

Saint Anne’s Week at a Glance

Monday, January 20th:

- 4:45 pm - Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet
- 6:00 pm - Kids for Christ
- 7:00 pm - Truth & Reconciliation Commission Mtg.

Tuesday, January 21st: Clergy Study Days

- 8:30 am - Mass (+ Warren Foster)
- 9:00 am - Praying of the Rosary
- 7:00 pm - Illness Support Group

Wednesday, January 22nd:

Clergy Day of Recollection

- 8:30 am - Mass (+ Hilda Geib)
- 9:00 am - 9:00pm - Adoration
- 9:00 am - Praying of the Rosary
- 9:30 am - St. Anne’s Bible Study
- 10:30 am - Mass at St. Angela Merici
- 3:15 pm - Centering Prayer Group
- 7:00 pm - RCIA
- 7:00 pm - Confession

Thursday, January 23rd:

- 8:30 am - Mass (+ Meetree Hanna)
- 9:00 am - Praying of the Rosary
- 9:00 am - Mom’s Group
- 9:30 am - St. Anne School Mass (offsite)
- 7:00 pm - 11 am Mass Choir Music Practice
- 7:00 pm - Alpha Marriage Course

Friday, January 24th:

- 8:30 am - Mass (+ Garry Viden)
- 9:00 am - Praying of the Rosary
- 2:00 pm - Mass @ Primrose Chateau

Saturday, January 25th:

- 3:45 pm - Neitz Music Practice
- 5:00 pm - Mass
- 6:00 pm - Weekend Welcome
- 7:00 pm - Forged Men Meeting

Sunday, January 26th:

- 9:00 am - Mass
- 10:00 am - Weekend Welcome
- 11:00 am - Mass (livestreamed)
- 12:00 pm - Welcome Weekend
- 12:00 pm - Unveiled: Sister Tea
- 6:00 pm - Ramsay Choir Practice
- 7:00 pm - Mass
- 8:00 pm - Weekend Welcome



Unveiled: Discovering the Beauty in Discernment

A live event,
in partnership with Arise Catholic movement,
featuring special guests:
The Sisters of the Presentation of Mary.
For mothers and daughters of all ages.
Join us as we dive deeper into religious life and
discernment.
Sunday, January 26th 1:00pm - 3:30 pm in
St. Anne’s Parish hall.
Please bring a dessert/snack to share.
arisecatholicmovement.ca/unveiled

Offering for New Year’s:

Loose	\$	434.15
Envelopes		<u>1,450.00</u>
	\$	1,884.15

Offering for January 1-5:

Loose	\$	473.65
Envelopes		4,465.00
Online		971.00
PAG		<u>6,670.16</u>
	\$	12,579.81

Offering for January 6-12:

Loose	\$	661.55
Envelopes		2,965.00
Online		1,436.00
PAG		<u>6,670.16</u>
	\$	11,732.71

Thank you for
your ongoing
generosity!

Prayer requests



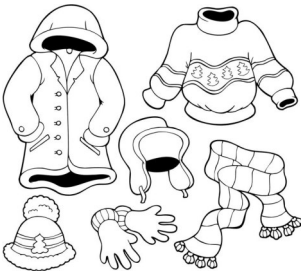
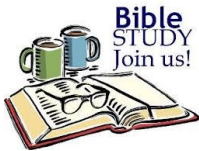
We pray for those in our community who are sick, suffering or in hospital: may they be comforted in their time of need and be restored to good health. We pray for ...

Dietta Todos Dianna Jaman Arnel Bernarte Barry Aldous Mary Connolly	Richard Ewart Irene Ell Bob Appell Vern Wiebe Darlene Cocks	Claudette Dick Ryan MacLeod Lynn Graver Mitch Toews	Phyllis Jansen Oliver Reddekopp Steven Chestolowski Baby Ben Ursaki & his Family
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We pray for the repose of the souls of our loved ones especially **Adelina Bairos, Alfred Villasin, & Mona Gryba** on the 13th anniversary of her death; that they would know the peace of heaven.

St. Anne’s Bible Study:

Join us every Wednesday morning from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. for bible study in the parish hall! Even if you have never attended before, you are more than welcome to join! Our bible study is for anybody who wishes that they understood the bible a bit better. If you plan on joining in this week, please prepare by reading **Genesis 28 & 29**. Jacob meets the love of his life Rachel, but is deceived by his father in law La’ban! For more information contact Daniel Pettipas at dpettipas@rcdos.ca



Warm-up location seeking donations - The overnight warm-up centre for men at St. Mary Parish in Saskatoon needs some items for its guests. This year nearly 1000 people have taken refuge at the site and many lack basic winter clothing to stay warm once they leave for the day. Items most in need are blankets, mitts, toques, and men's winter boots.
***St Anne's Parish will have a drop-off bin in the Welcome Area for the month of January. If you have items to donate to St Mary's warm-up centre, please drop them off next time you are at the parish!**

2025-26 St. George Kindergarten Open House- Come learn and play with us

Kindergarten registration for the 2025-26 school year will open in January. St. George is hosting an Open House on Tuesday, February 27 at 5:15PM. Come see the school and meet the kindergarten teacher!

