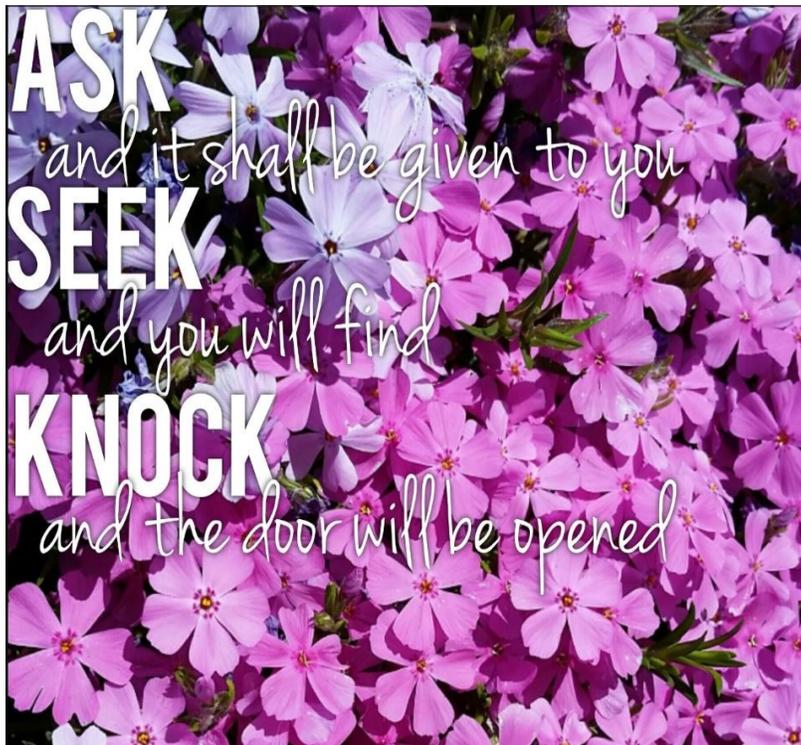




# Our Lady of Peace Parish

**SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**JULY 24, 2016 #35/15-16+**



## MASS TIMES

**SATURDAY: 5:00 PM**

**SUNDAY: 9:00 & 10:30 AM**

**WEEKDAY: 9:00 AM**

### *Stewardship Reflection*

*Jesus is describing God's immeasurable generosity when He says in today's Gospel, "Whoever asks, receives; whoever seeks, finds; whoever knocks, is admitted." But it should also be the description of us as Christian stewards – those seeking to follow Christ by using our gifts in service to others.*

## POPE'S INTENTIONS FOR JULY 2016

**Universal:** That indigenous peoples, whose identity and very existence are threatened, will be shown due respect.

**Evangelization:** That the Church in Latin America and the Caribbean, by means of her mission to the continent, may announce the Gospel with renewed vigor and enthusiasm.

**The Sacrament of Baptism** - is celebrated when needed. Call the Parish office to register for the one-day class

**The Sacrament of Marriage** – please contact Fr. Peter at least 6 mos. prior to the intended marriage date.

**RCIA/RCIC** – begins in Fall – Call Fr. Peter to register or more info.

**Reconciliation** – celebrated before every Weekday, and Sunday Mass or call Fr. Peter for an appointment.

**Hospital or Shut-Ins** – If you would like a visit or the Eucharist - or Require a Ride to Church – contact Parish Office

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## **BUILDING ADDITION COMMITTEE REPORTS**

### **WHATS NEXT:**

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 27 WE WILL  
BE MEETING WITH THE  
LITURGY COMMISSION AND  
BUILDING COMMITTEE OF THE  
ARCHDIOCESE FOR FINAL  
APPROVAL.**

### **RCIA: AN OPPORTUNITY TO EXPLORE YOUR FAITH**

\*The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults is an opportunity to explore the Christian faith from a Catholic perspective.

\*For Families who have children 7 years and older who have not been baptized.

\*It's relaxed, friendly, and informative.

\*It's an opportunity grow in the knowledge and love of Jesus Christ.

\*It's a chance to get to know different people.

\*It's a comfortable place to learn, discuss, and discover everything you wanted to know about being a Catholic today.

**Weekly Sessions** focus on fostering a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ, the teachings and experience of Church and preparing individuals to celebrate the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist during the Easter Vigil.

*You are welcome to participate in the process with your questions, your insights and your faith story in a warm accepting setting. For information please contact the parish office 306-543-5355.*

## **SUNDAY READINGS**

**JULY 24, 2016**

Genesis: 18:20-32

Responsorial Psalm: *On the day I called, O Lord, you answered me.*

Colossians: 2:12-14

Luke: 11:1-13

**JULY 31, 2016**

Ecclesiastes: 1:2; 2:21-23

Responsorial Psalm: *Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations*

Colossians: 3:1-5, 9-11

Luke: 12:13-21

**Attention All Pastoral & Finance Council Members, committee members, spouses and all interested -** On Saturday, Sept 17th we will have a pot-luck noon lunch followed by a Parish Leadership Retreat. Leah Perrault, nationally sought-after speaker and columnist writer in the **Prairie Messenger** will facilitate. Theme "Breathe Deep: Letting the Spirit In to Lead Us". Nominal Charge. Mark your calendars to attend this once-in-a-parish opportunity. Commissioning of all council members will be at 5:00 p.m. and presentation at 9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. masses the following day.

### *Pastor's Message*

This Sunday we are invited to reflect on prayer. There are many aspects in praying, but it is all about our relationship with God as Father. No other religion has a clear notion or any notion of God as our Father. Jesus calls God his Father and taught us to pray to God calling Him our Father.

