin at 306-537-7192.

First Friday Adoration Vigil in honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary. March 6 and 7 at St. Mary Parish. Mass at 7:30 pm, followed by reconciliation and the all-night vigil, ending with Mass at 7:30 am on Saturday morning.

Sing Along to Irish Songs - St. Peter Parish Hall, 100 Argyle St., Sunday, March 15 at 2 pm. Everyone is welcome. Wheelchair accessible. Refreshments are served. Freewill offering. Contact Patricia 306-924-0418.

St. Martin de Porres Parish Seeking a Part-Time Pastoral Assistant. A full job description is on the parish website: www.stmartindeporresregina.com

Just Kidding.....What did the Canada goose say when she saw a plate of scrambled eggs? "What a bunch of crazy, mixed up kids." Why do seagulls live near the sea? If they lived near the bay, they's be bagels. Which prime minister was the most Canadian? Sir John Eh? Macdonald. What do you get when you cross the prime minister with an owl? Someone who gives a *hoot!*