



ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH

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Weekday Masses: Tuesday, Thursday, Friday & Saturday- 9:00 a.m.

SUNDAY MASSES: 11:00 A.M. & 5:00 P.M.

St. Joseph's Parish Mission Statement

St. Joseph's Parish is called to be a faith community, welcoming all people as we celebrate God's love through Word and Sacrament. We are sent out into the world to be Christ's hands and feet, in humble and simple ways, while reaching out and accepting the poor and those in need with compassion and respect.

Sunday October 12th, 2025
Twenty Eighth Sunday in
Ordinary Time C



Pastor - Fr. Hoang Nguyen. Email address: nguyenhoang25502@gmail.com

Office Administrator: Paula Hudec Finance Administrator: Jenny Ashok

Parish Pastoral Council: Chris Donald (Chair), Matthew Webster, Carson LaFrance, Bernie McLane & Andrew Webster, Danielle Webster (Liturgy Committee Chair) Annette Rousselle, Tammy Shircliff.

Parish Finance Council: Luke Coupal (Chair) luke_coupal@hotmail.com

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday 9:00 am to 4:00pm

RECONCILIATION: ½ hour before each Weekday and Sunday Liturgy; or by appointment

Knights of Columbus – Fr. O'Leary Council #5104 members are servants of Christ who care for their council members and families, their parish, and their community. All Catholic men are invited to join the K of C. For info contact Richard at (306) 244-2714, Harvey at (306) 373-1955, Bill Beeler at (306) 222-5564 or go to www.kofc.org

Readings for This Sunday, October 12th, 2025

Twenty Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time C

First Reading – 2 Kings 5:14-17

(Naaman said,) "Now I know that there is no God in all the earth, except in Israel. Please accept a gift from your servant."

Second Reading – 2 Timothy 2:8-13

"The Word of God is not chained."

The Gospel – Luke 17:11-19

(Jesus said,) "Has none but this foreigner returned to give thanks to God?... Stand up and go; your faith has saved you."

Readings for Next Sunday, October 19th, 2025

Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time C

First Reading – Exodus 17:8-13

"Moses' hands, however, grew tired... Aaron & Hur supported his hands...so that his hands remained steady until sunset."

Second Reading – Timothy 3:14-4:2

"Proclaim the word; be persistent."

The Gospel – Luke 18:1-8

"(Jesus) told them a parable about the necessity for them to pray always without becoming weary."

MASS SCHEDULE in OCTOBER 2025

MONDAY OCTOBER 13, 2025

THANKSGIVING DAY

9:00 AM - MASS @ St. Francis Xavier Church

(Fr. Hoang's Intention)

TUESDAY OCTOBER 14, 2025

9:00 AM – MASS (Audrey Toy by Cecilia Mui)

WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 15, 2025

St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin & Doctor (Memorial)

5:30 PM – Adoration & Mass @ St. Francis Xavier Church

(Iris Riley by E Croteau)

THURSDAY OCTOBER 16, 2025

(World Food Day)

St. Marguerite D'Youville, Religious (Memorial)

9:00 AM – MASS (+) Myrtle Twarynski by E. Croteau

FRIDAY OCTOBER 17, 2025

St. Ignatus of Antioch, Bishop & Martyr (Memorial)

9:00 AM – MASS (Fr. Hoang's Intention)

7:00 PM – Wedding Rehearsal

SATURDAY OCTOBER 18, 2025

St. Luke, the Evangelist (Feast)

9:00 AM – MASS

2:00 PM – Wedding

SUNDAY OCTOBER 19, 2025

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

(World Mission Sunday)