Many people claim that God has no gender and the title of father cannot reflect the quality of God. We do not waste time finding the right answer for this kind of argument. We simply call God our Father as Jesus takes on humanity as a man who calls God His Father and taught us to call God our Father too. Through Jesus Christ we believe that God is our Father with the full meaning of fatherhood as he is really the author of the life of each one of us and he loves us with his infinite and unconditional love. This Father really cares for each one of us and we can absolutely trust in him. Our physical father is just his co-operator in giving birth to us. Our physical father is not the author of our life and his love for us is very limited.

At the end of today's gospel Jesus invites us to completely trust in God our father as he is our true father with his true and infinite love for us even though we are not able to understand the mystery of his love and care.

On this Sunday we all pray that we may experience day by day God's fatherhood and his infinite love for us so we may be able to have complete trust in Him as Jesus does and encourages us to do also. May we pray the Lord's prayer with full meaning as we are true children of God through Jesus Christ.

Sincerely yours in Christ

*Fr. Peter Thang Nguyen*

**THE INSTALLATION OF  
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*Message Board*

- Kids for Christ Camp – Saturday August 20th from 8:30 am – 6 pm. Registration ends August 7. 4 – 7 years old - \$10.00; 8 – 12 years old - \$15.00. Contact Rene/Abie Keyes – 306-520-3729 or Erwin/Jing Labios – 306-581-9165.
- Youth Camp – August 15 -21. Registration deadline is July 31. Please contact Shayne Pascua at shaynepascua19@gmail.com – 306-591-1194 or Sheryll Plazo at msplazo@gmail.com – 306-209-6901.
- The Archdiocese of Regina Lay Formation and Evangelization Program: "Go, make disciples!" Evangelizing means bearing personal witness to the love of God, it is overcoming our selfishness, it is serving by bending down to wash the feet of our brethren, as Jesus did. - Pope Francis WYD 2013 The Lay Formation and Evangelization program, helps men and women of all ages and stages of life encounter the joy of the Gospel and share that joy, in service, to the world. Over the course of our three-year program, we provide a working knowledge of particular areas of service including; Ministry to the poor and marginalized, Ministry to the sick, dying and bereaved, Native Ministry, Family Ministry, and Youth Ministry. You will be given the tools you need to assess your God-given gifts and talents prayerfully and discern how best to offer these in the service of the people of God within the family, workplace, community or parish. We are currently accepting applications for our Fall intake. For more information or to register, please contact our Program Coordinator, Eric Gurash at 306.352.1651 ext 211 or email him at egurash@archregina.sk.ca Want to know more about this amazing program? Meet some of our participants and listen to their stories; The Archdiocese of Regina Lay Formation Program - <https://youtu.be/hrXlsQTrAUI>
- The 17th Annual Pilgrimage at the Pro-Life Millennium Cross will be held on Sunday, August 28th at 3:00 p.m. 10 km N.E. of Aberdeen on Hwy # 4. Help Wanted: Archdiocese of Regina – Annual Appeal Office
- The Archdiocese of Regina is seeking an Annual Appeal Assistant to fill an 8 month part-time position (14 hours per week). Candidates should love to work with data and have experience in administrative support or training in office procedures. August 5, 2016 is the application deadline. Full details are available at [www.archregina.sk.ca/employment](http://www.archregina.sk.ca/employment).

*Mass Intentions July 25-30, 2016*

Monday July 26: +Caridad Claro By: Ramon  
 Wednesday July 27: +Andy Tarr Jr. By: The Tarr Family  
 Thursday July 28: +Jimmy By: Ramon  
 Friday July 29: +Lylla Fahlman By: The Fahlman Family  
**If you wish to offer a Mass Intention please visit the Information Desk or the Parish Office.**

**CWL CORNER**

Hi all members, hope you are all having a great summer so far. There is going to be held a 50th Anniversary Celebration for the Marian Centre from 2 to 5 pm on Oct 15 ,2016. They expect between 300 to 350 people to attend. We were asked to either bring fruit , goodies veggies cheese and crackers or bread. I advised them we could bring fruit bread, 20 loaves. Councils were asked to help at the following times:  
 1st Shift : preparation if food 1:00pm - 2 :00pm  
 2nd shift , serve tea 2:00pm - 3:30pm  
 3rd shift , serve tea 3:30pm - 5:00pm  
 Which shift would be ok for our group, please advise so we can make a decision. Call either myself, Antonette or Kim

**S**tories of Faith from our Parishioners – In September we hope to share our first of many publications of “Faith Stories” of our parishioners. If there is someone you know or anyone who sits near at mass, who you wish to know more about as to their journey of faith, making stewardship a way of life, and/or building a vibrant parish, call the office. This can be a great honour for that person and you can remain anonymous. OR do YOU wish to share, just call the office. An outline of questions will be given to help write the story.

**RELIGION QUIZ IS BACK FOR ITS 3RD SEASON**

Each week you will find in the bulletin a question, answer it and place in box with yellow flower. Prizes will be awarded in September to those with the correct answers.

**Religion Quiz – #3**

*Test your Knowledge*

In 2007, the Vatican released a document Titled “The Hope of Salvation for Infants who die without being Baptized” which cast doubt on the existence of what place?

- a. Purgatory
- b. Limbo
- c. Hell

Please place your answer in the box at the back of the church. In September we will have prizes for correct answers.

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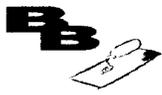


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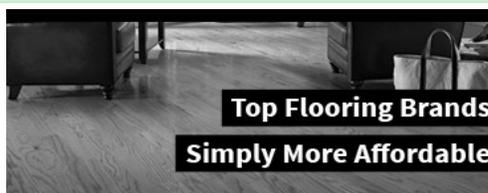
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