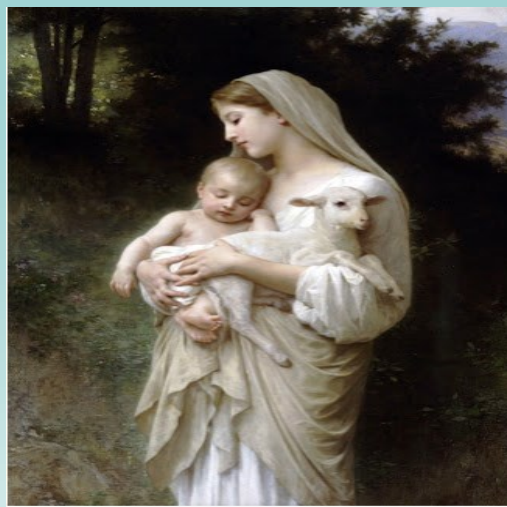


**January 15, 2023
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John 1. 29-34**

**2nd Sunday in
Ordinary Time**



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Welcome to Our Lady of Peace Parish

We welcome all new parishioners to our parish community.
Please call the parish office for information about our parish or to
register as a parishioner.

LITURGICAL

WEEKDAY MASS: (Livestream)

Tues - Fri 9:00 AM

WEEKEND MASS:

Saturday at 5:00 PM (Livestream)

Sunday at 9:00 AM & 11:00 AM

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET 30 mins before 9:00 AM Mass

ROSARY

25 mins before all Masses

ADORATION

1st Fri of each month 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM

RECONCILIATION

Saturday at: 4:30 PM Sunday at: 8:30 AM & 10:30AM

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR FRIENDS

Judith Lewis, Cathy Chukwuma, Andy & Betty Tarr, Cheryl Bell, Beverly Ratch, Melinda Schmidt, Roger Bertrand,
Madeline Daley, Karen & Oliver Fink, Lloyd Stan, Christine & Kenneth Fahlman, Angel Faith, Gordelia Taroja,
Phylis Erickson, Yolanda Eckel, Violet Hordos, Jodi Wilton, Grant Playter, Pat Leibel, Paul Yaskowich, Anna Matz,
Dennis Sentes, Liz Mus, Yvette Boulet, Fr. Pat Murphy



MASS DATE & TIME	MASS READINGS	Gospel Summary Phrases	MASS INTENTIONS
Monday Jan 16, 2023	Hebrews 5.1-10 Mark 2.18-22	<i>The bridegroom is with them.</i>	<u>NO MASS</u>
Tuesday Jan 17, 2023 <i>St. Anthony, Abbot</i>	Hebrews 6.10-20 Mark 2.23-28	<i>The sabbath was made for people, and not people for the sabbath.</i>	<i>John and Annette Nistor - their special intentions</i>
Wednesday Jan 18, 2023	Hebrews 7.1-3, 15-17 Mark 3.1-6	<i>Is it lawful to do good on the sabbath?</i>	<i>Lillian Zuck & family</i>
Thursday Jan 19, 2023	Hebrews 7.25-8.6 Mark 3.7-12	<i>The unclean spirits shouted: "You are the Son of God." Jesus ordered them not to make him known.</i>	<i>Jo-Ann & Les</i>
Friday Jan 20, 2023	Hebrews 8.6-13 Mark 3.13-19	<i>Jesus called the ones he wanted to be with him.</i>	<i>Father James' intentions</i>
5 PM Saturday Jan 21, 2023 <i>St. Agnes, Virgin, Martyr</i>	Hebrews 9.2-3, 11-14 Mark 3.20-21	<i>People were saying of Jesus: "He has lost his mind."</i>	<i>Missa pro populo</i>
9 AM Sunday Jan 22, 2023 11 AM Sunday Jan 22, 2023 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Isiah 9.1-4 1 Corinthians 1.10-13, 17-18 Matthew 4.12-23	<i>Jesus made his home Capernaum so that what had been spoken through the Prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled.</i>	<i>†Emmanuel Mack Sharon and John Ware</i>

ASK FATHER JAMES:

Grand Introduction of Jesus to the World: The parting point of Christianity from Judaism

The visit of the wise men was one of a kind of introduction of Jesus to the world. It is called epiphany. Today's gospel text, John the Baptist did another one-of-a-kind introduction of Jesus to the world – another epiphany text. Our Gospel text today tells that when John the Baptist saw Jesus coming, he said to all: "Here is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world!" What a grand introduction! The question topmost on our mind is what is meant by "sin of the world" that he comes to take away? Plausible exegesis immediately refers us back to the sin of Adam and Eve.

