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.

PASTORAL STAFF

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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.

Easter Sunday—April 20, 2025

Christ, our Paschal Lamb, has been sacrificed; let us feast with joy in the Lord.

Parish Events & Activities

Monday — April 21st

OFFICE IS CLOSED

No Miracle Quilters

Tuesday — April 22nd

NO MASS

Wednesday — April 23rd

NO MASS

1:30 pm Social Justice meeting

6:00 pm Public Square Rosary north of City Hall

Thursday — April 24th

7:00 pm MASS † ERLINDA PECUNDO and † LOTA

MANANSALA requested by Hazel & Jesus

Ligsay and family

7:30 pm Parish Pastoral Council meeting

Friday — April 25th

9:00 am MASS † KEITH HAGEN requested by Gord

& Jackie Hagen, followed by Adoration until

10:30 am

9:30 am MASS at RIVERVIEW

Saturday — April 26th

5:00 pm MASS † BERT LANG requested by Lenora

& Daniel Weber

5:00 pm MASS † KAREN DICKIE at St Anne Parish in

Gull Lake requested by John & Norma Slabik

<u>Sunday — April 27th — Divine Mercy Sunday</u>

9:30 am MASS INTENTIONS for ALL PARISHIONERS

at St Joseph Parish in Cabri

10:00 am MASS † SCOTT COULTER requested by

Terry & Val Coulter

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

Mass can be livestreamed from www.youtube.com/ ArchdioceseRegina or seen on Vision TV



Stewardship Bulletin Bit

"...He went about doing good and healing all those oppressed by the devil, for God was with him."

-Acts 10:38

We can't give what we don't have. Open your heart to receive God's love, mercy and forgiveness. Then, show the same to others. As God's adopted sons and daughters, we are made in His image and likeness. Pope Benedict XVI says, "We are made for greatness." Let our lives reflect His light to others. Pray to live a grateful and generous life. We are made for more! We are made for God!

PREPARE FOR DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY APRIL 27



In the Diary of St Faustina, Jesus Christ made a special promise.

My daughter, tell the whole world about My inconceivable mercy.

I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and shelter for all souls, and especially for poor sinners. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the fount of My Mercy (Diary, 699).

DIVINE MERCY NOVENA

The Novena to the Divine Mercy begins on Good Friday and ends **Sunday**, **April 27th** at **2:30 pm** with an hour of prayer (2:30 - 3:30), including the Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy. Each day of the Novena the Lord says, "*Today bring to Me...*"

- Day 1 All mankind, especially all sinners
- Day 2 The souls of priests and religious
- Day 3 All devout and faithful souls
- Day 4 The pagans and those who do not yet know me
- Day 5 The souls of those who have separated themselves from my church
- Day 6 The meek and humble souls and the souls of little children
- Day 7 The souls who especially venerate and glorify my mercy
- Day 8 The souls who are detained in purgatory
- Day 9 Souls who have become lukewarm

Practices to Prepare for the Novena:

- 1. Celebrate the Feast on April 27th
- 2. Sincerely repent of all our sins
- 3. Completely trust in Jesus
- 4. Go to Confession
- 5. Receive Holy Communion on the day of the Feast
- 6. Venerate the Image of The Divine Mercy
- 7. Be merciful to others through action, words and prayers

Find support materials on the table in the south foyer.

SPECIAL FEAST DAY APRIL 26

On Saturday, April 26 we celebrate the feast day of **Our Lady** of **Good Counsel**—patroness of the Catholic Women's League.

On the Feast of St Mark, April 25, 1467, at the close of a festival in Genazzano, a cloud descended upon the ancient 5th-century deteriorated church, dedicated to Our Lady of

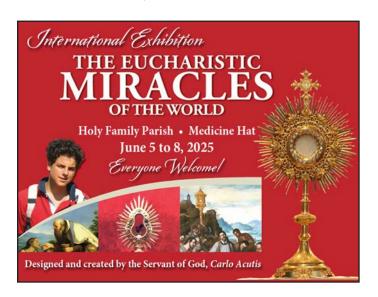
Good Counsel. When the cloud disappeared, the festive crowd found a small, fragile image of the Blessed Virgin and Child on a thin sheet of plaster. The painting is said to have hung in mid-air, suspended without support, floating. It was widely believed that it had been miraculously transported from a church in Scutari, Albania just prior to its invasion by the Ottomans.



Do you sing? Play an instrument? Join one of our choirs! Mixed • Contemporary • CWL • Youth WE NEED YOU!

We need people to lead the choir, be a Psalmist, or contribute as a musician. Especially needed are **piano** and organ players. Music adds so much to our service and the time commitment is small. For choir members, it's about 30-60 minutes a week for practice, plus the Mass itself. Leaders will need an extra hour or two to read and pray about which hymns to choose.

If you are ready to "Make a Joyful Noise to the Lord," please contact **Peggy Marshall** at 306-773-1462.



FUNDRAISING FARMERS ARE BACK



Exciting News! Once again we have secured 160 acres for our growing projects. Soon our fields will be seeded to Durham wheat. There are a lot of expenses to grow a crop, so why not become a *Fundraising Farmer?*Donations are welcome, for which you will receive a tax receipt and a free harvest supper in the fall. Since this initiative began in 2011, over \$400,000 has gone to our Building Fund, plus over \$60,000 to the Canadian Food Grains Bank. Forms to sign up are available from the office. Thank you!

The Knights of Columbus are hosting a **Garage Sale fundraiser** and are asking K of C members as well as parishioners for donations. Proceeds will go to K of C charities such as the Swift Current Chaplaincy Fund,



local Pro-Life, Coats for Kids, Remembrance Day Memorial, CTR Social Justice Committee, CTR Adult Faith Formation (formed.org), and the Schools Breakfast Program.

Most items are welcome—except no clothing, no books and no crystal please.

Dates for the Garage Sale are Thurs - Sat, **May 8-10** and **May 15-17** at **349 Matador Drive**. Items should be delivered by May 7. For more info, please contact Gord at 306-741-2346 or Martin at 306-741-6568.

SOCIAL JUSTICE EASTER FOOD HAMPERS



Thank you! Once again your generous food and monetary donations have made it possible for our parish to distribute Easter hampers to families in our community.

A special thank you to the crew who sorted, shopped and packed—and to the K of C who delivered the hampers. Easter blessings to all!



EASTER FLOWERS

Donations of lilies or potted mums to brighten the sanctuary would be most welcome. Because the Easter season is 8 weeks long, donations received later in April or May are also appreciated.

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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.