Christ the Redeemer Roman Catholic Parish

Mission Parishes: St Anne, Gull Lake and St Joseph, Cabri Christ the Redeemer OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday: 8:30 - 12:30 & 1:00 - 4:30







Seek the Kingdom of God.

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SACRAMENTS

Baptisms

1st Sunday or 3rd Saturday after Mass or by appointment (attendance at Baptism preparation class required)

Reconciliation

Available before all Masses, during Friday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, or upon request

First Eucharist & Confirmation

Please call the parish office

Marriage

Contact the Pastor at least six months in advance

Anointing of the Sick

Please call the parish office

WORSHIP

Weekend Mass Times

Swift Current: Saturday 5 pm | Sunday 10 am

Cabri - Sunday 9:30 am Gull Lake - Saturday 5:00 pm

Weekday Mass Times

Swift Current:

Tuesday & Thursday 7:00 pm Wednesday & Friday 9:00 am

Cabri - Tuesday 9:30 am Gull Lake - Thursday 9:30 am

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

3rd Thursdays 6:00-7:00 pm First Fridays 9:30-1:30 pm Other Fridays 9:30-10:30 am

Please consider Christ the Redeemer Parish, your home, in your will.

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We acknowledge that we are on Treaty 4 Territory, traditional lands of the Nêhiyawak (Cree), Nahkawé (Saulteaux) and Nakota, and homeland of the Métis, Dakota and Lakota.

5th Sunday of Lent—April 6, 2025

Give me justice, O God, and plead my cause against a nation that is faithless.

Parish Events & Activities

Monday — April 7th

9:00 am Miracle Quilters gather upstairs

Tuesday — April 8th

7:00 pm MASS † TONY HOFFART & RITA WORTH

requested by Lenora & Daniel Weber

7:30 pm Welcoming Committee meeting

Wednesday — April 9th

9:00 am MASS of HEALING for VICKY HIEBERT

requested by Leon Hiebert

10:15 am Lenten Liturgy at All Saints Catholic School

1:15 pm Senior Card/Games Social in Sacred Heart Hall

6:00 pm Public Square Rosary north of City Hall

7:00 pm Lenten Retreat with Deacon David Hagel

in the church (continues tomorrow)

Thursday — April 10th

 $10{:}00~\mathrm{am}$ $\,$ MASS † at BENTLEY for the HOLY SOULS

in PURGATORY

12 Noon Interdenominational Lenten Worship Service

at CTR, led by St Stephen Anglican Church,

followed by lunch (last session)

7:00 pm MASS † LEONIDA & HERMINIANO

MANECLANG requested by Ricky & Aileen

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7:30 pm Lenten Retreat with Deacon David Hagel

in the church, Day #2 (following Mass)

Friday — April 11th

NOTE: Due to Chrism Mass in Regina, morning Mass at CTR and Mass at The Meadows are cancelled

3:00 pm CHRISM MASS at Holy Rosary Cathedral,

Regina

7:00 pm Stations of the Cross, led by Social Justice

Saturday — April 12th

5:00 pm MASS † TONY HOFFART & RITA WORTH

requested by the Cruz-Barraca family

Sunday — April 13th — Palm Sunday

9:30 am MASS INTENTIONS for ALL PARISHIONERS

at St Joseph Parish in Cabri

10:00 am MASS † ANETT OCAMPO requested by

Geffrey Ocampo and family, and **70th**

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY of Jean &

Dianne Dureault

11:30 am El Shaddai Worship Service in Sacred Heart Hall

(after coffee/social)

Mass can be livestreamed from www.youtube.com/

ArchdioceseRegina or seen on Vision TV



Is This You?

If you are using Envelope #432 (from 2022) or Envelope #279 (2025), please contact the office ASAP at 306-773-9524.

Stewardship Bulletin Bit

"...For his sake I have accepted the loss of all things and I consider them so much rubbish, that I may gain Christ..."

-Philippians 3:8

The first commandment says that we should not put other gods before the Lord. Sharing all of our gifts—our time in prayer, our talent in charitable works, and our treasure to support the Church—helps us keep God first in everything. It helps us from putting other gods before God. It helps us from becoming a slave to our possessions. It helps us to use our gifts for the glory of God and not for the glory of ourselves.

SPEND TIME WITH JESUS THIS LENT



In the midst of our busy lives, it's easy to feel disconnected from God with constant demands of modern life.

Yet, within the heart of our Catholic faith lies a powerful source of grace and intimacy with Christ: Eucharistic Adoration. This sacred practice offers solace, strength, and a deeper understanding of His boundless love.

It is a personal encounter with the living God. We sit in His presence, just as we would with a dear friend. We can share our joys and sorrows, our hopes and



fears, knowing that He listens with infinite compassion.

He gazes upon us with love, offering comfort in times of trouble and guidance in moments of uncertainty. It is a time to be with Him, to rest in His peace, and to allow His grace to wash over us.

