Saint Anne's Week at a Glance

Monday, September 23rd: 4:45 pm - Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet 6:30 pm - 7th Day Band Practice Tuesday, September 24th: 8:30 am - Mass (+ Annie Dmytro Rawlyk) 9:00 am - Praying of the Rosary 9:30 am - St. George School Opening Mass 7:00 pm - CWL Executive Meeting Wednesday, September 25th: 8:30 am - Mass (SI Jim & Cathy Randal) 9:00 am - 9:00 pm - Adoration 9:00 am - Praying of the Rosary 9:30 am - Sr. O'Brien School Opening Mass 10:30 am - Mass at St. Angela Merici 3:15 pm - Centering Prayer Group 6:00 pm - Finance Council Meeting 7:00 pm - Confession 7:00 pm - RCIA Thursday, September 26th: 8:30 am - Mass (+ John Wiggs) 9:00 am - Praying of the Rosary 9:00 am - Mom's Group 9:30 am - St. Angela School Opening Mass 10:30 am - BJM Grade 9 Retreat 6:30 pm - Mourning to Dawn Group 7:00 pm - The Rescue Project 7:00 pm - 11:00 am Choir Practice Friday, September 27th: 8:30 am - Mass (+ Gene Swejda) 9:00 am - Praying of the Rosary 11:00 am - Funeral Mass for John Wiggs 2:00 pm - Mass at Primrose Chateau Saturday, September 28th: 9:00 am - Choir Practice 10:00 am - Testimony Writing Workshop 3:45 pm - Ken Neitz Music Practice

5:00 pm - Mass (Baptism)

Sunday, September 29th:

9:00 am - Mass (Baptism) 11:00 am - Mass (livestreamed) 12:00 pm - Fall Family Kick Off 6:00 pm - Ramsay Choir Practice 7:00 pm - Mass

Photo Directory: We've added more time slots to the sign-up sheets in the Welcome Area, so stop by and book your spot for your photos in our new church directory! It is free to have your photo take, you get a free directory, and there is no obligation to purchase any pictures! We're also looking for additional volunteers, so if you have a couple of hours to help, we'd greatly appreciate it!

The Annual International Life Chain event will take place in Saskatoon on Sunday October 6, 2pm to 3 pm on the corner of Idylwyld Drive and 22nd Street. Plan to attend to support respect for life from conception to its natural end. Signs are provided. For more information contact Louis 306-249-2764.

The 40 Hours for Life campaign in Saskatoon begins on Wednesday Sept 18 at 9 am. The campaign will be held on Monday to Friday each week until October 25. The hours of operation will be 9 am to noon each day with one hours shifts. If you want to sign up for any of the shifts or if you have any questions, please contact me by email,

campaignlifesk@gmail.com or call Louis 306-249-2764. We will stand on the corner of 7th Ave and Queen Street this year. Currently looking for at least 2 people for each time slot during this campaign. Signs and instructions are provided.

Thank you for

your generosity!

Offering for September 9-15:

Loose	\$ 669.60
Envelopes	4,018.00
PAG	6,717.46
Online	TBD
	\$ 11,909.76

Confirmation Preparation: Now is the time! Confirmation is an amazing sacrament to encounter God in a powerful way and be filled with the fullness of the Holy Spirit to grow in faith and service. Deadline to register is October 4th. We will be hosting a Come & See Orientation Breakfast Saturday, October 5th 9-11 am. If your son or daughter is in Grade 6 or older and wants to be Confirmed, please contact Colm and see our registration page at www.saintannes.ca/confirmation to begin the

Sacramental Preparation: For those in Grade 2 or older First Reconciliation and Holy Communion preparation registration is available on St. Anne's Parish Website.



This year, classes will run November-March on Mondays, with the first session being November 4th from 6-7:30pm. If you have questions, please contact Michaela at mhamm@rcdos.ca.

Liturgical Schedule for September 28/29

Saturday, @ 5:00 pm

process!

