

## PARISH ACTIVITIES

### Notre Dame Parish Fall Supper



The Notre Dame Parish Fall Supper was a big success! Thank you very much for your generous contributions and for your help in making this event a wonderful gathering of our parish family. We couldn't have done it without the help of so many parishioners and volunteers. We are pleased to announce that we made a profit of \$5,789.84 for our parish.

### CWL

Membership fees of \$30 for 2019 are now due. Please either submit your payment to Helen Kayfish, or place it in the collection basket.

### Notre Dame Parish "Visions of Sugarplums" Supper Auction will be held at the Tropical Inn on **Saturday, November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2018.**

Tickets are available for \$40 each, and may be purchased after Masses or at the Parish office. Doors will open at 5:00 pm for viewing and cocktails. Supper will be served at 6:30 pm, followed by the live auction. Please get into the spirit of things and celebrate with us!

### Meetings

**Forming Intentional Disciples:** Thursdays @ 7:00 pm Rectory  
**Fundraising:** Mon. Nov. 5 @ 2:00 pm Rectory  
**Responsible Ministry Meeting:** Sat. Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup> @ 10:00 am St. Bernadette Hall  
**CWL:** Wed. Nov. 14<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 pm St. Bernadette Hall  
**PFC:** Tues. Nov. 13<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30 pm Rectory  
**K of C:** Wed. Nov. 21<sup>st</sup> @ 8:00 pm St. André  
**PPC:** Tues. Nov. 27<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 pm St. Bernadette Hall

### St. Joseph Calasanctius Parish Fall Supper

Sunday, Nov. 4<sup>th</sup> from 4:30 – 7:00 pm  
 Adults \$14; 6-10 yrs. \$6; 5 & under free  
 Take-out meals available.

To order, call the Parish Office @ 445-1695  
 Nov. 2, 9 am -5 pm & Nov. 3, 1-3 pm.

You can get your **Catholic calendars** for the year **2019** now from the back of the church for only **\$5.00**.

The next **Baptism preparation class** will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 6<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30 pm in St. Bernadette Hall.

### Ladies Night Out **Trust and Confidence: Coming to God and Knowing we are Loved**

**Thursday, Nov. 8, 2018**  
**St. Vital Parish Hall - Tickets \$20**  
 Deadline to purchase tickets: Friday Nov. 2  
 For info and to purchase tickets call St. Vital Parish @ 937-7340  
 Or Shannon Bailey at 445-2179

**Fellowship @ 5:30; Supper @ 6:00**  
**Speaker:** Lisa Anderson; **Entertainment:** Danielle Weiler  
*We will spend some time this evening refreshing our hope, being encouraged and reminded anew that we can confidently trust and come to know God in this life and have a relationship that will grow forever in eternity. Drawing especially on parts of the life and witness of St. Therese of Lisieux and her reassurance that we are loved and lovable and that God's mercy is alive for us and for all our concerns.*

Sponsored by St. Vital CWL

### Blue Mass at John Paul II Collegiate

**On Wed. Nov. 7<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 am at JP II**, Father Greg, students and staff will be hosting a Blue Mass to honor and pray for our fallen Soldiers, Veterans, First Responder's and Front line workers who dedicate their lives to the safety, care and wellness of our society. We invite our community to attend and support our efforts to show gratitude in prayer to those who work so selflessly to protect and care for us all.  
 Seating for Community guests will be in the second row at the front of the gym behind our ministries. Thank you for sharing in this celebration of gratitude and remembrance.

### For Our Lady of Lourdes home visits, **please call 445-3836.**

**Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>:** Helen Kayfish 480-4650  
**Nov. 16<sup>th</sup>:** Agnes Winterhalt 446-2014  
**Nov. 30<sup>th</sup>:** Rose Kopp 446-2467

**For prayer requests call: Prayer Line:  
 445-8338/ 441-4123**



**First Sat. Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup> 10:30 am Sask. Hosp.**  
*For the residents of Sask. Hospital.*

**7:00 pm Notre Dame**  
*For the intentions of the people, and special intentions of Peter Pielak.*

**Sun. Nov. 4<sup>th</sup> 9:30 am St. André**  
*For the intentions of the people.*

**11:00 am Notre Dame**  
*For ✠ Destiny Joy Andersen by Joe and Jaki Esquirol and family.*

**5:00 pm Notre Dame**  
*For the intentions of the people.*

**Mon. Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> 6:00 pm Notre Dame**  
*For the intentions of the Xavier family.*