The concept of Agnus Dei – Lamb of God is the parting point between Judaism Kabbalah Aqedah (Genesis 22:1-19) vs. Christianity. In Judaism, Lambs were slaughtered, and the blood was sprinkled as substitute for the blood of Israelites. In Gen. 22:1—19, Gods command that Abraham sacrifice Isaac...God accepts an animal surrogate. John the Baptist is futuristic here, that the death of Jesus on the cross will be the accepted atoning sacrifice. In the Ordinary season, we are following Jesus to the place of the Last Supper, where he would lift up the cup, and say, 'Drink from it, all of you. This is my blood of the everlasting covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins' (Mt. 26:27-28). The sacrificial event is apparently a fulfilment of John the Baptist's comment upon encountering Jesus publicly: 'Look, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!' (Jn. 1:29).

Do you have a faith question? Email Father James: frjames@sasktel.net

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM/RCIA/CHILDREN SACRAMENTS:

Please contact the office for registration forms or access them on our website.

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

ANointing OF THE SICK: Call the Parish Office if you need anointing at home or in the hospital.

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Now the Lord has spoken who formed me as his servant from the womb...” Isaiah 49:5

God have given each of us different gifts. In order for God's plan to work, you have to do what God is calling you to do and I have to do what God is calling me to do. And guess what? God has given each of us a different plan! So, stop comparing yourself to others. Don't let envy and jealousy enter your life. Be thankful for the gifts God has given you and become the saint that God is calling you to be.

Scripture Study Mondays at 10 am.
Attend in person at 1309 Dover Ave or
by telephone conference. Contact Anita
543-0421 for more information.



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Open House

Friday, January 27, 2 –6 PM

200 – 2151 Scarth Street, Regina

Come and visit us and see us at our new location and enjoy some refreshments!

Registration is still open for Sacrament of Confirmation and First Eucharist classes. Forms are available at the welcome desk, and on our website. Must be Grade 2 or older! Make up class for those who missed the first class is Sunday, January 15th at 6 PM. For more information contact Stacy. G.



Charismatic Prayer Meeting

Tuesdays at 10.00 am at Our Lady of Peace Parish. For more information contact Denise at: 306-726-5865.

All are welcome to come and pray.

2023 ENVELOPES ARE AVAILABLE!

Please pick up your 2023 Offering Envelopes in the foyer. Contact Parish Office if you would like a set of envelopes, or an Electronic Giving Form or special Collection envelopes.

Rosary and Collection Counting schedules for 2023 are being made. **Anyone interested and would like to help, please contact Antonette @ 545-5397.**

55+ Craft Sale

Home crafted knitted and crocheted items are set up in the hall for purchase. Stop by the table after Mass! Lots of great gift giving ideas!

There's a few 2023 church art calendars available purchase in the welcome area. Place money in the envelope provided and place in the collection. Get them before they are gone!



THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT!

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at the parish, or call and we
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OFFERING

collections, etrans week of January 8, 2023:

\$3,514.00

collections, etrans week of January 9, 2022:

\$2,183.00

Bishop's Appeal goal for our parish is \$19,496

Final total raised \$17,045 - 87% of our goal.



Bingo

January Dates

Days 18

Evenings 25, 30



Thanks to all your help with
working bingos or financial
support to help pay for rented
workers. Your continued support

is greatly appreciated. We always need workers. If
you can spare a couple of days/evenings (3.5 hour)
shifts a month, please give Anita a call @ 543-0421 or
email riegerea@sasktel.net.

Snowflake Winter Warm-Up Dine-In Suppers

Roast Beef-Jan. 20, Turkey-Jan. 22 served from 5:00
to 6:00 p.m., catered by Charlottes. Tickets \$25.00 for
adults, 7-12 \$15.00, 6 and under free. For Tickets:
Call Anita at 543-0421 or call or text Dennis, etransfer
available, at 530-2370. Tables reserved for groups of 6
or more. Sponsored by Our Lady of Peace Finance
Council to assist with Mortgage Payments.