Liturgy Coordinator: Donna Aldous Welcomers: Chandra Behrenz, Randy Fischer, Rolando Lescano, & Mary Jane Lozada Eucharistic Ministers: Christina Driedger, Katie Groskopf, & Reylan Lozada Lectors: 1st- Brett Berry, 2nd- Volunteer Needed, Int-Maurice Janex Sound Tech: Jordan Lavier Altar Servers: Bria Lavier, Ezra Levne, & Chloe Zeljeznak Gift Bearers: Ibanez Family Ushers: Cam Behrenz, Gisele & Kevin O'Donnell

Sunday, @ 11:00 am

Liturgy Coordinator: Sandra Richter Welcomers: Loraine Churko, Helen Fisher, Claudette Thibodeau, & Volunteer Needed Eucharistic Ministers: Carol Lahey-Wiggs, Francisco Vocalan, & Volunteer Needed Lectors: 1st-Steve Sikora, 2nd- Leatta da Terra, Int-Annie Llamanzares-Abad Sound Tech (with Livestream): Gil Segovia Altar Servers: Francine Caoagas, Jack Nyssen, & Tenley Westendorp Gift Bearers: Donna McCormac Ushers: Neil Mooney, Terry McBride, & Volunteer Needed

Sunday, @ 9:00 am Liturgy Coordinator: Len Florizone Welcomers: Dustin Crawford, Joanne Reschny-Crawford, Ike & Laila Stang Eucharistic Ministers: Sandra Brookman, Heather Hickey, & Ronald James Lee Lectors: 1st-Helen Andersen, 2nd-Tillie Aessie, Intentions- Rebecca Warman Sound Tech: John Hickey Altar Servers: Charlotte, Zack, & Matthew Hickey Gift Bearers: Joanne Reschny-Crawford **Ushers:** Allan Zakreski, Jerome Engele, & Vern Baier

Sunday, @ 7:00 pm

Liturgy Coordinator: Rylan Borsa Welcomers: Gen Lindeman & Adine Sander Eucharistic Ministers: Lisa Gaudet Lectors: 1st-MaryLynn Kemp 2nd- Christine Casavant Sound Tech: Justin Fisher Altar Servers: Amelia, Annika, & Evelyn Fisher Gift Bearers: Rob & Angela Thomas Ushers: Volunteer Needed

Prayer requests

We pray for those in our community who are sick, suffering or in hospital: may they be comforted in their time of need and be restored to good health. We pray for ...

Lisa Krushelinski	Isobel Coats	Hugh Brennan	Josephine Baranieski
Claudette Dick	Dianna Jaman	Julian Humens	Tristan Carlo Padua the III
Dietta Todos	Ryan MacLeod	Vern Wiebe	Phyllis & Peter Jansen
Steven Chestolowski	Diane Cote	Erin Humphrey	Tristan Carlo Padua the IV
George Pearson	Ray Faucheux	Lynn Graver	Brenda Salado Catubay
Karen Schreiner	Jerome Chomos	Kerrie Anderson	Darlene Cocks
Lucile Kosokowsky Glennis Koop	Francoise Hanna	Zenny Katzenberger	Chandra Behrenz
Arnel Bernarte			

We pray for the repose of the souls of our loved ones; especially *Tim Graham,* may they rejoice in the reward of everlasting life.

There will be a funeral Mass for John Lahey Wiggs on Friday, September 27th at 11:00 am, and John will be interred at St. John's Columbarium on the same day. All are welcome to come and pray as a community for the repose of his soul.

As our choirs are beginning again in September we are welcoming new members:

<u>**7th Day Youth Band**</u>: directed by Angele Champigny; this group is still forming. It will eventually sing at one Saturday 5 o'clock mass per month. Rehearsals are every Monday at 6:30. Singers and guitarist are needed.

<u>Sunday 11:00 Choir</u>: directed by Jennifer Rommens and Christine Bird; practices Thursday 7:00-8:30pm <u>Childrens Choir</u>: directed by Christina Florizone; ages 11 and up; rehearsal every other Saturday 9:00-9:55 am

Fiat (an extension of Children's Choir): directed by Christina Florizone; will practice harmonies and more difficult music. Rehearsals every other Saturday (after Children's Choir rehearsal) 9:45-10:15 am **Tom Hickey's Group**: this group sings at one Sunday 11 o'clock mass per month. Rehearsals as needed. **St. Cecilia Choir**: directed by Arlyn Teves; sings on the third Sunday of the month at (9 AM mass). Rehearsal 8:00 AM Sunday before mass.