**Tues. Nov. 6<sup>th</sup> 10:30 am Villa**  
*For special intentions of a friend by Rose.*

**Wed. Nov. 7<sup>th</sup> 9:30 am Notre Dame**  
*For special intentions of Marilyn Pavka.*  
**Adoration from 10- 5 pm**

**Thurs. Nov. 8<sup>th</sup> 10:00 am Harwood**  
*In Thanksgiving by a parishioner.*

**Fri. Nov. 9<sup>th</sup> 9:30 am St. André**  
*For the intentions of Kari-Lynn Nichols by Raymonde Doucette.*

**Sat. Nov. 10<sup>th</sup> 7:00 pm Notre Dame**  
*For the intentions of the people, and for ✠ Denis and Emmanuel Daniel, by Albert and Hélène Blais.*

**Sun. Nov. 11<sup>th</sup> 9:30 am St. André**  
*For the intentions of the people.*  
**11:00 am Notre Dame**  
*For the intentions of the CWL.*

**5:00 pm Notre Dame**  
*For the intentions of the people.*

## DIOCESAN ACTIVITIES

**Bishop's Annual Appeal:**  
**"What Must We Do... to Build the Kingdom of God?"**  
**October 14 – December 31, 2018**  
 Every gift is greatly appreciated!  
**PARISH GOAL: \$16,995.00**

Doing the little things in life in Christ's name can be a great way for us to take the steps necessary to become a better disciple. St. Thérèse de Lisieux once said: "You know well enough that our Lord does not look so much at the greatness of your actions, nor even at their difficulty, but at the love at which we do them." Please give generously to this year's Bishop's Annual Appeal.

**Donations to date: 20 pledges**  
**Total: \$4,035.00**

### Clergy Update

**Deanery 1:** Father Michael Averyt will retire from parish ministry effective Oct. 22, 2018. However, he will continue to serve as the Director of Permanent Diaconate Program and for replacement ministry when possible, at the discretion of the Vicar General.

**Deanery I Clergy** in combined service, and in an interim appointment, will be serving the parish of Our Lady of Czestochowa until a permanent appointment can be arranged. This may extend until August 2019.

**Deanery 1: Fr. Tuan Doan** is appointed as Interim Dean for Deanery 1 until further notice.

### Catholic Youth Conference with adult track - **Face to Face United Ministries**

Come experience true joy and peace with 370+ other Catholics as together we spend time laughing, growing, and praying. Inviting all youth grades 9 -12 and adults who hunger for more out of their faith.

**November 17-18 Holy Family Cathedral, Saskatoon**  
 Register online at [www.f2f.ca](http://www.f2f.ca)

### Christmas Baking Trays - JP II

**10<sup>th</sup> Annual Baking Tray Sale** with proceeds this year going to The Community Youth Travel Club and the Community Mission Team. Purchase your beautifully wrapped **baking tray for ONLY \$25.00** with approx. 30 delicious homemade baking items. Perfect for staff parties, the office, Christmas holidays and gift giving! Delivery dates Dec. 4<sup>th</sup> or Dec. 18<sup>th</sup>. Call Roxanne @ 481-5501 to order yours. Orders are due no later than November 30<sup>th</sup>. Thank you for supporting our youth.

## ***MINISTRY MASS SCHEDULE***

	Sat. Nov. 3 7:00 pm	Sun. Nov. 4 11:00 am	Sun. Nov. 4 5:00 pm	Sat. Nov. 10 7:00 pm	Sun. Nov. 11 11:00 am	Sun. Nov. 11 5:00 pm
<b>Captain</b>	<b>Janice dela Cruz 445-2011</b>	<b>Helen Kayfish 480-4650</b>	<b>Rose Balfour 446-3063</b>	<b>Janice dela Cruz 445-2011</b>	<b>Helen Kayfish 480-4650</b>	<b>Rose Balfour 446-3063</b>
<b>Greeters</b>	I. & D. Alcantara	Lorenzo Quito Vince Ledon	B. Geering & volunteer	M. & M. Peralta	CWL	B. Semeniuk & volunteer
<b>Gift Bearers</b>	I. & D. Alcantara	Andrea, Avary Mikaela, Anne	B. Geering & volunteer	M. & M. Peralta	CWL	B. Semeniuk & volunteer
<b>Commentary Announcements</b>	M. Rousseau	Von Ledon Kayla L.	L. Wiegiers	J. Quito	CWL	T. Prentice
<b>Proclaimers</b>	L. Douville Maricar Peralta	Mathews A. Jacob V. Erik L.	R. Balfour T. Prentice	R. Smith M. A. Tupil	CWL	J. Jangula A. Jangula
<b>Minister of Bread</b>	M. Isla	H. Blais	B. Znack	Deacon Gil	Deacon Gil	Deacon Gil
<b>Ministers of Cup</b>	S. Heroux A. Kzyzyk	J. Vany D. Kufeldt H. Menssa A. Vany	L. Wiegiers G. Gantefoer	D. & I. Alcantara	CWL	B. Geering J. Roberto
<b>Altar servers</b>	_____	Erin X. Aaron X.	_____	_____	Evan, Vince, Mathews	_____
<b>Ushers/ collection</b>	volunteers	Matthew N. Bria, Evan Lucas N.	volunteers	volunteers	CWL	volunteers

