Our Lady of Peace Parish

December 17, 2023 YEAR B

Third Sunday of Advent

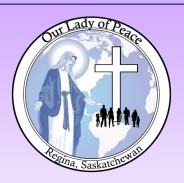
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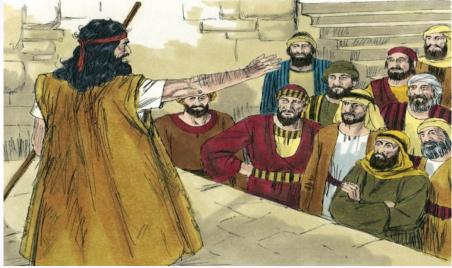
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SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM: Call Parish office for more information.

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 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.

MASS TIMES

WEEKDAY LITURGY: Tues - Fri 9:00 AM

SUNDAY LITURGY: Saturday 5:00 PM Sunday 9:00 AM & 11:00 AM

ROSARY 25 mins before all Masses

ADORATION: Fridays 8 AM - 9 AM

RECONCILIATION Before and after all masses



MASSES AND INTENTIONS

Saturday, December 16	5:00PM Mass	†Sandi Sheridan
<u>Sunday, December 17</u>	9:00 AM Mass 11:00 AM Mass	Mass for the people † Syan Johnson & † Carla(Anhorn)Duke
Monday, December 18	NO MASS	
<u>Tuesday, December 19</u>	9:00 AM Mass	Christopher Tresky - health and healing
Wednesday, December 20	9:00 AM Mass	† Don and Lydia
<u>Thursday, December 21</u>	9:00 AM Mass	† Carla(Anhorn)Duke & † Syan Johnson
Friday, December 22	9:00 AM Mass	Art Judson

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

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"Rejoice always. Pray without ceasing." Give thanks in all circumstances, for this is the will of God for vou in Christ Jesus."

-1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

up Steward-This scripture reading sums ship. "Rejoice always" means place your trust in God; He will provide all that you need. "Pray constantly" means prayer should be a running conversation with God throughout the whole day, every day. "Give thanks in all circumstances" means even in bad situations, thank God. Suffering a little bit helps build empathy for others in similar situations and shows our dependence on God.

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Fr. John Weckend, Archdiocese of Regina Truth and Reconciliation Healing Committee.

Did you know... From February 4 to 29, 2024, a display of paintings depicting each of the 94 Calls to Action resulting from the National Truth and Reconciliation Commission (2015) will be on display at the Neil Balkwill Arts Centre in Regina. The paintings are the work of students from the Balcarres Community School. More details will be coming.

The Marian Centre would like to extend our thanks to all who have contributed towards their need of men's clothing in the past months. Our clothing room is now well supplied with men's winter clothing, which we share with

those who come to us in need. We request at this time that further donations of clothing be suspended until April 1st.



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ARCHDIOCESE OF The Archdiocese of Regina announces, with great joy, the Ordination to the transitional diaconate for Daniel Malone on Monday December 18th @ 1:00 pm

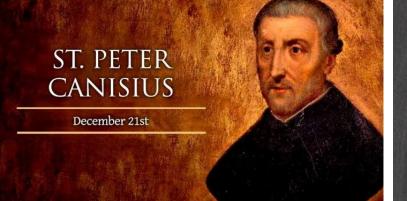
All are welcome to come and at Holy Rosary Cathedral. celebrate with Daniel, his family and the Archdiocese of Regina. Daniel will be ordained to the priesthood at a later date in the spring. Please keep Daniel in your prayers and continue to pray for young men in our Archdiocese to be open to the Lord's calling.

Pastoral Centre Christmas Hours

The Archdiocese of Regina Pastoral Centre will be closed to the public for Christmas beginning Monday, December 25. We will reopen on Tuesday, January 2nd. Staff from the Finance and Appeal Offices will be present occasionally between **December** 27th to 29th. Deliveries can be left in the mailbox at Blessed Sacrament parish, 2049 Scarth St. If you need to contact someone from the finance or appeal department, please find their contact info here archregina.sk.ca/grouppage/staffcontacts/. Merry Christmas from Archbishop Don and all of the staff at the Pastoral Centre!

New Year's Day Levée The faithful of the Archdiocese are cordially invited to the Archbishop's New Year's Levée to be held at Holy Rosary Cathedral 3125-13th Ave., Regina January 1, 2024 at 1:00 p.m And to receive the Archbishop's blessing for the beginning of the New Year

(Please note, the elevator is not functioning at this time, the only way to access the hall will be stairs)

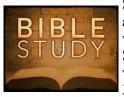


Peter Canisius (Peter Kanis; 1521-1597) is honored as a Doctor of the Church for his heroic defense of Catholicism through teaching, preaching and writing catechisms. He was also one of the giants of the young Society of Jesus, serving as the first provincial of Germany, a post he held for 14 years.

Anyone interested and would like to help with the 2024 Weekly Rosary and Collection Counting please contact: Antonette @ 529-5002.

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.

The hall is available to <u>parishioners only</u> 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.



Scripture Study are Mondays at 10 am at 1309 Dover Avenue. An excellent way to prepare for the upcoming Sunday Readings. Please stop in whenever you can. Contact Anita 306 543-0421 for more info.

Check out these Catholic resources to have questions answered and broaden your knowledge of your faith!

EWTN <u>https://www.ewtn.com/</u>

Catholic Answers <u>https://www.catholic.com/</u>

- Scott Hahn <u>https://www.scotthahn.com/</u>
- AMEN app <u>https://amenapp.org/</u>

HALLOW app <u>https://hallow.com/</u>

Living With Christ is also a free app available for weekday/Sunday Scripture readings for Canada



Jesus, you will come among us once again to give us your very life. May your life's gift inspire us to make our lives a gift to you, over and over again. Amen.



Advent Parish Confessions Sunday December 17th @ 2:00 pm

(5 priests)

Christmas Eve December 24th @ 7:00 pm

Christmas Day December 25th @ 10:00 am

Mary, Mother of God December 31st @ 5:00 pm Mary, Mother of God January 1st @ 10:00 am