Children who will be 5 years old on or before December 31, 2025 can register for kindergarten by contacting the school or visiting www.gscs.ca/kindergarten.
If you have questions or need more information, contact us at 306-659-7320 or st.george@gscs.ca.

Liturgical Schedule for January 25/26

Saturday @ 5:00 pm

Liturgy Coordinator: Lois Spizawka

Welcomers: Darlene Crowter, Randy Fischer, Rolando Lescano, & John Marshall

Eucharistic Ministers: Frank Brown, Barb Fischer, & Henriette Le Strat

Lectors: 1st– Katie Groskopf

2nd– Paula Fortier, Int– Millie Walliser

Sound Tech: Kyle Levesque

Altar Servers: Blake & Elise Dyck & Daniel Molyneux

Gift Bearers: Michaela Hamm

Ushers: Ed Konotopsky, Gisele & Kevin O'Donnell

Sunday @ 11:00 am

Liturgy Coordinator: Cameron Jackson

Welcomers: Christine Compain, Valerie Jackson, Terri Klashinsky, & Gloria Usselman

Eucharistic Ministers: Myra Dela Rosa, Jacqueline Jackson, & Julie Jensen

Lectors: 1st– Tyrone Miranda, 2nd– Leatta da Terra
Int– Sandra Richter

Sound Tech (with Livestream): Jordan Richter

Altar Servers: Emmett Hickey, Tenley Westendorp, & **Volunteer Needed**

Gift Bearers: Ann Schiebelbein

Ushers: Neil Mooney, Wassem Shah, &

Volunteers Needed

Sunday @ 9:00 am

Liturgy Coordinator: Len Florizone

Welcomers: The Germaine Family

Eucharistic Ministers: Sylvia Aebig, Allan & Grace Zakreski,

Lectors: 1st - Dan Dupuis

2nd - Helen Andersen

Int - Zebadiah Hughes

Sound Tech: Andrew Lockert

Altar Servers: Benjamin, Clara, & Victor Dupuis

Gift Bearers: Keith Boechler &

Therese Vany-Boechler

Ushers: Vern Baier, Stan Schroeder, & Gord Cey

Sunday @ 7:00 pm

Liturgy Coordinator: Scott Butler

Welcomers: Gen Lindeman & Adine Sander

Eucharistic Ministers: Kirk Haan

Lectors: 1st-Bill Thurmeier

2nd– Jhoana Bernarte

Sound Tech: Doug Tremblay

Altar Servers: Francine Caoagas, Maya Santos, & **Volunteer Needed**

Gift Bearers: Robin Sander

Ushers: **Volunteer Needed**

Pizza and Board Games!

Everyone is welcome to our next pizza and board game night on Saturday, February 1st after the 5:00 p.m. Mass! The evening will run from 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. starting with pizza for supper, followed by board games of all kinds! The cost is \$10 per person and \$20 per family.

Please sign-up at <https://saintannes.ca/pizza-and-board-game-night/>

St Anne's Centering Prayer group will meet every Wednesday at 3:15 in the Livingroom. During the month there will be a short introduction to what Centering Prayer is and how easy it is to commune with God without words. If you ever wanted to know more about the "Prayer of the Heart" please join us. For information call Donna at 306 236-7113.



SAINT ANNE'S
CATHOLIC CHURCH

217 Lenore Drive, Saskatoon, S7K 6Y2

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

9:00 am - noon and 1:00 pm - 4:30 pm

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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.

2nd Sunday of Ordinary Time –January 19th, 2025

What's New? -Sr. Dianne Bergant, CSA

Few parties are more enjoyable than a wedding celebration. While the elegance of the flowers and the extravagance of the food and beverages captivate our senses, the real excitement is the love and promise of newness. New relationships are forged, a new family is created, and there's the possibility of new life. No wonder the relationship between God and God's people is often described in marriage imagery, as we see in today's first reading.

This Old Testament passage is postexilic. The alienation from God is over; the people and God are now reconciled. Much of the language suggests relationship: no longer forsaken or desolate, but now a delight and espoused (see Isaiah 62:4). Despite having been betrayed, God's mercy has transformed the nation back to its virginal state: "As a young man marries a virgin, your Builder shall marry you" (62:5). This newness is something to celebrate.

The messianic character of the Cana story has long been recognized. All the newness I mentioned earlier is there, but newness now pertains to the entire community of believers and not simply to the marriage couple, who have no idea what is happening. An important detail of this story is the nature of the wine. What was originally water for ceremonial cleansing was transformed into wine, the quality of which was outstanding. This imagery tells us that there is a messianic banquet awaiting us, one that celebrates our intimate union with God. The joy we experience then will be intoxicating.

