



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

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St. Cecilia parish is located on Treaty 4 Territory, the traditional lands of the Nêhiyawak (neh HEY o wuk), Nahkawé (NUK ah way), and Nakota, and homeland of the Dakota, Lakota, and Métis peoples.

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, July 3, 2022



"He said to them, 'The harvest is abundant, but the laborers are few...'" Luke 10:2

As Catholics we are all called to serve. Each of us has been given "charisms" otherwise known as gifts from the Holy Spirit to help build God's Church. Our charisms can only be used for good. We know that we are using them in the right ministry when we are filled with joy and we want to share stories about our charitable works.

Discern how God is calling you to use your charisms. Say "yes" to what God is calling you to do and then do it! Share your joy and invite others to do the same.

This Week's Masses

Monday	July 4	No Mass.
Tuesday	July 5	11 am – Velma Van Buekenhout Funeral.
Wednesday	July 6	10 am – Intentions of Anne Chase requested by St. Cecilia CWL.
Thursday	July 7	10 am – RIP Sheila Buzash requested by Bernadette Warnke.
Friday	July 8	10 am – RIP Angie Keryliw requested by Alvena Krushelniski.
Saturday	July 9	7 pm.
Sunday	July 10	10 am.

Sunday Livestream Mass

If you are not able to join us for Mass in person, join us online at 10 am for our livestream Mass.

Use one of these ways:

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

Covid Guidelines

Masking is optional in all indoor spaces at St. Cecilia. If you choose to wear a mask, we are committed to being **mask friendly**. You are encouraged to continue mask use for as long as you feel it is necessary, based on your personal risk assessment. Masks are available in the entrance area. The Archdiocese continues to encourage parishes to be cautious and prudent. [These recommendations](#) will continue to be followed at St. Cecilia.

Summer Office Hours

For July and August, the office hours are Monday to Friday, 9 am to Noon.

Friday Mass Time Change

The weekly St. Cecilia Livestream of Friday Mass for the Archdiocese Weekday Mass Schedule ended on June 24. The Friday Mass is at 10 am.

Thank You from the Parish Community Building Team

A BIG "THANK YOU" to everyone who attended our Family Fun Day on June 26 in the church parking lot. We are grateful for the many wonderful prize donations. Over 100 children registered to play games of skill and chance and were excited to choose a prize at the end. To the many volunteers – THANK YOU for your help. Greatly appreciated! It was a fun filled afternoon of games and food. Even the weather provided an enjoyable afternoon! God was on our side. It was a great event.

Baking for Marian Centre

The Marian Centre welcomes baked goods to serve with the hot meals in their dining room.

If you can help with baked goods, package them in a container or bag that you do not need returned and bring them to the church during office hours by Friday 9 am.



itwewin Corner (itwewin is the Cree word which means ‘the word’ or ‘as it is said...’)

Fr. John, Archdiocese of Regina Truth and Reconciliation Healing Committee.

Did you know... “Pipe ceremonies were held as a part of treaty making. The smoking of the Pipe signified two important conditions for the First Nations and the British Crown/Canada when Treaty 4 was negotiated and signed. “The smoking of the pipe is more than a handshake of friendship; it contains a spiritual connection with the Creator as a witness to the solemn oath.” (OTC, 2008, We are All Treaty People, p.49).

Papal Visit to Canada – Walking Together

The Archdiocese of Regina is involved in some of the planning for the visit of Pope Francis to Western Canada. This historic event will be an occasion to support survivors of residential schools and for non-Indigenous people to be in solidarity through prayer and in concrete ways. The June 26 bulletin included a [letter from Archbishop Don Bolen](#), asking your support in a variety of ways, to help in the reconciliation process.

Stay up to date on the papal visit news and events. [Subscribe here](#).

Final Synod Report

The reports of parishes, groups, and individuals across the Archdiocese have been compiled into a report that was studied at the Archdiocesan Synod Gathering on Saturday, May 28. It has now been revised based on the discussion at the Gathering. This is a report on the process and on the submissions heard by the Synod Team. Topics that are not covered were not included in the submissions received by the Synod Team. This document does not reach any conclusions or endorse any particular proposals. The document has been sent to the Assembly of Western Catholic Bishops where it will be incorporated into a Western Canada synthesis. [Read the report](#).