### ***Spiritual Adoption Program***

#### ***Welcome Spiritually Adopted Babies!***

To celebrate, we are accepting donations of NEW, unwrapped baby gifts. **All donated gifts will be given to local women in need.** Suggestions include: Disposable diapers (sizes, 3, 4, 5), powdered formula, sleepers (sizes 3 mos. & up), baby blankets, towel sets, pacifiers, baby lotion, shampoo, etc. **Gifts will be gratefully received at all masses until Nov. 11<sup>th</sup>, 2018.**  
**THANK YOU TO ALL WHO PARTICIPATED IN THIS SPIRITUAL ADOPTION PROGRAM.**

### **Sunday's Collections:**

**Oct. 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

*Loose - \$373.50 Envelopes - \$1,057.00*

*Pre-authorized \$1,343.00*

#### **Thank you for your generosity**

***Enumerators for Nov. 6<sup>th</sup>, 2018***

***Phyllis Cook and Dorothy Manegre***

***Total collections to Aug. 31<sup>st</sup>, 2018 - \$77,910***

***Total collections budget for 2018 - \$118,000***

### ***Vocation Corner***

**A Vocation View:** The year is quickly ending. Years, like our lives, go by too quickly. Do you know yet that the purpose of life is to love God above all, and love of your neighbour as yourself? Tell others before it is too late.

**Prayer:** For the holiness of all those called to love Jesus with undivided hearts by living the Beatitudes as priests, deacons or in the consecrated life, we pray to the Lord.

**Action:** At last I have found my vocation: My vocation is love. Saint Thérèse of Lisieux.

To pray for Vocations, please call to have the **Vocations Cross.**

**Please enter the names of your departed loved ones in the binder so that we can all pray for them during the month of November.**

### ***Parking Lot Notice***

Thank you to all who park their vehicles as near to the yellow bumper blocks as possible. This makes it much easier for parishioners to back out after services. If you use this parking lot, you will understand!

## ***Notre Dame de Lourdes Parish***

***1201 – 105<sup>th</sup> Street, North Battleford, SK. S9A 1S8***

***Phone: 306-445-3836 Fax: 306-445-6675***

Email: [notredame.nb@gmail.com](mailto:notredame.nb@gmail.com) Web page: [www.notredameparish.ca](http://www.notredameparish.ca)

*Facebook page: Notre Dame de Lourdes Battlefords; send photos to [loeps@sasktel.net](mailto:loeps@sasktel.net)*



***Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018***

### ***Pastor: Fr. Cuong Luong***

***Confessions before mass or by appointment. Call 445-3836.***

### ***Parish Secretaries:***

***Rose Balfour & Rose McDonald***

***Caretaker: Craig Treiber***

### ***Office Hours:***

***Tuesday – Friday 9:00 – 12:00 & 1:00 – 5:00***

### ***Parish Council Members:***

***Chairperson - Shaun Loepky***

***Roseanne Smith, Charles Day, Hélène Blais,***

***Dianne Kufeldt, Helen Kayfish***

***Secretary - Rose Balfour***

### ***Parish Finance Members:***

***Chairperson - Chris Pollard***

***Arun Chacko, Jaki Esquirol, Peter Pielak,***

***Irene Rathke, John Jangula***

***Fundraising Chair: Debbie MacGregor***

## **November 4, 2018 — Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Today's Gospel presents Jesus' teachings on the two greatest commandments. Love the Lord with all your heart, soul, mind, and strength. And, love your neighbor as yourself.



Let's consider these ***“greatest commandments”*** as they relate to three aspects of a Christian steward's daily life — the giving of our time, talent and treasure.