WEEKDAY READINGS

January 20-25

Monday, Weekday: Heb 5:1–10 / Mk 2:18–22

Tuesday, St. Agnes: Heb 6:10–20 / Mk 2:23–28

Wednesday, Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children: Heb 7:1–3, 15–17

Thursday, Weekday: Heb 7:25–8:6 / Mk 3:7–12

Friday, St. Francis de Sales: Heb 8:6–13 / Mk 3:13–19

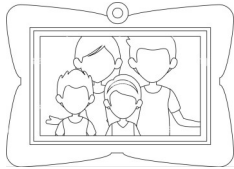
Saturday, Conversion of St. Paul: Acts 22:3–16 or Acts 9:1–22 / Mk 16:15–18



Envelope Update: Offertory envelopes have been available in the welcome area for a month and many have not been picked up. To reduce mailing costs and environmental waste, we will accommodate online and preauthorized users whose special collection boxes remain here by switching to virtual envelopes. You may donate to special collections on our website using the donation dropdown. The special collection for January is Mary, Mother of God New Year's Offering. Please contact Trina at tward@rcdos.ca if you have questions. Thank you for your generous support.

Photo Directory Update

If you ordered additional photos when taking your pictorial directory pictures, please visit the main office to check if they have arrived. If they are not yet available, you can reach out to IPC Photo directly at customerservice@ipcphoto.ca or by phone at **1-800-391-5161 ext. 115**. Be sure to have your order number on hand for reference.



We are making progress on the parish photo directory and hope to have it printed in the coming months. If you did not have your picture taken but would still like your name listed in the directory, please contact **Heather Hickey** at hickey@rcdos.ca.

Thank you for your patience and cooperation!

Children & Youth Ministry

**January Jump! & K4C
Happy New Year
Monday January 20th from
6:00pm-7:30pm.**



Join our monthly kid's night for those ages 3 to Grade 5. Children will get a chance to learn about their faith, play games, and meet friends. Snack will be provided.

For any questions, please reach out to Michaela Hamm at mhamm@rcdos.ca. Looking forward to seeing you there!

Adoration Wednesdays

We have Adoration at the church every Wednesday from 9am-9pm. Anyone is welcome to attend anytime throughout the day. We are in particular need of someone to come from 11am-12pm. If you are able, please contact Christina at christinaloveslen@gmail.com.



*"Declare his glory among the nations,
his marvelous works among all the people.
For great is the Lord,
and greatly to be praised;
he is to be revered above all gods."
Psalm 96: 3-4*

Time Out For Moms (TOFM) is a Catholic enrichment group for women and mothers of all ages, featuring weekly gatherings of women from many parishes held at the Cathedral of the Holy Family. For our upcoming session we will be exploring "Relationships: A Call to Sacrificial Love." The Bible verse that will guide us is John 12:24. Winter Session 2025: February 4 - March 25 (No Session February 18) Tuesday mornings 9:15 a.m. - 11:15 a.m. Registration is open now! Register early to guarantee your spot. For more details and to register please visit our website www.tofm.ca. We look forward to seeing you! We are always looking for more caregivers in our childcare rooms. If you are interested or would like more information please visit our website or email at tofmsaskatoon@gmail.com. A current criminal record check is required as well as diocesan safeguard training which we can provide.



**theWORD
among us®** The Word Among Us for January have finally arrived and are available for purchase in the Welcome Area. Sorry for the delay!

Knights of Columbus In Support of Life Gala Fundraiser will be held on Saturday, February 22, 2025 at the Cathedral of the Holy Family. Tickets \$40.00 each. We also have 50/50 tickets for the In Support of Life Raffle Draw on Saturday, February 22.



ANCHOR: Chronic Illness Prayer Support Group

Are you living with a chronic illness? Maybe you attend an illness directed support group and leave thinking: "Something is missing!" Or maybe you haven't found the right support group? Come join us on the second Monday of each month from 6:30-8pm in the living room at St. Anne's Parish for an evening of sharing and prayer. Your caregiver/support person is encouraged to attend with you. Our goal is to come together in prayer, "ANCHOR"ed in Gratitude and Hope, to support one another in our ongoing health journeys. Our first meeting will be on Monday, February 10, 2025. Sign up by calling the parish office or registering online at saintannes.ca/anchor-chronic-illness-support-group-registration/



Communio Study Circle

For all lovers of theology. Communio is a Catholic theological journal founded by Hans Urs von Balthasar, Henri de Lubac, and Joseph Ratzinger (Pope Benedict XVI) in the years following Vatican II. It is published quarterly and there are study circles around the world that meet to discuss articles and share fellowship. St. Anne's Parish is hosting the first Saskatoon Communio Study Circle on Thursday, Feb 20, in the "Living Room" at St. Anne's. Our first article we will be discussing is entitled "The Christian Personalism of John Paul II" by Nicholas Healy Jr. No theological training is required, although it is fairly academic in nature. For more information or to get access to the first article, contact Fr. Greg Roth at groth@rcdos.ca or at 306-931-4700.