WELCOME TO

BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH

Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 26 & 27, 2015

Sunday Liturgy

Saturdays: 5:10 p.m. at St. Mary's Sundays: 10:00 a.m. at St. Mary's

Eucharistic Adoration: 1 hr. prior to Mass Reconciliation: Until 20 min. before Mass

Weekday Liturgy

Suspended during Renovations until December 2015

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



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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....these little ones who believe in me. The disciples, in today's Gospel, learn that discipleship is fraught with hard lessons, challenges, and surprises. The disciples are bothered that others are healing and acting in Jesus' name but are not his followers. However, Jesus' concern is that his disciples should be willing to go to great lengths to be servants of those entrusted to their care. It is interesting that after telling the apostles, "Whoever is not against us is for us."

Saturday, September 26: 5:10 pm

Altar Servers: Giuseppe, Giovanni & Giulanne Yaun

Community Leader: Loretta Elford Lectors: Mary Gebhardt, Christn Katas

Eucharistic Ministers: Marvella Lovely, Larry Ongsu

Hospitality: Jovita Ongsu, Paz Ongsu

Sunday, September 27: 10:00 am

Altar Servers: Melchor & Frances Andes,

Thomas & Patrick Ravasco

Community Leader: Richard Alejandria

Lectors: Joseph Alejandria, Reynaldo Dimaano

Eucharistic Ministers: Reuben Mercado, Pete Escanlar

Urbis Urbistondo

Hospitality: Art Vanderzalm, Allan Ngui

Weekday Masses at St. Mary's (2026 Winnipeg St.) with Blessed Sacrament Parish

WHOEVER IS NOT AGAINST

US IS FOR US.

MK 9:40

Monday,	7:00 p.m.	Our Lady of Perpetual Help Devotions Presider: Fr. Vitalis Azike
Tuesday,	7:30 a.m.	Mass Presider: Fr. Vitalis Azike
Wednesday,	6:00 p.m.	Adoration and Benediction - 7:00 p.m. Mass Presider: Fr. Vitalis Azike
Thursday,	7:30 a.m.	Mass Presider: Fr. Vitalis Azike
Friday,	7:30 a.m.	Mass Presider: Fr. Vitalis Azike
	7:30 p.m.	All Night Vigil - First Friday/7:30 a.m. Saturday of the Month Presider: Fr. Norm Marcotte All Night Vigil concludes with 7:20 a.m. Saturday Benediction Presider: Fr. Vitalis Azike
Saturday,	7:30 a.m.	Mass Presider: Fr. Vitalis Azike
	5:10 p.m.	Mass Presider: Fr. Barry J. Anwender with Blessed Sacrament's scheduled Mass Ministers
Sunday,	10:00 a.m.	Mass Presider: Fr. Barry J. Anwender (2nd & 4th Sundays of the Month) with Blessed Sacrament's scheduled Mass Ministers
		Presider: Fr. Vitalis Azike (1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays of the Month) with St. Mary's scheduled Mass Ministers
	1:00 p.m.	Latin Mass Presider: Fr. Vitalis Azike (every 2nd and 4th Sunday)
	5:00 p.m.	Mass Presider: Fr. Vitalis Azike (every 2nd and 4th Sunday) Mass Presider: Fr. Vitalis Azike (1st, 3rd and 5th Sunday)

Finding Jesus In The Eucharist Four Ways He Is Present (Part 1)

By Rev. Lawrence E. Mick St. Anthony Messenger Press

"Where is Jesus?" is a key question for all of us who celebrate the Eucharist. In his 2003 encyclical letter on the Eucharist, Ecclesia de Eucharistia, the late Pope John Paul II recalled the program he suggested for the Church in his letter at the close of the Jubilee Year: "To contemplate the face of Christ, and to contemplate it with Mary, is the program which I have set before the Church at the dawn of the third millennium" (#6). "To contemplate Christ," the pope added, "involves being able to recognize him wherever he manifests himself, in his many forms of presence, but above all in the living sacrament of his body and his blood."

The challenge of recognizing the face of Christ goes far beyond the Eucharist, for we are called to see his presence in all our brothers and sisters. The Eucharist, however, teaches us how to recognize him and where to look for him. If we grow in our ability to recognize him when we gather to celebrate the Mass, we will also find it easier to see his face around us all through the week.

WHERE IS JESUS?

Most Catholics have been well trained to recognize the presence of Christ in the bread and wine that we believe becomes the very body and blood of Christ in the celebration of the Eucharist. We have long called this the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist.

The Second Vatican Council, in its 1963 Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy, reminded us that there are also other ways that Christ can be found in the Eucharist. Echoing the teaching of Popes Pius X, XI and XII earlier in the 20th century, the Council's Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy spoke of four modes of Christ's presence: "To accomplish so great a work, Christ is always present in his Church, especially in its liturgical celebrations. He is present in the sacrifice of the Mass, not only in the person of his minister, 'the same now offering, through the ministry of priests, who formerly offered himself on the cross,' but especially under the Eucharistic elements. By his power he is present in the sacraments, so that when a man baptizes it is really Christ himself who baptizes. He is present in his word, since it is he himself who speaks when the holy Scriptures are read in the Church. He is present, lastly, when the Church prays and sings, for he promised: 'Where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them' (Mt 18:20)"(CSL,#7).

