

# WELCOME TO BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH

## Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 20 & 21, 2015

### Sunday Liturgy

Saturdays: 5:10 p.m.

Sundays: 10:00 a.m.

Eucharistic Adoration: 1 hr. prior to Mass

Reconciliation: Until 20 min. before Mass

### Weekday Liturgy

Monday to Saturday: 12:05 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration: 11:00 a.m.

Reconciliation: 11:30-11:55 a.m.

### Office Hours

Tuesday to Friday:

9:00 a.m.— 3:00 p.m.

### Parish Staff

Pastor: Rev. Barry J. Anwender

Business Manager: John Hoffman

Office Manager (Pt): Valerie Perras

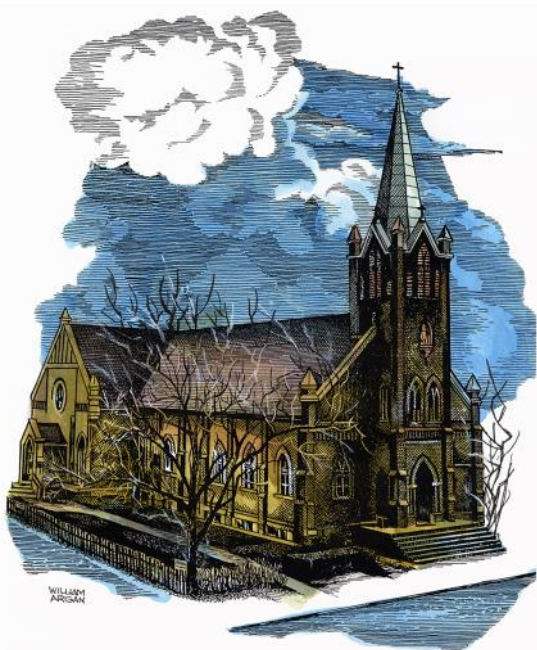
Music Director: Gaétan Hammond

Building/Grounds: Gerry Spooner

Caretaker(s): Rod & Lilian Yaun



*Jesus and the Beloved disciple at the Last Supper*



**Our Parish Mission:** We, the faith community of Blessed Sacrament Parish, seek to help those whom God has placed in our lives to experience the presence of our Lord Jesus Christ. As Jesus' disciples, with the grace of the Holy Spirit, we strive to become living gospels of life through our daily loving choices to serve God, one another, our parish and our community.

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**Theme:** In today's Gospel reading about the storm at sea, the disciples question Jesus, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" Jesus immediately calms the sea and wind. The disciples were astonished at his power. But Jesus gently chided his men of little faith. "Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?" When things seem to go very wrong for us, we too are often tempted to ask Jesus whether he cares. Have we got faith, and do we nurture that faith?

## Saturday, June 20: 5:10 pm

**Altar Servers:** Melchor & Frances Andes,  
Giuseppe, Giovanni & Giulanne Yaun

**Community Leader:** Rosie Ongsu

**Lectors:** Larry Ongsu

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Ernesta Pagaduan,  
Marvella Lovely, Joven Juancito

**Hospitality:** Sheryl Sayat, Ernesta Pagaduan

**Bell Ringers:** Melchor Andes & Family



**EVERYTHING  
HAS BECOME  
NEW.**

  
2 COR 5:17

## Sunday, June 21: 10:00 am

**Altar Servers:** Cristo Katas, Abigail Siapno,  
Angela & Andrea Paz, April Torres

**Community Leader:** Jeanne Bonneville-Stroh

**Lectors:** Janelle Nagrampa, Daniel Nagrampa

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Adolfo Alvarez,  
Maria Alarcon, Marley Brcic

**Hospitality:** Sharon Greer, Lancy Cheng, Gail Runge

**Bell Ringers:** Aris Siapno & Family

### Weekday Mass Intentions Celebrated at 12:05 p.m.

<b>Monday,</b>	June 22:	Walter Wittal — repose of soul, Requested by Penny Wittal
<b>Tuesday,</b>	June 23:	Holy Souls in Purgatory, especially priests, Requested by a Parishioner
<b>Wednesday,</b>	June 24:	Frank Gerein — repose of soul, Requested by Eileen Gerein & Family
<b>Thursday,</b>	June 25:	Sawa Family— repose of souls, Requested by Eileen Sawa
<b>Friday,</b>	June 26:	Lorraine Vincent's intentions, in thanksgiving, Requested by a Parishioner
<b>Saturday,</b>	June 27:	Rose Toth — repose of soul, Requested by Fe Paderanga

### Weekend Mass Intentions Celebrated at 5:10 p.m.

<b>Saturday,</b>	June 27:	Felix Israel,— repose of soul, Requested by the Israel Family
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Blessed Sacrament Parish is pleased to announce that effective June 1, 2015 we have completed the screening process for a total of 112 persons with files for the "Protocol For Responsible Parish Ministry" (Adult men=37.5%, Adult women=47.3%, Youth=15.2%). During the screening process, four people have moved out of the province or to another city, two people did not pass the screening process. Going forward, we are now in a maintenance mode to process ministry changes or add new volunteers once they have been completely screened. The Archbishop's protocol office has been informed that the parish is now ready to receive the auditors from the diocesan insurance company.

