## **PARISH ACTIVITIES**

### WELCOME TO NOTRE DAME PARISH

To register, please call 306-445-3836.

Make sure we get your email address!

Regular office hours are Tuesday, Wednesday, &
Thursday from 9 am - noon and 1 - 4 pm. In case
of emergencies when a priest is needed, please call
Father Millan at 306-260-7786.

#### **Battlefords District Food and Resource Centre**

We will continue to collect items throughout the year. Please place nonperishable items and personal hygiene products in the barrel in the entrance of the church. Phone # 306-937-5505.

#### We are in search of more volunteers!

If you would like to be part of an outreach ministry, bringing the Word of God and communion to Villa Pascal or Sask. Hospital once a month, please contact the parish office. Training will be provided.

Notre Dame Parish



Fall Supper

Sunday, November 2, 2025

St. Joseph Calasanctius Hall 1942 98<sup>th</sup> St.

4:30 - 7:00 pm

Adults \$20.00 each

Children \$ 10.00 (6-12yrs.)

5 & under Free

Family rate (immediate) \$50.00









Turkey, ham, vegetables, salads, spring rolls, dessert. Something for everyone to enjoy!

The Jubilee of World Education is being celebrated in Rome from Oct. 31 – November 2. The Diocesan Evangelization and Catechesis Commission is encouraging parishes to celebrate those teaching the children in our communities by bringing baskets of treats to the parish's community school staff. We are looking for someone from our parish to coordinate this project. If that someone is you, please call the office at 445-3836.

#### Tri-parish Youth Night

Friday, Oct. 24 from 7:00 m to 8:30 pm
All Saints Party
at St. Vital Parish Hall

- Fun & Games!
- Bring one bag of candy (per family) to share
- Wear Saint or Bible character costume

#### **Guadalupe Circle**

Where: Notre Dame de Lourdes Parish North Battleford, Sask. When: Friday, October 24, at 6:30 pm



# **CWL**

Welcome new members! Meetings are on the second Wednesday of the month, except over the summer. Fees for 2026 are set at \$45.00.

# **Upcoming Meetings**

PPC: Wed. Oct. 22, 7:00 pm St. B. Hall Guadalupe Circle: Fri. Oct. 24, 6:30 pm

**4<sup>th</sup> Degree Knights:** Thurs. Oct. 23, 6:15 pm St. Andre

**RCIA:** Thurs. Oct. 16 & Tues. Oct. 28, 7:00 pm

**COR:** Thurs. Oct. 30, 6:30 pm



Sat. Oct. 18<sup>th</sup> 7:00 pm Notre Dame

For the intentions of the people, and for # Kathryn Taillieu by Notre Dame School Staff.

Sun. Oct. 19<sup>th</sup> 9:30 am St. André For the intentions of the people.

11:00 am Notre Dame

For the intentions of the people.

5:00 pm Notre Dame

For # Ofelia Legario by Neo Legario.

Mon. Oct. 20th No Mass

**Tues. Oct. 21**st

9:30 am Notre Dame

For T Darrell Tucker Campbell by Linda and family.

Wed. Oct. 22<sup>nd</sup> 9:30 am Notre Dame For 

# Arnold, 
# Monnie & # Kathy Gantefoer by Glen and family.

Thurs. Oct. 23<sup>rd</sup> 9:30 am Notre Dame For #Pat Logan by Notre Dame School Staff.

Fri. Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> 9:30 am St. André St. Mary School Mass

For  $\frac{1}{4}$  deceased relatives of Sr. Rita Bisson.

Sat. Oct. 25<sup>th</sup> 7:00 pm Notre Dame For the intentions of the people, and for all frontline workers by Eduardo Ledon and family.

**Sun. Oct. 26**th 9:30 am St. André For the intentions of the people.

11:00 am Notre Dame

For the intentions of Erna Day by Eucharistic Apostles of Divine Mercy.

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

Coffee and Donuts Sunday, Oct. 19; 12:00 Noon in St. Bernadette Hall

## **Diocesan Events**

#### "NEW HEART WHOLE HEART".

A parish-based resource exploring how life's painful experiences affect our mental health and spiritual well-being. Featured speakers include Bishop Stephen A. Hero, Mike Carotta, Deacon Eric & Melissa Gurash, and Callam & Laura Olver, who will share insights and stories of healing, hope and renewal.

Please join us on: October 25, 2025 9:00 am to 3:30 pm Plaza 88, Prince Albert.

Join us in healing, reflection and renewal. Come be inspired. All are welcome.

Register with your parish by October 17, 2025 Sponsored by the Bishop's Annual Appeal

Horizons of Hope
November 8<sup>th</sup>, 2025 at St. Vital Parish Hall
9:00 am - 3:00 pm - Lunch included.