Christ is present in the Eucharist, then, 1) in the assembly that gathers in Christ's name, 2) in the priest or bishop who presides, 3) in the word proclaimed in our midst, and 4) in the Eucharistic elements of bread and wine. Though they differ from each other, each of these presences is real, and each offers us a unique opportunity to recognize Christ with us.

Blessed Sacrament Building Repairs & Renovations

Please pray for the engineers and contractors responsible for repairing and renovating our 110 year old church building.





Financial Update:

Regular Collection
Building Fund 2015 Projects

Sept 19 - 20 Jan 1 – Dec 31 Collection Target Over (Short) Over (Short)

 Collection
 Target
 Over (Short)
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 Sept 19- 20
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 \$1,430.45
 \$4,577.00
 (\$3,146.55)
 (\$59,722.36)

 \$317.00
 \$367,871.00
 (\$343,356.00)
 \$24,515.00

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

Ministry Schedules for October are available for pick-up in the Sacristy of St. Mary's Church or download from our Parish Website.

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.

Prayer of Petition for the formation of the diaconates and seminarians of our Archdiocese, as these men prepare for a lifetime of service in the Church, we pray to the LORD.

Saint- Jean-Baptiste Parish Fowl Supper

2517, 25th Avenue, Regina, Sk, S4S 48E Sunday, 04th October 2015. From 4 p.m. to 6 p.m

Before October 3rd: Adults and +13 years: \$ 13 Children between 6-12 years: \$ 7, Children under 6 years: FREE. Tickets to bought at the door: Adults and +13 years: \$ 15, Children between 6-12 years: \$ 8. Call the parish office for details at 306-586-5006.

Regina Social Justice Development and Peace Day

On Oct 3, 2015 at Little Flower Parish, Regina (420 College Ave.) at 9:30 a.m. Welcome & coffee. Create a Climate of Change workshop. Lunch provided by Little Flower Parish. For more information call Lawrence @ 306-352-2073 or Marian @ 306-585-2161.

One Day Clothing Sale

St. Martin de Porres Parish Hall 4720 Castle Road, Regina: One Day Sale of Ladies and Men Clothing and Accessories. Saturday, September 26, 2015 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Coats &Boots \$5.00, Clothing: \$5.00a bag (Whatever you can stuff into the provided bag).

Stewardship Retreat

Friday, October 16th and Saturday, October 17th at St. Cecilia Parish, 50320 - 7th Ave., Regina. Retreat begins with registration at 5:30 pm on Friday. Registration fee of \$20/person. Registration deadline is October 9 to cschimnosky@sasktel.net or 306-543-3203.Hosted by the Regina Deanery Pastoral Council.

Archdiocesan Annual Appeal for 2015

Today's readings lead us to reflect on the gifts we have been given, and the source of those gifts — God.

In the first reading and in the gospel, we hear of men who raise objections when they see others participating in God's mission. Moses' followers were appalled when they noticed that two men who were not among their company had been given the gift of prophecy. Surely prophesying was not their place. And, in the gospel reading, Jesus' disciples objected to men who were casting out demons in Christ's name.

In both cases, the objectors were assured that the men had been given gifts from God, and their decision to use those gifts to serve God's kingdom was indeed a good thing. The readings serve to remind us that every one of us has been given great gifts, and we are called to recognize those gifts, to receive them gratefully, and to use them in service of God and neighbor. When we do this, we participate in Christ's own mission of loving service. He came to give Himself for us, and He has given us many gifts so that we can join Him in His earthly mission, using our gifts to proclaim His truth and serve one another.

What gifts has God given you? How are you using them? Do you find yourself caught up noticing the gifts others have been given and wondering about their proper use of them? Or, do you rejoice in the gifts God has given you and others, doing your best to participate in the mission of the Church, serving God by giving yourself and your gifts back to Him in gratitude for all He has given you?

Lay Ministry Formation Program (LMFP)

Alumni of the Lay Ministry Formation Program and the Ad hoc Advisory Team are invited to join Pastoral Director Bob Kowalchuk and Eric Gurash Lay Ministry Formation Program (LMFP) Coordinator to discuss the Survey Evaluation on Wed., October 21st in the Diocesan Centre Board Room, Broad St. N. Regina, 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. R.S.V.P. by Friday, October 16th to Louise Molesky At (306) 352-1651, ext. 232

Email: lmolesky@archregina.sk.ca

Thanksgiving Veggietastics

The Archdiocesan Resource Centre, 445 Broad Street North, Thursday, October 8, either 10:30 a.m. or 1:30 p.m. Children accompanied by an adult. Pre-registration necessary: call Teresa at 352-1651.