## Eucharist A Short History--Part III

By Alfred McBride, O.Praem.; St. Anthony Messenger Press

### 4. THE EUCHARIST BECOMES DISTANT FOR MOST

The widespread appearance of the stunning Gothic cathedrals in medieval Europe signaled a resurgence of faith. The colorful religious processions for feasts of saints, the enthusiasm for pilgrimages to holy shrines, the birth of new religious orders led some subsequent historians to call these centuries the "ages of faith."

But alongside these events were troublesome declines in active participation in the Mass. The removal of the assembly from participating in the Eucharist was dramatized by screens of stone or iron that hid the choir and altar from public view. The monks and priests conducted their corporate liturgy away from the assembly. The Mass remained in Latin, even though people began using their local languages for most things in their lives. When the people complained of the Mass's remoteness, they were given side altar Masses where the priest faced the wall and prayed in Latin.

The people compensated for their estrangement by asking the priest to hold up the host for their view and adoration: "Hold it higher, sir priest!" Meanwhile, Berengar of Tours taught that Jesus was not really present in the host, which was only a symbol of his presence. The Church repudiated his views at Lateran IV in 1215 by affirming Christ's Real Presence and introducing the concept of transubstantiation (the substance of bread becomes the substance or "being" of Christ) to support this doctrine. Because many Catholics had ceased receiving Communion, the Council also mandated going to Communion at least once a year at Easter time. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament became popular along with other forms of popular piety.

### 5. REFORMATION AND THE TRIDENTINE MASS

It took the Church 28 years to gather to its energies and open the Council of Trent in 1545 to deal with the Reformation. The Council Fathers called for a renewal of the liturgy. In 1570 Pope Pius V responded to this call that would be a standard book for the celebration of Mass for the Western Church. Everything in his decree pertained to the priest celebrant and his action at the altar including the Liturgy of the Word. The participation of the people would be devotional rather than liturgical. The Mass text was in Latin. (This sturdy Tridentine Mass [named for Trent]) endured up to Vatican II.)

The Jesuits introduced Baroque architecture in which the choir stalls, screens and walls were removed. The distance between altar and assembly was shortened so that only an altar railing separated them. The altar was placed against the wall, which was lavishly decorated from floor to ceiling. The tabernacle rested on the altar and above it was a niche provided for exposition and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

A soaring pulpit was situated near the middle of the Church indicating the importance of a sermon but not a homily. This worship space glowed with self-confidence and triumph. It suited the mood of this Counter Reformation. The church was a throne room and the assembly, the audience. They were treated with the music of Palestrina, Haydn and Mozart. The Protestants had Bach, but also sang hundreds of new hymns triumphantly.

Sadly, most Eucharist's were "Low Masses," generally without music and which the assembly attended in silence. Catholics turned to new schools of spirituality to satisfy their spiritual longings: the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius, the Carmelite schools and that of St. Francis de Sales. Eventually, in the 19th century, it became clear that a return to the sources of the liturgy was needed.



#### Financial Update:

	Collection	Target	June 13-14 Over (Short)	Jan 1– Dec 31 Over (Short)
	June 13 - 14	June 13 - 14	from Target	from Target
Regular Collection	\$2,821.45	\$4,580.00	( \$1,758.55)	(\$35,444.05 )
Building Fund 2015 Projects	\$422.00	\$367,871.00	(\$353,627.00)	\$14,244.00

**Thank you for your donation!**

**Regular Collection Target** is based on the 2015 operating budget approved by the Parish Finance Council on Feb. 5, 2015.

**Building Fund Target** is based upon actual contractor quotes formally approved by Archbishop Bohan on April 7, 2015 to:

- (1) Replace the church flooring and carpeting, (2) Install new exterior energy efficient church windows.

## **Blessed Sacrament Parish**

**Collection Envelopes** will be allocated to Parish Funds. Mass Intentions can be requested at the office or by using plain stationary envelopes.

