



Our Lady of Peace Parish

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 14, #45/2017-2018



LITURGICAL SCHEDULE
Weekday Masses
 Tue, Wed & Fri 9:00 a.m.
 Thurs-9:30am
Weekend Masses
 Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
 Sunday: 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

ROSARY
 20 Minutes before all Masses

ADORATION: EVERY FIRST FRIDAY

RECONCILIATION:
 Saturday's: 4:30 p.m.
 Sunday's: 8:30 a.m.



Feasts of the Week

Mon 15: St. Teresa of the Child Jesus
 Tue 16: St. Marguerite D'Youville
 Wed 17: St. Ignatius of Antioch
 Thurs 18: St. Luke



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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 can register at our parish, notify us of change of address, sign up for collection envelopes, get a Mass Card, notify the office of someone in the parish who needs prayers or a need that you may have. Someone will be at this table at least 15 minutes prior to Mass, and after as well.

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.

YOUR FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTION TO OUR LADY OF PEACE PARISH—ELECTRONIC GIVING
 --Quick and easy to make your parish donation!
 -It's a way to never have to worry about forgetting your donation envelope at home. Sign up forms are available at the Information Desk or at the parish office, call the office for more info at 306-543-5355. **Money comes from your bank account directly to the parish bank account on the second day of each month—hassle free!

Stewardship:
"It is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for one who is rich to enter the kingdom of God." Mark 10:25
 Jesus uses tough language that we may not want to hear. But, we are all called to be generous with all our gifts. Not just the ones we pick and choose, but all our gifts: our time in prayer to God, our talent in participating in parish ministries and our treasure supporting our local parish and other charities.

Why do we light Sacred Candles at Mass?

In the Catholic tradition, plain white candles are lighted for the celebration of the Holy Mass and during other liturgical prayer celebrations and processions to remind us of Divine presence. The white color candles connote purity, cleanliness, and holiness. Candles represent light, the light of God, the light of Christ. In the beginning God said "Let there be light" (Gen. 1:3), that God is light (1 John 1:5) and provides light (Isa. 42:16) and consequently Jesus is "the light of the world" (John 8:12).

In the Old Testament times an oil lamp is lighted using the Menorah; the seven-branch candelabra used in Temple worship to signify divine presence in the Tabernacle inside the Holy of Holies. This practice continued in the New Testament, where a tent was prepared, the outer one, in which were the lamp stand and the table and the "bread of the Presence" (shew bread); it is called the Holy Place. Behind the second curtain stood a tent called the Holy of Holies" (Hebrews 9:2-3).

In the same way, today, candles are lit before the Tabernacle and around the altar to signify the Lord's presence in the Blessed Sacrament and to call for reverence on the part of the faithful. They remain lit upon the worship altars throughout the service. *The General Instruction of the Roman Missal* (GIRM) states; "The candles, which are required at every liturgical service out of reverence and on account of the festiveness of the celebration, are to be appropriately placed either on or around the altar" #307.

Jesus tells us to have our lamps lit (Luke 12:35-37) so that we ourselves might radiate that light outward. Every year on Holy Saturday; at the Easter vigil service, the priest lights the Easter (paschal) candle from the Holy Fire and the priest enters the darkened church with the single Easter candle and thence invites all the faithful to light their candles from this candle held up by the priest as the congregation chants the Easter salutation - "Christ our light is Risen!"

This yearly manifestation of light mean that we are praying for the Divine Light to illuminate us. It is the same idea that we ritually transmit when at the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults or baptism of children (infants), a lighted candle from the paschal candle is presented to the neophyte establishing sacramentality; a deep connection between them and their immersion into the dying and rising of Jesus.