Dr. Brett Salkeld, Dr. Charlie Camosy, and Jonathon Van Maren on Roe vs Wade - Part 1

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

Host Dr. Brett Salkeld is joined by ethicist, Dr. Charlie Camosy and Jonathon Van Maren of the Canadian Centre for Bio-Ethical Reform to discuss the recent overturning of Roe vs Wade by the US Supreme Court and the public discourse around the issue of abortion in Canada and the US.

Show Snippet: "80% of Canadians don't know that it is not restricted at all. We go door-to-door having discussions on this...half the people you talk to will Google it and check it on their phone because they don't actually believe you that this is the case..." [Listen to the podcast](#).

The Archdiocese Lay Formation Program

"I'd love to take the course, but I want to wait until; my kids are grown, I can slow down at work, I'm retired..."

The sad truth is, nearly 75% of young people, even those raised in religious homes, will leave the Church by the time they are 25 - well before many of us retire! Some of the most common reasons given for leaving one's faith behind include; perceived conflicts between faith and science, Christians behaving badly, a lack of evidence for the existence of God and difficulties with some of the Church's teachings. Our sons and daughters need mentors who are "well-trained and animated by a sincere faith. Whose life has been touched by the personal and merciful love of Jesus Christ" (Pope Francis).

One weekend per month from October 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 our Fall intake. Please contact Program Coordinator, Deacon Eric Gurash at 306-352-1651 ext 211 or egurash@archregina.sk.ca.

Saints in Our Lives: From the Early Christian Martyrs to People Magazine

Public Lecture: Monday July 11, 7 pm to 9. Fr. Ron Rolheiser OMI. The most powerful books ever written are not written on paper but in the lives, faces, and witness of real people who inspire us and whose lives we want to emulate. For many centuries this was an important way Christian spirituality was taught. We were given the lives of the saints to imitate. For reasons ranging from the way many of the lives of the saints were written to the fact that many people today see the lives of the rich and famous as the "lives of the saints", devotion to the saints today has sharply declined. We are the poorer for this. What do the saints of old still have to tell us? Who are the saints of today? Hagiography in a new key.

On Zoom, \$50 for Monday evening only, or part of the complete retreat July 11 - 14 (zoom or in-person). See [Queen's House website](#) for registration and further details.

From Fear to Love: Spiritual Grounding in Anxious Times

We live in trying times. Despite the unbelievable advances in almost every area of life, advances our grandparents would be hard-pressed to even imagine, life is unavoidably anxious, stressful, and unpredictable.

Admittedly, we can't do much to change the ways of the world, but we can offer an amazing new series of 5 practical and profound meditational videos that will help anchor and sustain you during these difficult days.

Beginning July 16, the Henri Nouwen Society is delighted to present From Fear to Love: Spiritual Grounding in Anxious Times with Rev. Marjorie J. Thompson. Every week for 5 weeks, we will introduce a free video on our [HNS YouTube channel](#). Each video is designed to offer you insights and practices on how to enrich, deepen, and strengthen your spiritual life, and how to better cope with the stresses that threaten to erode your physical, mental, and spiritual wellbeing. An invaluable and much-needed resource for these challenging times! There will be support materials to accompany the videos available as free PDF downloads. To access these materials, you will need to [register here](#).

Second World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly Plenary Indulgence

Sunday, July 24 marks the Second World Day of Prayer for Grandparents and the Elderly. On this day you may obtain a plenary indulgence. For the elderly, you may obtain this plenary indulgence by either attending Mass or participating in a Mass on TV, the radio, or on a livestream. Young people may obtain this indulgence by performing a 'work of mercy' by visiting a grandparent or an elderly person on July 24.

[Message of His Holiness Pope Francis for the second World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly.](#)

88th Pilgrimage to Notre Dame d'Auvergne - Ponteix

Saturday, July 16 from 2 pm to 9. Theme: With Mary, we are all one in Jesus (Gal 3:28). Speaker: Fr. John Baptist Okai.

