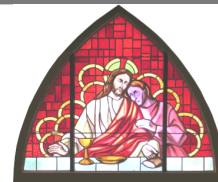


March 7, 2021

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LITURGY SCHEDULE

SATURDAY 5:10 PM • SUNDAY 10:00 AM
MONDAY - FRIDAY 12:05 PM

Sunday, March 7th **Third Sunday of Lent**

Exodus 20:1-17
Psalm 19:8, 9, 10, 11
1 Corinthians 1:22-25
John 2:13-25

Monday, March 8th

2 Kings 5:1-15ab
Psalm 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4
Luke 4:24-30

Tuesday, March 9th

Daniel 3:25, 34-43
Psalm 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9
Matthew 18:21-35

Wednesday, March 10th

Isaiah 1:10, 16-20
Psalms 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23
Matthew 23:1-12

Thursday, March 11th

Jeremiah 7:23-28
Psalm 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9
Luke 11:14-23

Friday, March 12th

Hosea 14:2-10
Psalm 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17
Mark 12:28-34

Saturday, March 13th

Hosea 5:15b-6:6
Psalm 51
Luke 18:9-14

Sunday, March 14th **Fourth Sunday of Lent**

2 Chronicles 36:14-16, 19-23
Psalm 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6
Ephesians 2:4-10
John 3:14-21



• **Pre-registration is required for Saturday & Sunday Masses.** Please register by contacting the parish office during regular office hours.

• **Face Masks are required to be worn at all times upon entry into the Church until exit,** and you are also reminded that masks are to be worn even when approaching the priest or Eucharistic minister for communion.

• **Social Distancing** is required at all times.

• **Cleaning and Disinfecting** is done before each Mass and so the doors of the Church open only 30 minutes before each Mass.

Church Visitation: You may visit the Church for prayer each day after weekday Masses, Monday to Friday, until 2 PM.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Confessions will be available Monday - Friday before Mass, 11:30-11:55 AM; Saturdays, 4:30-4:55 PM.

Sacrament of the Sick: The anointing of the sick may be requested by calling the parish office.

Sacrament of Baptism or Sacraments of Initiation: Please contact the Parish Office for Baptisms during the Easter Season and after.

LIVE STREAM SATURDAY **5:10 PM MASS**

We live stream the 5:10 PM Mass on Saturdays. You may see it live or the recorded Mass – search on YouTube for: “blessed sacrament parish regina”

DURING LENT

[no pre-registration required]

Thursdays in Lent, Taizé Prayer around the Cross • 7 PM

Fridays in Lent, Stations of the Cross • 12:40 PM (after Mass)

Parish Staff

Office Hours: 1:00–4:00 PM Tuesday to Friday

Administrator: *The Rev. Dr. James Hentges*
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March 7, 2021

FROM FATHER JIM

We were alerted on Tuesday that a person who attended the Mass here on Friday February 26th tested positive for covid-19. As requested by Saskatchewan Health Authority (SHA), I submitted the list of those who attended the Mass along with contact telephone numbers. I also submitted information regarding our masking policies, seating situation, PPE, hand hygiene, disinfecting etc.

After reviewing this case, SHA informed us that no one was in "close contact" (according to the health guidelines definition) with the person who tested positive. As a result, there is no need for anyone to self-isolate and there is no need to shut down. However, SHA strongly encourages everyone here to self-monitor for symptoms and if symptoms should develop then one should get tested and self-isolate at that time. Details on this are found at: saskatchewan.ca/COVID19.

SHA also commended us on our covid-19 protocol – and it also made their investigation of this case go smoothly. I think this experience confirms our diligent efforts to disinfect and follow health safety guidelines in our parish. Let's continue to do so: mask and social distance at all times within the church, and always be considerate in caring for one another. And then we can continue to praise and give thanks to the Lord.

Finally, as SHA has advised everyone, especially those who attended the Mass on February 26th, please self-monitor! SHA also indicated that if you have any symptoms, please get tested, seek medical help if need be, and of course self-isolate at home. But for now, just self-monitor.

