

WELCOME TO BLESSED SACRAMENT PARISH

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 18 & November 19, 2017

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

No Mass on Stat Holidays

Monday to Friday: Suspended - Renos

Office Hours

Tuesday to Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Parish Staff

Pastor: Rev. Barry J. Anwender

Office Manager (Pt): Valerie Perras

Music Director: Gaétan Hammond

Caretaker: Simon Hagos



Jesus and the Beloved disciple at the Last Supper



assistive
listening

106.1 MHz

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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Enter into the joy of your master. In the Gospel today, Jesus tells the parable of the master who entrusts his property to his slaves. Each one is given an amount 'according to his abilities.' The master expects them to use the amount wisely. God also has entrusted us with gifts to be used in the service of the kingdom. Our life provides us with opportunities to invest our talents in a wise, prudent and generous way. We do this each time we act out of love for God and others.

Saturday, November 18, 2017: 5:10 p.m.

Altar Servers: Cristo Katas, Timothy Diokno,
Patrick Diokno

Community Leader: Jeanne Bonneville

Lectors: Helen Ball, Larry Ongsu

Eucharistic Ministers: Gail Runge, Dolly Dyck
Mary Wadsworth

Hospitality: Jovita Ongsu, Paz Ongsu

Sunday, November 19, 2017: 10:00 a.m.

Altar Servers: Vince Siapno, Andrea Paz

Community Leader: Daniel Nagrampa

Lectors: Janelle Nagrampa, Abby Siapno

Eucharistic Ministers: Lancy Cheng, Gloria Riverio
Maria Alarcon

Hospitality: Inge Ciarcialini, Sharon Greer



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

No Weekday Masses

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

Saturday, Nov 15: Marvella Lovely — Health & Recovery,
Requested by Loretta Elford



Noon Mass Suspended during installation of the bell tower structure skeleton project until December 4th. We will review the situation at the end of November to determine when the noon weekday Masses will resume. Thank you for your understanding and patience. The parish office will continue to remain open during the regular scheduled days and times: Tuesday to Friday, 9:00a.m. to 3:00p.m.

Stewardship Bulletin Bit

“Well done, my good and faithful servant. Since you have been faithful in small matters, I will give you great responsibilities.”- Matthew 25:21

God expects us to nurture and develop the gifts He has given us and then generously return a portion with increase. He doesn't want us to waste or hoard the gifts He has given us; He expects us to grow our gifts, use them wisely and be generous with them. Unfortunately, many of us are not generous in proportion to all that God has given us.



Project Progress Reports

Weekend Masses Continue at Regular Times

Saturday Evening 5:10pm & Sunday Morning 10:00am

Weekday Mass Suspended Until Advent

The Bell-Tower Structural Skeleton project has started, as you can see at the main entrance of the church and in the choir loft. Preparation work is underway for the installation of four steel beams from the church basement, through the main church entrance, up through the choir loft and into the tower where the bells will once again reside. During this construction workers will be using the main church entrance to deliver and install the metal beams for the skeleton. Weekday noon Mass is suspended until December 4th to make space and time for this project. We will review the situation at the end of November to determine when the noon weekday Masses will resume.

Roof Replacement Project Update

As you can see, the roof replacement project is far from completed. There is no flashing on the northeast transept valley, the bell tower, the north church entrance and no roof cap flashing on any of the completed roof sections. The project began on August 11, 2017. There have been perfect roofing weather days and weeks when no work took place. The project completion date of October 31, 2017 has passed. The remaining shingles on the link-roof between the church rectory and the south side of the church will now need to wait until next spring. The roofing contractor, Adam Stettner of Pro-Fit Exteriors has shut-down leaving more water damage expected during the winter months.

GRATITUDE & PRAYERS FOR OUR BENEFACTORS

Special 2017 Building Fund donations to Blessed Sacrament Parish

South Saskatchewan Community Foundation \$80,433.75	
Stewart & Loretta Elford \$8,000	Cecile Jelinski \$2,000
Dr. Vernon & Mrs. Gebhardt \$5,600	Helen Ball \$1,550
Bilmar Holdings Ltd. \$5,000	Colleen Sich \$1,540
Joseph Chipeur \$5,000	George Picray \$1,500
Ernest & Jean Anderson \$5,000	Juliet Budhrani \$1,260
Peter & Cecilia Managhan \$3,000	David McCutcheon \$1,150
Elizabeth Heidt \$3,000	Marcella Chamberlain \$1,100
Estate of Rose Ignatescu \$2,500	Therese Labbie \$1,100
Dr. Tom & Mrs. Vincent \$2,500	Eileen Gerein \$1,100
Ernesta Pagaduan \$2,000	Gabriel Metz \$1,000
Auriole Jelinski \$2,000	Rose Schmalz \$1,000

May God reward you and all parishioners for your generous gifts.