2 pm – Welcome & Presentation; 3 – Chaplet of Divine Mercy; 3:30 – Coffee break at the Parish Hall; 4 – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Sacrament of Reconciliation; 4:50 – Anointing of the Sick; 5:30 – Supper in the Parish Hall; 7:30 – Holy Mass presided by Fr. John Baptist Okai, followed by a candlelight procession with the Pietà. Lunch to follow in the Parish Hall.

Youth Leadership Camps

Join the Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry for an amazing camp experience geared for young people going into grades 10 – 1st year University on July 18 - 21 and for students going into grades 7 - 9 on July 25 - 27. Join us for medieval themed fun, faith, and friends! [More information and register.](#)

Young Adults Retreat

Young adults 19 and up are invited to attend the 2nd annual “Press Pause and Pray” retreat July 23 and 24 at Glen Harbour Camp. Join us for leisurely meals, meaningful conversations, time for both community and quiet prayer in the beauty of nature. [More information and register.](#)

Catholic Summer Fun

Outdoor adventures, canoes, swimming lessons, capture the flag, and campfire sing-alongs - it is camp the way you remember it! The Kenosee Boys and Girls Camp located in the beautiful Moose Mountain Provincial Park is accepting registrations for their July camps.

There are three different camps throughout July: Mighty Girls Camp (July 10 – 15), Co-ed Camp (July 17 – 22 FULL & July 24 - 29), and Cana Family Camp (July 3 – 9). During Cana Camp families can stay in one of our cabins or bring their camper. Camp consists of counsellor-led children's activities during the day, parent time, and family time (Cana Camp), daily mass, and lots of fun and games for everyone! All camps focus on nature, spirituality, and fun!

[Learn more and register](#) or contact Michael Paul at campkenosee@gmail.com or 306-550-1102.

Camp O'Neill Summer Camp

Camp O'Neill, Round Lake is accepting youth for summer camp, July 6 – 12. Cost is \$200. We also invite youth with special needs for a one-day camp on July 12 and families for camping on the same day. These camps are both free. If you would like more information or if you would like to sponsor a youth, email Doris at camponeill2020@gmail.com or phone Deacon Dave at 306-728 5525 or go to camponeill.ca

Philomena Walking Pilgrimage

The 4th annual Saint Philomena Walking Pilgrimage is scheduled for August 11 - 14. This is a supported walk. Rest stops and meals are provided and a trailer carries camping supplies between nightly stops. Pilgrims are invited to join for the complete walk, a few steps, or anything in between. Registration deadline is August 4.

The pilgrimage begins at St. Mary Church in Yorkton on August 11 and ends at Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine in Rama on August 14. For more information visit stphilomena.ca or phone Deacon Dave or Bev at 306-728-5525.

Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes Pilgrimage

The annual pilgrimage at Rama is August 14 and 15 (The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary). Information and booking for dinner on August 14 can be found [here](#).

Resurrection Parish Vacation Bible School

August 8 to 12, from 9 am to Noon. Kindergarten to Grade 5. Registration deadline is July 15. For more information and registration see the [Resurrection Parish website](#).

Made for Greatness 'Fearless'

At Made for Greatness we've served Saskatchewan's Catholic men since 2017. This year, inspired by the story of St. Peter walking on water, we are excited to bring you our 5th annual men's event: Fearless. Rising out of the COVID restrictions, many of us are still bruised. The past couple years have been challenging for all of us and the future seems almost insurmountable. A storm is brewing; we can see it rise globally, within in our communities, and even among our families. Resonating more than the uncertainty of what's to come is the voice of Jesus, calling me and you to walk with him on the water. Like Peter, Jesus calls us to Fearlessly move forward. Keynote Speaker is Fr. Juan Diego Sutherland, Franciscan Friars of the Renewal.

September 9 and 10. Christ the King Parish, 3239 Garnet St. Cost: On or before August 1 - \$100. After - \$150.

For more information, email fearless@made4greatness.ca. [Register online here](#) or phone Terry 306-539-2809.