



ST. MARY'S R.C. PARISH

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Sunday Masses

Sunday 10:00 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.

Latin Mass: Until further notice there will be **no** Latin Mass.

Weekday Masses

Monday & Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday & Saturday,
7:30 a.m.

Confessions

On Weekdays 15 minutes before the Mass.

On Sunday 20 minutes before the Mass.

On Wednesday 6:15 p.m. to 6:40 p.m.

On First Friday after the 7:30 p.m. Mass.

Baptism

Arrange with the pastor. Please notify six weeks before for proper preparation.

Marriage

Arrange with the pastor at least one year in advance.

Devotions

Sunday: **before the 10 a.m. Mass**

Chaplet at 9:15 a.m. Rosary at 9:30 a.m.; **before the 5:00 pm Mass**,
Rosary at 4:30 pm

Monday: evenings after the 7:00 p.m.

Mass, Devotions to Our Lady of Perpetual Help.

Before weekday morning Masses, Divine Mercy Chaplet at 6:50 a.m. followed by the Rosary

Wednesday: before the 7:00 p.m. Mass, Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at 6:00 p.m.

1st Fridays of the month: All Night Vigil in honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Mass at 7:30 p.m. on Friday evening, followed by Confession, and Adoration until Mass at 7:30 a.m. on Saturday Morning.



Sunday March 1st , 2020
1st Sunday of Lent

IT HAS BEEN said that nothing in this world is certain except death and taxes. Surely temptation could be added as third. Our lives are constantly fraught with urges and desires that we either succumb to or rebuff.

Having fasted for 40 days and 40 nights, Jesus was left in the most vulnerable of human conditions. Sensing weakness, Satan sprung into action and tried to tempt Jesus three times. On each occasion, the great deceiver was spurned by Jesus, who stubbornly obeyed the will of God. Denying God's will didn't even enter Jesus' mind as he chided Satan for his wilderness volleys. Jesus' resolve faced a much more vigorous test in Gethsemane when he asked God if the cup of his pending crucifixion might pass him by. Even then, Jesus overcame human frailty to submit to God's will.

As was the case with our first parents in the Garden of Eden, we are offered freedom of choice and are constantly tested by temptation. Like Adam and Eve, our human infirmity renders us susceptible to Satan's seductions. As we begin Lent, let us use the traditional practices of fasting, prayer and almsgiving to provide us with the defence we need to fend off the advances of Satan. These practices, rooted in our belief in Jesus as our Redeemer, are the bulwarks of that resistance.

Frank Campbell
Enfield, NS

Parish Office Hours:

Monday – Friday: 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. & 12:30 p.m. - 04:00 p.m.

www.stmarysregina.com

9:15 A.M. CHAPLET & ROSARY - SUNDAYS BEFORE THE 10 A.M. MASS

4:30 P.M. ROSARY BEFORE THE 5:00 P.M. MASS

CHILDREN MINISTRY: Will be held every 10:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. mass.

SUNDAY CHOIRS

10:00 A.M.

1 st , 3 rd and 5 th Sunday - St. Mary's Senior Choir
2 nd & 4 th Sunday - St. Mary's Divine Revival Chorus.

5:00 P.M.

1 st Sunday	2 nd Sunday	3 rd Sunday	4 th Sunday	5 th Sunday
St. Mary's Divine Revival Chorus	Strings & Voices	St. Mary's Divine Revival Chorus	The Voice	The Handmaids

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 1st, 2020

Sun.	March. 1	10:00 a.m.	All Parishioners	
		5:00 p.m.	† Memory of beloved Casandra Steranka	The family
Mon.	March. 2	7:00 p.m.	Mass, Holy Hour and Perpetual Help Devotion	
Tues.	March. 3	7:30 a.m.	† Wilma Pankoski	Laurinda Pankoski
Wed.	March. 4	7:00 p.m.	† Louis Hompoth	Donor
Thurs.	March. 5	7:30 a.m.	† Euclide Jalbert	Josephine Jalbert
Fri.	March. 6	7:30 a.m.	† Joseph & Marie Neumann	Richard Neumann
Sat.	March. 7	7:30 a.m.	† William Seachon	Glenda Seachon
Sun.	March. 8	5:00 p.m.	† Kevin Kanawati	Donor

COLLECTION FOR FEBRUARY 23rd, 2020

Sunday Offerings \$ 1233.55
Works of Mercy \$ 30.00
Sunday Loose. \$ 423.10
Works of Mercy Loose. \$ 59.05
Total Collection. \$ 1745.70



Please support St. Mary's Parish with weekly electronic giving by Visa or Master Card.

STEWARDSHIP:

"It is written: The Lord, your God, shall you worship and him alone shall you serve." (Matthew 4:10)
Tempted between the riches and power of this world and service to God, Jesus chose service to His Father. If we wish to truly follow Jesus, we, too, must decide to turn away from worldly power and riches and put God at the center of our lives. Lent is our time to prune ourselves of earthly things. Ask God how he is calling you to serve.

Mary, Authority, and Mystery: Faith and Reason - Part 3

This week on the Thinking Faith Catholic Podcast, Deacon Eric and Dr. Brett finish up their three-part series on faith and reason with a look at Mary as the model of the Christian approach, look at the role authority plays in belief and get pretty excited about the great mystery that is faith in Jesus Christ.

"The real gift is that we not only get to spend our whole lives here engaged in this exciting process...but we get to spend eternity delving into the mysteries of God, the mystery of the life of the Trinity, the mystery of the Incarnation knowing that we will never exhaust it!"

<http://thinkingfaith.libsyn.com/mary-authority-and-mystery-faith-and-reason-part-3>

IN OUR PARISH

Stations of the Cross will be on Friday at 7:00 p.m. and will continue throughout Lent.



