



*Sharing God's gifts,
Serving others,
In Christ's Love*

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Baptism of the Lord, January 10, 2021



"And a voice came from the heavens, 'You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased.'" - Mark 1:11

Through our baptism, we too, are daughters and sons of God. We are disciples of Jesus. As true disciples we are called to actively participate in our Catholic faith, not just be mere bystanders. This means working in collaboration with the Holy Spirit and discerning how we are being asked to use our gifts. Using our gifts for the benefit of others and not just for our own interests and comfort.

Livestream Mass

Join us on Sunday at 10 am for our livestreamed Mass. Use one of these ways:

- [St. Cecilia YouTube Channel](#).
- St. Cecilia Website stcecregina.com.
- On the YouTube App, search for St Cecilia Regina.

This Week's Masses

Monday January 11	Hebrews 1.1-6; Mark 1.14-20
Tuesday January 12, 7 pm	St. Marguerite Bourgeoys, Virgin Hebrews 2.5-12; Mark 1.21-28 RIP Orlando Misa.
Wednesday January 13, 10 am	Hebrews 2.14-18; Mark 1.29-39 RIP Joe Reinhardt from Ben and Clara Ferner.
Thursday January 14, 10 am	Hebrews 3.7-14; Mark 1.40-45 RIP Mary Simpson from Sophie Zawada.
Friday January 15, 10 am	Hebrews 4.1-5, 11, Mark 2.1-12 Intentions of Betty Charles.
Saturday January 16, 7 pm	Hebrews 4.12-16; Mark 2.13-17
Sunday January 17, 10 am and Noon	Second Sunday In Ordinary Time 1 Samuel 3.3-10, 19; 1 Corinthians 6.13-15, 17-20; John 1.35-42

Signing Up to Attend Saturday or Sunday Mass

Signing-up in advance is required if you wish to attend Saturday 7 pm or Sunday 10 am or Noon Mass for the first time. Please register by Wednesday before the weekend you wish to attend.

We understand plans or situations change. If you are registered and not able to attend, please call the office. If a change happens after Friday at Noon, please call Ray at 306-545-0592 or call or text 306-536-8920. This will enable us to contact a replacement household.

After you attend once, you will be added to a recall list for your preferred Mass. People who are signing-up for the first time are assigned to the available spaces. If there are remaining spaces, people from the recall list are assigned. You will be contacted to let you know about available openings for your preferred Mass.

[Read the guidelines and protocols for attending Mass including how to sign-up.](#)

Self-Assessment Questionnaire for Covid-19

If you wish to attend Mass, you are reminded to take the self-assessment. When you arrive, you will be asked if you did the assessment. If you did not, you will be asked the assessment questions.

The assessment is included with this bulletin and on [our website](#) and in the [guidelines and protocols for attending Mass](#).

Communion for Shut-ins

If you have a family member or someone in your extended household group who is not able to attend Mass and would like to receive Holy Communion, call Melita in the parish office 306-545-4051 for more information.

St. Cecilia Catholic Women's League 2021 Fees

Fees for your 2021 CWL membership will be gratefully accepted through the month of January. The CWL is pleased to offer the option of e-Transfer method of payment. No security question is required, and the money is automatically deposited. Use the email address cwlstcecilia@gmail.com. If you prefer using the CWL yellow donation envelope in the box of envelopes, bring it to Mass or drop it off at the Church office. The fees are \$35.

Muffins for Marian Centre

Sandwiches, muffins, or granola bars are being given daily to those in need.

Donations of muffins would be very helpful.

If you can help, package the muffins in a container or bag that you do not want back and bring them to the St. Cecilia office during regular office hours. All muffins brought by Thursday at 3 pm will be delivered Friday.

Donations may also be taken to the Centre at 1835 Halifax Street (back door in the alley); closed Thursday and Sunday.



Plastic Containers for Carmichael Lunch Program

Carmichael Outreach Centre has resumed providing hot meals for those in need. They are serving between 150 - 200 meals a day and are very much in need of clean margarine, yogurt, sour cream, Tupperware, etc. plastic containers in which to serve the meals.

Seasonal clothing and footwear (all ages, sizes, and genders) is also being accepted.