Tickets on sale before and after all Masses.



CWL CORNER

Happy New Year!

May God Bless you and your families.

Executive meeting will be on Tuesday Feb 14th at 1:30

General Meeting will be on Tuesday Jan 24th at 1:30

Membership of \$35 is due by Feb 1st.



Next Knights of Columbus meeting will be
Monday, January 23 at 7:00PM

55+ Senior Group

Annual Memberships \$10

Next meeting Jan 9th @ 12:30 pm

Forever in Motion/Leader: Brian Leibel:

Tuesdays, 9:45 am - FREE



Stretch & Relaxation Leader: Alice Samkoe:

Classes go to March 29th, 2023. New Time 3-4pm

\$48 for 12 weeks of classes



Knit and Chat - Thursdays, 1:30 PM

Classes resume January 19th

Please call Donelda at 306-543-2728 for more information.

Dance with Live Music

1st Thursday of each month - February 2nd

1:30-3:30 PM Coffee and Goodies

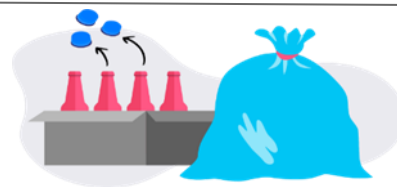


Cards and Fellowship

Wednesdays 1:30 PM

Puzzle Exchange in Children Liturgy Room


**For more information on any 55+ events or to donate call
Betty 306-545-3402.**



Our Lady of Peace 55+ Seniors Bottle Drive

Simply take your recycling to a Drop & Go available at all 72 SARCAN depots across Saskatchewan. **We will not be collecting bottles at the church.** Recycling is accepted in bags, caps must be removed! Glass bottles must be separated and in boxes. **These steps must be followed otherwise recycling will be rejected!**



Check  hours at your local SARCAN as they often have extended hours some days of the week. Follow the steps outlined at the depot and use group phrase "**HelpUs toHelpOthers**" when registering your recycling at the



 . Order will be processed and paid directly to *Our Lady of Peace Senior 55+ Group* bank account.

All funds will go to the needs of the parish. Please spread the word of this fundraiser to all your friends and family all over Saskatchewan and feel free to post it on social media. **WE SINCERELY APPRECIATE YOUR SUPPORT.**

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A NEW EXCITING FUNDRAISER FOR OUR PARISH

We have been granted an opportunity to volunteer (at minimum wage with funds going to our parish) at one of the Western Pizza booths at Mosaic Stadium. Volunteers must be 19 years of age or older. We cannot undertake this without YOU. We invite you to call the parish office at 543-5355 or call or email Anita at 543-0421 riegerea@sasktel.net for more information and to add your name.

PASTORAL COUNCIL

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BUTTERFLIES & LEAVES
Memorial/Donation Fund

The Fund is intended to **assist with paying down the mortgage**. Create a legacy by donating \$500 or more and place a leaf or butterfly on the Memorial Tree.

Contact Parish Office: 543.5355

Are you planning on cleaning out your closet soon?? Save all those clothes for our clothing sale we will be having in April. Your donations are appreciated.

APPOINTED MEMBERS

APPEAL	ANTONETTE ROTHECKER
PROTOCOL	DONALDA EXNER
SCHOOL	ANTONETTE ROTHECKER
55+	BETTY SPARROWHAWK
CWL REP	IRENE HAYNES
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Blessed prayer & lap shawls are available for anyone who may benefit.

Contact: Donalda for delivery.

Are you a shut in or do you know someone that is a shut in? Please contact the parish office to schedule your requested visit.

Lucky CASH 50/50

Draw...tickets available in welcoming area. Please follow instructions on envelope and return tickets to the office with money once they are sold.

Hall Rental of our Facility

The hall is available to parishioners only to rent for family events at a flat rate of \$50/hr. This fee assumes light use of the kitchen. Please call the church office at 543-5355 to book or for more information.

MEMBERS

MAURICE RABOUD
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