Knights of Columbus

All Parish community male members who have signed online membership with the Knights of Columbus, intending to join St Mary's Parish are to be aware that the new degree ceremony will be held in the second/third week of March 2020 at the Parish after the Sunday 5.00 PM Holy Mass, where all the first three degrees of Charity, Unity, and Fraternity would be conducted and knighted in presence of all the family members and the Church community. This is a great opportunity for all the community members to know the activities of Knight, since the secrecy veil is removed by the Supreme office. Please contact Grand Knight Agnel George @ 306-4509412-the Chair for the New Council Formation for the State of Saskatchewan



First Friday/ First Saturday devotions- March 6 & March 7- **All** Night Vigil in honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary, with Mass at 7:30 p.m. Friday evening, then an opportunity for Confession and Adoration until Benediction before the Saturday 7:30 a.m. Mass.

SUNDAY OFFERING ENVELOPES for 2020 are available at the main entrance for you to pick up. If you do not have envelopes and wish to use them in 2020 please call our office (306) 352-336.

2019 Income Tax Receipts: Income Tax Receipts for 2019 are available at the main entrance of the church Please pick them up.

Reports for our Annual General Meeting - To all Parish Pastoral Council and Parish Finance Council members - please have written reports for the year ending 2019 emailed to the office by March 15, 2020.

Volunteers Needed- St. Mary's Parish is currently in need of parishioners to volunteer to help with the collection count. The time commitment is once a month on Tuesdays, starting at 9:00 a.m. If you have at least one hour to spare once a month, please contact the office at 306-522- 3361 or talk with the Volunteer Coordinators Bob Maddigan or Emma Hompoth. Please note that you will be required to complete a Police Record Check and complete the Protocol forms.

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS - March 2020

<i>Date</i>	<i>Day</i>	<i>Event</i>	<i>Celebration</i>
March 1 st , 2020	Sunday	1 st Sunday of Lent	Rosary & Mass at 10:00a.m. & 5:00 p.m.
March 2 nd , 2020	Monday	Our Lady of Perpetual Help	Mass at 7:00p.m. /Rosary, Prayers & Benediction.
March 3 rd , 2020	Tuesday	Daily Mass	Mass at 7:30 a.m.
March 4 th , 2020	Wednesday	Weekly devotion	Adoration & Rosary at 6:00p.m & Mass at 7:00p.m.
March 5 th , 2020	Thursday	Daily Mass	Mass at 7:30 a.m.
March 6 th , 2020	1 st Friday	Daily Mass	Mass at 7:30 a.m. Stations of the cross at 7:00 p.m. followed by Mass.
March 7 th , 2020	1 st Saturday	Daily Mass	Mass at 7:30 a.m. Closing Mass All Night Vigil
March 8 th , 2020	Sunday	2 nd Sunday of Lent	Rosary & Mass at 10:00a.m. & 5:00p.m.

OTHER EVENTS

Lenten Prayer Lunches

Our Lady of Peace Parish, 425 Broad St. N., will be hosting Lenten Prayer Lunches during Lent on Fridays at 12:15 p.m. starting February 28. Come and join in a short prayer service followed by a soup lunch.

Taizé Prayer Around the Cross

Taizé Prayer around the Cross is a candlelit prayer service where we meet God in song, the Word, and silent wonder. We meet each Thursday during Lent at 7:00 p.m., Blessed Sacrament Church, 2049 Scarth Street, Regina.

40 HOURS FOR LIFE - Feb 26 - April 5, 2020, from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m., outside the Regina General Hospital - 14th Ave. This lent come, even for just one day, and pray to end abortion. Nothing is more important than protecting the most vulnerable in society.

Lenten Parish Mission - Beloved Chosen Anointed

Christ the King Parish, 3239 Garnet St, Regina SK

March 2 - 4, 2020 - 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Monday March 2: - *Praise & Worship, Talk, Adoration & Benediction*

Tuesday March 3 - *Praise & Worship, Talk, Sacrament of Reconciliation*

Wednesday March 4: - *Celebration of the Holy Eucharist, Homily, Prayer Ministry following the Mass*

The Mission is for anyone seeking meaning and purpose in life.

During the Mission you will experience inspiring praise and worship, dynamic preaching and teaching of God's Word, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, and opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. On our last evening, we will celebrate Holy Mass, the greatest prayer of the Church. Following Mass, there will be an opportunity for a fresh empowering of the Holy Spirit and personal prayer ministry. www.christtheking.ca

Women at the Well

A Catholic Women's Event for women thirsting for an encounter with Jesus. Join other women for a short reflection, discussion, time of silence, prayer and fellowship. Saturday, March 14 at Marian Centre 1835 Halifax St. 2:00-3:00 p.m. Please ring the bell at the blue door on the south side. Parking is available in the lot north of the building.

A Sing Along to Irish Songs

Will be held at St. Peter's Parish Hall, 100 Argyle St., Regina. Sunday, March 15 at 2:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome. Wheelchair accessible. Refreshments are served. Freewill Offering Contact Patricia 306-924-0418.

PARISH REGISTRATION & CHANGE OF ADDRESS FORM

NEW PARISHIONERS: In order to be registered as parishioners of St. Mary's Parish, we kindly request that all new parishioners **COMPLETE A REGISTRATION FORM** (located at each entrance to the Church). Please put the form in the Collection Basket or drop it off at the Parish Office.

PARISHIONERS LEAVING the Parish, or moving to a new address within the Parish, **please complete this form** and put it in the Collection Basket.

Name _____

Phone # _____

Address (from) _____

Postal Code _____

Address (to) _____

Postal Code _____