Peace,
Fr. Jim Hentges

POPE FRANCIS ON TODAY'S GOSPEL

Gospel Reading: John 2:13-25

It is very harmful when the Church goes astray with this manner of making the house of God a house of trade. These words help us to reject the danger of also making our soul, which is God's dwelling place, a house of trade, by living in constant search of our personal interests instead of generous and supportive love. (...) It is a common temptation to exploit good, sometimes dutiful deeds in order to cultivate private, if not entirely illicit interests. (...) This is why Jesus used "a harsh approach" that time, in order to shake us from this mortal danger. (Angelus, 4 March 2018)

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, March 6	+Leigha Elizabeth Nagy by Natalie & Louis Nagy
Sunday, March 7	For the Parishioners
Monday, March 8	Sarah and all consecrated women missionaries by a parishioner
Tuesday, March 9	+Fathers Lucey and Morrissey by Lee Lasby
Wednesday, March 10	For Aidan by a parishioner
Thursday, March 11	For Jonathan by a parishioner
Friday, March 12	For my family and their needs by a parishioner.
Saturday, March 13	+Holy souls in purgatory by a parishioner

FINANCIAL UPDATE	Feb 20/21	Feb 27/28
Regular/Loose Collection	\$1,128.50	\$1,353.55
Building Fund	\$1,116.25	\$636.25
Marian Centre	\$180.00	\$500.00
Development & Peace	_____	\$100.00
Other	\$11.25	\$6.25

LITURGICAL MINISTRY

	March 6, 5:10 PM	March 7th, 10:00 AM
Eucharistic Minister	Dolly Dyck	Madonna House Community members
Community Leader	Rosita Ongsu	_____
Lector 1	Domenic Scuglia	Madonna House Community members
Lector 2	Larry Ongsu	Madonna House Community members
	March 13, 5:10 PM	February 14, 10:00 AM
Eucharistic Minister	Mary Wadsworth	_____
Community Leader	Lorraine Vincent	_____
Lector 1	Ray Lalonde	Jonah Tremblay
Lector 2	Jeannette Luttmer	Dina Tremblay

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR MARCH

That we may experience the sacrament of reconciliation with renewed depth, to taste the infinite mercy of God.



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March 7, 2021

Third Sunday
of Lent

Workshop: Youth Ministry 101

Join us virtually from 1:00-3:00 on Saturday March 13th and Sunday 14th for Youth Ministry 101. This workshop is a great introduction (or review) for any of those tasked with ministering to young people or supporting those that do! To register please email Michelle at mbraden@archregina.sk.ca

My Gen Youth Rally 2021

MyGen Youth Rally (for grades 8-12) will happen on Saturday, May 29th this year. And we are taking it on the road! We will have a one day rally that will be hosted in multiple locations. Assuming we have the ability to have small public gatherings.... Mark your calendars, and watch for more details coming soon!

Archdiocese of Regina Leadership Camps

It is yet to be determined if our camp for teens will run as an overnight camp or as day camp experiences. But the dates have been set and more details will be available in May. The camp days will be July 12, 13,14,15.

Young Adult Retreat/ Summer Camp

Kind of like summer camp....but for adults! Join other young adults for an opportunity to pray, rest, contemplate and grow in a beautiful lake front setting. But also ...volleyball, campfires, hiking, great food and beach time. Mark your calendars for Friday, July 16th to Sunday, July 18th More details to come in May.

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Development and Peace Online Lenten Events

National ThinkFast (English and French) starting at 2:00 p.m. CST Thursday, March 11 - Each year, Catholic schools across the country participate in ThinkFAST a 25-hour fast that allows students to learn more about the Social Teaching of the Church and to raise funds for Development and Peace. This year, Development and Peace will be organizing a national virtual fundraising fast so that everyone of any age can participate! Development and Peace will be offering online activities during the 25-hour fast. Sign up here: us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZEsf-ioqj4rG9U1LBq6CdBpgyffl7XsYzSE



Are you someone who is a good listener? Non-judgmental? Compassionate? Are you wanting to play a role in helping to heal the legacy of clergy sexual abuse in our Archdiocese?

If you've answered yes to any of these questions, you may wish to attend the workshop Walking with Victims: A Workshop for Those Interested in Accompanying Victims of Clergy Sexual Abuse on Sunday, April 11 from 1 – 5 p.m. at Resurrection Parish in Regina. Presentations will be made by a sexual abuse trauma counsellor and a victim of childhood clergy sexual abuse. For more information or to register, please contact victimserviceadvocacy@gmail.com. Depending on Covid restrictions at the time, registration may be limited or workshop may be delivered virtually. Please register early.