If you can help, package the containers or clothing in bags or boxes and drop them off on the steps by the front doors of the church during regular office hours.

Sacrament Preparation for Children – Last Week to Register



Preparation classes for the Sacraments of Confirmation and Holy Eucharist for children in **Grade 2 and older**.

Classes at St. Cecilia Church (following social distancing regulations) on January 21, February 18, March 18, April 15 and May 13 at 7 pm.

Confirmation and First Eucharist will be celebrated at mass on May 22 and 23.

Please register by January 15. Email Betty DeWildt bettydewildt@gmail.com or call Melita in the parish office 306-545-4051 (see front page for hours).

Preparation classes for the Sacrament of Reconciliation will be held during Lent for children in **Grade 4 and older**. Classes at St. Cecilia Church (following social distancing regulations) on March 4 and 11 at 7 pm.

First Reconciliation will be celebrated on March 13.

Please register by January 15. Email Betty DeWildt bettydewildt@gmail.com or call Melita in the parish office 306-545-4051 (see front page for hours).



The above-mentioned dates are subject to change, pending the regulations of the Saskatchewan Health Authority on public gathering in view of Covid-19.



DATE / DATE : January 24, 2021

TIME / HEURE : 4:00 PM

PLACE / LIEU : https://zoom.us/ Meeting ID 6859371163 Password JMJ3nT



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Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Bible Study

This year, due to the pandemic, we are not able to hold our regular events and so the Prairie Centre for Ecumenism and Regina Council of Churches decided to partner and hold an 8-day virtual Bible study series based on the themes for Week of Prayer 2021.

Monday, January 18 to Monday, January 25 from 12:15 pm to 1, except Sunday, January 24 at 1 pm on Zoom.

The materials have been prepared by the Monastic Community of Grandchamp in Switzerland. A different Christian leader will guide us each day as we explore the theme "Abide in my love and you shall bear much fruit" (John 15:5-9).

The 2021 theme calls us to pray and to work for reconciliation and unity in the church, with our human family, and with all of creation. Drawing on the Gospel image of vine and branches, it invites us to nourish unity with God and with one another through contemplative silence, prayer, and common action. Grafted into Christ the vine as many diverse branches, may we bear rich fruit and create new ways of living, with respect for and communion with all of creation.

The daily themes are:

- Day 1 - Monday, January 18: Called by God: "You did not choose me but I chose you" (John 15:16a)
- Day 2 - Tuesday, January 19: Maturing Internally: "Abide in me as I abide in you" (John 15:4)
- Day 3 - Wednesday, January 20: Forming One Body: "Love one another as I have loved you" (John 15:12b)
- Day 4 - Thursday, January 21: Praying Together: "I do not call you servants any longer...but I have called you friends" (John 15:15)
- Day 5 - Friday, January 22: Letting Oneself Be Transformed by the Word: "You have already been pruned by the word..." (John 15:3)
- Day 6 - Saturday, January 23: Welcoming Others: "Go and bear fruit, fruit that will last" (John 15:16b)
- Day 7 - Sunday, January 24: Growing in Unity: "I am the vine, you are the branches" (John 15:5a)
- Day 8 - Monday, January 25: Reconciling with all Creation: "So that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be complete" (John 15:11)

[Register at Eventbrite.](#)

A Visit with Catholic Conscience - Part 2

Thinking Faith Podcast with Deacon Eric Gurash and Dr. Brett Salkeld

Catholicconscience.org founder Matthew Marquardt discusses what led an American police officer to create a Canadian Catholic lay apostolate whose mission is to assist Catholic voters in forming their voting consciences based on the social teachings of the Catholic Church.

Show Snippet: "The whole problem here is that Catholics aren't involved the way we should be...we should be trying to bring the whole political and civic conversation closer to the Gospel and the social teachings of the Church." [Listen to the podcast.](#)

Catholic Conscience Webinars

Pick Your Politician - Why Catholics Should Vote in Party Nominations

Only 4% of Canadians are members of political parties. That's only four out of every 100 of us. That tiny number enjoy a special privilege: voting in political party nominations and selecting who will represent their party in each general election. Many of these nominated candidates eventually become our elected representatives. It matters who represents us. That's why it's so important Catholics purchase party memberships and vote in nominations.