The use of time refers primarily to our relationship with the Lord — in other words, our prayer life. Since time is a gift to me from God, I show my love for Him and my gratitude for this gift by giving Him the best portion of my time. Of course it is vital to talk to God throughout the day, but if I really want to love Him with all my heart, soul, mind and strength, shouldn't I make time for God ***“first”*** on my agenda each day? Not as an afterthought, but as a time I have intentionally chosen to spend only with Him.

The use of talents refers to the way I offer the abilities, skills, and interests the Lord has given me for the good of those around me. Doing so is a practical way to ***“love my neighbor as myself.”*** At the same time it is also a way to love the Lord with all that I am and have, since He has told us that whatever we do for others we are also doing for Him.

The use of material gifts — or treasure — likewise demonstrates both love of God and of neighbor. When I trustingly offer a sacrificial gift to God through the offertory collection I am showing Him in a very tangible way that He comes before all else in my life and I am putting my material resources at the service of my neighbor in the parish community and beyond.

When we live for God and others, we are living a stewardship way of life. And like the wise scribe in today's Gospel, we are moving closer to the kingdom of God, our ultimate destination.

### DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE

Join the movement! Take action for justice by becoming a member of Development and Peace.

***Development and Peace is offering free lifetime membership to celebrate its 50th anniversary.***

Please sign up using the postage paid card found in the entrance, or go to [www.devp.org](http://www.devp.org) for more information.

### **AUTO-DEBIT**

***Have you ever considered making your weekly church donations using auto-debit?***

***By doing this, you can eliminate writing cheques or looking for some cash when you make your donation. The donation is automatically transferred from your bank account to the church after your authorization. This can be set up at the Parish Office. For more information, forms are available in a pocket at the back of the church or you may contact the Parish Office 306-445-3836.***

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### **Mass Times for the Lake Area**

Ste Rose de Lima, Cochin—9:00 am every Sunday

Holy Cross, Glaslyn-----11:00 am every Sunday

St. Charles, Moosomin-----1:00 pm every Sunday

St. Leon, Jackfish----7:00 pm every Saturday all year

Christ the King, Edam-----9:00 am every Sunday

Our Lady of Fatima, Meota----10:15 am every Sunday

St. Hippolyte, Vawn-----11:30 am every 2nd weekend

For [Our Lady of Lourdes](#) home visits, please call 445-3836.

**When you have finished with the statue, please call the next person on the list or the office.**

### **Bishop's Annual Appeal**

Thank you to all who generously donated to the Bishop's Annual Appeal.

Our goal was \$18,114.00. As of Dec. 30, 2017 the Bishop's Annual Appeal has received 61 pledges in the amount of \$16,090.00.

We are still awaiting the final report.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO  
CHRISTIAN AND DALISAY LEGASPI  
ON THE BAPTISM OF THEIR  
DAUGHTER CHRISTABELLE, AND  
CONGRATULATIONS TO EDGAR  
AND MARY ANN MENDOZA ON THE  
BAPTISM OF THEIR DAUGHTER  
ELISHA. WELCOME TO OUR  
CATHOLIC FAMILY.**

### **SERENA**

Are you interested in Natural Family Planning?

If so, please visit the website at [www.saskserena.ca](http://www.saskserena.ca), or see *The Coverline*, their news publication on the bulletin board at the back.

### **NEW PARISHIONERS & ADDRESS CHANGE**

*(Please complete this form and place in the collection basket)*

Name: .....

Address:.....

Postal code:.....Phone:.....

I/We wish to have Church Offertory Envelopes:

Yes.....No.....

Auto Debit: Yes.....No.....

Email address:.....

Date:.....

**Notre Dame Parish 2018 calendars and Sunday Missals are available for \$5 at the back of the church.**

### **Lost and Found**

If you are missing a **key**, please call the parish office, as one was left in the church a few weeks ago. Also, please check the entrance of the church for lost items.

### **TOONIE GROUP Guitar LESSONS**

**At St. Bernadette Hall**

**Beginners: Sundays @6:30 pm**

**Intermediate: Mondays, @ 6:30 pm**

**Advanced: Mondays, @ 7:45 pm**

For information call Sister Rita @ 306 445-2805

***Prayer Line: 445-8338/ 441-4123***

### **RCIA and RCIC**

If you know of anyone who is interested in learning more about the Catholic faith, and they are wishing to receive the sacraments of Baptism, Holy Eucharist and Confirmation, please have them call the parish office to register as soon as possible. RCIA classes for adults and older youth usually start in early fall, and RCIC for children begins in January.