**Volunteer Ministry** positions are available at Blessed Sacrament: Lectors, Greeters, Communion Ministers, Rosary Leaders, Bell Ringers. Livestream Camera operators. Training will be provided to help you feel comfortable.

### **Happy Father's Day**

**Canada Day Mass 2016** The Santo Nino Council will not have a Canada Day breakfast and the Archbishop will not be celebrating Mass this year due to parish construction projects. We will resume this Canada Day tradition in 2016.

**Blessed Sacrament Parish Retreat** 33 Days to Morning Glory on June 9, 2015, Tuesday, 9:15 am until July 16, 2015. Register at the office by phone: 306-522-7422.

**Prayer of Petition** for William Sinclair, in formation for the diaconate and Chinh Vy, seminarian of our Archdiocese, as these men prepare for a lifetime of service in the Church, we pray to the LORD.

### **Vacation Bible School, Athletics:**

#### **Training to be Champions for Christ (CAT)**

St. Martin de Porres R.C, are excited to offer the Children ages 4 – 12, from July 27<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> 9:00 a.m. – Noon (3 p.m. Wednesday) at St. Martin's, 4720 Castle Rd. Cost: \$25/week (add \$10 for a t-shirt) (cheques payable to either church) Contact: 306-586-5655 or 306-586-4420, st.martinspa@sasktel.net  
Registration Deadline: Friday July 10<sup>th</sup>, 2015

### **Archdiocesan Centennial Committee**

#### **Celebrating 100 years of our Family of Faith**

We are building a 100th Anniversary of the Archdiocese website. Please send photos and videos to Subject: Centennial and e-mail byanyo@archregina.sk.ca

### **Country Gospel Sing A Long**

Thursday, June 25 @ 7pm, at Our Lady of Peace, 425 Broad St. N, Free will Offering Wheelchair

### **Camp Monahan Minstrel Newsletter**

The latest edition is available on the Camp Monahan website: <http://campmonahan.ca/wp-content/uploads/2013/02/Spring-2015.pdf>

## **98th Annual Pilgrimage**

### **Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes**

on August 9, 2015, Sunday, 1:00 pm at St. Peter's Colony near Kronau (watch for signs east of Regina...highways # 33 and #48. Meal following Mass (to purchase or bring your own.

### **Qu'Appelle Deanery Pilgrimage**

#### **Mary, Queen of All Hearts Shrine**

Sunday, June 28<sup>th</sup> at in Lestock, SK beginning at 2:00 p.m. Please bring chairs, umbrella and non-perishable goods will be donated to the Food Bank. Religious articles to be blessed.

### **Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine**

136<sup>th</sup> Annual Pilgrimage, St. Laurent, SK. (north east of Duck Lake) July 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>, August 15<sup>th</sup>, September 8<sup>th</sup>, 2015 Information on the website: [www.padiocese.ca/stlaurentshrine](http://www.padiocese.ca/stlaurentshrine) or [www.stlaurentshrine.com](http://www.stlaurentshrine.com)

### **The Kaposvar Pilgrimage**

#### **Our Lady of Lourdes Shrine**

(3 miles south and 1/2 mile west of Esterhazy) Sunday August 16th; Noon- 4pm; Chicken supper. For more information contact Bea Twardzik @ 745 -6364 or Mary-Lou Pisak @ 745-3301

### **Couples Connect**

Resurrection Parish along with the Diocese of Regina is offering a program for dating, engaged and newly-married couples. Sept13/15 – March 6/16 at Resurrection Parish. Nine sessions - Cost - \$125/couple. Registration deadline is Sept 7<sup>th</sup>. For more info contact Linda @ 306-533-8355, bmueller@saskte.net or Rose @306-530-5544 , rtrehas@sasktel.net

### **Catholic Engaged Encounter Fundraiser**

Steak Night Fundraiser at Ricky's All Day Grill in 4875 Harbour Landing, Regina, Sunday June 28 from 5-10. \$25.00. Proceeds will go towards covering the costs of running the weekends at St. Michael's Retreat in Lumsden. registration please contact us at [www.ceewest.com](http://www.ceewest.com) or Vance and Kim Weber 306-698-2466.

### **The Lay Ministry Formation Program**

Are you hearing a Call to Deepen Your Faith? Do you want to learn more about the Church? For information check the Archdiocesan website: [archregina.sk.ca/lay-ministry-formation-program](http://archregina.sk.ca/lay-ministry-formation-program) contact your parish, or the Archdiocese at 306 352 1651 extension 211 or ask for Judy Zolc, or Louise Molesky at ext.232. Email: [judyz@archregina.sk.ca](mailto:judyz@archregina.sk.ca)