We can bring our burdens, our anxieties, and our struggles. Christ, truly present, offers us comfort and consolation. He gives us hope in times of despair, and heals the wounds of our hearts.

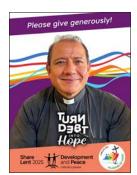
By spending time with Jesus in Adoration, we open ourselves to His healing touch and receive the grace we need to live our lives more fully in Him. It's an opportunity to find peace in His presence, and to receive the graces He so freely offers.

He awaits you there, longing to share His love with you.

UNDERSTANDING OUR FAITH



For the 5th Sunday of Lent the statues and crucifixes are veiled to heighten the focus of the Passion. The shrouds help us fast from beauty and ornamentation and focus on the altar where the sacrifice is made present to us.



SHARE LENT 2025

This Solidarity Sunday, Development and Peace invites you to give generously. Your donation transforms the lives of some of our most vulnerable sisters and brothers across the world.

"Your generosity is a testament to the boundless compassion that unites us all as one human family.

May we continue to walk together in faith and action, creating a brighter future for all."

—The Most Rev. Jorge Izaguirre, Bishop of Chosica, outgoing president of CEAS, a partner in Peru

Help create hope and fulfil dreams by giving to your Share Lent parish collection or online at devp.org/give. Thank you for your solidarity!

SENIORS CARD SOCIAL

It's the **2nd Wednesday** of the month this week and the Social Justice Committee is once again hosting a fun afternoon for seniors 55+, men and women. Come socialize **April 9** starting at 1:15. Refreshments are provided.



Adult Faith Formation has a **Prayer Card for the Canadian Election**, and a **petition** to government to keep the charitable status for churches intact. Please see the information kiosk after Mass.

SOCIAL JUSTICE EASTER HAMPERS

Please contact Michele Vallee at 306-774-5171 or kmvallee@sasktel.net if you, or someone you know, could use a hamper this Easter. Donations can be dropped off in the containers in



each foyer. Please leave gift cards with the office. If you can contribute a turkey or ham, please bring it to the kitchen freezer, marked clearly for Social Justice.

Easter hampers will be assembled on **Mon, April 14** beginning at 9 am. Helpers are most appreciated!

HOSPITAL CHAPLAINCY PROGRAM



This important ministry is offered at the Cypress Regional Hospital and The Meadows. It provides spiritual care to patients and residents through visitation, helping connect patients/

residents to their faith community, notifying churches when one of their parishioners is in hospital, and providing spiritual support and prayers. The Chaplaincy program is supported by SCAMA, and is always in need of additional funds. Please donate as you are able.

PARISH LENTEN RETREAT



Join Deacon David Hagel as he leads us in a walk through Holy Week: From Hosanna to Heartbreak to Hope! Wed & Thurs, April 9 & 10 at 7:00 pm (starting with Mass on Thurs). Please consider this a way to faithfully enter the most important season of the year.

RITUAL OF THE SCRUTINIES



The Scrutinies are three special rites that help prepare those participating in RCIA to enter the Catholic Church. The last of these rituals takes place Sunday, **April 6th**.

LENTEN WORSHIP SERVICES

Join us for the last Interdenominational Lenten Worship Service at noon on Thursday, **April 10th**, led by **St Stephen Anglican** Church. Come worship with our fellow Christians—then stay for lunch and fellowship.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

On April 11th, the Stations of the Cross will be led by **Social Justice** with a PowerPoint presentation.

An Interdenominational Stations of the Cross service will be held on **Good Friday at 9:00 am.** If the weather



cooperates, we hope to hold the Stations of the Cross outside south of the church; if not, we will hold the service inside. Please join us for this powerful and touching experience of walking with Jesus on Good Friday.

HOLY WEEK MINISTRIES

Please share your talents and sign up for Holy Week ministries. We also require volunteers for the foot washing ceremony. It



can be a meaningful experience to participate in the commandment of Christ to emulate his loving humility.

The priests will be available for Reconciliation at the Lenten retreat April 9 & 10, on Holy Thursday after the Mass until midnight, after the Good Friday liturgy, or anytime by appointment.

CHRISM MASS IN REGINA



The Chrism Mass (Blessing of the Oils) will be held on **Friday, April 11** at Holy Rosary Cathedral in Regina beginning at 3:00 pm. It will also be livestreamed to:

youtube.com/ArchdioceseRegina

NOTE: No morning Mass at CTR or The Meadows that morning.

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Other Ministries

In addition to the committees we have on Parish Pastoral Council, active groups include the Miracle Quilters, our Comfort Care team, a Sacramental Preparation team, and the Prayer Shawl ministry. Bible Study and RCIA sessions are led by Adult Faith Formation, and a core group meets for public praying of the Rosary every Wednesday at 6:00 pm downtown north of City Hall.

Be sure to check out our brochure display and the Lighthouse media kiosk in the north & south foyers. As well, our library features books and videos on a variety of spiritual subjects.

Please check inside, under Parish Events & Activities, for dates & times of meetings.