

Our Lady of Peace Parish



**June 30th
#31/2019
13th Sunday Of
Ordinary Time
Year C**



Our Lady of Peace

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LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Weekday Mass: Tue - Fri 9:00 AM

Weekend Mass: Saturday: 5:00 PM, Sunday: 9:00 AM & 10:30

ROSARY: 20 mins before each mass

ADORATION - First Friday of each month 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM

RECONCILIATION - Saturday's: 4:30 PM Sunday's: 8:30 AM

Welcome to Our Lady of Peace Parish!

We welcome all new parishioners to our parish community.

We are happy to assist you at our Information Desk before or after Mass. Here you may find information for: registrations, address changes, collection envelopes, Mass Cards, prayer requests.

Information Table is available 15 minutes before & after Mass.

ANointing OF THE SICK: Call the Parish Office if you need anointing at home or in the hospital. Check the bulletin for upcoming anointing schedules.

BAPTISM: Please call the office to register/information.

MARRIAGE: Please contact the pastor at least six months prior to the wedding date to begin the necessary preparations.

RCIA/RCIC: – Call the Parish Office for information.

Stewardship

"For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters. But do not use this freedom as an opportunity for the flesh; rather serve one another through love." (Galatians 5:13)

We like to celebrate the fact that we are free to "live the good life." But Jesus calls us to a different kind of freedom. St. Paul reminds us that Jesus sets us free so that we can serve one another, share our gifts and promote God's work here on earth to glorify His name and not honor ourselves.

Please Pray For:



**Judith Lewis, Cathy Chukwuma, Anne Gelowitz, Rose Frolic,
Ester Taroja, Liz Hycza, Marion Danyliw, Raymond Vermette
& Clarence Capletto & Brian Martens**



Ask Father James:

What is the definition of a parish and does our parish fit this definition?

There is an official canon law definition of a what a parish is; (c. 515), but to answer your question, I like to adopt the definition that Pope Francis gave recently on what a parish is and should be. Everyone reading this piece would better judge if our parish fits this definition. Pope Francis in his first encyclical letter to the whole church, *Evangelium Gaudium* or The Joy of the Gospel, defines the parish in the following words:

"The parish is the presence of the Church in a given territory, an environment for hearing God's word, for growth in the Christian life, for dialogue, proclamation, charitable outreach, worship and celebration. In all its activities the parish encourages and trains its members to be evangelizers. It is a community of communities, a sanctuary where the thirsty come to drink in the midst of their journey, and a centre of constant missionary outreach. We must admit, though, that the call to review and renew our parishes has not yet sufficed to bring them nearer to people, to make them environments of living communion and participation, and to make them completely mission-oriented" (See EG #28).

"The parish is not an outdated institution; precisely because it possesses great flexibility, it can assume quite different contours depending on the openness and missionary creativity of the pastor and the community. While certainly not the only institution which evangelizes, if the parish proves capable of self-renewal and constant adaptivity, it continues to be "the Church living in the midst of the homes of her sons and daughters." This presumes that it really is in contact with the homes and the lives of its people, and does not become a useless structure out of touch with people or a self-absorbed group made up of a chosen few."

In #49, Francis famously remarks that he prefers a dirty church. "Consequently, writes Pope Francis, an evangelizer must never look like someone who has just come back from a funeral!" (EG #10). "There are some Christians whose lives are like Lent without Easter" (#7). Thus, Pope Francis says; "Instead of seeming to impose new obligations, all parishioners should appear as people who wish to share their joy, who point to a horizon of beauty and who invite others to a delicious banquet. It is not by proselytizing that the Church grows, but 'by attraction'." (#14). Thus, "all of us are asked to obey his call to go forth from our own comfort zone in order to reach all the "peripheries" in need of the light of the Gospel" (#20) and in #46 and #48, he speaks of "going out ...to reach the fringes of humanity."

In #182, the Pope offers us hints on how to do evangelization. He says; 'Jesus is the first and greatest evangelizer. In every activity of evangelization, the primacy always belongs to God who has called us to cooperate with him. The church must be a place of mercy freely given, where everyone can feel welcomed, loved, forgiven and encouraged to live the good life of the Gospel (#114). It is no longer possible to claim that religion should be restricted to the private sphere and that it exists only to prepare souls for heaven. We know that God wants his children to be happy in this world too, even though they are called to fulfillment in eternity, for he has created all things "for our enjoyment" (1 Tim 6:17), the enjoyment of everyone. It follows that Christian conversion demands reviewing especially those areas and aspects of life "related to the social order and the pursuit of the common good."

If you have a faith question, please email Father James at: frjowolagba@gmail.com