09:00 AM – MASS @ ST. FRANCIS XAVIER'S CHURCH

11:00 AM – MASS @ ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

05:00 PM – MASS @ ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

Financial Contributions

Envelopes – \$592.00

Loose – \$841.20

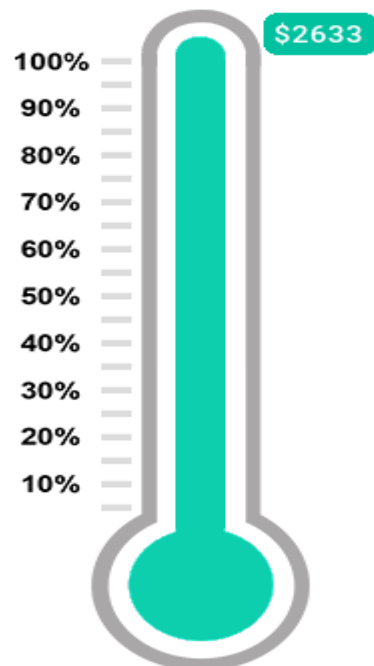
Pre-Authorized – \$1040.00

E-transfer – \$160.00

Donations can be made to St. Joseph's Parish by going to www.stjosephsaskatoon.ca and clicking on "Donate Now". You can also e-transfer to stjosephdonation@sasktel.net. (Do not forget to include your address if you are not a parishioner.)

OUR DONATION GOAL IS 2500.00/ PER WEEK.

Goal: \$2500





Please keep the following parishioners in your prayers:

Evelyn Nesdole, Esther Molina, and Marie Bedard, Jerry Toutsaint & Family, John & Rose Brickner

(Parish Pastoral Council), PFC (Parish Finance Council) etc. Please contact the office at 306 244 1556 or via email to stjosephparish@sasktel.net or to **Father Hoang** nguyenhoang25502@gmail.com
For joining altar server team (11 am and 5 pm Mass) Please contact **Luke Coupal** at luke_coupal@hotmail.com

The Centennial Fundraising Committee has items for sale to commemorate our Centennial in 2028. These items will be gifted to our donors by request only. If you would like to purchase a Centennial item, please note the prices: (MUG - \$30.00; LARGE MAGNET - 10.00 - WATER BOTTLE - 40.00; T-SHIRT - 40.00; KEY CHAIN - 15.00; NOTEBOOK- 20.00. They will be FOR SALE at the entrance of the church.



SACRAMENTAL PREP. CLASS & RCIA 2025-2026



I. SACRAMENTS OF RECONCILIATION & EUCHARIST

WHO: Children at 9 yrs. old (Gr. 3)

WHERE: St Francis Xavier's Parish (222 Willow Street East)

WHEN: October 2025 - 2nd & 4th Tuesday Evenings - 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. **Starting OCTOBER 14th, 2025**

II. SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

WHO: Children at 12 yrs. old (Gr. 6)

WHERE: St Francis Xavier's Parish (222 Willow Street East)

WHEN: First Wednesday Evenings, 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. **Starting OCTOBER 22nd, 2025**

III. R.C.I.A. Program - BECOMING CATHOLIC

**Thursday Evenings, 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Starting OCTOBER 9th, 2025**

St. Joseph's Church & St Francis Xavier

**For registration or more information on the above programs, please
Call St. Joseph's office (306) 244-1556;
or email: stjosephparish@sasktel.net**



**Please fill in the form [St. Joseph's Parish \(stjosephsaskatoon.ca\)](http://St.Joseph's Parish (stjosephsaskatoon.ca)) and
send it back to us.
Thank you!**

**ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH IS LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS WHO
WILL HELP TEACHING CHILDREN CATECHISM AND
COORDINATING R.C.I.A PROGRAM. IF YOU ARE WILLING TO
HELP, PLEASE CONTACT FR. HOANG NGUYEN AT (306) 244-1556;
OR VIA EMAIL: NGUYENHOANG25502@GMAIL.COM**

Fall Supper - Sunday November 9, 2025, at 6 p.m.

Tickets are now on sale after the 11:00 a.m. Mass on Sundays until November 9th.

You can also call Paula at the Rectory (306) 244-1556 to reserve your tickets. They are \$10 each or \$40 for a family. It is potluck so please sign up on the sheets at the back of the Church indicating what you will be bringing. If you have a door prize you can donate, please drop it off at the Rectory.

ENDOW: Fellowship and Study of St. John Paul II's Letter to Women will be held Thursdays from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., beginning Oct. 23 at the Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon. To sign up, interested women are asked to please contact organizers Alicia Zimmer and Sue Kachur at holyfamilywwp@gmail.com. "Endow" is a Catholic apostolate that calls women together to study important documents of the Church and the lives and writings of the saints. Through Endow groups, women encounter their identity, grow in faith, and discover their mission in life. Learn more at <https://endowgroups.org>.