Above all, candles are symbols for divine light and holiness, and lighting them invokes the presence of the divine; and as representations of spiritual power, they call forth divine agents to attend to the worshiping community. Angels are attracted to candle light, and since they act as intermediaries between God and the world, lighted candles in Church is a channel of communication between God in heaven and human beings on earth. God is light and angels are drawn to lighted candles during worship and prayers, allowing the surroundings to be spiritually illuminated. Lighting a candle and Praying with them calls an angel/ "calls the angels," to come and assist with that communication and carry our prayers to God.

You may email/send your faith questions to Fr. James and he will answer them in our Sunday Bulletins.

Daily Readings and Mass Intentions

Mass	Readings	Mass Intention
Mon Oct 15: No Mass	Galatians 4.22-24+++5.1 Luke 11.29-32	No Mass
Tue Oct 16: 9:00AM	Galatians 5.1-6 Luke11.37-41	
Wed Oct 17: 9:00AM	Galatians 5.18-25 Luke11.42.46	
Thurs Oct 18: 9:30AM	2 Timothy 4.9-17a Luke10.1-9	
Fri Oct 19: Mass -9:00AM	Ephesians 1.11-14 Luke 12.1-7	† Clarence Grad by Irene Grad & family
Sat Oct 20: 5:00PM	Ephesians 1.15-23 Luke 12.8-12	Thanksgiving - Nwadikes' family
Sun Oct 21:- 9:00AM & 10:30am mass 29th Sunday in Ord. Time	Isaiah 53.10-11 Hebrews 4.14-16 Mark 10.35-45	Chona Acapuyan 's Birthday wishes

**Parish Events & Meetings
Oct 1-7, 2018**

Mon Oct 15	10am-Bible Study 1309 Dover Ave. 1:30 CWL General Meeting 7PM-Intentional Rosary
Tues Oct 16	1PM Perogie making 1:30pm -Cards
Wed Oct 17	9:30am-perogie making 6PM-RCIA
Thurs Oct 18	9:40am-Sr Forever in Motion 1:30pm- Knitting & Chat
Fri Oct 19	2:15pm-Stretch & Relaxation
Sat Oct 20	5pm- Mass
Sun Oct 21	29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

OFFERTORY Oct.6-7, 2018

5pm \$747.25
9am \$668.92
10:30am \$1,158.65
TOTAL: \$2,653.92



Please **Pray** for our Sick Parishioners

◆ Terry Bedard; & Danny Frei



Upcoming Parish Events

- Oct 14 First Reconciliation classes begin 6PM
- Oct 15- Intentional Rosary @ 7 PM
- Oct 28 Knight of Columbus Meeting @ 7PM
- Nov 1st All saints 9AM Mass
- Nov 2nd All Souls-7pm-Mass -Memorial for deceased loved ones
- Nov 10th CWL Craft Sale Starting from 10am

Many Helping Hands - Thank you to all you helped me over the past 6+ years for the many activities we ventured for Stewardship in our parish. My term is complete, and once again wish to thank you all for the hours and hours contributed. Margaret O'Byrne has volunteered to head this committee and needs all "those helping hands". Because of Diocesan Protocol, I can't pass on phone numbers or email addresses, so would you please call her at 306-949-8995 and tell her what you would like to continue to help with. - Anita Rieger

Memorial/Donation Fund

The Memorial (Butterfly) or donation fund (Green leaf) is set up to enable us to pay **down our mortgage**. Your name or the name of your loved ones will be Placed on the tree in the gathering area for any donation of \$500 or more. **Please** donate generously to our cause. Check the Information desk for the envelopes. **Thank you**

Membership \$10.00.annually this gives you the opportunity to attend for free:

- * Cards -Tuesdays @ 1:30pm;
- * Forever in Motion-Thursdays @ 9:40am;
- * Knitting/Crocheting group Thursdays @ 1:30 p.m.

Stretch & Relaxation Fridays @ 2:15, \$3.50 for members, \$4 for non-members.

55+ Dance Oct. 11 @ 1:30 p.m. \$5 for members, \$6 for non-members.