Mass Readings, Feast Days & Intentions			Parish Events & Meetings	
Mass Date & Time <i>Solemnities/ Feast Days & Saints Days</i>	Readings	Mass Intentions	Monday July 01	Canada Day <u>Parish Office Closed</u>
Mon July 01 - NO MASS	Genesis 18.16-33 Matthew 8.18-22	NO MASS	Tuesday July 02	6:00 PM-12:00 AM Parish Fundraiser at Fantasyland Bingo
Tues July 02 - 9:00 AM	Genesis 19.15-29 Matthew 18.23-27	<i>Government Leaders By Anonymous</i>	Wednesday July 03	
Wed July 03 - 9:00 AM St. Thomas, Apostle	Ephesians 2.19-22 John 20.24-29	† Izolda Abram By Irene Grad	Thursday July 04	
Thursday July 04 - 9:00 AM	Genesis 22.1-19 Matthew 9.1-8	† Mr & Mrs Frank Hordos By Violet Hordos & Family	Friday July 05	12:00 PM-6:00 PM Parish Fundraiser at Fantasyland Bingo
Friday July 05 - 9:00 AM St. Elizabeth of Portugal	Genesis 23.1-4, 19;24.1-8; 62-67 Matthew 9.9-13	† Pat Fortune By Rob	Saturday July 06	
Sat July 06 - 5:00 PM St. Maria Goretti, Virgin & Martyr	Genesis 27.1-5, 9-10, 15-29++ Matthew 9.15-17	† Freda Abday By Dolly Goebel & Family	Sunday July 07	"Legion of Mary" Will resume in the Fall
Sun July 07 - 9:00 AM Sun July 07 - 10:30 AM 14th Sunday of Ordinary Time	Isaiah 66.10-14 Galatians 6.14-18 Luke 10.1-12, 17.20	9:00 AM † Nick Mayor By Alice Mayor & Family 10:30 AM For All Parishioners		

55+ Senior Group Corner

Activities will resume in September.
THANK YOU to our 55+ Senior Group Executive
for all your hard work & dedication.

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

June 22nd, 2019 5:00 PM - \$478.55
June 23rd, 2019 9:00 AM - \$806.50
June 23rd, 2019 10:30 AM - \$764.65
TOTAL: \$2,094.70

*"Happiness is to live moment by moment and thank God for
what He is sending us every day in His goodness."
- St. Gianna Beretta Molla*

CWL is looking for men & women to help
with the CWL Prayer Circle. We need
people willing to pray for those in need of
prayers. Anyone willing, please contact
Antonette or call Parish Office.

CWL Corner

PEW PARTNER BAGS for CHILDRENS LITURGY

In place of Children's Liturgy for July & August, pre-school
children will be offered a "Pew Partner Bag" of activities
pertaining to the Mass. The bags are returned after Mass
and the projects taken home.

THE REGINA ARCHDIOCESE ANNUAL REPORT

Now available in church foyer.

Did you forget your 2018 PARISH PICTORIAL?

Many parishioners have not picked up their Parish
Pictorial, please visit the parish office to get your pictorial.

Interested in Graduate Credits in Theology?

Newman Theological College (Edmonton) will be offering courses
locally in Regina as part of a Masters in Religious Education (MRE)
program aimed primarily at Catholic teachers. An MRE provides an
increase in salary for teachers. Many of these courses (such as Christol-
ogy or Ecclesiology) are of interest to non-teachers as well. If you are
looking to gain graduate credits on theology and wonder if this might
be a good opportunity for you, please contact Archdiocesan Theologian
Dr. Brett Salkeld at 306-352-1651, ext. 214 or bretzky@hotmail.com.

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

A Prayer Service for Victims of
Clergy sexual abuse Wednesday,
August 21 - 7:00 p.m. at Holy
Child Parish, 2636 7th Ave. E.,
Regina, SK.

Saskatchewan Call for

Conscience 2019 Campaign is still
collecting letters. If you haven't
submitted a letter yet, you may sign
an online letter asking government
to enact legislation to protect
healthcare professionals from
having to participate in Medical
Aid in Dying (MAID) - ending
their patient's life. For more
information contact John
Cook 306-477-1748.

SCHOOL IS OUT & SUMMER IS HERE!

Outdoor adventures, canoes,
swimming, capture the flag, and
campfire sing-alongs - it is camp
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contact Michael Paul at
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577-4624.

Thank You!

The Archdiocese of Regina Youth
Ministry office, would like to
extend our heartfelt gratitude to
the many folks, from many
parishes who came out this year's
Variety Night Show. Your support
of this fundraiser and of our young
people is greatly appreciated.
Thanks to all who contributed in
any way and a special thank you to
Resurrection Parish for their
exceptional hospitality.



A PLEA FOR HELP WITH BINGO

Bingo helpers are desperately need over the summer.
Please sign up is located on the easel in Church foyer.



ATTENTION Students
Earn extra money this summer!
Work a Parish BINGO
& receive \$25.00 per shift.

Bingo Helpers NEEDED

Contact Anita

T: 306.543.0421 E: riegerea@sasktel.net

Drum Roll Please...

NEW 2019 Bingo TOTAL:
\$8,166.64

Daytime Bingos:

12:00 PM - 6:00 PM:
July 1st, 15th & 31st

Evening Bingos:

6:00 PM - 12:00 AM:
July 2nd, 8th & 18th



NEW BUTTERFLIES & LEAVES RECENTLY ADDED

Memorial/Donation Fund

The Memorial/Donation Fund is intended to
help pay down our mortgage. Create a legacy.
Donate \$500 or more & place a leaf or butterfly
on the Memorial Tree.




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Mission Statement:
Through the guidance of the Holy Spirit, we endeavor to build this community of Our Lady of Peace to a viable Christian Catholic Family, to which all are welcome.

New Faces Needed for Parish Council

Current Opportunities:
1.) Parish Council Secretary, 2.) Vocation Awareness, 3.) Youth, 4.) Ecumenism, 5.) Social Justice and 6.) Vice Chair

Parish Council meets on the 2nd Tuesday of each month. Meetings are approximately 1 to 1.5 hours long. For more information, contact Jackie Bahan at: 306.543.3014.