If you do not want your name published as a good steward to promote parish building fund contributions, then please direct your donations to the parish operating fund and its shortfall.

Financial Update:

	Collection <u>Nov 11/Nov 12</u>	Target <u>Nov 11/Nov 12</u>	Nov 11/Nov 12 <u>Over (Short) from Target</u>	Jan 1– Dec 31 <u>Over (Short) from Target</u>
Operating Fund	\$1,891.85	\$5,029.00	(\$3,137.15)	(\$40,704.98)
Building Fund	\$1,282.00	\$6,214.00	(\$4,932.00)	(\$150,943.25)
Bishop's Fall Appeal	\$1,500.00	\$21,952.00		\$14,260.00



Thank you for your donation!

The operating and building fund targets are based upon an estimate of our 2017 expenses, as well as the particular week donations from the previous year.

Blessed Sacrament Parish

Parish Registration Forms for new parishioners are available at the main entrance of the Church.

Volunteer Ministry positions are available at Blessed Sacrament: Altar Servers, Greeters, Communion Ministers. Training will be provided to help you feel comfortable.

Prayer of Petition for the formation of the diaconates and for the seminarians, that God would bless them as they prepare to serve the people of God in our Archdiocese, we pray to the Lord.

Blessed Sacrament

Weekly Rosary/Prayer Group

Every Wednesday from 6:30 - 7:30 pm, the Rosary and a variety of other prayers are recited with some time for personal reflection. To enter the Church use the Side Entrance (north door) as the Scarth Street Entrance will not be opened. Please join the intercessory prayers for the world and their needs.



Camp Monahan Dinner, Dance & Silent Auction

We are already working towards next year's life changing experience of camp and with that hosting our annual fundraising Dinner, Dance & Silent Auction on November 25. Tickets: \$30. Please call 306-522-1047 or for more information visit: www.campmonahan.ca

Soup and Prayer and Social Justice

Resurrection Parish warmly invites you to join us in our annual Soup and Prayer nights this Advent. This year, the new twist is a talk about Social Justice from three leaders in our Archdiocesan Community. The night will begin with a light supper at 6pm, followed by prayer, and concluding by 8pm with a talk. These nights take place on December 8th, 15th, and 22nd. Resurrection Parish is located at 3155 Windsor Park Rd in Regina.

The Myriam Family house

Need a little time of retreat?

November 30 5-9 p.m.

Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament

Pot-Luck Supper, Songs, Short talk

Myriam Family, 2527E Margaret Place, Regina

A Special Invitation to all Parishioners

On Monday, November 27, 2017

during a Mass at

Holy Rosary Cathedral

3125 – 13th Ave., Regina.

His Excellency the Most Reverend Luigi Bonazzi,

Apostolic Nuncio to Canada,

will present

Archbishop Donald Bolen

with the

Pallium for the Archdiocese of Regina

Mass will be at 4:00 p.m.

followed by a reception

in Holy Rosary School Gym.

All Parishioners are invited to attend the Mass and reception. To assist with planning, please RSVP to Melissa Gurash @ mgurash@archregina.sk.ca or call 306-352-1651 ext. 237.

Thinking Faith! TF61: The Eucharist Part 1

Continuing their series on Sacramental Preparation, Eric and Brett begin taking a look at the Source and Summit of the whole Christian life - the Eucharist. They examine the theme of Presence and Transformation discussing what we mean when we're speaking about the presence of Jesus in the Eucharist and the kinds of changes that do and do not happen. Get your climbing gear on because we're headed right to the top of this one. archregina.sk.ca

Walking Toward Eternity

An inspiring series designed to help you live your faith more fully by developing and nurturing characteristics essential to the Christian life. Holy Trinity RC Church, 5020 Sherwood Drive, Mondays 9:15 am, beginning Nov. 13 to Dec. 4 and Jan. 8 to 29 (8 weeks). For more information or to register for the study, call Brenda (306) 530-1412.

Homemade Tourtières for Sale

St. Jean-Baptiste Parish is selling tourtières (white or whole wheat flour crust; 9" or 4 ½" in size). Price: size: 9" tourtière is \$15 and 4 ½" tourtière is \$8. To order, pay, and pick up your order, please contact la Paroisse Saint Jean- Baptiste at 306-586-5006 or come directly at 2517 25th Avenue from Wednesday to Saturday and from 1 pm to 5 pm.

The World Day of the Poor

Nov. 19, 2017 will focus on the Apostle John's call to love "not with words, but with deeds."