Rosary Coast to Coast - October 13, 1917 was the date of the last apparition of Our Lady at Fatima. On that day, all are invited to join in praying the Rosary Coast to Coast, a **global** prayer assembly for our country and our world. The Rosary Coast to Coast will be livestreamed Thanksgiving Day **Monday, Oct. 13** at 6 p.m. Saskatchewan time: Zoom log in: Meeting ID: 488 053 1654 Password: Jesus.

Staying Connected in the RC Diocese of Saskatoon: The weekly Diocesan Bulletin PDF will now be on a summer break, with only one edition planned in mid-summer. Regular weekly Diocesan Bulletins will resume in September. **Other ways to stay connected include:**

- The Diocesan Website** - <https://rcdos.ca>
 - List of all parishes, contact information, Mass times, etc. - <https://rcdos.ca/parishes-mass-times-list/>
 - Calendar of Events - <https://rcdos.ca/events/>
 - Weekly Sunday Scripture Reflections - <https://rcdos.ca/sunday-readings/>
 - Bishop's Blog / Events page - <https://rcdos.ca/bishops-blog/>
- Catholic Saskatoon News** - <https://news.rcdos.ca> - A diocesan online news portal with local, national and Vatican news.
- Social Media:**
 - Facebook page: Roman Catholic Diocese of Saskatoon - <https://www.facebook.com/saskatoonrcdiocese>
 - "X" (formerly known as Twitter) diocesan account: <https://twitter.com/SaskatoonCath>
 - YouTube channel: Roman Catholic Diocese of Saskatoon <https://www.youtube.com/saskatoondiocese>
- Live-stream Video of Mass:** Celebrations from several parishes in the diocese are posted at: <https://saskatoonmass.com>

Hospital Chaplaincy in the diocese of Saskatoon provides sacramental, spiritual and emotional support in all the Saskatoon hospitals. Through paid staff and volunteers, patients can receive the Holy Eucharist as well as ongoing visits. To receive the Sacrament of the Sick or the Holy Eucharist in hospital, contact diocesan **Hospital Chaplain Fr. Benedict Arakkal** directly at (306) 371-7125, or diocesan **Hospital Chaplaincy Coordinator Jacqueline Saretsky** at (306) 292-5531 or jsaretsky@rcdos.ca.

Blankets needed - The Mission and Outreach Ministry established at St. Mary Parish in Saskatoon is seeking donations of blankets, quilts, comforters and sleeping bags, new or gently used. "As the nights get chilly, many are left sleeping on the streets—alone, exposed, and often ignored. But in each of them, we see the face of Christ," says ministry coordinator Jennifer Nunes. "Jesus doesn't always come dressed in robes. Sometimes, He's sitting quietly on the church steps, wounded and weary, waiting for someone to notice. Let's be that someone." To arrange a drop-off of donations at the parish office, please e-mail Jennifer at: jnunes@rcdos.ca or visit the website at <https://www.stmarysoutreach.com> for information about the ministry, and other urgent needs.

The Miracle of the 5000 & the Strength of Rwanda - Come find out about how a small group of Saskatchewan farmers and donors have helped feed over 800 million people in 8 years through Grow Hope SK. With fresh memories of the first Grow Hope learning tour in Rwanda, Myron Rogal will share stories of hope, resilience, and beauty. Held on **Thursday, Oct. 16** from 6:30-7:30 p.m. at the Catholic Pastoral Centre (2nd Floor, Cathedral of the Holy Family, 123 Nelson Road, Saskatoon), this evening will offer an opportunity to grow in solidarity and recognize the gifts that our neighbours -- near or far -- bring to us.

To register for this free event, go to: <https://form.jotform.com/252125719376259>. For more information, contact Myron Rogal at mrogal@rcdos.ca or 306.659.5841 or visit www.growhopesk.ca

Pancake Breakfast: The San Lorenzo Ruiz Knights of Columbus Council #11429 will hold a pancake breakfast 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. **Sunday, Oct. 19** at St. Joseph Parish Hall on the corner of Broadway Ave. and 8th St. East in Saskatoon; adults: \$10; children 5-15 years: \$5; family \$35

Church Cleaning Bee - Wednesday October 15th
Between 10am-3pm we will be wiping down the pews & giving the whole church a much-needed clean.

If you are available to lend a hand for any time during these hours, please come along.

All cleaning supplies will be provided.

Your help is appreciated!