<u>Saturday 5:00 Choir:</u> directed by Ken Neitz; rehearsal 4:00 Saturday (just before mass at 5:00) <u>St Anne's Funeral Choir</u>: coordinated by Bernadette Fanner; sings at funerals as needed; rehearses before the funeral if required.

If you are interested in any of these music ministry opportunities, or if you would like to offer your music talents in any way at the parish, please contact Music Coordinator Ken @ kneitz@rcdos.

"But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, willing to yield, full of mercy and good fruit, without a trace of partiality or hypocrisy. And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace for those who make peace." ~James 3:17-18



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Weekday Masses: Tuesday to Friday - 8:30 am Weekend Masses: Saturday - 5:00 pm Sunday - 9:00 am, 11:00 am, & 7:00 pm Confession: Wednesday - 7:00 - 9:00 pm & 3rd Fridays of the month 7:00 - 9:00 pm Office hours: Monday-Friday 8:30 am - Noon & 1:00 pm - 4:30 pm Pastor: Fr. Gregory Roth Email: groth@rcdos.ca Associate Pastor: Fr. Prosper Abotsi Email: pabotsi@rcdos.ca Office: (306) 931-4700 Email: sansaskatoon@rcdos.ca

Check out our website at **www.saintannes.ca.** You can sign up to receive our weekly "Snapshot" email on our website for information on the life of the parish.

<u>25th Sunday in Ordinary Time–September 22nd, 2024</u>

The Price of Goodness - Sr. Dianne Bergant, CSA

We all know genuinely good people. Somehow, they are able to live the virtues of their religious tradition. It might even appear that it is easy for them to do so. One would think that such good people would be valued. Well, yes and no. While we might truly value the goodness of others, that goodness can also shame us. And there is the rub. People are uncomfortable with the realization that they are not as good as they think—or not as good as others might view them. Today's readings underscore the price we might have to pay for such goodness.

The first reading describes a plot being devised to get rid of a righteous person whose goodness has become "annoying" (Wisdom 2:12). This is not someone who flaunts goodness; it is a genuinely good person, one who is referred to as "the righteous one" (2:18). (Here "son of God" simply means some-one belonging to the people of God.) The plotters insist that God will come to the rescue if the right-eous one is truly good. The petitions in the psalm response are placed on the lips of that righteous one. Like many good Bible stories, this story is open ended. We do not know what happens. The price paid for righteousness is found in the Gospel passage as well. Here the righteous one is Jesus. Though we know how his story ends, here the disciples did not.

Today we are faced with the starkness of these stories. Are we willing to pay the price of goodness?

WEEKDAY READINGS Sept 23-28 Monday, St. Pius of Pietrelcina: Prv 3:27–34 / Lk 8:16–18 Tuesday, Weekday: Prv 21:1–6, 10–13 / Lk 8:19–21 Wednesday, Weekday: Prv 30:5–9 / Lk 9:1–6 Thursday, Weekday: Eccl 1:2–11 / Lk 9:7–9 Friday, St. Vincent de Paul: Eccl 3:1–11 / Lk 9:18–22 Saturday, Weekday: Eccl 11:9–12:8 / Lk 9:43b–45



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Ministry Fair: This is Stewardship Weekend. It is our annual "ministry volunteer drive," where we are looking for people to fill in the various ministries at Mass. Please check out the Sunday Mass Ministry Table. We are always looking for more people to serve at Mass. Anyone who fills out a form will be entered in a draw for one of 3 gift card prizes! If you already serve through a Mass Ministry, you can still enter the draw as a thank-you for your continued service! The draw will be Oct 1st, so you can bring your form back next weekend if you don't yet know how you'd like to serve.

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the "Prayer of the Heart" please join us. For information call Donna at 306 236-7113.



Our St. Anne's Food Pantry is in need of all items. Here is a list if you need ideas:

-Peanut butter -Coffee

-Pasta/Rice

-Pasta Sauce -Beans

-Pancake Mix/Syrup We are very appreciative of any contribution— thank you!



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