Contact Betty @ 306-545-3402 for more info.

55+ Senior Group Corner

For Perogy Makers: Peelers, Marshers- Tuesday Oct 16 @ 1:00pm; Rollers, Pinchers and Dough makers- Wed after 9:00 am Mass. Thank you to all who come to help



Our Home made Perogies Available Please call Marg @ 306 949 8995 or the Parish office if you need perogies.



Have you given all that you have to serve the Lord?

One of the ways to give to the Lord and thus follow and serve Him is through the Archdiocesan Appeal. In giving part of our material treasures to the Appeal, we are helping build God's Kingdom here in our Archdiocese. It is a difficult task, being faced with subtle persecutions from all sides.

One of the areas supported by the Appeal is the youth program, engaging young people in the Archdiocese and encouraging them to get involved in events designed to reflect our Catholic Christian values in spiritual and outreach activities. Through the youth program, we are committing to the Lord the next generation of workers in the Lord's harvest. By our gift to the Archdiocesan Appeal, we give of ourselves for the sake of God's Kingdom. **Our Parish goal is \$20,846**

-General Meeting October 15th at **CWL Corner** 1:30 pm.

We will be doing a Parade around the block saying the Rosary to start the meeting.

- Please bring non-perishable food items to the meeting for the food hamper to be raffled off at our Craft Sale.
- Membership fees are now due. \$30.00
- Craft Sale Nov 10th 10am -3pm

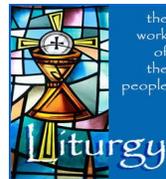


Our October Bingo's are...Day -24, & 29; Evening 8th. To date we have received **\$ 16,420.00** for all our efforts. Thanks to all the dedicated workers. Should you be able to help with the Sept bingos, please call the office or Anita at 543-0421. No experience necessary.



Our parish will be starting a new, "Legion of Mary" Praesidium prayer group. Interested parishioners may sign up and find information at the information table.

PARISH LITURGY FAIR.



Special thanks to all that participated and signed up for the ministries.--The winner of the door prize is **Miles Lozinsky**. You are welcome to join any of the ministries at anytime. Lets continue to share our talents, serve and grow.

AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

TF108: Reverence for Life Month - Poverty and Our Option for the Poor

As Reverence for Life Month Continues in the Archdiocese of Regina we sit down with Social Justice Coordinator Tashia Toupin once again. This time we'll take a look at the life issues surrounding poverty, discuss what a "Preferential Option for the Poor" really means, and share some more practical ideas on integrating habits of care for the poor into our daily lives. Praying for compassionate hearts and generous souls on this week's Thinking Faith!

<http://thinkingfaith.libsyn.com/tf108-reverence-for-life-month-poverty-and-our-option-for-the-poor>

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Full Time Pastoral Services Support Staff - Archdiocese of Regina-Reporting to: Director of Pastoral Services and working under the day to day supervision of the Pastoral Services Admin Assistant; Hours: 35 Hours/Week

Estimated Start Date: November 19, 2018

To apply, please provide your resume and three references, one of which is your parish priest, before Friday, October 19th. Applications are to be submitted in electronic format to: Sharon Bender at sbender@archregina.sk.ca or Leona Burkhart at lburkhart@archregina.sk.ca A full job description is available on our website, www.archregina.sk.ca

Fall Supper - St. Pius Parish, Windthorst

St. Pius Parish and the Windthorst Knights of Columbus are sponsoring our Fall Supper on Sunday, October 21. Fall supper will be held at the Windthorst Community Rec. Centre from 5 pm - 7 pm. Adults - \$15; Youth 10 & under - \$7 and Pre-school: Free.

Permanent Diaconate

The Archdiocese will begin the formation of its second cohort of permanent deacons in Fall 2019. The application and discernment process starts now. For more information, contact Archdiocesan theologian Dr. Brett Salkeld at 352-1651, ext. 214.



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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.

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