Please contact Bernie Maddaford – 306-481-4813 Email: berniemaddaford@gmail.com



MINISTRY MASS SCHEDULE						
Date	Oct. 18	Oct. 19	Oct. 19	Oct. 25	Oct. 26	Oct. 26
	7:00 pm	11:00 am	5:00 pm	7:00 pm	11:00 am	5:00 pm
Captains	M. Rousseau 445-4367	H. Kayfish 639-218-4031	R. Balfour 446-3063	M. Rousseau 445-4367	H. Kayfish 639-218-4031	R. Balfour 446-3063
Greeters	Clem McGrath	C. Treiber M. Devonshire	Val Yockey	Cherry Gonzales	D. Dudek M. Wintonyk	Bill Semeniuk
Gift Bearers	C. McGrath L. Pollard	M. Devonshire Vince Ledon	Maria H. Maggie H.	Maricel & Dexter Olipas	D. Dudek M. Wintonyk	Bill S. Tu Pham
Commentary Announcements	Murielle Rousseau	Jeena Mathew	Rose Balfour	Cherry Gonzales	John Vany	Val Yockey
1 <sup>st</sup> R. & Psalm 2 <sup>nd</sup> R. & prayers	Chris Pollard	M. Waschuk John Vany	Val Yockey	Hazel Plaza	D. Mac Gregor H. Blais	Reina Acosta
Body of Christ Blood of Christ Blood of Christ	J. Dela Cruz D. Alcantara I. Alcantara	P. Pielak D. MacGregor H. Blais	Val Yockey R. Balfour Bill S.	M. Rousseau M. Isla I. Alcantara	T. Brost J. Mathew B. Nachtegaele	Glen G. Rose B Bill S.
Altar Servers	Dannuel S. Anneia S. Ethan P.	Chelsea L. Summer R. Ellie U.	Tu Pham Luke H. Michael H.	Dannuel S. Anneia S. Nathaniel DC	Yuan L. Mikaella L. Johan J.	Kayden K. Aiden K. Alechjo A.
Ushers		Marie & volunteers			Marie & volunteers	
Collectors	volunteers	Craig, Glenn Larry, Perry	Aiden K. Eduardo L.	volunteers	John, Craig Laurier, Perry	Maggie H. Michael H.

If you are unable to attend when scheduled, please find a replacement, or contact the captain.

The <u>Fundraising Committee</u> asks that you buy or sell at least one book of tickets in support of our parish. If you would like more, please sign them out by a committee member. Draw date is Dec. 21, and prizes are cash! \$20/book or \$2 each.

#### **Vocation Corner**

# Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time – C A Vocation View: Even as a child you knew the importance of asking often for something you really wanted. Now again, in an adult way, ask God to show you His will, but, be ready to do it! Prayer: For perseverance in sincere prayer on the part of the faithful, asking the Lord of the Harvest for holy vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and consecrated life, we pray to the Lord. Action: What is known in vocation circles as the "process of discernment" is simply the time we pilgrims here on earth take to identify our strengths and gifts and determine how they may best be put to use in joyful service of the church and the world as we "journey onwards towards our heavenly homeland."

For prayer requests call the Prayer Line: 441-4123 or 441-5675

# Knights of Columbus

Cash Calendars are still available. Please call John Vany (306-445-5306) or Tom Schwab (306-937-3794).

#### **Fall Suppers**

**St. Vital Parish**, Battleford, Sun. Oct. 26 **Notre Dame de Lourdes**, at St. Joe's, Sun. Nov. 2

# SUNDAY COLLECTIONS

Oct. 11th & 12th, 2025

Loose - \$572.85 Envelopes - \$1,161.00Pre-authorized up to Oct.  $21^{st}$  - \$300.00Enumerator for Oct.  $22^{nd}$ , 2025

Dorothy Manegre

Notre Dame Parish thanks you for all your donations!

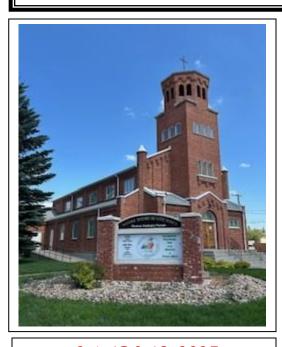
Canadian money only, please!

# Notre Dame de Lourdes Parish

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Facebook page: Notre Dame de Lourdes Battlefords



## Oct. 18 & 19, 2025

# Pastor: Fr. Millan Sajonas

For emergencies call: 306-260-7786

Confessions: before Mass or by appointment
Parish Secretary: Rose Balfour
Caretakers: Tanya & Clint Polnicky
Office Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
9:00 – 12:00 & 1:00 – 4:00
Parish Council Members:

Michelle Prince, John Vany, Varun Chako, Marie Urben, Janice Dela Cruz, Reina Acosta Appointed members: Helen Kayfish,

Rose Balfour

<u>Parish Finance Members:</u> Cherry Gonzales, Shaun

Loeppky, Mike Waschuk, Len Pawlus, Jeena Mathew, Rose McDonald, Bernard Bru Book keeper: Jaki Esquirol

Fundraising Chair: Debbie MacGregor

# October 19, 2025 Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The four pillars of parish stewardship are hospitality, prayer, formation, and service. Today's readings show us the immense value of prayer and the privileged place it must have in our individual lives and in our parish community.

Our Lord Himself calls us to prayer — and persistence in prayer — in the Gospel passage from Luke. Jesus tells the parable of the nagging widow who finally wears down the judge with her unrelenting persistence in her pursuit of a just ruling from him on her behalf. Jesus goes to great lengths to describe this judge, saying he "neither feared God nor respected any human." Yet even this corrupt judge responds with a just judgment because of the widow's persistence.

Jesus uses this outlandish example to draw a vivid contrast between a reluctant, dishonest judge and our loving, all-merciful Father. If even a bad judge will give a good result in response to a persistent request, how much more (infinitely more) eagerly and perfectly will our good Father respond to our persistent prayers to Him.

If he delays in responding, if he provides a different response from the one we were expecting, we can remain confident and trusting in His goodness, knowing that His response, whenever it comes and in whatever form, will be the very best one for us.

Our job then, as Christian stewards, is simply to remain faithful to our relationship with God through prayer. We must lean on each other in our communities — family and parish — as we support each other in prayer. A strong pillar of prayer will make all our other stewardship efforts fruitful.