Hear from former and current Catholic candidates from different parties about why nominations matter, and how you can get involved and pick your politicians. Featuring a special introduction from Neil MacCarthy, Director of Public Relations & Communications at the Archdiocese of Toronto.

Wednesday, January 13, 6 pm to 7 (Regina Time).

Free tickets are limited. [RSVP at EventBrite.](#)

Voting Like a Catholic

"If you vote for a certain political party, you'll go to hell."

"I can't vote because there's no truly Catholic option."

These are just two common myths about voting as a Catholic. What does the Church teach us about our responsibility to vote? And how do we discern our consciences and choose who to vote for? In this webinar, we interview Catholic author and theologian Dr. Brett Salkeld on how to truly vote like a Catholic.

Wednesday, January 20, 6 pm to 7 (Regina Time).

Free tickets are limited. [RSVP at EventBrite](#).

ArchRegina Weekly Workshops

The Archdiocese of Regina Pastoral Services Department is pleased to offer a new online series to support parishes - the ArchRegina Weekly Workshops. Beginning Thursday, January 21 at noon, and continuing the same time each week. There will be presentations from various departments on a wide range of topics with time for Q & A.

- January 21 – Lisa Polk, Director of Pastoral Services, Introduction to the Weekly Workshop, bring your suggestions for future topics.
- January 28 –Topic TBD
- February 4 –Topic TBD

[Zoom Link](#).

Revive Parishes

The Archdiocese of Regina is pleased to provide free, online faith formation and leadership training through a partnership with Revive Parishes. Revive is a free online platform with a variety of resources to help parish leaders learn, grow, and renew their parishes. Featuring courses lead by renowned Catholic speakers like Mark Hart, Pat Lencioni, Fr. Mike Schmitz, and Chris Stefanick, Revive offers leadership training in areas of parish renewal, evangelization, stewardship and giving, parish communications, and more. For more information and free access to online courses, visit [Revive Parishes](#).

Emmaus Family Support

One in five families in our parishes and neighbourhoods are affected by mental health challenges. Emmaus Family Support offers peer-led support for mental health caregivers. We are a gathering of individuals who are the primary caregivers of loved ones experiencing mental health challenges that meet on the fourth Thursday of each month to share prayer, mental health resources, and life experience. Our focus is on shared learning, building resiliency, walking together, and moving toward healthier lives for ourselves and those we care for. If you would like more information on how to take part, please [email Deacon Eric Gurash](#).

Helping the Cuernavaca Project With Recyclables

The project can benefit from your donation of Sarcán recyclables at any Sarcán location in Regina. Use the keyword **project** when you use the Drop and Go option.

Archdiocese of Regina Weekly Report

[Sign up](#) for the Archdiocese of Regina Weekly Report and stay up to date on Covid-19 Updates and other news, delivered to your inbox every Friday morning.

A Spiritual Act of Communion for those Self Isolating

Jesus, you who are present to us in so many ways, help me to experience your presence at this moment. May your words inspire me and your Holy Spirit instill within me the desire to recognize you in others. Awaken within me now the deep sense of your love and compassion which will transform my heart to be more like yours. Amen.



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Covid-19 Screening Questionnaire

For the protection and health of all in our St. Cecilia community, each person wanting to come to the church must take this self-assessment.

1.	Do you have any of the following symptoms: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Feeling unwell including fever, cough, sore throat.• Nausea, Vomiting, Diarrhea.• Unexplained loss of appetite.• Loss of sense of taste or smell.
2.	Have you travelled outside of Canada in the last 14 days?
3.	Have you had close contact without a mask or other appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) with someone who has travelled outside of Canada in the last 14 days?
4.	Have you had close contact without a mask or other appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) in the last 14 days with someone who is ill with Covid-19 symptoms?
5.	Have you or anyone in your household had close contact without a mask or other appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) in the last 14 days with someone who is being investigated or confirmed to be a case of Covid-19?

If you answered "Yes" to any of the above questions, you are encouraged to stay home and DO NOT come to the Church at this time.

If you answered "No" to all the above questions, you may come to the Church.