TF234: Faith and Mental Health - Part 2

In this part 2 of 2, we continue our conversation around faith and mental health, discussing what is helpful, what is not, and some practical ideas for building more mental health-related resiliency into our daily lives.

Show Snippet: "It's extremely dangerous when we imagine that what's going on with mental health is simply a matter of someone's spiritual life not being in order and so what they need to do is just pray more, offer it up and do all of the pious Catholic things you're supposed to do..."

Learn more about Emmaus Family Support: emmaussupport.wordpress.com/
thinkingfaith.libsyn.com/faith-and-mental-health-part-2

Stewardship Bulletin Bit

"You shall not carve idols for yourselves in the shape of anything..." - Exodus 20:4

How many "gods" do you put before God? "Idols" do not always take the shape of physical things, things we can touch and feel. Those are easy to recognize. Many times they take the form of things we cannot touch and are much harder to spot like pride, power, ego, time, comfort or health. Pray for God's help to prune our vices and to grow in virtue.

BULLETIN BOARD

What about the Rebuilding Our Church Capital Campaign?

Yes, it is still happening despite the pandemic! Read a news article about its progress on the Arch website bit.ly/3q3HYgk. You can also visit the campaign website here: rebuildingourchurch.ca. If you'd like to receive updates directly to your inbox, email: rebuilding@archregina.sk.ca

Archdiocesan Resource Centre Lenten Materials

Are you looking for something special to help you on your Lenten journey this year? We have a number of books and DVD's at the Resource Centre. Please feel free to stop by, you can also search for and book your resources on-line at archregina.sk.ca, or you can email mgurash@archregina.sk.ca to assist you with your selection.

Lenten Resources

Visit our Lenten Resources page on our website for prayers and other lenten home activities for all ages. archregina.sk.ca/lenten-resources.

Lent Retreat, in French

Lent Retreat AT MARTHA, MARY AND LAZARE

The Conseil de l'Éducatif de la Foi catholique chez des Francophones de l'Alberta (CÉFFA) is pleased to invite you to participate in a 4-day Lent Retreat, in French, available online, hosted by Sr. Catherine Grasswill, Ursuline de Jesus, from Thursday March 11, 2021 to Sunday March 14, 2021. Détails et Inscription sur le site web de Star of the North:

Retraite de Carême Chez Marthe, Marie et Lazare

starofthenorth.ca/register/browse/programs-2/event/chez-marthe-marie-et-lazare-225/

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Trinity Manor at Westerra: Welcome Home!

Experience the true meaning of retirement with a world of choices, beautiful architecture, caring people and a variety of programs and services. When engaging with our residents it was expressed "If I was still living in my home, I would be so Isolated now. But, living at Trinity Manor I have friends all around me". Regina's own Trinity Manor is challenging c@^Á•cæ } áæ!áÁ- [!Á!^cá!^ { ^ } c|áçá } *ÉÁY ác@Á [~ !Á } ^ , |^Á!^á ~ &^áÁ] !á&^ÉÁ] ~ c~!^Á!^cá!^ { ^ } c|áçá } *Áá•Á { [!^Áæ [!áæá|Ác@æ] Á^ç^!ÁÁ CÉcc^ } áÁáæá| ^Á { æ••ÉÁ [!Á•] ^ } áÁcá { ^Áá } Á ~ á^cá!^ ^&cá [] Áá } Á [~ !Ác!æ } ~ á|Á&@æ] ^|ÉÁU ~ !Á•^!çá&^Á] ! [{ [c^Á []] [!c~ } áçá^•Á- [!Á [~ !Á residents' personal growth, while providing stimulating and entertaining activities. Start your day by enjoying the country sunrise, 10 mins from downtown. Ø [!Á-~ !c@^!Áá } - [! { æcá [] ÉÁ [!Ác [Áá [[\Á ^ [~ !Áçá!c~ æ|Ác [~ !Á& [] cæ&cÁØ!æ } &áæcÁHÉÉÍ ÍÉÉÍÉÍ Á [!Áçá•áçá ~ ÁæcÁ trinitymanorregina.ca.

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Pope Francis' Monthly Prayer Intentions - March

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

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